

Johnson Opposes Sending Children To Fight Battles

Pre-Pearl Harbor Foe of Administration's Foreign Policies Argues Against Legislation For Drafting Youths Of 18 and 19 Years.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—Senator Johnson (R., Cal.), told his colleagues today he was opposed to "calling of children to fight our battles" in the first open Senate opposition to legislation for drafting 18 and 19-year-olds.

Asserting that no man wanted more to win the war than he, Johnson said he could not stand idly by and see a generation decimated. He had no doubt, he said, that the 18 and 19 year olds were ready to fight.

"Of course, they are willing to do anything," he declared. "Of course they are willing to fight at the drop of the hat. They are adventureous and dare-devilish."

Previously, Senator O'Daniel (D., Tex.) offered an amendment to the "teen-age draft" bill proposing abolition of the 40-hour-week and premium pay for overtime.

The O'Daniel proposal was one of half a dozen amendments proposed.

The Texas senator said he was convinced "and file of the good working people" wanted to work longer hours during the war emergency but were prevented from doing so by various Federal and state laws which he proposed setting aside for the duration.

The 42,800,000 Americans employed in non-agricultural industries were working an average of 42.8 hours a week at last report, O'Daniel said, but if he would set aside for the duration.

Chief among other amendments was one to let men 18 and 19 year old men out of combat troops un-

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Oil Control Under One Man Urged

Recommendation Awaits Possible Action by Roosevelt; Shortage Within 2 Years Seen.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—A recommendation that broad wartime controls over the flow of petroleum and over the oil industry itself—second largest in the nation—be given to a single administrator today awaited possible action by President Roosevelt.

The suggestion came from Representative Cole (D-Md.), chairman of a House subcommittee on petroleum since 1934, upon resigning from Congress to become a member of the United States Customs court.

Hint Cole Favors Ickes The language of the proposal gave rise to speculation in some quarters that Cole had in mind Petroleum Coordinator Harold Ickes for the post. In his final report to the president Cole suggested that "a man, during the war period, who has the organization available to furnish the information and to dictate the following things:

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2. To acquire under the War Production board essential ma-

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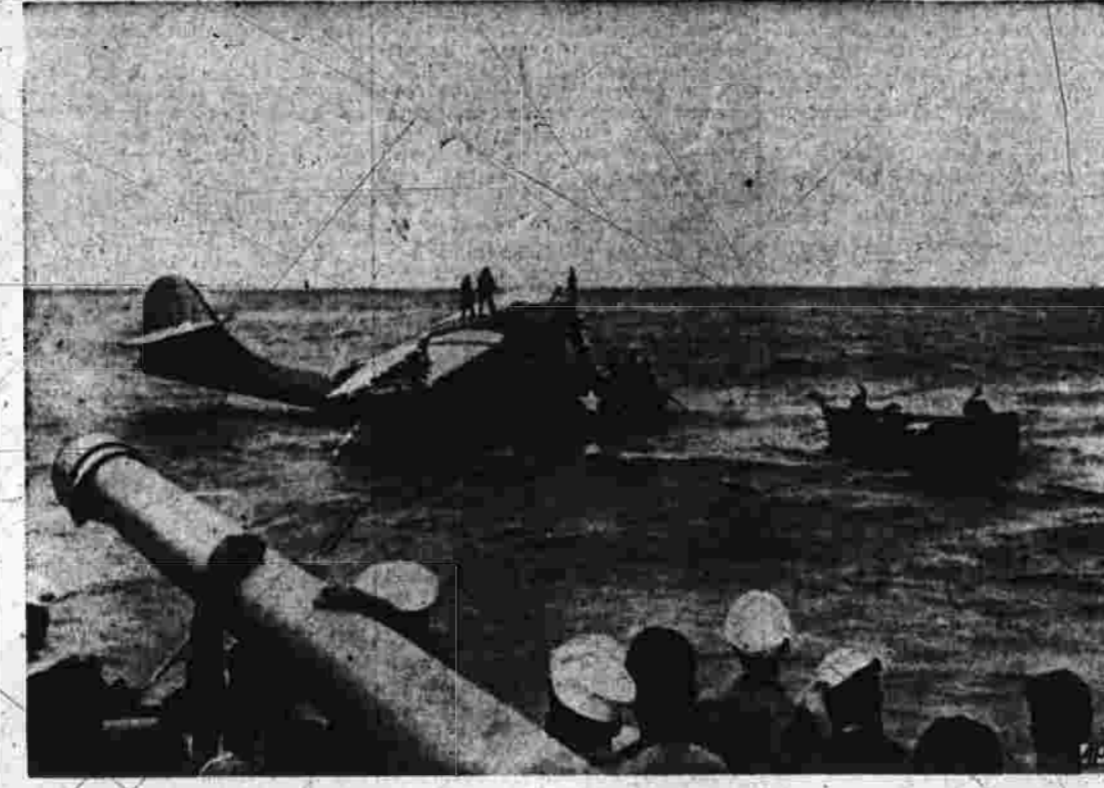
Reynolds Advocates 57 Hours as Standard and Eliminating Premium Pay for Overtime.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) of the Senate Military committee today advocated boosting the standard work week to 57 hours and eliminating premium pay for overtime as an immediate solution for labor shortages.

He added that a good many manhours could be saved by eliminating strikes, but did not suggest how they would be eliminated.

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Crew of Navy Patrol Bomber Rescued at Sea



Summoned by a Pacific fleet submarine, a destroyer raced to the aid of this Navy patrol bomber forced down at sea by engine trouble. The whole boat took off the crew, then the big bomber was taken in tow by the destroyer. (U. S. Navy Photo.)

Tank, Plane Output Cut In Volume

Emphasis Put on Greater Power and Strength Of Weapons, Roosevelt Tells Conference.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—President Roosevelt disclosed today that the administration, in the light of battle experience, was cutting down on the volume of tanks and planes so far as their number is concerned, to emphasize greater power and strength.

Production of tanks, he said, is falling short of the 45,000 goal set for 1942, yet the same amount of steel is going into these land fighters.

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Persistent Bombings Upset Jap Schedule

Americans Gain Valuable Time to Bolster Forces in Solomons As Result of Raids.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—Persistent Allied air bombardment of a large Japanese war fleet in the southwestern Pacific appeared today to have thrown a long expected Japanese invasion thrust off schedule while giving Americans valuable time to bolster their forces in the Solomons.

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Important Position In Stalingrad Area Captured by 'Reds'

British Fliers Raid Two Italian Cities

Bombers Hit Genoa and Turin; Rome Admits 'Great Damage' at Big Mediterranean Port.

London, Oct. 23.—(P)—The mighty bomber arm of the R.A.F. reached across the Alps last night to strike the Italian homeland its heaviest air blow of the war, hitting Genoa with such a weight of explosives that even Rome conceded "great damage."

Turin, the Fascist arsenal city in the north, also was hit but apparently the chief assault fell on the harbor and industries of Genoa, Italy's big northern Mediterranean port.

Number of Planes Not Given The Air Ministry mentioned "a strong force of aircraft," but did not disclose just how many planes were in it.

But the Italian communique spoke of the "notable dimensions" of the assault and Hitler's Axis partner now apparently has sampled the fiery devastation with which the huge four-motored bombers of the R.A.F. have been scourging the Reich week after week.

Two air alarms, lasting 85 and 86 minutes, in the Swiss city of Geneva, attested to the number of planes which the British flung over Europe on a round-trip flight of 1,500 miles across three countries and the continent's tallest mountains.

No Planes Missing The Air Ministry said that not one of the British planes was missing from the first raid on Italy by home-based R. A. F. bombers in more than six months.

Genoa, a Naval base as well as port and manufacturing center, had been free of raids for more than a year when high explosives and fire bombs began pouring on its narrow, twisting streets from a sky flooded with moonlight.

In the growing scale of Britain's air assaults on Germany, the Air Ministry's reference to "a strong force" frequently has meant 100, often two or three or more hundreds of planes in the bombing armada, but because of the greater distance involved in striking Italy the comparison may not hold.

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Yankee Fliers Hammer Axis Fields Again

Two Direct Hits Scored On Grounded Planes Of North Africa Force.

Cairo, Oct. 23.—(P)—A United States desert Task Force of medium bombers and fighters again hammered enemy landing fields yesterday, scoring at least two direct hits among grounded Axis planes, United States headquarters announced today.

The R.A.F. communique said that British fighter planes shot down six Axis aircraft—to which United States fighters added a seventh—over the Egyptian battlefield yesterday, and many more were destroyed in bombing attacks on Axis airbases.

Bomber Group Attacked The plane downed by United States fighters was one of 30 Messerschmitt 109s which attacked an escorted American bomber formation. United States fighters and fighter-bombers also destroyed several enemy vehicles in attacks on transport along desert roads.

In addition, the British bulletin said, four enemy raiders were shot out of the sky over Malta.

Axis Planes Set Afire The communique also reported that a number of grounded Axis planes were set afire by heavy bombers which attacked the airfield at Maleme, Crete, the night of Oct. 21.

British losses in these and companion actions, which included attacks on Axis transport columns on the coastal road between Matruh and Sidi Barrani, were put at six planes.

Radio's Silence Indicates Attack London, Oct. 23.—(P)—The German-controlled Hilversum radio in The Netherlands went off the air from 1:30 to 3:15 p. m. today, indicating that Allied air raiders were over the continent in a continuation of their daylight raids.

The Hilversum transmitters went silent yesterday while the R. A. F. was attacking the Ruhr and northwest Germany.

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Germans Thrown on Defensive in Number of Blocks Within City by Counter-Attacks; Defenders Seize Initiative at Several Points; Nazi Preparations for Winter Are Hastened.

Moscow, Oct. 23.—(P)—Soviet Russia announced today the capture of an important tactical position northwest of Stalingrad and the Germans, although using 22 divisions totaling about 250,000 men in the siege, were reported thrown on the defensive in a number of blocks within the city by Red Army counter-attacks.

Red Star said the defenders seized the initiative at several points where the enemy had feverishly started to fortify positions in the skeletons of ruined buildings as wintry storms swept the steppes.

Nazi preparations for winter were reported hastened since snow began flying. Pravda said civilians of the German-occupied town of Budenovsk had been ordered to hand over warm clothes for the invasion Army. Diabedence was declared to have been made punishable by death.

No Details on Conquest The noon communique reported the conquest of a major position to the northwest, without details. However, it is in that area that the Russians have been conducting a series of large-scale trench raids.

Moreover it was announced that Red Army forces had smashed a Nazi wedge which seriously endangered their first line of defense in the Mordok area and the German survivors left 200 dead behind.

Signs of a weakening of the German forces in the Caucasus were reported by Pravda. The newspaper said some lines in the

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Flashes!

(Late Bulletins of the (P) Wire)

Double Slaying Baffles Police

Wife of Wealthy Radio Manufacturer and Her Maid Killed in Chicago.

Evanston, Ill., Oct. 23.—(P)—Cook county state's attorney police joined Evanston authorities today in the investigation of the slaying of a wealthy radio manufacturer's wife and her maid, whose bodies were found last night in the living room of their home in the exclusive residential section of this Chicago suburb.

The slain women were Mrs. Lillian Galvin, 45, wife of Paul V. Galvin, who was reported en route home from Washington where he had been on government business, and Miss Edna Sibilski, 30-year-old farmer's daughter.

Robbery May Be Motive Capt. Daniel Gilbert of the state's attorney's office, said that although robbery might have been the motive for the slaying, jewels were reported missing, but was not satisfied that this was the only motive.

Capt. Peter J. Geishecker of the Evanston police said the bodies of Mrs. Galvin and Miss Sibilski were found about 4:45 p. m. yesterday by the Galvin's 20-year-old son, Robert, upon his return home from school.

Fire Sweeps Hospital Bay

United States Vessel Left Listing from Water Put on Blaze.

Baltimore, Oct. 23.—(P)—Fire swept through the hospital area of a United States ship undergoing repairs here early today, and the vessel was left listing "very slightly" from tons of water poured on the blaze.

Identity of the ship was not disclosed by the Army, and cause of the blaze, confined to one compartment, was not officially announced.

Firemen and guards, however, said the blaze was believed to have been started in a pile of mattresses by sparks or flames from a welder's torch.

The ship was being repaired at the Key highway yards of The Bethlehem Steel company. No danger of capsizing, and workmen immediately began to pump out the water, which pocketed on the port side. No estimate of the damage was announced.

Urge Planning For Dispersal

Experts Propose Immediate Action on Coastal Evacuation Problems.

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—Six experts who taught in the FBI war-traffic schools for police called today for complete and immediate civilian dispersal plans as a safeguard against a "ruinous and costly awakening" such as that at Pearl Harbor.

The experiences of France and England, they said in an article prepared for the FBI bulletin, which is distributed only to law enforcement agencies, "furnish the key for planning which must be done, at least in the coastal areas of this country, before the need for evacuations arises. The plans must be made now. Tomorrow may be too late."

Six-Day Courses Sponsored The Federal Bureau of Investigation recently sponsored 129 six-day courses for police and auxiliaries at which problems were discussed on the basis of information obtained in England.

Authors of the article were William S. Smith, traffic engineer with the South Carolina Highway patrol; Jerome Hardy, of the Automotive Safety Foundation, Washington; Dwight McCracken, director of traffic and safety engineering for the Liberty Mutual insurance company, Boston; Virden Ritters, Richmond, Va., traffic engineer, and Clarence Forrester and Nelson Watson, FBI special agents.

Treasury Balance

Washington, Oct. 23.—(P)—The position of the Treasury Oct. 21: Receipts, \$21,953,558.92; expenditures, \$181,978,719.12; net balance, \$3,739,907,690.19.

Bootleg Gas Seen Problem In Oil Producing States

Tulsa, Okla., Oct. 23.—(P)—Victor F. Barnett, chairman of Tulsa's War Transportation committee, warned today that gasoline moonshiners may make enforcement of rationing a problem in some oil-producing areas.

"It is too easy to make gasoline moonshine whiskey," he declared. "This section abounds in crude oil. A motorist can make his own gasoline from crude. Of course, it's unsafe but all he needs is a drum which can stand some heat."

Barnett, who has been one of the editors of The Tribune in this city for 24 years, said that by heating a drum of crude oil and condensing the vapors that boil off, a gasoline of about 50 octane could be obtained. Present standard brand gasolines are about 70-72 octane.

Strong British Fleet Patrols Indian Ocean

Presence Disclosed as Sequel to Wavell's Declaration Burma Sector Must Be Retaken.

London, Oct. 23.—(P)—The presence of a powerful British battle squadron in the Indian ocean, including at least three battleships and the aircraft carrier Illustrious was disclosed authoritatively today as a sequel to Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell's declaration that Burma must be retaken from the Japanese.

The squadron was said to consist of the battleships Warspite, Royal Sovereign and Resolution, presumably in addition to a large force of cruisers and destroyers, all under the command of Admiral Sir James Somerville.

Veteran Of Many Battles The Illustrious, one of the most famous ships in the British Navy, is a veteran of many Mediterranean battles and last was reported in a northern British port in April.

Possibility of an Allied drive to throw the Japanese out of Burma has been brought to the fore by current conferences in India among General Wavell, commander-in-chief of British forces there; Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, former commander in the Middle East who is mentioned for an important new post; and Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, chief of staff of Allied forces in China.

These meetings followed upon a recent inspection tour of the Burma-India frontier by General Wavell and increased aerial reconnaissance along the frontier following the end of the monsoon season.

Wavell has stressed time and again that ever since the Allies were driven from Burma he has been concentrating on regaining that segment of the British empire and the reopening of the Burma road supply line to China.

Stilwell, who bluntly acknowledged that "we took a Hell of a beating in Burma" also has asserted that the Japanese are "not yet beaten."

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French Facing Force Threat

German Occupation Authorities Step Up Efforts to Recruit Labor.

Vichy, Oct. 23.—(P)—The threat of force was invoked by German occupation authorities in Paris as they stepped up their efforts today to recruit skilled French workers for labor in Germany's war industries.

Issuance of the threat by the German commander for greater Paris followed the Non-appearance of a group of workers directed to appear at a railway station yesterday for transportation to the Reich.

Another batch of workers immediately was ordered to report today, along with the warning that those who failed to heed the instructions would "expose themselves to forceful measures."

Laval Returns To Vichy The warning came as Pierre Laval—who told his countrymen earlier this week that they must go freely to Germany to fulfill her demands for 150,000 workers—returned to Vichy from talks with German officials in Paris.

Laval at once went into conference with Jacques Barnaud, who is in charge of French-German economic relations, Marshal Petain and Fernand de Brinon, Vichy ambassador to Paris.

Admiral Jean Darlan, chief of the Vichy government's armed forces, remained meanwhile in Dakar, completing an inspection of the strengthened defenses of that West African port.

Warms Of 'New Menace' Yesterday, Darlan broadcast a message from Petain to residents of the colony warning them they faced a "new menace" but assured them of the French government's determination to resist it.

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Attack British Tank And Truck Groups

Berlin (From German Broadcasts), Oct. 23.—(P)—German aircraft attacked British tank and truck concentrations on the Egyptian front with heavy bombs yesterday and shot down 10 enemy planes in accompanying dogfights.

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Boilers' Club Fall Meeting

To Be Held Monday Evening at the South Church; Hear Lecture

This month's meeting of the Manchester Boilers' Club will take place Monday evening at the South Church.

Girl Scout News

Girl Scout Week in Manchester will be celebrated Monday through Saturday.

Manchester Girl Scouts will observe Girl Scout Week from October 23-29.

A special event for the Manchester Girl Scouts is the purchasing of their War Stamps for the Girl Scout War Fund.

Chilean Cabinet Causes Debate

Santiago, Chile, Oct. 23.—(AP)—The question of whether Chile should continue diplomatic relations with the Axis powers was debated over the new cabinet appointed yesterday by President Juan Antonio Rios.

Harvest Supper On October 27

County Fragment Society members will serve the annual harvest supper in the Church Community Room.

Important Point Near Stalingrad Taken by Reds

(Continued from Page One) Fighting remains violent. The fighting near Stalingrad, however, is still in progress.

General Dowd Five Plans Grouped in Battle Drive. The Battle Drive is a series of attacks on the German front.

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How to Prepare Tin Cans for War Duty



Illustrated above are instructions on how to prepare tin cans in the proper form so that they can be easily handled for reclamation.

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About Town

Mantonovich Tribe No. 58, I. O. R. M., will hold its regular meeting at eight o'clock sharp.

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Butter Ration Seen Possible

Cold Storage Stocks May Disappear Before End of Year. Chicago, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Americans are eating into their butter supplies at an unprecedented rate.

Funerals

Fred R. Hase. Full military honors were accorded the late Fred R. Hase at 11 o'clock this morning.

Health and Diet Advice

Furnished by the McCoy Health Service. Breakfast—Fruit juice before breakfast.

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Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 23.—(AP)—Prof. Isaac L. Lee, 102, registrar of the New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse University, died of a heart ailment.

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that precluded its proceeding to its destination... This program of half truth did its work so well that when, a day or two ago, the Japanese started boasting about the punishment they were inflicting on Doolittle...

Actors Really Feel Emotions... Reading Tests Show Emotional Center Is In Right Arm... By Howard W. Hales... Associated Press Staff Editor

Overnight News Of Connecticut... Baldwin to Be At Two Sessions... Washington in Wartime... Citizenship Day Deep In Meaning to Aliens

Toe Frozen More Than 20 Years Ago Brings Organization and National Observance... Baldwin Urges Elimination of Unnecessary Work by Agencies... Campaign to Recruit Volunteers to Join Civilian Defense

Comedy Reigns in State's Feature... Seeks Listing Of Personnel... Club to Help In War Relief... Two More Ships Reported Lost

Blackout Crash Fatal to Four... Spanish Fliers to Aid Nazis... Bugler Kit Assortment... Reinforced Travel Bags... Value Stationery... Camp-Lite Flashlight

Manhattan... Little Summer of St. Luke's... Photographs... Kodocolor Film... Developing Needs... Cameras... Projectors... Movie Screens... Exposure Meters... Range Finders... Hobby Needs for Spare Time

Photographic Supplies... Kodocolor Film... Developing Needs... Cameras... Projectors... Movie Screens... Exposure Meters... Range Finders... Hobby Needs for Spare Time

Keep First Aid on Its Toes... This evening, at the Trade School, there will be a regular monthly meeting of the Manchester First Aid Association...

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Daily Radio Programs

War Program Manager Takes Over the Networks
New York, Oct. 23.—(AP)—The war program manager...

Tank, Plane Output Cut In Volume

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renewed his prophecy that it probably would be necessary to cut down on production...

Manchester Date Book

Tonight at Second Congregational church. Monthly meeting. First Aid Association, at Trade school, at 8 p.m.

Tin Salvage Gets Results

25 Connecticut Communities Produce Over 410,000 Tons
Hartford, Oct. 23.—Twenty-five Connecticut tin can collecting centers...

Strong British Fleet Patrols Indian Ocean

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seried that the last territory could and would be retained.

New Light Turned On Indian Dispute

Cripps Says Non-Violence Stand by Gandhi Halts Adherents Backing Any War Effort
San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 23.—(AP)—Many churches may have to be closed...

Call Meeting of Teachers

Hartford, Oct. 23.—Teachers of Hartford and surrounding towns will gather in the Horace Bushnell Memorial on Friday, October 30...

Canada Admits Prisoner Riot

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—(AP)—German prisoners at Bowmanville, Ontario, attempted to resist repatriation...

Hartford Man Is Safety Unit Head

Washington, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Formation of an Advisory Safety Unit committee to assist the Army Service Department...

Principal Speaker To Be Explorer

New Haven, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Dr. William Steadman, the explorer, will be the principal speaker...

WTIC 1060 Kilocytes
Friday, Oct. 23
12:00—The Story of Mary Martin

WDRG 1380 Kilocytes
Friday, Oct. 23
5:00—David Harum

Double Slaying Baffles Police

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ing through her back. He fired the time of the shooting at about noon.

Youngster Found Dead in Fish Pool

Darien, Oct. 23.—(AP)—Thirteen-year-old Robert Leiner was found dead last night in two feet of water...

Flags Worn Auto

Seattle, Oct. 23.—Back home yesterday, a driver would have been glad to have given him...

Asks Mothers To Use Ballot

Washington, Oct. 23.—(AP)—The day after tomorrow is the day when the mothers of American boys...

Notable Speaker At Nurses' Rally
Major Julia Stimpson, who was in charge of nurses overseas in World War I...

The Manchester Public Market For Saturday
Fancy Fresh Young Hen Turkeys, 49c
Choice Cuts of Fresh Pork

Super Food Markets
855 MAIN ST. RUBENOW BUILDING TEL. 4486
★ Big Saturday Sale ★
CUT UP FRESH MEAT 89c ea
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AMER. BOLOGNA MINCED HAM 27c
ROLL BUTTER 49c lb.
FRESH EGGS 39c lb.

Scott Tissue 45c
Waldorf Tissue 19c
Scott Towels 9c
PICKLING ONIONS 33c 10 lb. bag

ROYAL SCARLET QUICK COOKING ROLLED OATS
20-ounce package, 19c
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State Acquires Park Property
The state has acquired for a park 42 acres of property owned by the late Mrs. J. W. Clapp...

Butter Specials
Sunlight Creamery, lb. 52c
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Health Market
As we start each week we have to wonder over the prospect for the succeeding days...

Fresh Shoulders, Smoked Shoulders, Corned Beef, Delicious Ready to Serve Ham, Pork Roast.

Good Quality Beef Steaks and Your Choice of Chops, Slice of Ham, Veal Cutlet.

Plenty of Birds Eye Peas and Strawberries EXTRA SPECIAL ON PEAS

A City's Wants Classified For Your Benefit

FOR SALE, FOR RENT, Automobiles for Sale, Help Wanted, Live Stock, Rooms Without Board, ATTRACTIVE SINGLE and double rooms in new house...

War Production Help Wanted Female Help Wanted Male Help Wanted

War Production Help Wanted Female Help Wanted Male Help Wanted CHENEY BROTHERS Employment Bureau

Do You Need COAL? The Heating Season Has Started and Perhaps You Have Delayed Filling Your Bin Or Getting In Part Of Your Winter's Supply.

Dickey Suit Two-Color Knit Sweater

RED RYDER Nies Girl BY FRED HARMAN

JUST IN... ANOTHER NEW SHIPMENT OF Grates for Fireplaces Sold COMFORT

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Dickey Suit Two-Color Knit Sweater

Sense and Nonsense

Automobile Evolution 1910—No Top. No brass trimmings. 1940—No running boards. 1941—Gas added to the tank. 1942—No automobiles.

NOONVILLE FOLKS BY FONTAINE FOX

MICKY FINN The Man Who Came To Dinner

DO YOU MET J. EDGAR HOOVER... THIS IS JUDGE WHOTT... I SURE GET A KICK OUT OF PHIL MICKY...

WASH TUBS THERE'S THE SOLITARY COMPARTMENT BLOCK... IVE GOT IT! THE EXCAVATION! I'LL COVER MYSELF WITH DIRT...

ALLEY OOP HEVY GULLY GULLY... HAPPY LANDINGS GENERAL!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS Cat Party AND YOU SHOULD DANCE WITH HIM...

About Town

Any number of citizens there... Mrs. Annie Mahoney, of 60 Maple street, states that her son, Sgt. James D. Mahoney, who is serving somewhere in the Caribbean area, was promoted from corporal to sergeant in September...

Honor Guest On Birthday

Mrs. Christina Johnson To Observe 80th Birthday on Sunday... Mrs. Christina Johnson, of 62 Linden street, whose 80th birthday occurs on Sunday, will be the guest of honor at a family dinner party at the Manchester Country club-house on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home to her friends when her birthday party is held at the Manchester Country club-house on that day... Five daughters and a son were born to them. They are Mrs. Gertrude Kinsella of New Britain; Mrs. Florence Anderson of Westley Hills, Mass.; Mrs. Maude Carlson, of West Hartford; Mrs. Irene Harrison and Mrs. Mildred Lathran, who call on her at any hour convenient.

Dress-Up FASHIONS... You'll want a tailored coat for day-time meanderings, a fur trimmed for dress-up fattery. In lovely colors: Blue, Beaver, Black Trimmed with Squirrel, Beaver, Fox, Persian, Dyed Fitch. \$25.00 to \$65.00 Plus Tax. New Shipment of Betty Hartford DRESSES 1-piece and 2-piece models, solid and two-tone colors, smart styles. \$6.98 and \$7.98

Miss Shirley C. Norton, daughter of Mrs. Grace C. Norton, of 156 Pearl street, will be married tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock to Corporal Louis E. Spencer, who is stationed at Hunter Field, Savannah, Ga. The ceremony will take place at St. John's Episcopal church, Savannah, Ga.

Dance FRIDAY, OCT. 23rd

Members of the First Aid Association are again reminded of the monthly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the City Trade school. Photographer Morris Paternack will be at the school at 7 o'clock to take pictures.

Congratulations! to the Garden Restaurant and Grill... Mr. Lowe especially calls attention to the new floors of the GARDEN, which were finished by him.

OLD RECORDS... KEMP'S... 100 Main St. Tel. 5000

14 FEATURES of Kali-sten-iks Children's Shoes

- 1. Patented bulb-shaped soleless heel won't rip or rub. 2. Built-in metatarsal arches. 3. 100% Goodyear welts. 4. Solid leather sewed in counters. 5. Ground cork filler. 6. Pleeced inner lining. 7. Flexible shanks. 8. Unbleached super-strength duck linings. 9. Cordovan soles. 10. Allente toes and heels. 11. Seamless vamp. 12. Cushion rubber heels without nail holes. 13. Full grain natural calf quarter linings. 14. Flexible toe box.

Hale's Has Perfect Fitting Dultone Full Fashioned RAYON HOSIERY... Made from High Twist Rayon to give you a sheen and better fit. \$1.00 pr. Buy a share in America... and a share in smartness, too! Cardie King ORIGINALS FOR MINORS

REPAIRS ON ALL MAKES OF CARS! Yes sir, we are equipped to do all kinds of repair work satisfactorily and economically. Let us keep your car in good running order. Depot Square Garage Ernest Roy, Prop. 241 NO. MAIN STREET TEL. 5113

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New Handbags... \$2.25 to \$5.00... Other Styles in Spun Rayon, Wool, Gabardine and Rayon Crepe... \$6.50 to \$12.98... The W. G. Glenney Co. 236 No. Main St. Tel. 4148

British Units Hit Foes' El Alamein Line; Russians Breach Germans' Left Flank

Stalingrad Garrison Beats Nazi Attacks In Holding Factory

Holds Plant Despite Shower of 1,500 Stuka Bombs; German Automatic Rifle Detachment Wiped Out by Defenders; Force Gap In Nazi Fortified Area to Northwest... Moscow, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Red Army troops breached the front line of the German fortified left flank northwest of Stalingrad and the city's garrison repulsed all attacks to hold a north-side factory against a tank-supported infantry brigade despite a shower of 1,500 Stuka bombs, the Russians said today.

First Lady and Mrs. Hobby in England

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt (above) and Mrs. Orestis Culp Hobby, head of the W.A.R.C., have arrived in England. This picture of the two was made when they met in the United States.

Washington, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Japanese invasion forces, dealt a severe naval loss by Allied bombers in the south-western Pacific, apparently were closing in on embattled Guadalcanal island today for an all-out assault on the American-held airbase. Naval spokesmen acknowledged that the invaders might have established similar positions on other neighboring small islands.

Jap Forces Closing In on Guadalcanal

Navy Discloses Nipponese Landing on Russell Island; Assault of Airbase Now Expected... Washington, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Japanese invasion forces, dealt a severe naval loss by Allied bombers in the south-western Pacific, apparently were closing in on embattled Guadalcanal island today for an all-out assault on the American-held airbase.

Rebuilt Eighth Army Starts on Offensive Sprung During Night

Land, Sea and Air Blows Struck in Beating Axis Africa Corps to Punct; Battle May Decide Fate of Mediterranean This Winter; All Branches Work in Close Coordination... Cairo, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Britain's rebuilt and re-freshed Eighth Army charged into the Axis' El Alamein line today in an offensive sprung in the night with blows against the enemy by land, sea and air. The Allies thus break the Axis African corps to the punch and launched what may be the battle to decide the fate of the Mediterranean this winter.

Says Transport Hit by Bomber; 12 Die in Crash

Civilian Defense Airplane Spiller Tells of Seeing Ships Come Together; Army Authorities Maintain Silence Pending Probe... Palm Springs, Calif., Oct. 24.—(AP)—An American Airlines official had declared that an Army bomber plane shortly before the latter crashed near here late yesterday, killing 12, a civilian defense airplane spotted today of seeing the two twin-engine ships come together just before one crashed.

Meeting Seen As Important

Argentine and Chilean Officials Expected to Hold Session Today... Buenos Aires, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Political circles attached importance to a scheduled meeting today of the foreign ministers of South America's two isolationist governments—Argentina's Enrique Ruiz Guzman and Chile's newly-designated Joaquin Fernandez.

Says Airmen Held by Japs

Missionary Returned From China Tells of Capture in China... Huntington Park, Calif., Oct. 24.—(AP)—Miss Cora Houston, a Methodist missionary who was returned from China, about the possible capture of a United States bomber which landed in occupied China after the bombing of Tokyo were captured by Japanese.

Secretaries Know Bosses Too Well to Marry Them

New York, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Would-be secretaries of prominent men like to know what their secretaries are like, but they would not marry them, according to a group of secretaries who met here today.

Italian Cities Hit For Second Night

Turin, Genoa, Samsa Targets in Swoop Over Three Provinces; Savona Hit Hardest... London, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The biggest bombers in the R.A.F. back in force over Italy for the second successive night, showered explosives again on Turin and Genoa last night and also on Savona in a sweep over three of Italy's northernmost provinces. Especially at Savona, a port on the Ligurian coast about 20 miles west of Genoa and one of the chief Italian foundry centers, the Fascist communiqué mentioned "notable" damage.

Bomber Crew Earns Leaves In Hard Way

Score of Flights Over Japanese—Held Kiika Island Leads to Furloughs for Nine Men... Headquarters Alaska Defense Command, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Crew members of a combat aircraft who have earned their 15-day furloughs were sent forward today in an offensive sprung in the night with blows against the enemy by land, sea and air. The Allies thus break the Axis African corps to the punch and launched what may be the battle to decide the fate of the Mediterranean this winter.

Crowds Hoping To See Guest

Sightseers Gather Outside Palace Watching for First Lady... London, Oct. 24.—(AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt spent early today and breakfasted alone in her apartment at Buckingham Palace as a crowd of sightseers, including many American soldiers, gathered outside the palace, hoping to see the guest of the royal family.

Police Press Slayer Hunt

Jewels Worth \$28,227 Missing from Fashionable Chicago Home... Evanston, Ill., Oct. 24.—(AP)—Police followed several avenues of investigation today when they intensified their search for the slayers of Mrs. Lillian Galvin, wife of a wealthy radio manufacturer, and her maid, the Galvin home Thursday night.

Flashes!

New Yorker Lunched... Washington, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The destroyer Daly was launched at Staten Island today, named for the Marine aviator killed in the Navy said led a World War I attack in France with the 475th Central Postal Directory. The launching ceremony was held at the Staten Island Naval Yard. The ship is the first of a new class of destroyers to be built in the United States.

Costume Jewelry

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Treasury Balance

Washington, Oct. 24.—(AP)—The Treasury Department today reported that the balance of the Treasury account for the month of October was \$1,250,000,000, compared with \$1,250,000,000 for the month of September.