

Tokyo Will Not Have to Import Scrap Iron for Some Time



Skeletons of buildings and shacks are all that remain of this section of Tokyo after Superfort raids. GIs prowl among the ruined stacks of metal in their first inspection of the city.

Evewitness Tells: U.S. Extends Nagasaki Atom Flames Rule 400 Mi. North of Tokyo Shot 12 Miles in Air

TOKYO, Sept. 9.-American control was extended on Honshu Island today to 400 miles north of Tokyo formal Japanese surrender by aboard an American warship of Ominato naval district in Mutsu Bay. There was no immediate occupation.

Vice Adm. Frank J. Fletcher, commander of the U.S. Northern Pacific Fleet, accepted the sur-render from Vice Adm. Kenji Au-gaki, base commandant.

Sixty Allied warships crowded in Ominato's anchorage. Marines in reconnaissance boats prowled the-coast line and naval crews prepared to immobilize all Japanese shipping in those waters as occupation forces were readied were readied.

A similar drama was being en-acted at the Katsuura naval and submarine base on Honshu's east-ern coast, southeast of Tokyo, which was to be completely under U.S. Army and Navv control be-fore nightfall

Tokyo radio announced a scne-dule of occupation which would place American forces in control of many strategic points of the fallen empire by early October.

By this account, the naval base of Sasebo, on the western coast of the southern island of Kyushu, 'ill be taken over Sept. 22.

Wakayama, a steel city of 195,000 population, 30 miles southwest of Osaka, will change hands Sept. 25, Tokyo said.

The official surrender of Hongkong once more was postponed,

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (UP).— The War Department released to-day the following eyewitness ac-count of the Aug. 9 atomic bomb-ing of Nagasaki. It was written by William L. Lawrence, science writer for The New York Times and special consultant to the group which produced the atomic bomb.

By William L. Lawrence

By William L. Lawrence We are en route to bomb the mainland of Japan. Our group consists of three specially designed B29s, two of which carry no bombs. The other plane carries a single atomic bomb—the second to be loosed on Japan in three days—con-centrating in its active substance explosive energy equivalent to 20.000 and, under favorable condi-tions, 40.000 tons of ordinary bombs. I watched the assembly of this man-made meteor during the last two days. It is a thing of beauty to behold. Into the design of this gadget went millions of man hours of what

was undoubtedly the most concen-trated intellectual effort in history. Never before has so much brain power been focused on a single problem.

I saw the atomic essence before it was placed inside the bomb. By itself it is not at all dangerous to handle. Only under certain condi-tions produced in the bomb as-sembly can the stuff be made to yield its energy, and even then it gives up only a small fraction of its total contents. That fraction, how-ever, is large enough to produce the greatest explosion on earth. greatest explosion on earth.

We took off at 3:50 AM and headed directy for Japan with a choice of several targets. Weather reports predicted storms for a part of the way, but clear sailing for the final climactic stages of our odys-sev. The winds of desting seem to sey. The winds of destiny seem to favor certain Japanese cities that must remain nameless. We circled about them again and again, but found no opening in the thick (Continued on Page 8, Col. 1)

1,750,000 Yanks In Pacific to Return Home by Next June

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (ANS) .- Indicating that the U.S. occupation force in Japan might be smaller than first estimated, the War Department announced today that some 1,750,000 American soldiers would be returned from the Pacific by June.

The department also set February as the time for com-. pleting the return of unneeded troops from Europe-2,000,-000 of them, not including forces scheduled for occupation or men required to dispose of Army surplus property, the official statement said.

USFET G-3, revealed at a Paris press conference Thursday that the total number of American troops in the ETO was 2.000.000. including all categories.

(Of these, he declared, approxi-mately 1,300,000 would be shipped to the U.S. between Sept. 1 and Dec. 31. The occupation force in Germany is expected to number 400,000 Americans while the remain-ing 200 000 probably will be used 400,000 Americans while the remain-ing 300,000 probably will be used as a "close-out" force, Eyster as-serted, to "sweep out the house and roll up the carpet before we close the door." Eyster said negotiations for obtaining the "close-out" force were under way between the ETO and the War Department.)

1,110,000 Since VE-Day

Troops returned from the European and other inactive Atlantic theaters between VE-Day and Aug. 31 numbered 1.110,000, while the total for all theaters in that period was 1,225,000, the depart-ment reported.

nent reported. The announcement that 1,750,000 men were scheduled to come back from the Pacific indicated, the Associated Press said, that U.S occupation forces in Japan may be smaller than the 900,000 unofficially estimated previously. As of Sept. 1, 1,900,000 men were in the Pacific. Withdrawal of 1,750,000 would leave 150,000 but 540,000 new men are scheduled to be sent to the Pacific by July. This would mean a force of 690,000 would be available for occupation and to man other installations in the Pacific. Today's figures were issued after

Today's figures were issued after Gen. MacArthur's forces had gone ashore in Japan and had found an opportunity to survey the situation

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(Brig. Gen, George S. Eyster, Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff of S Free Students, **30-Yr.OldDads**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (ANS). Two Senators suggested yesterday that all soldiers 30 or older who have children should be released along with young men who left college to go to war. One Senator advocated also that limited service, men, doing essentially civilian jobs in the Army, be released and their jobs filled at civilian wage scales. Meanwhile, the Coast Guard cut is point score for release of male personnel to match the Navy's rate of release. Critical scores for of-ficers were reduced from 49 to 43 and for enlisted men from 44 to 40 points. There was no change in critical scores for the women's re-serve—29 for enlisted personnel and 35 for officers.
Sen Joseph O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) made public a letter to Secretary of War Stimson recommending that soldiers 30 or over who have children be released as well as of-ficers, who entered through the National Guard, or from civilian life, who are 34 or over and desire to return to business, should be released on application.
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Sen. Pat McCarran (D.-Nev.) wrote Stimson that men who left college to go to war "have every right to ask that they be allowed to return to civilian life at the earliest possible moment and take up again the studies they laid aside when their country called..." McCarran also raised a question McCarran also raised a question concerning the million limited ser-

Concerning the million limited service enlisted men doing clerical work who can't hope for an early discharge under the point system. He said that "by holding these men in the Army a million jobs. more or less, are being kept out of the labor market." Chairman David I. Walsh (D-Mass.) of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, urged Secretary James V. Forrestal to liberalize the Navy formula by granting five points for each dependent up to three, two for each medal or decoration, one Write Your Own Headline Should OD Acquaintance Be Forgot?

MEN! Do you fear civil life? Is your night made hideous by visions of

being forced into tweed? Forget your fears and worries. The U.S.

A	this time to Monday or Tuesday. The official explanation was that the ceremony could not be held until the surrender for China had been signed at Nanking. This event, however, has already taken place. Civil Service Commission u will make things easy for you this sage advice it is givin personnel officers you may a job:	ng government their unifor	er contribution as a civilian. rans are reluctant to lay aside cms and return to civilian he return should be made as ible."
1	Down-and Also Out 2,000 Signal Corps Veterans Back to Home Roosts by Xmas Back to Home Roosts by Xma	GREAT LAKES, III., Sept. 9 (ANS).—The first group of Mid- western Marines to be discharged under the point system at the Great Lakes separation center today faced the officer who had enlisted them. Col. Chester Fordney asked them: "Now, men, everything I told you was true, wasn't it?" "Yup," said one of the Ma- rines, "but, man, what you didn't tell us!" He Takes Off at 83 LOS ANGELES, Sept. 9 (ANS). —Student pilot James W. Montee soloed for the first time. Consider-	ostensibly was a Japanese satellite, risoned by 7,000 Jap troops.
	German birds. The latter joined (Continued on Page 8. Col. 3)	did pretty well.	Department, the British govern- movements when they occurred.

THE STARS AND STRIPES

Monday, Sept. 10, 1945



Age of Impatience

We are sending this letter for 50 to 75 men 40 years old, some as much as 45 years old. Some have been here in the 134 Replacement Battalion for more than 20 days pulling details, KP, Guard Duty, CO, etc.

CO, etc. Point men come in and are shipp-ed within a few days. We have seen three such large shipments go out of here, but we are stuck. Some of us wear six battle participation stars. It looks like we are the forgotten men. Old and Disgusted (22 signatures.—Ed).

French Bonus

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I was shocked and amazed to read about that "bonus" which the French government is going to pay the poor starving Americans. The French government is fight-ing a desperate battle against in-flation, runaway prices and all the other consequences of a disrupted national economy. The currency exchange in June

other consequences of a disrupted national economy. The currency exchange in June was a part of this battle. At the same time, we are to take from the same people a lot of money which they need badly and which cannot they need badly and which cannot mean very much to the well-fed and well-clothed GI. It is very doubtful if the French government is very enthusiastic about this scheme, otherwise the negotiations would not have lasted for months. I would not be amazed if this whole business would look to the French people pretty much like the oc-cupation levy the Nazis made them pay. That's the way I feel about it.

it. I have been in Paris long enough to know how most of the Army pay is spent. It does not make me feel very good to think that France should have to pay a lot of money that is to be spent for bad liquor and worse women.

I do not intend to take this money. I would feel very cheap to take anything from a country that is as badly in need of help as France is today. Therefore, I will hand this money on each pay day to The Stars and Stripes War Orphan Fund and hope that a lot of Americans are going to do the same thing

of Americans are going to do the same thing. If the government is really so concerned about our purchasing power, why not do the only decent and honest thing? Pay us a more realistic exchange rate for our dol-lars. That would be far more in keeping with America's honor than to accept a "bonus" that tooks like a disreputable cross between tribute and a tip.—Pvt G. A. Feri, Hos and a tip.-Pvt G. A. Feri, Hqs TSFET.

And now we are mercenaries. As a nation we have become so im-poverished that we can no longer pay our own soldiers. Our authoriz-ed pay having been slashed by more than 50 percent since landing in France. we must now accept with gratitude 850 francs per month as a gift from the French people for their liberation. If this was actually the result of

If this was actually the result of "months of negotiations" between high U.S. and French officials, I suggest that in the future these difficult problems be delegated to someone with a good touch on a outia heard

someone with a good touch on a ouija board. To further alienate the French people and American soldier, it couldn't have been better-handled. Announced as a "gift," the French taxpayer. having no voice in the matter, will naturally resent the cost. Now it will be partly his money that we spend over the bars and perfume counters while he is struggling to meet the cost of liv-ing. ing. As for the G1, there are few too stupid to realize that they, also without representation, have been forced to maintain their govern-ment's policy of supporting foreign currencies at Alice-in-Wonderland values without any assistance from the highly-paid war workers on the "home front." They will not be the "home front." They will not be impressed by this adjustment, so late in coming and so pitifully in-adequate, by which both govern-ments acknowledge that the soldier has has been victimized. Since there seems to be no will-ingness to make an equitable set-tlement, why continue to insult our intelligence by such chicanery Let's retain the "status quo." Our post-war friendship and influence can be bought with a little kind-liness and courtesy, but not with 850 francs a month.—Pvt A, E. W. been victimized.

horns for M1 rifle. Army bands, with their limited T/Os, could only absorb a small number of these men and most of the rest haven't had a chance to play in years. The result of this is almost disastrous to these men because after discharge it will take many months of hard practice before they can even begin to compete with those who walked into before they can even begin to compete with those who walked into the jobs they leit. You can have all your educational

You can have all your educational and sports programs, but all a musician wants is a chance to play. The Army bands right now are most overworked...parades, cere-monies, concerts and dances. Why can't they kill a couple of birds and let the bands have some of these musicians whose whole music-al future probably depends on the amount of playing they can do in the next few months? How about helping them when they need it the most-now.-Joe Blow, Cavalry. * * *

Bitch Remover

Bitch Kemover A few good words to you, Eddie Bracken, and I'm surre there's millions in the uniform that feel the same after reading your piece in tha'S & S of Aug. 20, where you tried to give the EM a seat or bust. 'f the Army had more men like you wearing the brass, I'm sure things would run a damn sight smoother with less hard feelings and bitching.-Pfc, 72 Reinf. Bn.

Exclusive

Exclusive Here in Heidelberg there are at least three theaters for motion pictures and one for stage shows. Previous to the Seventh Army's taking it over as part of their occupational zone, any GI on pass to the city could attend these theaters. Now all that is changed. One must have a spechanged. One must have a spe-cial Seventh Army recreation pass to see a show. What the hell did we fight for! Is the Seventh Army personnel so much better than men of other units? —Cpl. C. H. Rendler, 439 AAA.

Up in the Air

Up in the Air This letter concerns the possibi-lities of our unit, 794th AAA A/W Bn., seeing the latest USO shows. The night of Aug. 14, the per-sonnel of our outfit was not admitted to see the USO show starring Bob Hope, then being staged in Heidelberg, under the auspices of the Seventh Army. A colonel was heard to make this remark: "I'll see that the ninth AF personnel will not be permitted to see the show."

We are of the opinion that USO shows are for all military personnel.

HUBERT by SGT. DICK WINGERT



Blame Lily Dache if your wife meets you at the station wear-ing something like this. Lily, who designed the whacky num-ber, calls it a "Coming Home" turban and you know how sus-ceptible women are to whacky headgear.

Gen. Leclerc **To Visit Chiang**

CHUNGKING, Sept. 9 (AP).-Gen. Jacques Leclerc, who repre-sented the French at the Japanese surrender, is expected here im-mediately, the French embassy dis-closed today. He was invited to Chungking by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for discussions involving Indo-China. A spokesman of the French em-bassy said that French relations with the Chinese government were on a sound, friendly basis and that the field forces under Gen. Hoying Chin and Gen. Lu Han who were assigned to accept the Japanese sur-render in Northern Indo-China were co-operating in every way. However, difficulties were admitted between French troops under the control of Gov. Lung Yung of Yungen were French troops under the control of Gov. Lung Yung of Yunan on the question of allowing French forces which had escaped into Yunan from Indo-China to go down the Yunan Railway and re-enter the French colony.

Probe Singapore's Fall, Britain Urged

LONDON, Sept. 9 (AP).—Prompt-ed by the U.S. move for a Con-gressional investigation of the Pearl Harbor disaster, the London Daily Mail called today for a "full offi-cial inquiry" by the British gov-ernment into the fall of Singapore and Malaya

shows are for all military personnel. Is the above stated performance the usual pratice over here, or just the rantings of a misguided Seventh Army colonel? (Unable to learn his name.) It has been our good fortune to see one such show on this Conti-nent. Our 794th boys, like all others. like to see and enjoy the shows. Here is a list of the men of our group who had the "door slammed in their face."—(116 names.—Ed.).



By Philip H. Bucknell The Stars and Stripes U.S. Bureau

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.-Don't thank us-this is just a part of Stars and Stripes special service to our readers. The judges of the "Miss America of 1945" contest say GI Joe will gladly leave his pinup girls on the barracks wall when he returns to civilian life in favor of the 1945 miss back home who

All this came, it must be understood, after they had inspected the lovelies in swim suits at Atlantic City, which could have had some-thing to do with it. Bradshaw Crandall, a cover girl artist, explained it this way:

"The pinup girl was an escape for the serviceman. She was good for entertainment, but when GI Joe gets home he is going to run for the girl he wants to marry and spend 24 hours a day with her."

"And a fine girl awaits him," says illustrator Dean Cornwell, giving the American girl another excuse to stick out her chest. "She is better developed physically and mentally than the girl who was waiting when Johnny came marching home from the last war. She is educated, too. There will be no flapper to come out of this war, nourished on bootleg gin."

And just to give all the gals a stake in this giorified American girl, the president of the Society of Illustrators. Arthur William Brown, said that today there was no actual formula for beauty. "The time is past when the measurements of Venus de Milo were the standards for judgment," Brown declared. "Today a girl may have big feet, but if she is gracious and graceful and the feet are co-ordinated in the movements of her body we may say she has beauty Beauty is some-thing which touches your artistic feelings. You know it is there but you can't find it with a tape measure."

Theater Wing Plans Center for Vets

THE American Theater Wing, which has done so much to provide I entertain Theater Wing, which has done so much to provide entertainment for servicemen is now going to bat for the men who went from grease paint to uniform. A move is afoot to set up an ATW center, complete with theater, restaurant and rooms, together with classes, so that veterans who form 1y made their living on the stage may have an opportunity to brush up on the things a producer used to drill them in.

IN Seattle, it was learned that, although production of the B29 had been cut back, the Boeing Co. shortly will go into production with a bigger and better model, the B44. At least five heavy bombers would come off the line each month, it was stated, in addition to five C97 transport planes. The company, which employed nearly 30,000 workers during peak production, hopes to employ between 7,000 and 8,000 when production recommences

during peak production, hopes to employ between 7,000 and 8,000 when production recommences. At the same time, the War Department gave information on the cutback rate for other military aircraft. B29s are being cut back by 64 percent, P80s 60 percent, P61s (Northrup night fighter) 50 per-cent, and the P51H, the new long-range Mustang. 34 percent. Under the present schedule, the P47N, the long-range Thunderbolt, will be finished in November. In addition, the B44 will be cut back by 70 per-cent from the original production mark.

CMH Winner Gets Movie Job

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LT. AUDIE MURPHY, one of the Army's most decorated soldiers, has started work for MGM. Murphy says that he will appear in a short feature and later will be given special schooling at the expense of the film company.

REGINALD H. DRIGGS at the Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, has **K** been given \$250 for an idea that has saved the government nearly \$2,500.000. His idea eliminated a threatened bottleneck in the gas mask procurement program by making possible the salvage of 900,000 rubber gas mask facepieces slated for rejection. Driggs also has been recommended for a larger award.

recommended for a larger award. THIRTY-TWO overseas veterans, awaiting discharge at Camp Grant, at the Washington Navy Yard. During the torrid days, the officers were permitted to doff their jackets at meals—provided no superior officer objected. Then the wife of a high officer, being entertained at mess. noticed some shirtsleeved officers and shuddered. Noticing the shudder, the high brass took the matter up and a new order was issued. Officers were ordered to wear whatever the highest officer present nappened to be wearing. Now lieutenants eating happily in shirtsleeves in the presence of a similarly-clad lieutenant commander have to jump up and don their jackets—and so does the lieutenant commander—if a jacketed captain appears. And so on. One time, two equal rankers came in one with and one without, an admiral enters and then do what he does This saves them from jumping up and down and from indigestion.

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Strike Up the Bands

I hear a lot about the fine things being done and planned for the GL. Army educational and recreational programs, GI Bill of Rights

Well, it's about time someone thought of doing something for the many musicians who traded their



VETERANS!

"This office has been closed for a few days-I haven't been home for two weeks and I'm going on a furlough myself."



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New Radar Set Revolutionizes Coast Defense

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 9 (ANS).—A new radar set that will "completely revolutionize" American coastal artillery defense and which is also capable of guiding ships through fog and darkness even though the ships themselves lack radar, was unveiled today at the Massachusetts Institute of Tech-nology. nology.

nology. Sets were operating along both our coastlines and on the coast of Iwo Jima before the war ended. The equipment is called "seacoast fire-control radar." It can detect vessels at least 25 miles out under the worst weather conditions with clarity hitherto impossible with other shore-to-sea sets. scientists said. Enables Night Firing Since its accuracy of detection is

Since its accuracy of detection is within five yards in any direction at an effective firing range of 12 miles. It enables big coastal guns to hit their targets with vir-tually foolproof exactness. More-over, it allows guns to be fired with accuracy at night

over, it allows guns to be fired with accuracy at night. A fleet of several nundred large and small ships, detected at a distance of 30 miles, would show up on the set as separate. clearly defined dots of light. Previous sets would present such a fleet as con-glomerate mass, radiation labora-tory men said. "There is no question but that this set will revolutionize our coastal defenses." said Dr. Ivan Getting, head of the group that developed the apparatus. Will Guide Ships In non-military use, radar will allow ships, which either lack radar entirely, or have equipment that is out of commission, to be guided to safe anchorage

out of commission, to be guided to safe anchorage A radar operator, having virtually a motion picture view of the incom-ing ship on his radar scope, will send instructions by radio telephone to the ship's commander, guiding him past all obstacles in his path.

Boost Predicted

holders could look forward to indie hard coal this winter He said the European fuel short-age should have to slight effect upon the anthracite supply situa-tior in the U.S. since the type of coal being shipped overseas is not that used in heating American homes

homes. Solid Fuels Administrator Harold L. Ickes recently warned there would be a shortage of coal in the U.S. this winter unless coal production were increased.



A pall of smoke hangs over the wooded area of the Advent Christian Association grounds at Alton Bay, N.H., where fire razed more than 200 cottages. Firemen used dynamite and backfires to check the blaze.

Son Evicts Parents Over Rent, **Neighbors Give Them Shelter**

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dispute. They were dispossessed by a city marshal on an eviction order ob-tained by the son last month in Municipal Court. A stay of execu-tion had been denied, and an ap-peal to the State Supreme Court also was rejected.

also was rejected. During the sidewalk vigil, a daughter. Mrs. Marie McGonigle, and a daughter.im-law, Mrs. George O. Morris, brought them sand-wiches and coffee. After dark An-gelo Viola, a next-door neighbor, moved Mr. and Mrs. Morris' furn-ishings into his garage. and another holders could look forward to more hard coal this winter He said the European fuel short-He said the European fuel short-

tion: The father bought the nouse in 1924 for \$7,500. borrowing \$750 to make the down payment. Later he borrowed from the Home Ownhe borrowed from the Home Own-ers Loan Corporation to finance mortgage payments of \$41 a month. In 1942 the son and his wife moved into the house, occupying the sec-ond floor while the parents oc-cupied the first. Their stories differed as to what

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (ANS).— For seven hours Frank Morris, 67, and his wife, Mary, 62, sat Friday beside their household goods on the sidewalk in front of the Queens Village (L.I.) house from which they had been evicted by their son, John Morris, and his wife in a rent dispute. who was to pay him \$750 for his equity. The younger Morrises were to take over the mortgage payments and the senior Morris was to pay \$40 a month rent for his share of the house. The father said he had been duped into making the deed, be-lieving the title-transfer document he signed was a bond needed by his son in a legal matter. A court attempt to recover title failed when a State Supreme Court judge ruled that the elder Morris had insufficient documentary proof of ownership. Last March the Senior Morris complained to the Office of Price

Last March the Senior Months complained to the Office of Price Administration that his part of the house was not adequately heated. He said he was advised by the OPA to pay only \$20 a month. The son refused the reduced amount, and the eviction order followed.



NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (ANS).— Federal grand juries in New York and Newark have charged four companies and four individuals with diverting 25.000.000 pounds of sugar to the black market and with attempted evasion of \$943.000 in taxee

taxes. John McGouhey, U.S. Attorney for Southern New York, said the New York Grand Jury returned in-dictments against Murray Green-berg, of Brooklyn. and Leo Green-berg, of Passaic. N.J., formerly heads of Fresh Grown Preserves Corp. of Lyndhurst, N.J. The men allegedly avoided payment of \$943,-000 in taxes on unreported corpora-tion income. taxes

Chicago Seeks Light **On Dark Hall Kissers**

CHICAGO, Sept. 9 (ANS.)-Kissing one's sweetie in a dark hallway may become extinct in Chicago after the city council acts on an ordinance Sept. 18. It's not the kissing, but the dark that the City Fathers are

against. However, an ordinance is being prepared to compet apartment owners to light all entrances, stairways and passageways in an effort "to curtail crime and accidents.'

125,000 Out---Biggest Strike Total in Months

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (AP). -Strikes and unrest along the U.S. labor front became more pronounced today. New disputes brought the number of striking workers to about 125,000—highest in months.

The rise in the number of workers off their jobs was intensified by the and of labor's wartime nostrike pledge.

During the war, the number of idle workers because of strikes was below 100,000 most of the time.

An Associated Press survey dis-closed approximately 40 current work stoppages across the country. The greatest single group idle was more than 30,000 workers of the Ford Motor Co., which had closed eight plants in Detroit and other cities because of a strike of wheelmakers

cities because of a strike of wheelmakers. Officials said that 22,000 other Detroit workers would return to their jobs Monday.

While another stoppage kept 15,-000 idle at the B. F. Goodrich Co.'s six plants at Akron, Ohio, a similar number were out — but reported preparing to return to work Mon-day—at the Consolidated Steel Co. plant in Beaumont, Texas.

Harvest-TimeFurloughs For Farmer-GIs Barred

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (ANS). Sen. John Thomas (R-Idaho) said yesterday that the War Depart-ment had turned thumbs down on suggestions for furloughing soldier-farmers for the nation's harvest.

A letter from Assistant Secretary of War Robert Patterson stated, the Senator said, that if the Army furloughed soldiers to farms, it would be forced to approve "identical requests' from other groups. This, Patterson said, would imperif the demobilization program.

'I Never Saw Her in My Life,' Alimony Defendant Moans

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (ANS).— Victor Sammarco, 42, was married once, then divorced. The thing he once, then divorced. The thing he was trying to prove yesterday was that the woman who had him hauled into Alimony Court was not the one involved in the first two proceedings. "I never saw that lady before in my life." Sammarco told Justice James B. M. McNally. "That's my husband," Mrs. Elizabeth Doyen said. "He owes me \$1,225 alimony." Mrs. Doyen said she married the Ridgewood, L.I., electrician in 1927 and divorced him in 1939. Sammarco said he never paid her

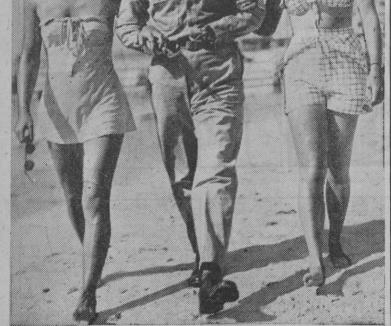
and divorced him in 1939. Sammarco said he never paid her a cent. He said he had seen living with his mother for the last 23 years. He said he went home to mother after a brief marital ven-ture which did not involve any one named Doyen.

The first time he heard the name Doyen, Sammarco said, was when the deputy sheriff "taps me on the shoulder a few days ago." "He shows me a batch of legal papers and says I am William Doyen," he said. "I show every-body my draft card, my driver's license, my social security. I am Victor Sammarco. They all taugh. "Then I figure maybe it's a gag. I sit around the cooler for a day. Still nothing. Then I holler for my lawyer." Max R. Simon, the tawyer. said he has known Sammarco as Sam-The first time he heard the

he has known Sammarco as Sam-marco all his life. After Mrs. Doyen peered intently at Sam-marco for a full minute in court and said she was sure he was her former spouse. Simon offered to pay the back alimony himself if her belief is upheld.

The Girls Haven't Forgotten Jimmy Stewart





Limbless Gl Manages to Get Around

Pvt. Jimmy Wilson of Starkes, Flå., one of two GIs who lost all four limbs in this war, demonstrates his proficiency in the use of his artificial arms and legs by strolling along Atlantic City's beach with Mrs. Ann Miller (left) and Mrs. Betty Schmitz of Allentown, Pa.

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tion income. Thorn Lord, New Jersey U.S. At-torney, said the New Jersey U.S. At-torney, said the New Jersey indict-ment named the corporation: the Greenbergs, the Royal Crown Bot-tling Co., of Baltimore; Royal Crown Bottling Co., of Washing-ton; William C. Franklyn, presi-dent of Royal Crown. Baltimore; Robert Sealfon, of the New York Syrup Co., and the S. J. Baron Corp., of New York. Lord said the New Jersey defen-dants obtained 25,000,000 pounds of sugar for sale to beverage makers

sugar for sale to beverage makers by claiming the sugar was for use in Army hospitals.

Slaughtering Ban Lifted But Meat Ration Goes On

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (UP) .-WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (UP).-Restrictions on the slaughtering of livestock and the domestic ship-ment of meat were suspended to-day, effective immediately, but meat rationing still continues. Chester Bowles, Office of Price Administration chief, said that

while there had been a marked improvement in the supply of meat available to civilians during the last few months, the supply was not yet sufficient to assure good distribu-tion without the help of rationing



Women reporters crowd around Col. James Stewart as he waves a greeting from the pier at New York shortly after he left the Queen Elizabeth, which brought 14,800 passengers from the ETO. The former actor commanded the Second Combat Wing of the Eighth AF in England.

ARCWrapping Office to Move, **Doubling Aid**

The American Red Cross wrap-ping and mailing facilities in Paris will be doubled on Tuesday, Sept. 11, when the Postal and Service Center moves from 11 Rue Scribe to larger quarters at 11 Blvd. Hauss-mann

GIs may have packages wrapped, GIs may have packages wrapped, mailed and censored at the new address, and Army Finance Section men will issue tax refunds on per-fume and other luxury items when proper receipts or bills of sale are presented. There will also be faci-lities for handling money orders. Hours of business will remain the same, 0900 to 1700. The ARC is working on arrange-ments with the Army to installl trans-Atlantic telephone service at the eenter.

trans-Atlantic telephone service at the center. Officials at the center again wained that for a GI to be refund-ed all money due him on luxury purchases, he must produce a re-ceipt, under the letterhead of the shop, listing each item, its price and the percentage of the total bill that represents refurnable taxes. and the percentage of the total bit that represents returnable taxes,

Hauser admitted he beat Miss

Hauser admitted he beat Miss Dreyer into unconsciousness with his fists, then strangled her with a belt she was wearing when she reneged on a promise to "pet." Hauser said he killed the girl last Saturday morning after pick-ing her up in Monessen, Penn., when she finished work as a wait-ress. Her nude body was found Thursday.

Cabinet Discusses

Changes in Spain

MADRID, Sept. 9 (AP).-The Spanish Cabinet continued in ses-

Spanish Cabinet continued in ses-sion here today to discuss measures concerning "the evolution of the state," according to informed cir-cles. Significance was attached to the presence of Esteban Bilbao, president of the Cortes and close friend of Generalissimo Francisco Franco. Bilbao long has been reported slated for the premiership. The conference is expected to last several days.

Lt. Gen. Jose Enrique Varela, high commissioner of Spanish Mo-rocco and leading anti-Falangist, arrived in Madrid Saturday just before the Cabinet went into cession

several days.

session.

said

THE STARS AND STRIPES

No Wonder There's a Wine Shortage!



These baskets of newly-picked grapes stand a slim chance of ever being converted into 800-francs-a-bottle French champagne at the rate that Henri and Nicole are stuffing themselves in their father's vineyard.

Builder of 50 Navy Flattops-Admits Killing Corporal—Prof. in GI School 'Sunshine Girl'

By Tom Hoge Stars and Stripes Staff Writer BAD WILDINGEN, Germany.

BELLEVERNON, Penn., Sept. 9 (ANS).—A husky discharged sailor was held today after he confessed to the slaying of pretty 17-year-old Anna Elizabeth Dreyer, the "Sun-shine Girl" of Fayette City. Then 18-year-old Frederick I. Hauser, a wounded veteran of the South Pacific, dropped off into a sleep which even the flash of pho-tographers' bulbs failed to disturb. "I don't know why I did it," he said. Sept. 9.-In a baronial castle on the outskirts of this town is a GI college operated by the Third Inf. Div. and staffed with a faculty of EM, most of whom formerly taught in American colleges and universities. The school provides an eight-week course that ranks with freshman or sophomore curricula in the States.

"In fact, we expect that the work taken here will be recognized and credited when the men enter col-leges back home," said Capt. Leo-nidas Demetier, of Boston, Mass., division I and E Officer in charge of the school.

A glance at the courses given and the background of the men teach-ing them give an idea of the educa-tional level here.

Oklahoma. "We're pretty proud of our in-structor in foremanship, too," said Demetter. They should be—Cpl. Harold Priebe was former general manager of Henry J. Kaisor's ship-yards at Vancouver, Wash., employ-ing more than 25,000 men. It was Priebe who was honored by the Navy for building 56 "Baby Flat-tops" in 14 months. In addition to other academic

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AWAY --- KALI'LL PROBLY FIND 'IM AT

Joe Palooka

Star of

Cpl. Austin Zoch, of Fond du Lac, Wis., who is studying trigonometry and physics. "There isn't much to do over here new but sweat out boints and this keeps us occupied. Besides, I intend to go to college after I get out and any advance credits I pick up won't do any harm.

The buildings in which the classes are held give a highlight history of the Third Div. Near the castle is a low building called Anzio Hall, in commemoration of the outfit's magnificent stand in Italy. Near this is Colmar Hall, named after the French town where the Third won a Presidential Citation and a decoration of honor from the French government. French government.

Other buildings are named after former commanders of the outfit, such as O'Daniel Building and Trus-

tional level here. Political science, for instance, is given by T/5 John Melia, Harvard graduate with a master's degree from Boston University. Social science is taught by Cpl. Francis L. Carriker, who holds both a BA and a master's from the University of Oklahoma. "We're pretty prove point system. Division sends down a quota of men to go home and we lose half a class or a couple of instructors in one fell swoop. That's why we plan to make the courses open only to low pointers in the future." future.

Rocket Bomb to Be Put On Exhibit in London

LONDON, Sept. 9 (UP).—A V2 bomb will be shown to the British studies such as psychology, business law and higher mathematics, the college offers a number of voca-tional courses including aeronau-tics, surveying, journalism and agriculture. "I think it's a good break," said

Peace or Not, Osages Still on the Warpath

PAWHUSKA, Okla., Sept. 9 (ANS).—The Osage Indians, who sent hundreds of braves into battle, will remain technically at war with the Axis pending Chief Fred Lookout's formal declaration of peace on Oct. 6, the third day of a five-day victory celebration to be held by 5,000 tribesmen.

The 83-year-old chief, who declared war on Germany, Italy and Japan, will make the peace announcement during the dancing and feasting ceremonies.

Berlin Honors Hitler Victims

By Joseph B. Fleming Stars and Stripes Staff Writer

Stars and Stripes Stall Writer BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Some 30,000 Berliners attended an anti-Fascist rally today to pay homage to victims of Hitlerism and to hear Lord Mayor Arthur Werner de-clare that Germany must prove to the world that Nazism and re-ligious intolerance are not part of the national character. He declared Sept. 9 a yearly holiday in honor of those who died ir Nazi prisons. prisons.

prisons. It was the largest public de-monstration in Germany since VE-Day. The throng, some of whom still wore uniforms of con-centration camps, filled Neukolin Stadium and overflowed on to the field. The procession took more

Stadium and overflowed on to the field. The procession took more than two hours to pass into the meeting place, which was in the Russian zone. Werner expressed the hope that once the world recognized the death of militarism, Fascism and intolerance in the Reich, the na-tion once more would become a free member of the international community. He gave the nation a slogan of "Never again Fascism, never again intolerance, never again militarism." He gave the mation a slogan of

Nazis Scramble To Shift War **Crimes' Blame**

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NUREMBERG, Sept. 9 (AP),-Former Nazi leaders, awaiting trial here as war criminals, are falling over themselves in a rush to explain that every one but they was respon-sible for war crimes, Allied officials

sible for war crimes, Allied officials said oday. They would not reveal who was pointing the finger at whom but they did say that Joachim von Ribbentrop, former foreign mi-nister, has admitted that not always did he agree with the Fuehrer, especially on the invasions of Nor-way and Denmark. Von Ribbentrop admitted also that Hitler's reason for moving into the two countries— the danger from enemy powers—

for moving into the two countries— the danger from enemy powers— had no foundation in fact. Von Ribbentrop previously had avoided criticism of Hitler. Asked why he did not resign over his differences with Hitler, the former wine merchant declared, "There existed no possibility of resigning. We had sworn blind obedience." Hjalmar Schacht, former head of the Reichsbank, will he charged with active participation in plans for territorial aggrandizement, it was learned. Evidence reportedly shows that

Evidence reportedly shows that Schacht's economic warfare "made it possible for Hitler to rearm by blocking foreign accounts and nullifying the rights of foreign are diverse.

The latest batch of prisoners to arrive here included SS Gen. Kurt Wolff.

Bismarck Sea Defeat Was The Crusher, Jap Chief Says

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 9 (ANS),— The battle of the Bismarck Sea, when Allied planes sank an entire convoy of at least ten warships and 12 transport cargo ships with 15,000 troops aboard, was the greatest shock of the war to the Nipponese Navy, Rear Adm. Toshitane Takata said yesterday.

Speaking through an interpreter at a press conference, the Japanese admiral said of the historic March 2-6, 1943, action near Lae, New Guinea:

"You underestimated when you guessed 22 ships were sunk there. I don't know the exact number but I think it was between 30 and 40. Not one escaped."

Takata said the Japanese thought

the time by Gen. MacArthur's head-

quarters as possibly the greatest victory ever achieved by aircraft against a naval surface force. The victory reduced the Japanese threat against Australia and figur-ed in the success of the American-Australian achuration up the New Australian campaign up the New Guinea coast

Four Japanese aircraft carriers participated in the attack on Pearl Harbor, Takata said. He added his opinion that air power more than any other single factor, caused Nippon's defeat and the loss of Okinawa made the prospect of sur-render a certainty.

Arms Ship Blast Revealed

SYDNEY Sept. 9 (ANS). — The U.S. ammunition ship Serpens, ex-ploded while unloading at Guadal-Takata said the Japanese thought their ships had been torpedoed. But Allied officers told the Nip-ponese no torpedoes were used by the 135 planes which destroyed the convoy in an action described at men, it was disclosed yesterday.

Reds Charge U.S., **British Meddling**

MOSCOW, Sept. 9 (AP).—The ewspaper Izvestia today accused .S. and British representatives in newspaper



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By Ham Fisher

of applying pressure Romania King Mihail and of inducing the king to ask London and Washington to aid in forming a new government.

ernment. "The standpoint of the Soviet public is clear," Izvestia said in an editorial. "It stands firmly on the principle of not permitting inter-ference in the internal affairs of Romania, which is a sovereign independent state."

Special significance was given the newspaper's comment because it followed a dinner given last night by Generalissimo Stalin for Dr. Petre Groza, the Romanian Premier Premier.



RICHARD E. Imel. Indianapolis-boy, Aug. 28; Lt. Charles W. Amis, Oma-ha, Neb.-girl, Sept. 5; Lt. George McCann, Columbus, Ohio-girl, Sept. 3; Lt. Byron Wurtele Smith, St. Joseph, Mo. -boy, Aug. 30; Sgt. Elmer J. Schneider, St. Joseph.-boy, Aug. 31; Pfc Robert E. Owen, San Francisco-boy, Aug. 29 PFC Donald Siesema, Redwood Falls, Minn.-boy, Aug. 31; Lt. Edward V. Davey, Sheboygan, Wis.-girl, Aug. 26; Cpl. Edward J. Huber, South Bend-boy, Aug. 30; Lt. Jessie M. Bates, Bir-mingham, Ala.-Rebecca Carolyn, Aug. 31; Sgt. Charles Mezzamo, Passaic, N.J.-Charles Anthony, Aug. 31; Sgt. Maurice Brodsky, Chicago-Jacqueline, Aug. 9.



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Pacific Wacs Arrive Home for Discharge



Three high-point Wacs, veterans of several Pacific campaigns and all wearing Unit Citation ribbons, pose for pictures aboard an Army trans-port which brought 101 girls to San Francisco en route for releases. Left to right: Sgt. Myra R. Sabin, Wilton, Me.; T/4 Virginia Edwards, St. Augustine, Fla., and Harriet Lidberg, Racine, Wis.

Kimmel Offered Navy Trial If He Wants It, Senator Says

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (ANS) .--Sen. David Walsh (D-Mass.) disclosed yesterday that the Navy has offered Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Navy commander at Pearl Harbor when the Japanese struck, a court-martial if he wants it.

The revelation came in a letter from Navy Secretary James L. For-restal, part of which, Associated Press said, was made public by the Senator. It left to Congress the decision on making public confi-dential information which the Naval Court of Inquiry gathered about the Pearl Harbor disaster.

The Navy said there had been no response from the admiral on the offer of trial.

offer of trial. The letter from Forrestal quoted a report on the Pearl Harbor inves-tigation made last spring by Vice Adm. H. K. Hewitt and said the report contained a recommendation of the Naval Judge Advocate Gene-ral and of Fleet Adm. Ernest King that Kimmel be given a court-martial.

"These recommendations and the offer of general court-martial in open court which I made to Adm. Kimmel were not referred to in the reports released by the President on Aug. 28, 1945, because we did not wish Adm. Kimmel to feel con-strained in making his reply to the offer of a general court-martial by any publicity concerning that offer," Forrestal wrote. The Secretary's reference was to

The Secretary's reference was to the findings of the Army and Navy Pearl Harbor Investigating Boards, released by the White House. Those released by the White House. Those boards reported no cause for court-martial. They attributed some of the responsibility for the Pearl Harbor debacle to officers higher in command than Kimmel and Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short, who was in charge of Hawaiian Army Forces. Kimmel, since he was relieved of his command shortly after the Japanese struck, has repeatedly said he wanted a trial. Short, after the White House report, issued a

the White House report, issued a statement saying "My conscience is clear."

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Japs 'Amazed' By Success at Pearl Harbor

TOKYO, Sept. 9 (ANS) .- The Japanese were "amazed" at the success of their Pearl Harbor attack, but they were without a plan to take immediate advantage of the blow by landing on Hawaii, a Nipponese naval ministry official said yesterday.

Planes from four carriers, pro-tected by three battleships, eight cruisers and 20 destroyers, carried out the attack, Capt. Ryonosuke Imamura, secretary of the naval ministry, said in an interview with the Associated Press.

"We had expected a much greater defense at so important a base," he declared. "We were amazed. Our fleet was told to bomb and leave. We had no troops with which to make a landing. If we had, perhaps we could have taken Hawail; but we had no plan to do so."

so." Imamura's report agreed with that given Friday by Rear-Adm. Toshitane Takata, former senior staff officer of the Nipponese Third Fleet, who said the Japanese had planned to occupy Midway Island, 1,450 miles northwest of Pearl Harbor, but that the Amer-ican victory in the battle of Mid-way, June 3-6, 1942, wrecked that scheme. scheme.

"The defeat of our fleet at Mid-way, where we lost four carriers, was the turning point of the war." Imamura said.

Hainura said. He said the shelling of the Amer-ican coast near Santa Barbara, Calif., and Fort Stevens, Ore. by Jac submarines early in the war were incidental to underwater pat-rols between Hawaii and the U.S. Imamura said Japan lost 126 submarines during the war, but had 60 left to surrender.

He believed Japan was defeated because of a lack of air power. Homeland war plants were starved for materials by the Allied air and sea blockade, he said.

How toGetThat Bonus A bronze plaque with the SHAEF insigne in bas-relief was unveiled at the foot of the tomb of the Un-known Soldier under the Arc de Triomphe, in Paris, on Saturday by Maj. Gen. John Lewis, on behalf of Gen. Eisenhower. A gift from the former Supreme Allied Commander, the replica of the insigne, familiar as a shoulder patch and on Supreme Head-quarters vehicles, is in the form of a shield. With Gen. Lewis were Gen. H. **BeforeYouLeave ETO**

Here is a tip-for men who have not been paid for August and who are leaving the ETO -on how they may collect that 850-franc bonus given by the French government. This information was relayed to us by an old Stars and Stripes subscriber (who showed us 850 francs worth of crisp notes):

"See your unit finance officer. Get a partial pay voucher. Take it to the finance office, collect your partial pay and the bonus. So long, boys, see you in New York soon."

It was understood that men leaving immediately for the States would be redlined on the regular August payroll and be paid in full when discharged. If paid in the States, they would not be qualified for the Sep-tember bonus.

SIR, THE OPERATIONS



Touring New York in a strictly civilian jeép 18 Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Moore, who says she has always wanted "to do a new thing first." The non-military jeep is made by Willys-Overland.

Spanish Terrorists Seized After Running Wild in Berlin

By Joseph Fleming Stars and Stripes Staff Writer

BERLIN Sept. 9.—The Allge-meine Zeitung, U.S.-published Ger-man newspaper, reported today the arrest of a Spanish gang which ran wild in Berlin since being freed from Brandenburg prison just pefore the Naz, collapse in Max.

SHAEF Plaque

Unveiled at Arc

Germans last year, but their sentences were commuted to life im-prisonment when the Spanish government intervened.

government intervened. The bandits resumed operations after the Germans liberated them. They had in their possession, when arrested, a ton of sugar, nearly a ton of flour, 800 pounds of fat, a quarter ton of meat, 60 gallons ot oil and 100 pounds of honey—all valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars on the black market. Juan Baragan Coronado, alias Bomba, reported leader of the gang, smashed everything in' his cell when he was 'locked up. Others tried to saw through their cell bars

freed from Brandenburg prison just before the Nazi collapse in May.-Sixteen of the band, which num-bered 51 originally, were appre-hended a few days ago by military and civilian police. It has not been decided whether military or civil-ian agencies will try them The bandits came to Germany with the Spanish Blue Division to fight the Russians and as voluntary laborers. Most were arrested and 27 were condemned to die by the

UrgesArmyAid **Business Here**

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (AP) .- The

Commerce and Industry Associa-tion, in a telegram to Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, today urged "speedy approval" of U.S. Army aid to American civilians seeking to re-establish business connections in Europe Europe.

"Commercial connections are an important factor in laying the foun-dation for our future economic welfare and for maximum employ-

ment," the telegram stated. The group further stated that Gen. Eisenhower has recommended authorization for Army billeting of authorization for Army billeting of American business men in Europe. Meanwhile, the International Foreign Trade Council announced it would hold a convention in New York on Nov. 12 to consider steps by private business and govern-ment to assure the greatest parti-cipation by American business in the expansion of post-war world trade. trade.

20-Year Peace, Then-**Jap Singapore CO Says**

JOHORE, Sept. 9 (ANS).-The Sultan of Johore yesterday quoted the former Japanese commander of

Nisei Vets Chip In Jap Chief to Keep For FDR Memorial People Informed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (UP) .-Four American-born veterans of the Japanese-American 442nd Inf. Regt. will present \$4,300 to President Iruman tomorrow to be used for a memorial to the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, the War Relocation Authority announced to-

day The money was raised through contributions by members of the 442nd who distinguished themselves in the Italian campaign. The four Nisei who will make the presenta-tion wear the Purple Heart. One of them, Pfc. Terumi Kato of Hono-lulu, lost his right leg. A Domei broadcast, monitored by BBC here, quoted Prince Higashi-Kuni as telling an informal meet-ing of Diet members that it was bis government's duty to "make the Japanese people thoroughly ac-quainted with all circumstances leading to Japan's defeat."

Terry and The Pirates

minim

LONDON, Sept. 9 (UP) .- The Japanese people received a pledge from their Premier today that they would be kept informed in the future of all government moves so

future of all government moves so they never again would be "flab-bergasted, bitterly disappointed and quite at a loss" to learn news such as that they had lost a war. A Domei broadcast, monitored by BBC here, quoted Prince Higashi-Kuni as telling an informal meet-ing of Diet members that it was his government's duty to "make the

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Reds Decorate 15 Generals

tional anthems

LONDON. Sept. 9 (UP).—Radio Moscow said today that 15 Soviet generals had been awarded the Order of Suvorov First Class for operations against the Japanese.

By Milton Caniff

MEANWHILE . MANA

With Gen. Lewis were Gen. H. Rodman, representing the British Army and Gen. Rognault, repre-senting the French. The Allied

the Arc by Gen. Paul Le Gentil-homme, military governor of Paris. After the ceremony the band of the 78th MP Bn. played Allied na-

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SPORTS

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Com Z Captures ETO Softball Title at Reims

Oise Humbles ETOClinches Inter-Theater NetTitle 3d Army, 1-0, In 20 Innings

Special to The Stars and Stripes

REIMS, Sept. 9. - Pitcher Bill West of Covington, Ky., hurled and batted Com Z's Oise All-Stars to their third victory over Third Army's Tenth Armd. Div., 1-0, to clinch the ETO softball title yesterday, but the winners required 20 mnings of terrid plan to achieve their goal

torrid play to achieve their goal. West bashed a single in the 20th West bashed a single in the 20th inning with the sacks crammed to score Everett McNeely with the lone run of the game. McNeely opened the inning with a walk, Ray Bilodeau followed suit and Jim Brennan advanced the pair with a sacrifice. Catcher Roy Sherrill then bounced to second and reached base safely when McNeely drew the throw home, then scooted safely back to third, there to await West's winning smash. winning smash.

West Twirls 15 Frames

West Twirls 15 Frames Reno Martina of Denver went five innings for Com Z and gave one hit before turning mound chores over to West. The latter allowed three hits and whiffed 26 men in his 15-inning stint. But even West, who has been Com Z's ace of the entire season, had to bow in recognition to stout-hearted Jim Essian of Detroit. The

had to bow in recognition to stout-hearted Jim Essian of Detroit. The Third Army twirler was magnifi-cent as he went through inning after inning of scoreless play. After 19 frames of turning back Oise with monotonous regularity, he left the contest with a sore hand, but 22 men who had faced him were victims of a third strike and only four hit safely Four more received free transportation to first. Duke Zawadska, also of Detroit. relieved Essian and Com Z pounced on him for its scoring opportunity. Dave Geitgey, Com Z first sacker, was the leading hitter of the day, chalking up three of the five aits his club accumulated. Martina One a...

One Martina

Martina One Lenny Bernardo, Third Army shortstop, was the only batter to touch Martina successfully. Essian singled in the sixth, Bob Clarke beat out a slow roller in the seventh, and Bill Dillion singled to center in the 17th for the only safeties against West. Clarke turned in the outstand-ing fielding plays of the day. The Third Army third sacker snatcned a foul pop-up with his bare hand in the third frame and grabbed a bunt right off the bat in the sixth.

sixth.

Sixth. Com Z's next step is an invasion of Rome to compete with title teams of the MTO in an inter-theater playoft.

SIDELIGHTS: The Oise All-Stars S IDELIGHTS: The Oise An-Stats are unbeaten in ten games, and no opposing team has scored more than one run in a game. Only two runs have been tallied against them in the ten games. On the defense, they committed a total of four errors. Two of the On the delense, they committed a total of four errors. Two of the ten games have been no hit, no run games. Star pitcher Bill West, of Covington, Ky. has struk out 145 opposing batters and walk-ed only three men in 80 innings.

Rain Keeps Finale Indoors Until Tomorrow

By Seymour Sharnik Stars and Stripes Staff Writer

NICE, Sept. 9.—With today's tennis finals postponed because of rain, the ETO already had clinched team scoring honors in the intertheater tournament late yesterday. when the European Theater's two top-ranking combinations gained the final round of the doubles play. Lt Russell Bobbitt and Capt. Lt Russell Bobbitt and Capt. Jim Wade, winners of the ETO crown at Wimbledon last month, took over one finals spot by defeat-ing Pfc Bill Vogt and Maj. Sanford Webster, also of the ETO, 6-4, 6-1. In a repeat performance of the Wimbledon title match, they will meet the second-seeded team of S/Sgt. Charlie Hare and F/4 Dick McKee, who eliminated the Medi-terranean Theater duo of Pvt. Budge Patty and S/Sgt. John J. Moreno Jr., 6-4. 6-3. in the second semi-final contest.

semi-final contest. Bobbitt, one of the top-ranking U.S. doubles players before the war, played brilliantly at the net as he and Wade took full command of the game. With Wade, scheduled to meet Patty in the singles final tomorrow scoring neally on passing bayed brilliantly at the net as he and Wade took full command of the game. With Wade, scheduled to meet Patty in the singles final tomorrow, scoring neatly on passing



T/4 Dick McKee .Steady ETO doubles player

shots, they assumed an early lead, held off a Webster-Vogt threat in the opening set, and took the second easily.

2 ETO Duos Play For Doubles Crown

away from the ever dangerous

Hare's overhead game and volley-Hare's overhead game and volley-ing were at their peak, as the ETO combine ran up a 5-2 lead in the opening set and cruised in on a 5-1 margin in the finale. The best the MTO can hope to gain in tomorrow's matches is ten points, which would leave them still far short of the ETO total. The ETO now leads with an up-

The ETO now leads with an un-official tal of 80 points; MTO has 56. And Africa-Middle East trails with six

Basketball Clinics

Open for Wacs at Nice NICE, Sept 9.—Two basketball clinics to train WAC athletic of-ficials will be held here, Theater Service Forces announced. The firs session is slated to last a week, beginning September 23, with the second class running from Septem-

second class running from Septem-ber 30 to Oct 6. Each WAC detachment in the ETO may send two women, regard-less of rank. Officers will attend the first clinic. Only personnel with low point scores and a knowl-edge of the game are desirable, TSEFT said

Lightly By Gene Graff Stars and Stripes Sports Editor

Once Over

Stars and Stripes Sports Editor CPL. BILLY CONN, the fancy-burgh, will be back in his familiar haunts within a few days. having waved farewell to the ETO yester-day. Billy, who parlayed three and a half years in the Army with 15 months overseas, two children and two battle stars, will report with his 83 points (91 under the revised scheme) to Camp Lee, Va. The handsome heavyweight con-tender gleefully waved his orders

The handsome heavyweight con-tender gleefully waved his orders around yesterday like a little boy with a new bicycle. "Are they real?" he kept asking anybody who would listen. "I can't believe that I'm getting back to the wife, family— and a chance at Joe Louis. But it says so here in black and white..." Then he boarded a C54 bound for the States.

the States. **DURING** his stay in the Army, Billy has appeared in more than 350 exhibition bouts, meeting all comers and occasionally sparring as many as eight or nine times weekly. There were times when he performed despite hand injuries, and a few times he almost had his head shaken from his body by an ambitious rival. His barnstorning junkets took him through England, France, Germany, Italy and Bel-gium. gium.

Although Billy must report to Camp Lee for reassignment, it is a safe bet to say he will be a civil-ian by Nov. 1. Being in the States, the Pittsburgh Kid will have one foot out of the Army almost before the T/5 checking service records can tabulate his point score. And if the T/5 has any trouble adding up the score, he can recruit plenty of able assistance from Mike Jacobs, who has been sweating out the re-turn of Conn and Louis almost as much as they have themselves. CADLY off his razor-sharp provide Although Billy must report to

much as they have themselves. SADLY off his razor-sharp provident theless is confident he will be heavyweight champion of the world as quickly as he can get Joe Louis into the ring. According to present plans, the multi-million dollar bout will be staged at Yankee Stadium next summer, under auspices of Uncle Mike Jacobs. Last time, of course. Billy was almost champion, but he became careless in the 13th round and allowed his chin to catch Joe's lethal assortment of hay-makers. "Th going to relax for a few

BROOKLYN Sept. J.—Lec Du-rocher, Brooklyn's fiery manager. and Joseph Moore special police-man at Ebbets Field, were continu-ed in \$1.000 bail each after plead-to a speedy trial and ordered con-sultation with the district at-torney's office for that purpose out no date has been set for the trial. Durocher and Moore are charged with attacking 22-year-old John Christian, discharged serviceman after he allegedly heckled Durocher and other Dodgers in a game at Ebbets Field, June 9.

Snead's 208 **Leads Golfers**

Sept. 9. - Slammin DALLAS, DALLAS, Sept. 9. — Slammin' Sammy Snead unioaded his second straight sub-par 69 over the rolling, lake-dotted Dallas Country Club yesterday to take the lead after 54 holes of the \$10.000 Dallas Open golf event with 208. Snead dislodged Jug McSpaden, pace-setter of the two earlier rounds, whose par 72 gave him a three-day total of 209. In third place was little Ben Hogan, who shared first round honors with Mc-

shared first round honors with Mc-Spaden and who came home in 69.

spacen and who came nome in 69. posting a 211. Trailing the leaders were Vic Ghezzi of Deal, N. J., whose par 72 gave him 212; Byron Nelson with a sub-par 71 and a total of 213, and Johnny Bulla of Atlanta with a 574 for the third round and 214 74 for the third round and 214 a 74 for the third rou for an aggregate score.

Cubs Welcome Bithorn

For Stretch Drive

Going wide in the stretch, Bobanet interfered with Buzfuz and Chief Barker in a flagrancy so obvious that stewards hoisted the foul claim sign before the jockeys dismounted. dismounted. Two sets of photos were studied by stewards before they officially disqualified Bobanet, who crossed the finish line a head in front of War Jeep. Chief Barker was placed second and Buzfuz third. Francis Thacker who was up on Bobanet was suspended ten days for foul riding.

riding. War Jeep paid \$8.60, \$4.50 and

\$3.40.

Milcave Triumphs Easily In Vineland Handicap

In Vineland Handicap CAMDEN, N.J., Sept. 9.—Milcave was an easy winner in the \$20.000 Vineland Handicap, feature event on Garden State Park's Getaway Day card yesterday. Milcave covered the mile and a sixteenth in 1:44.8 and rewarded his backers with \$1740. \$7.60 and \$4.80. Dare Me ran second and Good Morning was third

Bolus Wins at Hawthorne CHICAGO, Sept. 9.-Bolus galloped six furlongs in 1:11 to win the \$10.000 Hawthorne Speed Han-dicap yesterday at Hawthorne Park and pay \$23.60, \$8.60 and \$5.20 Three Dots holder of the track re-

DiMaggio Fractures Arm; Lost for Year

Outfielder Vince DiMaggio was lost to the Philadelphia Phillies after fracturing his right elbow when he crashed into a vall d ing yesterday's game at Cincinnati. Th. Phil management asserted DiMaggio would oe unable to play the rest of the

Lippy Denies Guilt, **Out on Bail Again**

N.E. Grid Comeback to See 13 Schools in Action This Fall

War Jeep Scores at Aqueduct As Judges Disqualify Bobanet **PHILADELPHIA**, Sept. 9.-

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 .- The first running of the \$25.000 Discovery Handicap at Aqueduct was marred by a foul yesterday which cost Bobanet, a 49-1 shot, victory in favor of War Jeep.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Ike Wil-ams, belting NBA lightweight liams, hams, beiting ruba induction champion, banged out a ten-round decision over Nick Moran in one of the most bruising Garden fights in years. The non-title bout was in years. The non-title bout was decided in the final round when a sharp right-hander dumped Mo-ran for a no-count to give Williams a hair-line verdict.

Moran, rugged Mexican who was virtually unknown until he battered Bob Montgomery on the coast a couple of months ago, met Williams blow for blow throughout the first nine rounds, but wilted in the tenth.

Two judges saw the bout five and five while the referee called it six and four in favor of Williams.

AAC Softball Team Ends Malkowski's String

REIMS, Sept. 9.—Assembly Area Command All-Star softballers snapped the six-game no-hit streak of 75th Div.'s mound marvel. Sgt Johnny Malkowski, with a 7-7-0 thrashing yesterday.

Avenging a previous shutout at the hands of Malkowski. Poole pitched one-hit ball for the All-Stars.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The Chicago cubs received adder impetus for their September stretch drive when Manager Charley Grimm today welcomed back Pitcher Hiram Bithorn from the Navy. Bithorn won 18 games for the Windy City crew in 1943 before donning sailor garb garb.

Grimm said that ne did not know how soon the big Puerto Rican would be able to take a regular turn on the rubber, but indications point to Bithorn's being of sub-stantial aid in the pennant chase.

Harmon to Describe Michigan Grid Tilts

DETROIT, Sept. 9.—Specula-tion as to whether Tom Harmon, Michigan's great All-American halfback of the 1938-40 era, would play pro football this year was canceled yesterday when Harmon signed a contract to broadcast his alma mater's football game this sea-

Harmon recently was released from the Army Air Forces. Last week he performed with the College All-Stars in their losing effort against the professional champion Green Bay Packers.

son.

Three Dots, holder of the track re cord for the distance, placed and Chipamink ran third.

Saratoga Breaks N.Y. Betting Mark

ALBANY, N.Y., Sept. 9.-The ew York State Tax Commission New reported yesterday that new atten-dance, betting, and pari-mutuel revenue marks were set during the Saratoga race meeting at Belmont even though wartime restrictions delayed the start of the current season six days.

Attendance for the 24-day meet totaled 762,699, compared to 690,909 in 1944. Betting aggregated \$74. 810,170, or an average handle per patron of \$98.09 The State par-mutuel revenue reached \$1,811,817 exceeding the 1944 sum of \$3.972.798. Although the current racing season will be about 25 percent shorter than that of 1944, the commission indicated that pari-mutuel revenue will surpass last year's return.

Sinkwich To Play For AF

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 9 — Pvt. Frank Sinkwich, twobeing all-American and National Pro League football star, will play for the Second AF Superbombers this fall.

BOSTON, Sept. 9.-Colleges in New England playing foot ball this fail will be outnumbered by those refraining from the sport for at least another year, a survey indicated today. Thirteen colleges have indicated their intentions of competing for pected to show the way with Fuss

their intentions of competing for regional if not national champion-ship honors while 19 will wait until 1946 before returning to the gridiron.

As in the past two years service trainees hold the balance of power and any group transfers of such men from one school to another will alter the prospects. Dis-charged veterans are also likely to play decisive roles. Yale, on the strength of its re-

cord last fall when it went unde-feated in eight games, is favored to repeat its sectional conquest. Coast Guard Academy of New Coast Guard Academy of New London, Conn., Dartmouth, Brown and Holy Cross are the darkhorses. Other competitors in the field will be Harvard. Boston College, Tufts, Wesleyan, Worcester Tech, Mid-dlebury. Maine and Connecticut. Institutions still missing from the roll after three years of war depleted enrollments are Amherst, Boston University. Northeastern. Williams, Massachusetts State. Springfield. Bates. Bowdoin, Colby. New Hampshire. Vermont, Amer-ican International. Norwich, Pro-vidence. Rhode Island State. St. Anselms, Lowell Textile and Tri-nity.

pected to show the way with **Fuss** McLaughry back from the **Marines** to handle the team and co-captains Merryl Frost and Carl McKinnon playing their first football after two years' absence from the In-dians.

Holy Cross nas placed all its eggs in the basket of halfback Stan Koslowski and if the free-wheeling ex-sailor runs true to form. op-ponents of the Crusaders are in ponents of the Crusaders are in for many an unpleasant after-noon. Brown had fallen heir to four Bucknell varsity players in the scramble for servicemen but has lost its capable center. Sal Eacuello, who will not return to college this fall college this fall. The Yale Bulldog is pretty much

unworried, however, as to just what the others pick up in the way of material, for All-American end Paul Walker will anchor a granite line which will include five regulars from last season's fine elevan eleven.

Blue Sox Win

BINGHAMPTON, N.Y., Sept. 9.-The Utica Blue Sox last night clinched the Eastern League pennant with twin victories over the Binghampton Triplets, 9 to 3

nity. At Dartmouth war vets are ex-

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UCLA Hero Shades Baugh's Efforts



Dick Waterfield, former UCLA backfield artist, leads Cleveland Rams to 21-0 decision over Slingin' Sammy Baugh and Washington Redskins in National Football League exhibition game.

Waterfield Sparks Cleveland To 21-0 Triumph Over 'Skins

CLEVELAND, Sept. 9.—A new "passing fancy" loomed on the National Football League horizon yesterday as rookie Bob Waterfield, former UCLA aerial wizard, paced the Cleveland Rams to a 21-0 rout over the Washington Redskins in an exhibithe

Washington Redskins in an exhibi-tion game. A crowd of 18,000 saw Waterfield outpitch the famed Sammy Baugh throughout the game and lead the Rams' ground attack. Waterfield set up the first touchdown shoved over by Fred Gehkke from the one-yard line, heaved a scoring pass to Jim Benton for the second and raced 14 yards for the final tally. Just as a means of winding up a good afternoon's work, Waterfield kicked all three extra points. The victory marked the first for the Rams over 'Washington in seven tries and their second straight of the exhibition season. Last week

the exhibition season. Last week the Rams toppled Pittsburgh by the same score

Marshall Defeats Swarthmore, 13-6

LANCASTER, Pa., Sept. 9.— Paced by Halfback Rodney Bar-rington, Marshall College moved to an upset victory over Swarthmore College in Pennsylvania's opening football game yesterday, 13-6. Barrington scored the deciding touchdown with a four-word smash

Barrington scored the deciding touchdown with a four-yard smash through the line in the last period after the play was set up by his receipt of halfback Johnny Evans' pass. Barrington also tallied the first Marshall score in the second quarter on a 26-yard jaunt.

Army Grabs Cline

Li'l Abner

COLUMBUS Sept. 9.—Ollie Cline, veteran Ohio State fullback who twice before had been reject-ed for military service because of a perforated ear-drum, today was accepted by the Army.

Cadets Schedule Sailors

WEST POINT, N.Y., Sept. 9.— Army today scheduled Melville, R.I., Torpedo Boat Training Center on Oct. 20 at West Point to replace North Carolina Pre-Flight.

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Rochester Tips

Ohioans, 13-7

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Sept. 9.— Making the most of two pass interceptions, Rochester defeated Baldwin-Wallace, 13-7, yesterday in a football game played in 85 de-grees heat. Hamp Burnett, offensive star of the contest, ran for the deciding score from the visitors' 44 after his backfield mate, Don Diehl, had in-tercepted a Baldwin-Wallace pass on his own 40. Diehl made the first Rochester touchdown in the initial quarter following a pass interception by Quarterback Bill Coffey on the visi-tors' 29-yard mark. The Ohio ele-ven tied the count in the third period when Selgo passed 22 yards to Cooney. to Cooney.

Kiessling's Plunge Gives Renssalaer 6-0 Triumph

Renssataer 6-0 Triumph TROY, N.Y., Sept. 9.—A first-period march of 93 yards which culminated with Fullback George Kiessling going over for the score gave Renssalaer Poly a 6-0 victory over Scranton U. in the opening grid game of the season for both teams yesterday.

Vols to Play Indians WILLIAMSBURG, Va., Sept. 9.— William and Mary's grid Indians will meet Tennessee for the first time in history when the teams clash on Oct. 16.

Army-Navy Tickets Sold

WEST POINT, N.Y., Sept. 9.— The Army-Navy football game at Philadelphia's Municipal Stadium, Dec. 1, has been completely sold out, it was announced today by Col. Biff Jones, graduate manager of Athletias of Athletics.

Giants Top Cubs, 3-0, As Cards Rest

THE STARS AND STRIPES

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The Cubs' inability to cross home plate for those all-important runs

Ott Ignites Splurge Manager Mel Ott touched off the belated rally with a single. Danny Gardella bunted and when Regino Otero, Chicago's rookie first sacker, threw late to second, both runners were safe. Mammoth Ernie Lombardi pushed another bunt past the mound for a hit that jammed the sacks, and then Roy Zimmerman's single tallied Ott and Gardella. Billy Jurges followed a double into right field that brought in Lombardi.

In Lombardi. At Pittsburgh, the Pirates em-ployed 17 players and the Dodgers 15 before the home team was able to nose out the visitors, 6-5 in 12 innings. Brooklyn, however, won the season series with the Bucs, 12 games to 10

Elliott Counts Winner

Pete Coscarart's single to left, his fourth safety of the affair, scored Bob Elliott with the win-ning run and accorded victory to Lefty Al Gerheauser, last of four. Pirate chuckers. The Dodgers enjoyed a 4-1 lead

The Dodgers enjoyed a 4-1 lead going into the seventh, but in that frame the Corsairs kayoed both Vic Lombardi and Les Webber, re-called from Moatreal, with a four-run uprising before Hal Gregg stopped them. Brooklyn pulled abreast at 5-5 in the ninth as Dixle Walker's fly tallied Goody Rosen. Then Elliott opened the 12th with a single off Clyde King and advanced on the latter's balk At this point, rain halted proceedings for 50 minutes, and when play resumed, Frankie Gustine walked. He was forced at second by Frank Colman, but Cos-carart came through with his game-winning blow. Other National League teams were idle.

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GOOD EVENIN'



Truman Watches Nats Tip Browns;

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	Washington	77	59	.566	
	St. Louis	70	63	.526	
	New York	69	63	.523	
	Cleveland	65	64	.504	
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National League New York 3, Chicago 0. Pittsburgh 6, Brooklyn 5 (12 innings). Only games scheduled.

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Brooklyn	73	57	.562	8
New York	73	61	.545	10
Pittsburgh	73	64	.533	12
Boston	58	75	.436	25
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Philadelphia at Pittsburgh (2). Brooklyn at Cincinnati (2).

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Homerun Leaders

Homerun Leaders American-Stephens, St. Louis, 20; Cul-lenbine, Detroit, 17; York, Detroit, 15. National-Holmes, Boston, 28; Workman, Beston. and Adams, St. Louis, 22; Ott, New York, and Kurowski, St. Louis, 20.

Grid Yankees Acquire Grigas from Cards

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—The Boston Yankees of the National Football Yankees of the National Football League yesterday acquired half-back Johnny Grigas and end Don Currivan from the Chicago Car-dinals for five players and an un-announced sum of cash. The Yanks gave up Joe Carter, Bill Reynolds and Gordon Wilson. with two more to be announced later.

By Al Capp

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—The Senators picked up a distinguished rooter yesterday in their

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CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—The Cubs' inability to cross home plate for those all-important runs cost them another ball game yesterday as they stumbled before the Giants, 3-0, and as a result their National League mar-gin over the idle Cardinals was shaved to three and a half games. For the second day in a row the Bruins were blanked, this time by Harry Feldman, who came up with an eight-hit effort. The league leaders left eleven men stranded on base as their string of scoreless innings rose to 18. Paul Derringer went after his l6th victory and allowed only three hits in eight innings, but the Go-hits in eight and than frame to amass all of their runs. Manager Mel Ott touched off the belated rally with a single. Danny Gardella bunted and when Regino Otero, Chicago's fookie first sacker, threw late to second, both runners were safe Mammoth intaleiphia = Mathing (2). St. Leuis at Boston (2). St. Leuis (2). St. Le

with the 76th Division during the Battle of the Bulge. The Nats wrapped up the game in the first inning when they touched Weldon West for two runs.

Trout Stifles Yanks Again

Detroit's hopes went soaring with Dizzy Trout's second victory over the Yankees in the current series. Diz, who blanked New York Tuesday, was on his way to another shutout until a miscue set up three runs in the sixth. The Tigers moved out in front, 5-0, against Joe Tigers Page in three innings, but in the seventh were only one run to the good when the Yanks finished Trout.

good when the Yanks finished Trout. Stubby Overmire came in to quell the uprising and Hank Greenberg salted away the fray in the next imning with a three-run homer against Ken Holcombe. Jess Flores took the slab against the White Sox and flashed his third shutout against his favorite cousins as the Athletics rang up a 9-0 rout. Hal Peck led the attack on Buck Ross and Clay Touchstone with four hits, including a seventh inning homer. The Red Sox went on another batting spree by lacing out 18 hits of all dimensions in a 9-4 verdict over the Indians Jim Bagby bore the brunt of the Sox slugging, yielding 15 hits before retiring in favor of Jack Salveson in the eighth. Vic Johnson was the reci-pient of the lusty hitting. Eddie Dutch Meyer poled one for the Tribe. Tribe.



Eastern League

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Southern Association Friday night second games Little Rock 9 New Orleans 8 Birmingham 10, Chattanooga 3 No games scheaued Saturday W L Pct W L Pct Atlanta... 92 46 667 Memphis.. 66 72 478 Ch'nooga.. 84 54 609 Bir'gham. 57 81 413 Mobille.... 74 63 540 Nashville.. 55 82 401 N. Orleans 73 65 529 L. Rock... 50 88 352



THE STARS AND STRIPES

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Atom Flames Shot 12 Miles **Over** Nagasaki

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Destiny chose Nagasaki as the ultimate target. Arriving over Nagasaki, we heard

the prearranged signal to put on our arc welders' glasses, and all watched tensely the maneuverings of the strike ship about a half-mile in front of us in front of us.

Giant Explosion

"There she goes," some one said. Out of the belly of the Superfort hurtled a black object. Our pilot swung around to get out of range, but even though we were turning in the opposite direction and despite the fact that it was broad daylight in our cabin, a giant flash broke through the lenses of our glasses and flooded the interior of the plane with light.

of the plane with light. After the first flash a bluish-green light lingered on which illu-minated the entire sky all around. A tremendous blast wave struck our ship, and it trembled from nose to tail. This was followed by four more blasts in rapid succession— each resounding like the boom of cannon fire and rocking our ship from side to side.

Ball of Fire Rises

The observer in the tails saw a giant ball of fire rise as though from the bowels of the earth, belching enormous white smoke rings as it came. He then saw a giant pillar of purple fire rise with enormous speed. By the time our ship made another turn in the direction of the

By the time our ship made another turn in the direction of the atomic explosion, the pillar of fire had reached our altitude level. Only about 45 seconds had passed. Awestruck, we watched the scien-tific meteor rise from the earth

thic meteor rise from the earth into outer space, becoming ever more alive as it climbed through the white clouds. It was a living thing—a new species of being— born before our incredulous eyes. At one stage in its evolution the entity assumed the form of a square totem pole with a base about three niles long tapering to a mile at the

miles long tapering to a mile at the op. Its bottom was brown, the center amber and the top white.

Shoots Up 45,000 Feet

Then, just when it appeared to issume a state of permanence, here came shooting out of the top of the pillar a fiery mushroom that ncreased the height of the thing to 45,000 feet.

to 45,000 feet. From the bottom came another eruption, seething and boiling in a white fury of creamy foam sizzling apward, then descending earth-ward. It struggled in elemental fury for a few seconds, then freed tself from the gigantic stem and flew upward with tremendous speed —its momentum carrying it into the stratosphere to a height of about 60,000 feet.

Boy, 14, Who Slew Pal Gets 20 Years

SARASOTA Fla., Sept. 9 (ANS). —Carrol Turbeville, 14-year old boy, was sentenced to 20 years in the state prison farm yesterday for the knife slaying of a 15-year old play-

The Nokomis (Fla.), boy was sentenced by Circuit Judge George W. Whitehurst on a second degree



GENERAL OFFICERS ONLY

A wet, bedraggled-looking canine, resident of Germany, picked out a choice seat during a meet at Nuremberg. He was very much impressed by the spectacle. recent track

British Scout Talk of Selling Miss America Isle Bases to Pay Lend-Lease Tall and Dark

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (AP) .-Official British quarters here to-day discounted rumors that Britain was considering the sale of island bases to the U.S. as partial settlement of lend-lease obligations.

Spurred by several Congressional speeches advocating such a move, unconfirmed reports have been spreading that in this way Britain might seek to pay for more than \$2,900,000,000 in goods sent her by the U.S.

the U.S. One rumor said U.S. officials, particularly in the Navy, would like permanent possession of Ber-muda, where the U.S. now has a naval base leased for 99 years. Meanwhile, Belgium's unique lend-lease status, as the only re-cipient to return more than she received, will have an important bearing on discussions here this week by American and Belgian officials.

It was believed certain that Bel-gian officials would urge continu-ation of shipments to Belgium in spite of the termination of lend-lease. According to Belgian figures, their reverse lend-lease totaled \$165,000,000, while direct lend-lease from America amounted to \$50,-000,000.

Dirksen Says Lend-Lease May Hurt U.S. Industries

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9 (ANS). —Rep. Everett M. Dirksen (R.-Ill.) called last night for Congressional

munitions, food and services, but he said lend-lease also supplied machine tools and equipment to improve or rehabilitate industries in foreign countries which "will be useful and effective in competing with US industry

with U.S. industry. "I doubt if anyone contemplated the gratis re-establishment of the industrial plants of other countries for peace-time purposes, and these items deserve careful screening," Dirksen said.

300,000 Britons Fighting

When Japs Quit—Morrison LONDON, Sept. 9 (AP).—British troops numbering about 300,000 were fighting the Japanese when they surrendered and were about to launch a large scale operation against Malaya, Herbert Morrison, Lord President of the Council and leader of the House of Commons, reported Saturday.

reported Saturday. "We were also ready to do our share with the U.S. in the invasion itself," he told a V-J celebration at Lewisham. He said that five divisions, one British, one British-redian one Cana-

-Rep. Everett M. Dirksen (R.-III.) called last night for Congressional scrutiny of lend-lease obligations. Dirksen said he saw no objection to canceling the obligations for waters," he added.

Pigeons ...

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the 2,000 high-point birds had been assigned to one squadron and

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., Sept. 9 (ANS).—Bess Myerson, 21; of New York, was chosen "Miss America" last night from a field of 40 beauties representing 33 states and British Columbia. Phyllis Mathis, 18, of San Diego, Calif., was runner-up, and Frances L. Dorn, of Birmingham, Ala., placed third. With the crown, Miss Myerson won a movie contract, a 15-week personal appearance tour and a \$5,000 scholarship. The new beauty queen is a hazel-eyed brunette. She weighs 136 pounds and is five feet 10 inches tall. She measures 35 1/2 inches around the right area. Bess is a graduate of New York's Hunter College, where she majored in music. She is a former model. She said she hoped to continue her musical education.

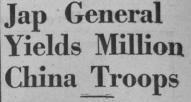
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1,750,000 To Quit Pacific

at Lewisham. He said that five divisions, one British, one British Indian, one Australian, one Cana-dian and one New Zealand were to have been employed as a Brit-ish Commonwealth Force under Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Morrison also disclosed that 60 percent of the total strength of the Royal Navy was one of the British contributions to the war in the Far East, a force three times the size of the entire Navy in 1939. "And it started to move to the metal disclosed that be reached in the contributions to the war

month would be reached in the homeward-bound movement about the turn of the year. The Army Transportation Corps said 73 percent of 1.700 troopships and cargo vessels it supervises now were in the Pacific. The ATC, summarizing its acti-vities in the war, said in the 44 months following the attack on Pearl Harbor it moved more than 7,000,000 troops. including some Al-lied soldiers. from American to for-eign ports.

assigned to one squadron and "will be on their way in a matter of weeks." Immediate discharges will be offered to all returning pigeons, he added, but special inducements will be offered old Army pigeons to re-enlist after 90-day furloughs. Locitormore expressed the pelief **Airline Plan Bypassing**



NANKING, Sept. 9:—Gen. Yasuji Okamura, Japanese commander in China, today formally surrendered the more than 1,000,000 troops un-der his command to Gen. Ho Ying-chin, supreme commander of Chinese ground forces. Ho arrived here Friday in the personal plane of Generalissimo

Ho arrived here Friday in the personal plane of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and was met by Brig. Gen. Haydon L. Boatner, U.S.A., deputy commander of the Chinese Combat Command, and by five high Japanese officers. The U.S. was represented at the ceremony by Brig. Gen. Robert Mc-Clure.

Clure

Before Ho signed the surrender, Before Ho signed the surrender, formally ending eight years of war which ravaged most of China, he demanded that the Japanese gov-ernment hand over to Chinese au-thorities Chen Kung-po, puppet president of the Japanese-controlled Nanking government. The Japan-ese said he had committed suicide, but Ho claimed he had been flown to Japan

to Japan. The Chinese Central News Agency reported a U.S. Army Air Forces unit had established headquarters at the great Yangtze River port of Hankow. The Chinese high command.

The Chinese high command, The Chinese high command, meanwhile, announced that its American-trained and equipped First Army had entered the south-ern China metropolis of Canton, eradle of the Chinese revolution.

Jap Cops Fire on Koreans **Before** Americans Land

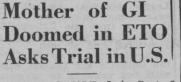
JINSEN, Korea, Sept. 9 (ANS).-

JINSEN, Korea, Sept. 9 (ANS).— Elements of Lt. Gen. John R. Hodges' 24th Army Corps pushed ashore at this Korean Yellow Sea port at 3 PM yesterday, in the first step in the occupation of this vas-sal country of Japan. The 17th Inf. Regt., commanded by Lt. Col. Albert V. Hart of Bis-marck, N.D., led troops ashore at high tide. Two hours before the Americans landed, Japanese policemen fired on a crowd of 500 Korean workmer marching to the docks to welcom the occupying force. Two Koreans were killed and ten were injured. The Koreans were unarmed nd some carried small American flags. The big convoy had steamed through the Yellow Sea from the blasted port of Naha on Okinawa.

British Regain Face by Rubbing Jap Noses in Dirt

SINGAPORE, Sept. 9 (AP).—A British campaign to regain face started here today with a parade of Japanese laboring parties with picks and shovels rallying at the Municipal Building for dispatch to jobs of tidying wreckage and fill-ing in transfer

jobs of tidying wreckage and fill-ing in trenches. The move is for the announced purpose of impressing the populace with the fact that the Japanese are the underdogs now and will be henceforth. That fact is partly apparent in forlorn Japanese eva-cuating the city, although some still ride in shiny cars and carry away loot, which will be stripped from them at British convenience. Local looting continues, resulting Local looting continues. resulting in the jailing of many Chinese and the issuance of orders making Jan



GETTINGSVILLE. Ind., Sept. (ANS).—Mrs. Florence Ethen Colby, whose son, Pfc Robert Colby, 22, is being held in Germany under a death sentence for slaying two Army officers, revealed today that

