

About Town
The Ladies Aid Society of the First Lutheran church will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the church home.

North End Firemen Called to Meeting
Chief Roy Griswold announced this morning that the North End firemen will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the fire station.

Local Fishermen and Their Catch
The monthly meeting of the Dorcas Society will take place tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the First Lutheran church.

Kiwanis Holds Farm Outing
The Manchester Kiwanis Club held its weekly meeting at Tom Bentley's place in Bolton for the month of September.

Private Max Rubacha, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rubacha, of 95 North street, arrived home Monday for a seven-day furlough.

The monthly meeting of the Dorcas Society will take place tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the First Lutheran church.

Among the guests was Sergeant Richard Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols, who is in the Motor Vehicle department of the Army.

Yankee Stadium, New York, Oct. 6.—The St. Louis Cardinals won their big game early on Ernie Bonham's fork-ball today.

The annual setback tournament of the Red Men's Social Club will start tonight at the clubhouse.

The Mother's Circle of the Immaculate Conception will have a meeting tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. Richard Post.

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The full rummage sale of the Memorial Hospital's Auxiliary will start Thursday at 9:30 in the hall, 101 1/2 Main street.

The British-American club will hold its monthly meeting at 8:30 tonight at the clubhouse, 70 Maple street.

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Cards Hit Hard To Lead Yanks 4-1 in Fourth
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Redbirds Belt Bonham Hard; Cooper Handles Bombers Easily in Early Innings; Slats Marion Hits Homer For First Run of Game

Official Lineups For Second Contest
Yankee Stadium, New York, Oct. 6.—The lineup for the second game of the World Series is as follows:

More Stones Now Thrown At Tax Plans
Washington, Oct. 6.—More tax plans are being thrown at the Republicans' \$10,500,000,000 new tax program today.

Republicans View Increases as Going Beyond What Average Person Able to Pay
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Hoover Called On Feed Plans
Washington, Oct. 6.—Hoover called on feed plans to help devise a plan to give aid to some starving now.

Labor to War Veterans
Washington, Oct. 6.—War Food Administrator Marvin Jones was called before a congressional committee to explain his 1944 bill.

Honorable Discharge Proposed as Ticket of Admission to Unions
Boston, Oct. 6.—Increasing concern among labor leaders about the attitude of returning servicemen is reflected today in resolutions proposed at the AFL convention.

Asked Explain Food Policies
Washington, Oct. 6.—President Roosevelt's Food Policy Committee is being asked to explain its food policies.

Identified as Adverses
Washington, Oct. 6.—The "back room" was being identified as adverses by the House Banking committee.

Rail Traffic To Seaports Shows Jump
Boston, Oct. 6.—The flow of railroad export traffic to United States ports in the first nine months of this year was 80 per cent higher than in the corresponding period during World War I.

Killed by Booby-Trap
The Yank soldier lying there fell victim to a Nazi booby-trap somewhere in Sicily during the conquest of the island.

Severance of Trieste-Austrian Link Called Effective Blow in Support of Allied Units
London, Oct. 6.—Trieste's severance of its link with Austria is a strategic railway line in support of Allied units.

Turnover Rate Higher Than For Men Despite Fact Draft Total Is Included
Washington, Oct. 6.—As an advance report on labor shortage areas here two women, one other woman quit her job.

Australian Units Fight Way into Ramu Valley
Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, Oct. 6.—Australian troops have fought their way into New Guinea's Ramu valley.

Tightening Blockade Increases Price Japanese Paying to Evacuate Kolombangara Island
Allied Headquarters in the Southwest Pacific, Oct. 6.—The tightening of the blockade against Japanese forces on Kolombangara Island has increased the price they are paying to evacuate the island.

Russians Still Pushing Lines Toward West
Moscow, Oct. 6.—Sloved by worsening weather and increased German resistance, the Red Army still pushed forward into White Russia today.

Japan Seen Hit Hardest
Washington, Oct. 6.—President Roosevelt's assertion that the Japanese are being beaten in the long Doolittle raid may be possibly an indirect remark to those critics demanding more aid for the forces of General MacArthur.

Milk Drivers Start Return
New York, Oct. 6.—Employees of Sheffield Farm Company and the Borden Company returned to work today after a two-day work stoppage.

Wartime Meat Program Seen in Critical Position
Chicago, Oct. 6.—More meat than is needed to meet the civilian rationing program is being produced by the nation's livestock industry.

Treasury Balance
Washington, Oct. 6.—The position of the Treasury Oct. 4: Receipts, \$169,819,640.29; expenditures, \$169,819,640.29; net balance, \$169,819,640.29.

Fifth Army Forces Volturmo Crossing; Strategic Line Hit
London, Oct. 6.—The Allied Fifth Army has forced a crossing of the Volturmo River, and captured the town of Volturmo.

Yugoslavs Cut Women Quit War Plants Work Fast
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The Weather Forecast of U. S. Weather Bureau
Continued cool tonight and Thursday morning with frost tonight.

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### Senator's Complaint On News Answered

Much of fault found with war reports lies right at source in Army information.

By James Marlow and George Steiner

Washington, Oct. 6.—Much of the fault which Senator Lodge (R., Mass.) found with the war news sent to troops overseas probably lies right at the source: Where it is being made.

The senator came back from a two-month tour of world battle areas with a statement that our fighting men are mad because of the "false optimism of the news" sent them.

He said here today he is talking with government agencies to find the reason.

This was the kind of thing he said was happening:

Are Told Losses Light

Troops who have suffered heavy casualties with friends shot down and the battle in bitter progress are told their losses are light while the enemy's were heavy and that the enemy is being mopped up.

Particularly he recalled that this was so in news sent to troops on New Georgia island in the South Pacific although he said "ride with any fiber 15 minutes and you'll hear the same thing."

He mentioned that troops on New Georgia got their news in two ways: By short-wave radio from San Francisco and by an intracanal sheet prepared on the island.

The Army Special Service Division's information branch sends out by wire 2,000 words of news daily to the South Pacific stations where it is mimeographed by the Army for the troops. Also it broadcasts to the South Pacific five minutes of news six times a day from San Francisco.

Very little news of action actually is given out by the Army or Navy in Washington, both branches of the service leaving that up to the theater command.

May Be Viewed as Minor

Quite often the officers on the scene have good reason for not wanting to divulge all details of a battle. Or perhaps an engagement with enemy troops is a bit of a baiting may, in the view of the commanding general, be a minor engagement. For instance, Suppose Company A has lost 90 per cent of its men in a fight with Japs. If four divisions were engaged in that same fight and only Company A had losses

### Safety Urged In Industry

Accidents Have Taken Bigger Toll Than War, Woodcock Says

Hartford, Oct. 6.—(P)—Only a joint attack by labor and management can accomplish real results against the industrial accidents that have taken a greater toll than the war, State War Administrator Harold K. Woodcock declared in the War council broadcast last night.

"Each worker shares in the responsibility for his own safety," said Woodcock. "Management has constant obligation to see that safe conditions prevail at all times, and the worker must be alert to his own safety."

He said that the number of industrial accidents has increased since the war started. "Each worker shares in the responsibility for his own safety," said Woodcock. "Management has constant obligation to see that safe conditions prevail at all times, and the worker must be alert to his own safety."

to perform his job in a safe manner. "Connecticut's big war job will continue to be the production of war goods. Reducing manpower losses through industrial safety is an effective means of stepping up production in our plants."

Another speaker on the program was Alfred C. Fuller, chairman of the Connecticut Committee for the Conservation of Manpower in War Industry, who reported that in 30 months between July, 1940, and January, 1943, 48,000 workers were killed and 1,000,000 workers were laid up by accidents for an average period of three weeks.

### Texans May Face Shortage of Gas

Houston, Tex., Oct. 6.—(P)—Texas is producing 2,000,000 barrels of oil daily—and unless more is found, there may be none left for Texas civilians, says Ernest O. Thompson, state railroad commissioner.

He told the American Association of Oil Well Drilling Contractors last night that "every gallon that leaves our shores is loaded to an average of 60 per cent of its capacity with oil. Unless more oil is found, sooner or later tankers will be backing up to Texas Gulf ports to take every barrel of gasoline—and leave nothing to ration."

Mythical Interviews With Famous People

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### Marines Settle Old Jap Grudge

F4U Corsair Provides Weapon To Avenge Memory Of Wake Island

WASHINGTON—The U.S. Marines with their Vought Corsair fighters are settling old scores with the sons of heaven.

Ever since February, the F4U Corsair with its 2,000-horsepower Double Wasp engine has given them such clear-cut supremacy that squadron after squadron is tasting revenge for Pearl Harbor, for Wake Island, and finding it sweet.

Members of the first Corsair Marine squadron to see combat danced a grimly triumphant war dance last February when they came in from their first action. They knew they had the answer to the Zero. Since then they have destroyed 67 Japanese planes. Their leading ace, First Lieutenant Kenneth A. Walsh, alone has shot down 24 since he joined the squadron April 1, only two less than the World War II record set by Captain Joseph Foss.

The log of a Marine pilot from another F4U squadron makes history—April 19, 1943: April Fools' Day but not for us. The Japs tried a daylight raid with Zeros and dive bombers, but the bombers didn't get in, and the Zeros got badly shot up. An estimated 55 planes made the attack, of which 19 were shot down with a loss of six planes and two pilots.

Our squadron accounted for seven planes confirmed and four or five probables without a loss. It is the first time a new squadron has ever gone into action without any losses. The boys think the F4U is a sweet airplane.

The courage of another Marine pilot demanded the impossible of his wounded Corsair. Lt. James E. Johnson was up with 31 Allied fighters to intercept 58 enemy planes. His rudder and part of his wing were shot away. Zeros shot away a tire, landed a cannon shell in his Double Wasp. His crippled Corsair stayed in the fight. He shot down his fourth Zero, headed for home, landed safely at Henderson Field.

**Navy Announces Sea Wolf**

STRATFORD, Conn.—Chance Vought Aircraft division of United Aircraft Corporation has developed a new torpedo plane, the Sea Wolf, which "incorporates everything we have learned about planes of this type," the U. S. Navy announced last month.

Consolidated-Vultee Aircraft Corporation, Allentown, Pa., will build it in quantity.

The Sea Wolf is a product of the same engineering staff which developed the Navy's big F4U Corsair fighter plane. The prototype, designated the XTBU-1, was built and test flown by the Chance Vought organization. Designs were then turned over to Consolidated-Vultee for manufacture.

### WOLF PACK SQUADRON OUTSCORES JAPS 58 TO 1



Each Japanese flag on the Wolf Pack scoreboard represents a Jap plane downed by this Marine Squadron, while losing one fighter. The Wolf Pack's weapon is the F4U Corsair, built around a Double Wasp turning a Hamilton Standard Hydromatic Propeller.

**Tough Marauders Get Back**

LONDON—In nearly 3,000 sorties over the enemy invasion coast by the Eighth Air Force's Martin Marauders, only 13 of the Double Wasp-powered medium bombers have failed to return, according to reports from American Headquarters in the European Theater of Operations.

The B-26's have sustained a loss of less than one half of one per cent as they bombed Nazi airfields, vital factories, strafed the enemy's locomotives. Their loss figure is far below the five per cent established by Allied air experts as the average loss during smash attacks at Fortress Europe.

This remarkable record is the result of new flying techniques developed by the group, according to the report. Instead of flying at low levels and dropping light bombs, the new tactics are to fly at medium altitude with fighter escort and to drop heavy bombs.

Despite the fact that the crews are plowing through heavy flak at these medium altitudes, they depend upon the ruggedness of their ships, their parashut speed and the 4,000 horses of the two Pratt & Whitney Double Wasp engines to get them to their objective and back again.

**United Aircraft News**

A REPORT OF PERFORMANCE AT HOME AND ABROAD BY THE DESIGNERS AND BUILDERS OF CHANCE VOUGHT AIRPLANES, PRATT & WHITNEY ENGINES, SIKORSKY HELICOPTERS AND HAMILTON STANDARD PROPELLERS

### Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Delivers 100,000th Engine

August Production Record Climaxes 18-Year Struggle

RENTSCHLER TELLS HOW INDUSTRY MET WAR NEEDS

Wilson States Employment Is Only Real Security In Peace Or War

EAST HARTFORD, Conn.—National defense has been recognized as an obligation by Pratt & Whitney Aircraft since the first Wasp engine was built 18 years ago, and military requirements have been the basis of developments by the organization, Frederick B. Rentschler, chairman of United Aircraft Corporation, told employees at a ceremony celebrating shipment of the 100,000th Pratt & Whitney engine.

In introducing Mr. Rentschler, Eugene E. Wilson, vice chairman and president of United Aircraft Corporation, paid tribute to the founders of Pratt & Whitney Aircraft. In helping prepare the United States for the defense of freedom and democracy, the company gave employment to over 75,000 persons in the United States.

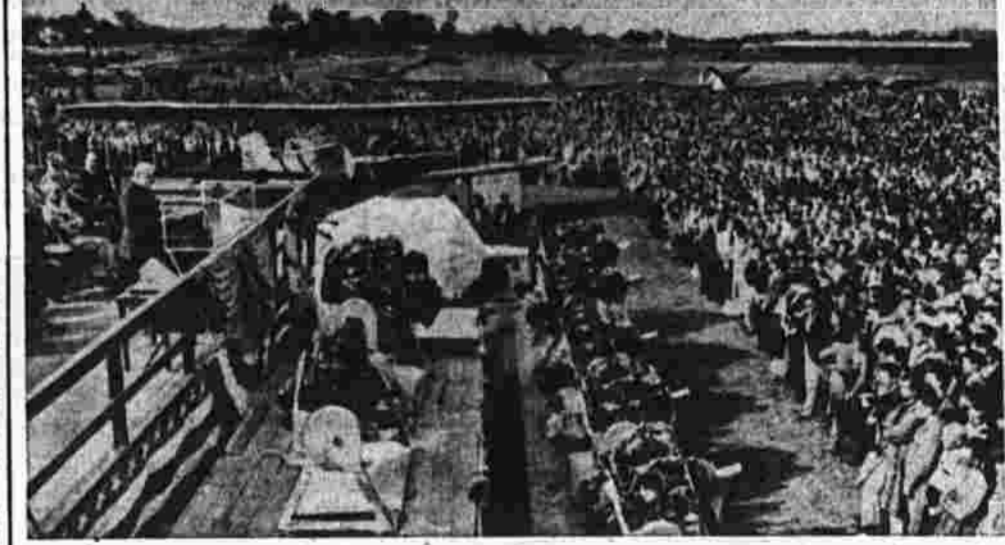
"Employment," Mr. Wilson emphasized, "provides the only real security—social security in time of peace and national security in time of war."

National defense and the aviation industry are closely related. "At any time," Mr. Rentschler said, "the United States must be ready in an emergency with types of equipment recognizing no superior, and in addition, capable as an industry of quick expansion.

In our opinion, the aviation industry has successfully met both of these objectives."

The Navy and Marines have found plenty of ways to strengthen the industry. "Without their sympathetic support and guidance, there could not have been an aviation industry."

### Increased Engine Power Brings Planes That Fly Higher, Farther and Faster



**Aircrafters Told Pratt & Whitney Engines Power All Classes—Trainers, Transport, Scouts, Fighters, Blimps and Bombers**

EAST HARTFORD, Conn.—Aerial warfare is demanding ever increasing engine horsepower and Pratt & Whitney workers have given American air forces engines that will fly their planes higher, farther and faster than any that Hitler has been able to produce or to duplicate.

That was the theme of talks at the engine ceremony on September 24 by both Major General Roy S. Geiger, U.S.M.C., director of Marine Corps Aviation, and Brigadier General E. S. Perrin, U.S.A.A.F., deputy chief of air staff.

The 100,000th engine means something greater than establishing a production record, said General Geiger said. "You have made it possible for us to stop the Japs in the Pacific."

Your engines are powering our planes in Italy, over Germany and up in Alaska. In every corner of the world your engines are being felt."

Pratt & Whitney Aircraft and its employees have been in partnership with the armed forces starting with the Navy's purchase of the first Pratt & Whitney engine, General Geiger said. He termed it a partnership with dependable horsepower its single objective.

"You employees of Pratt & Whitney," he said, "are building one of the finest engines in the world, and they are going into the best airplanes in the world."

The Navy and Marines have found plenty of use for Pratt & Whitney engines in this war, he continued. "Thanks to the Double Wasp and the latest Vought Corsair airplanes," General Geiger declared, "we now have a superior weapon with which to meet the enemy."

It has become clear that air power is world power and to many it is equally clear that air power is horsepower, General Perrin said.

"To send America's fighters, bombers and transports faster and farther, bigger and better engines have been developed. Some may admire the clean design, the sleek lines, the graceful appearance of a modern airplane, but the engineer always is interested first in the engine. There is no substitute for a plane."

As he talked, Army Thunderbolts and a Navy Wasp-powered Blimp flew over the field on training flights.

In addition to the Thunderbolt which is "doing an outstanding job," General Perrin singled out other Pratt & Whitney-powered Army airplanes for praise.

He included the C-47 Curtiss Commando, B-26 Martin Marauder, B-34 Vega Ventura, B-24 Consolidated-Liberator, C-54 Douglas Skymaster and the C-47 Douglas Skytrain.

"These Pratt & Whitney-powered planes," said General Perrin, "are bringing nearer the day of victory to the United Nations."

### MONTHLY SHIPMENTS HIT 5,000,000 HORSEPOWER

Pratt & Whitney's Own Output Now Exceeds All Germany's At Nazi Peak

EAST HARTFORD, Conn.—More engine horsepower was produced by the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft division of United Aircraft Corporation in August than has ever been turned out in one month by any one engine plant anywhere in the world.

This was revealed by H. Mansfield Horner, general manager, as thousands of employees celebrated the shipment of the 100,000th Pratt & Whitney engine at special "horner shifts" ceremonies, September 24. Mr. Horner was introduced by Eugene E. Wilson, vice chairman and president of United Aircraft.

It took 16 years from 1925 to January, 1941, when the first 25,000 engines, less than three years, Pratt & Whitney has built 75,000 more.

High-ranking military officials, together with 15 "old timers," members of the original band of 25 who built the first Wasp engine years ago, heard Mr. Horner announce that during August of this year Pratt & Whitney shipped 5,000,000 horsepower in aircraft engines. This is more horsepower, according to military experts, than was produced by the entire German aircraft engine industry at its peak.

Costs Cut By 30 Per Cent

Employees also learned that since May, 1940, when the President called for 50,000 airplanes, they have turned out 100,000 horsepower. While doing this, Pratt & Whitney has been able to reduce production costs by about 30 per cent. For August alone, Mr. Horner explained, "this means that we have saved the Government—and that means you and all other taxpayers—almost \$20,000,000."

The 100,000th engine was a 2,000-horsepower Double Wasp, the most powerful aircraft engine in quantity use on the fighting fronts today.

The No. 1 Wasp, a 410-horsepower engine, was displayed alongside No. 100,000 in front of the speakers stand. It was borrowed for the occasion from the Navy's permanent exhibit at Franklin Institute at Philadelphia. Its performance, Mr. Horner said, led the Navy to standardize on air-cooled engines. As need for more power was indicated for the future, Pratt & Whitney engines prepared.

This country's entrance into World War II found seven basic types of Pratt & Whitney engines fully developed and in quantity production, ranging from 450 to 2,000 horsepower. A hint of what those same engineers have developed for tomorrow's aircraft was provided by a third engine, dwarfing the others but under a tarpaulin and heavily guarded.

Flexible Production Maintained

In the past, Mr. Horner said, engines have been rolling out in ever increasing quantities despite the fact that it frequently has been necessary to shift emphasis from one to another of the seven basic types built here as strategic requirements shifted. In addition it has been necessary continuously to refine and improve these basic types. This has enabled Pratt & Whitney's six licenses each to concentrate on a single frozen model.

The engine builders listened intently as Mr. Horner told how Pratt & Whitney is now preparing to meet needs for greater horsepower and warred of the tough assignments in the months ahead when they will be expected to extend their leadership.

"We are hearing the call for even bigger and better engines," he declared. "That means more retuning and more change-over. It's your job and no one else can do it for us. I don't think we want anyone else to do it for us. It will be another tough assignment but we've pulled together to lick one before."

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PRODUCTION would stop, thousands would be thrown out of work and many businesses would close their doors without vital street car and bus service in our industrial communities to transport workers to and from their places of business.

Today in spite of acute shortages of vehicles, man-power, and repair parts, this Company is transporting upwards of a half million riders a day.

### Bus Service Is Vital To This Community

**The Connecticut Company**

President: S. S. Brigham

BUT WAR BONDS

**THE CONNECTICUT POWER COMPANY**

To our Customers:

Our Government has called for a Voluntary Nationwide Conservation Program, to save all possible fuel, manpower, critical materials and equipment for the war effort.

It has asked the coal, oil, transportation, communications, water supply, electric and gas industries to do everything they can to further the campaign.

Government officials have stated that there is no national shortage of electricity either now or in prospect. Here in Stamford we have ample capacity to meet all needs for both gas and electricity.

However, nothing comes into our homes—not even gas and electricity—which does not require the use of man hours, fuel and transportation all of which must be saved for the war effort.

It is not going to be easy for our customers to give up some of the comforts and conveniences of liberal use of gas and electricity because they are instantly available and their use is a matter of habit.

It is not easy for us, or any business, to give up income needed to run the business and to say, "Please use less of our service."

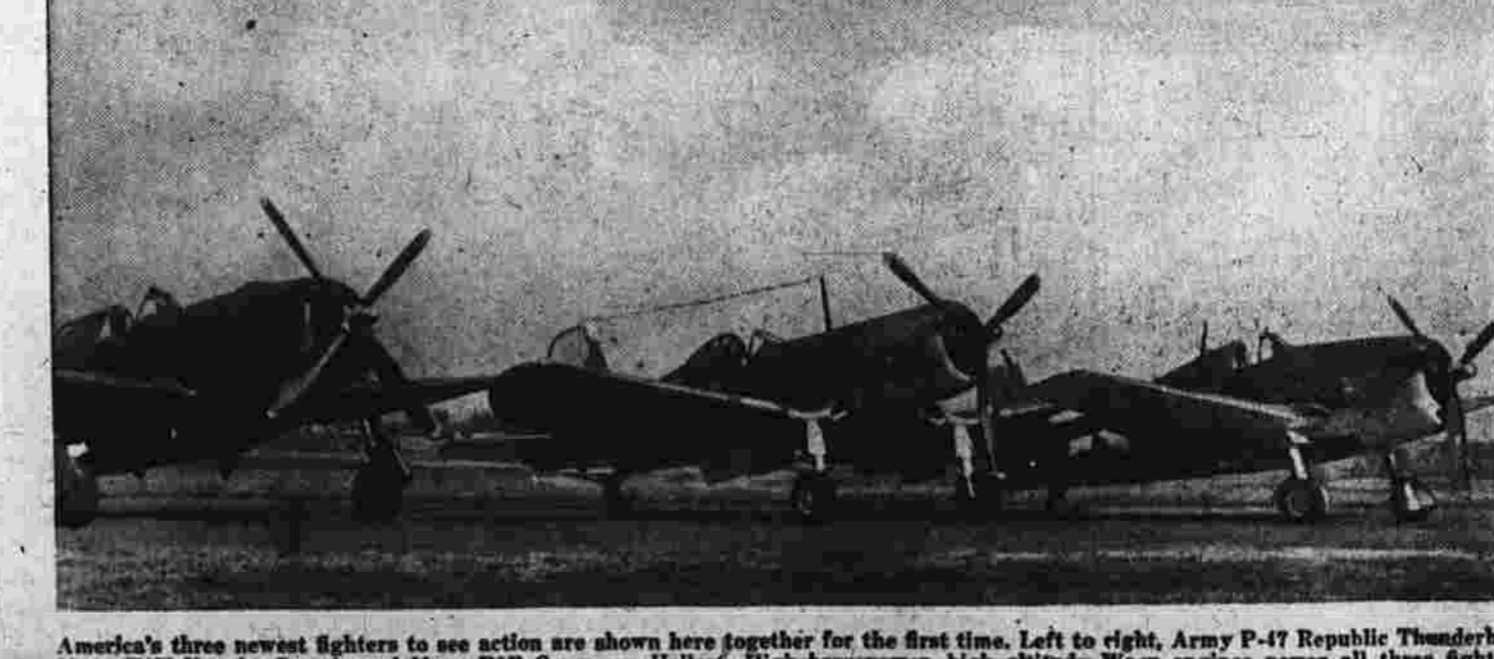
But, to help win the War, our Government now asks us all to conserve voluntarily—as good Americans—and of course we'll do it.

The savings in the average home and business through curtailment of the use of service may appear small, but multiplied by millions of homes and businesses in the nation, the total will be great.

Throughout the campaign our advertisements will carry the story of how to save more gas and more electricity than is already being saved by the community's fine compliance with current regulations. We urge you not only to follow them but to save in every way—to help win the War quicker and get the job done.

S. S. Brigham  
President

### HIGH HORSEPOWER SECRET OF THREE NEWEST AMERICAN FIGHTERS



America's three newest fighters to see action are shown here together for the first time. Left to right, Army P-47 Thunderbolt, Navy F4U Corsair and Navy P-51 Mustang. High horsepower, high altitude Wasp engine power all three fighters. Hamilton Standard Hydromatic propellers drive the Corsair and the Mustang.

### PIONEERS IN HIGH-POWER AIRCRAFT ENGINES



Grouped here around the first Wasp engine are 14 of the 25 original employees who built it. From left to right: W. J. Leveck, B. M. Campbell, Daniel Jack, Harry Gensberg, Norris King, J. J. Ruppel, Henry J. Cudworth, Lawrence Costantini, F. B. Rentschler, founder, E. E. Wilson, A. V. D. Williams, Alan H. Jackson, and William Williams.



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Advertisement for WATKINS BROTHERS, INC. featuring 'WATKINS' logo and 'A TRIUMPH OF AMERICAN INGENUITY AND SERIA KNOW HOW' slogan.



Boy Fatally Hurt Here In Auto-Bicycle Crash

Rail Traffic To Seaports Shows Jump

Cards Hit Hard To Lead Yanks

Engagements

Gives Lecture Before Lodge

Town to Seek \$36,300 As Share of War Fund

Unit to Hold Meet Tonight

Asked Explain Food Policies

Changes Made By Selectmen

Members of Various Committees Given Other Assignments

War Veterans Labor to Woo

What Causes Epilepsy?

Have a "Coke" = Happy Days

Enna Jetticks

Frank Keeney, 12 Years Old, Rides into Side of Car at South Main and Hackmatack Today.

Deaths

Defenders of Coe Continue to Fight

Believe Dolecamese In British Hands

About Town

Give Your Feet An Ice-Mint Treat

Hoover Called On Feed Plans

Pile Torture Soothed in Few Minutes

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21 Jewels \$49.50

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Today's Radio

- WTRC-1080 - Today's Radio
WTRC-1590 - American War Time
WTRC-1120 - Army-Navy
WTRC-1130 - Home Front
WTRC-1140 - Blue Follies
WTRC-1150 - Stella Dallas
WTRC-1160 - Music
WTRC-1170 - Letrozio Jones
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Not to Enter Court Appeal

The town will not enter an appeal from the decision of Superior Court Judge Robert Mungler in the \$40,000 suit filed by the town against the state in connection with the East Street construction financing of several years ago...

Favors Local Housing Board

Treasurer Wadell recommends formation of a housing authority for the town of Danbury...

Fifty FM Stations on Air

In Various Parts of U. S. - The Federal Communications Commission has announced that 50 new FM stations are to be licensed...

Tie in Voting Street Drains

For Constable Problem Here - The rapid growth of the town has given the selectmen several headaches at times...

Two Big Shows Combined in One

Two of the world's greatest "in person" attractions will be presented together in Danbury...

Moughlin Trains As Supply Officer

Completed a highly specialized course in military training at the Quartermaster School...

Public Records

Warrant Deeds - Robert B. Schmidt to Edward J. McGowan et al.

Items of Interest to Local Women

Shopping with Judy

HELO THERE. GAS RATIONING, TIRE SHORTAGES AND OTHER WARTIME RESTRICTIONS have slackened the pace of our normal life...

More Than Ever Your Favorite

Deliciously smart, go-everywhere, easy to wear, and comfortable, the new cold waves are just what you need...

Point Economy in Park

Perhaps your points won't buy a whole ham, but soothe yourself with a cold wave...

Picture Frames to Preserve

Photographs are the most treasured of our possessions and should be preserved in a safe manner...

Get Them in the Mail Early!

On the rack at The Doney, 371 Main Street, Danbury, are many attractive cards to express your Christmas sentiments...

A Christmas Hint

A soldier serving overseas suggests that you buy a small, inexpensive toy in Christmas packages...

Esmer to Own Pressure Canner

By a pressure canner now in use, Esmer suggests the use of a pressure canner...

Slip and Soft

If it is an afternoon dress your wardrobe lacks, here is the dress for you. It is beautifully slenderizing with soft draping...

KEMP'S RECORD DEPARTMENT SUGGESTS

"ALONG THE SANTA FE TRAIL" by Glenn Miller. "SOMEWHERE A VOICE IS CALLING" by Tommy Dorsey with Frank Sinatra.

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Joe Gordon Is Hero of First Game

Victors in yesterday's 4-2 game at Yankee Stadium, New York. Pitcher Max Lanier was the star...

Southworth Undecided On Today's Hurler

Bonham Is Named By Joe McCarthy. The Yankees today were just where they were a year ago in their world series battle...

Shoddy Ball Says Writer

Reminds How Yankees Won 1927 Series Against Pirates. The Yankees today were just where they were a year ago in their world series battle...

Terry Moore Saw Navy's Backs All Tuned Up

Four Complete Sets in Top Shape for Duke Saturday Night. Terry Moore was a ball player. Every man working for the team...

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton. Every time he'd begin to talk up, Bill would come out and lighten up...

Marines Land - More Speed

Ordered To Probe "Loathing". Boston, Oct. 6. - Rear Admiral Robert A. Theobald, commander of the First Naval district, has been ordered by the War Department to investigate...

Quote Epitaph

Mort Cooper (who'll surely pitch tomorrow if he doesn't get the call today): "My arm never felt better. I don't know where that sore arm stuff got started. I never had a sore arm in my life. I just had an aching shoulder for about three days."

Such Is Fame Dept.

A couple of hours after watching a game a crowd of people gathered in front of the center bleachers...

By The Associated Press

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 6. - The Associated Press reported that the American Red Cross is planning to donate blood for the army and navy...

Men's Dungarees

UNION MADE SANFORIZED \$1.49. A pair of men's dungarees, union made, sanforized, \$1.49.

Rockora

the Year Round Coat. Ordinary coat fabrics are woven of just one fibre of wool, for example, but Rockora is blended of three fibres...

Volunteer Chapter - Blood Donor Service

I Want To Donate Blood For The Army and Navy. Name, Address, Age, 18-20, 21-60, 61-70, 71-80, 81-90, 91-100.

Rail Reorganization Plan Battle Begins

Judge Hincks Listens to First Round on Proposal to Wipe Out Stockholders' Equity. New Haven, Oct. 6. - Federal Judge Carroll C. Hincks yesterday "dusted" off a copy of the "Queensbury rules" and heard the first round of a legal battle over the Interstate Commerce Commission's reorganization plan...

Detroit Pair After Honors In Pro Loop

Fenenbock and Sinkwich Battle for '43 Rooky Honors; Lions Happy Over Showing. By Charles Chamberlain. Chicago, Oct. 6. - A battle for rookie honors in the National Football League this season is in full progress between Chuck Fenenbock and Frankie Sinkwich...

Will Not Waive Objections

As a preliminary to the battle, the judge was informed by a majority of the creditors that they had no objections or were willing to waive them.

Gen. Cull Mountain

One hand thrust mendacity into a coat pocket, he approached a crowd of about 100 men...

Soft as a KITTEN

A BEAR FOR WEAR! BECAUSE IT'S TRIPLE-BLENDED. Soft as a kitten, a bear for wear. Because it's triple-blended.

Ladies Post Good Scores Yesterday

Elizabeth Foster captured the sweepstakes at the Manchester Ladies Post Golf tournament...

Cheatum Earns Draw With Doty

Hartford, Oct. 6. - Willie Cheatum, 141 of New York, and Red Doty, 141 of Hartford, fought eight rounds to a draw at the Audubon Club last night...

First Game Follows

Just after Joe Gordon clouted his homer, the rolled-down canvas screen from the center bleachers began to smoulder...

Last Night's Fights

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**About Town**

The Dorcas Society Sewing Group of the Emmanuel Lutheran church will meet as usual tomorrow night to sew at the Red Cross rooms in the Center church. Any finished knitted articles should also be returned at that time.

Manchester Grange at its meeting tonight in the Masonic Temple will confer the first and second degrees on a class of candidates. A social time with light refreshments will follow the program.

Ernest S. Taggart, of Willington, formerly of Manchester, has successfully passed his examinations for pre-flight training at the San Antonio, Texas Cadet Center. Cadet Taggart formerly served in Company I, State Guard, Second Battalion, as a sergeant and recently completed his basic training at Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

**Rummage Sale**

THURSDAY, OCT. 5, 9:00 A. M.  
Willing Workers, W. S. C. S.  
GYM AT S. M. E. CHURCH

**ON THURSDAY  
COME TO  
PINEHURST**

for  
Freshly Ground  
Hamburg, 29c lb. (7 points)  
Pork Kidneys, 19c lb. (no points)  
Dog Bones, 10c and 15c tray.  
Lamb Patties, 35c lb. (5 points).  
Grote & Weigel's Frankfurts and Polish Bologna.  
Ready To Serve Hams.  
Lean Mutton.  
Mutton Legs.  
Fish and Poultry.

Looking around the store these things can be seen:  
Extra large boxes of Sunbeam Potato Chips.  
Concord Grape Juice.  
Pepperidge Farm Bread.  
2-pound jars of Honey, 44c.  
Helen Harrison's French Dressing.  
Hemo and Mince Meat.  
IN THE FRUIT DEPT.  
California Pears and Cantaloupes.  
Quinces and Peaches look very attractive.  
You will want some Pine Knob McIntosh and Wagner Cooking Apples.  
Becker's Fresh Spinach, Cauliflower, Peets and Des Moines Squash help cut the Blue Point situation.

Thursday is a good day to shop at Pinehurst. Take the bus or drive over.



Mr. and Mrs. James C. Robinson of Greenhill street have received news that their son, Lieutenant Stuart Douglas Robinson, (J. G.) has been promoted to Lieutenant in the U. S. Army. He has just returned to this country after being in foreign service with the U. S. Navy.

Mary C. Keeney Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, will meet tomorrow evening at the American Legion home on Leonard street. A full turnout of the members is hoped for as a rehearsal will be held in preparation for the visit of the department president at the next meeting.

The final meeting of the Red Cross annual outing committee will be held tonight at eight o'clock at the clubrooms. All members of the committee are requested to attend as all bills and reports should be submitted at this time.

Mrs. Florence Hausmann of 15 Cedar street was surprised last night by a party of her local friends, who called to help her celebrate her birthday, which occurred today. They brought with them a birthday cake, gifts and flowers and spent a pleasant evening.

The official board of the Concordia Lutheran church will have a meeting this evening at eight o'clock at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Fregin of 50 West street, Rockville, announce the birth of a daughter, Judith Ann, born October 4, at the Rockville hospital. Mr. Fregin is the son of Mrs. John Zimmerman of North School street.



Next Winter, Fuel and Doctors will be scarce!  
Keep Your Family Warm and Healthy.  
Coal and Wood Room Heaters  
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Must be turned in for salvage if you want to keep playing the new ones.  
2 1/2c each paid for old records irrespective of quantity.  
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Private Walter R. Smith, of 132 Eldridge street, has returned home after spending six weeks at the U. S. Army General hospital, Atlantic City, N. J. Private Smith returned from the Africa campaign on Aug. 4. He has received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army.

Private Harold Simons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Burnett, of Lydall street, is home on furlough from the Army Air Forces base at Greensboro, N. C.

Private George McCaughey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaughey, of 16 Clinton street, is home on a furlough from Fort Riley, Kansas.

**Police Court**

John Zawistowski, of 36 Union Court, was fined \$10 and costs in Police Court this morning by Judge Raymond R. Bowers on a charge of rules of the road.  
Zawistowski was arrested Oct. 3 at 5:50 by Officer William Scully for traveling at an excessive rate of speed on the New Buckland road, but circumstances in connection with the case led to a change in the charge from the original speeding infraction to one of violation of the rules of the road.  
Zawistowski entered a defense on the charge of speeding and tendered a plea of guilty to violation of rules of the road.

**IF YOU WANT HELP**  
for planning any sort of a banquet or catering occasion then see or call  
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Telephone 3902 or 5790

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Successors to Seaman Coal Co. and Pola Coal Co.

**Plan Survey Of Firewood**

**Town Has Hurricane Fell Trees on Some of Its Property.**

The Selectmen voted yesterday to have a survey made of the Town of Manchester watershed for the purpose of supplying dry hurricane felled trees to those unable to obtain sufficient fuels this winter. Several applications have been made to the town for permission to cut wood on town land, and it was stated that a considerable amount of hurricane felled trees still exist on the department watershed in Bolton, and elsewhere.  
Engineers of the Water Department will make a survey of the areas and "spot" sections where dry wood may be cut by those in need of emergency fuel.

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(Known As Queen Alice)  
**SPIRITUAL MEDIUM**  
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APPLY AT NAVY RECRUITING STATION OR OFFICE OF NAVAL OFFICER PROCUREMENT  
For Information Regarding the 'Waves' See Specialist 3rd Class  
**Charlotte G. Schulz**  
From the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, New York, at  
**HALE'S**  
Thursday, Oct. 7 1:30 to 9 P. M.

**We Have a Limited Quantity of FRIGIDAIRE Quick Freezing Food Storage CABINETS**

Keep Meat, Fish, Fruit and Vegetables indefinitely in this Modern Food Storage Cabinet.  
White enamel sides, stainless steel top, 5 year warranty on motor.  
If you want one of these cabinets, make arrangements to see it at once. Basement.  
**The J.W. HALE CORP.**  
MANCHESTER CONN.

**Practical Notion Items**

**CONSERVE** with **IRONTEX\***  
The Miracle Fabric Mender  
Combines MENDING with IRONING  
IRONTEX will eliminate hours of tiresome "needle and thread" mending for you. Simply repair holes, rips, tears, damages by applying IRONTEX directly to the fabric with a hot iron. Easy-takes but a few seconds. Comes in white and colors.  
**IRONTEX\***  
90" long - 1 1/2" wide  
25¢ Pkg.  
\*Trade Mark

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**SMITH'S SOFT COLLAR REPLACEMENTS 29c**  
**Footlets 20c pr.**  
For wear with or without stockings. Sizes 8 1/2 to 11.  
**FANCY WATERPROOF Aprons \$1.00**  
All colors and styles.

Just Received Another Allotment!  
SECONDS OF NAVY OFFICERS' GREY OR WHITE 100% WOOL  
**BLANKETS \$9.95** If First Quality. Would Be \$14.98  
Our first shipment sold out in a few days. We were fortunate in securing a few more of these extra fine quality 100% Wool Blankets made for the officers in the Navy. These are made from two pieces or some have tiny holes which have been skillfully mended. A blanket that will give years and years of warmth and service.  
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Hale's Bread	Loaf	6c
Certo	Bottle	21c
Sugar Heart Peanut Butter	Lb. Jar	35c
Berko Butterscotch Dessert	3 Pkgs.	25c
Palmolive Soap	Bar	7c
Super Suds	Pkg.	24c
Octagon Soap	Bar	5c
Octagon Cleanser	5 Pkgs.	23c
Fresh Tomatoes	3 Lbs.	25c
Celery	Bunch	19c
Lemons	Doz.	49c

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## Cardinals Blast Hank Borowy for Two Runs in 4th

### Redbirds Forge Ahead 2-0; Brazle Holding Bombers in Check as Mates Pull Off Two Sensational Plays; Biggest Crowd Yet.

Yankee Stadium, New York, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals landed on Hank Borowy for a pair of runs in the fourth inning today to take a 2 to 0 lead over the New York Yankees going into the fifth frame of their world series game, before the third straight throng of more than 60,000 to see this year's classic.

Before the third straight throng of more than 60,000, the St. Louis Cardinals and New York Yankees met in the third game of the world series today and both pitchers had to work their way out of tight spots to battle through a scoreless first inning.

Two of the most spectacular outfield plays of the series featured the second frame. Keller raced over to the left field boxes, leaped far among the customers, his back to the plate, to take Marlon's foul with one hand. And in the Yankee half, Danny Litwiler had to sprint 50 yards to make a shoestring catch of Joe Gordon's liner.

### First Inning

Cardinals—On the second pitch Klein flied to Stainback in center.

With the count one and one, Walker doubled down the left field foul line.

Musial walked on five pitches. W. Cooper bounced into a double play, Crosetti to Gordon to Etten.

No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

Yankees—Stainback singled to left. On the first pitch, Crosetti sacrificed, Brazle to Klein.

Johnson grounded to Marlon who threw to Kurovski in time to nab Stainback sliding.

Third and Johnson was safe at first on the fielder's choice.

Keller fanned on four pitches. No runs, one hit, no errors, one left.

### Second Inning

Cardinals—With the count two strikes and one ball, Kurovski popped foul to Dickey in back of the plate.

Sanders struck out on three pitches.

Litwiler bounced a single off Borowy's left leg.

Marlon, who had hit a homer into the left field stands on his first appearance at the plate yesterday.

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## Senate Adds To Benefits

### Monthly Allotments of \$80 to Wives With One Child Approved.

Washington, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The Senate's point-blank refusal to halt the draft of pre-war fathers was the signal today for immediate action on sharp increases in cash allowances for service men's dependents.

The Senate took the initiative in seeking to ease the financial burden of soldiers' families by approving monthly allotments of \$80 to wives with one child and \$20 for each additional child.

Similarly higher allowances are contained in a House bill, which the Military Affairs committee expected to report out today.

The law now provides for \$50 to a wife, \$12 to the first child and \$10 for each additional child.

In view of the apparent willingness of most members of Congress to be generous with soldiers and sailors—especially heads of established families—there was little to indicate that the House would consider the new Senate figure too high.

### Wheeler Proposal Rejected

The Senate measure was passed after rejection, 48 to 26, of a final proposal by Senator Wheeler to prohibit further father drafting. In its final form the bill sent to the House would:

1. Deny Federal employment to able-bodied, draft-age non-fathers whose indispensability can not be certified to Congress within 30 days after the bill's enactment.

2. Require evidence of the indispensability of workers in war plants to be submitted to draft boards for all occupational deferments of non-fathers of draft age.

3. Direct establishment of a medical commission (one Army, one Navy, three civilian doctors) to determine if physical requirements can be lowered to permit in-

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## Yank Carrier, Given Cheers After Return

### Norwegians, Surprised By Lightning Blow at Nazi Shipping, Cheer And Wave at Planes.

By John E. Lee  
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With the British Home Fleet, Oct. 6.—(Delayed)—Surprised Norwegians cheered and waved when dive-bombers and torpedo planes escorted by fighters from a United States Navy carrier struck their lightning blow at enemy merchant shipping off northern Norway.

The attack was carried out by carriers of an air group early Monday and spread destruction and confusion among the targets. (The attack was announced by the British Admiralty Tuesday.)

So great was the element of surprise that the Germans were unable to get a single defensive fighter plane in the air while the attack was in progress. The only opposition was from anti-aircraft guns which brought down three bombers and wounded the pilot of one American fighter. The bombers crashed or made forced landings, but the fighter managed to return to its carrier.

Later, two German planes which tried to follow the Naval force accompanying a carrier were shot down by fighters before they could complete their mission.

### Represents Important Blow

The attack represents an important blow by a United States Navy Task group now attached to the British home fleet. Today, as the ships returned to the home fleet anchorage, Vice Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser signaled:

"The—(giving the name of the carrier)—did very well. I would be glad if the ships she passes gave her a cheer when she enters the harbor."

The British ships complied with resounding cheers as the carrier steamed proudly into its anchorage.

The operations were the first in which planes from an American carrier attacked targets in German-occupied western Europe and were directed against enemy merchant shipping in the vicinity of Bodoe. A large number of carrier planes participated in the attack, which was highly successful. Many hits were made, with 12 of them scored on eight merchantmen of from 3,900 to 10,000 tons each.

Other hits were observed on a landing barge, a 500-ton ship and a 200-ton ore vessel. Three American planes were shot down by ack-ack.

Several hours after the attack was completed, the carrier's fighters shot down two "shadow" planes—a Junkers-88 and a Heinkel-112—which attempted to

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## Allied Money Raises Doubt

### Clark Questions Legality Of Use With No Re- payment Promise.

By Jack Bell  
Washington, Oct. 7.—(AP)—Issuance of Allied military money in North Africa, Sicily and Italy was challenged today by Senator Clark (D., Mo.), as "additional appropriations for the Army without any action by Congress."

Clark, questioning the legality of using currency that bears no promise of repayment, told this writer:

"The best construction that can be put on it is that it is an additional appropriation for the Army without any action by Congress."

Used To Buy Supply  
He said it appeared the Army was using the cash to buy supplies and that natives were accepting it readily.

Senator Lodge (R., Mass.), one of five members who made an inspection tour of war zones, sounded a warning note about the currency in a Senate speech earlier in the week. He said he hoped it bore no promise of future payment that could not be fulfilled by the United States. This provoked sharp questioning of Treasury Secretary Morgenthau when he outlined a proposal for the establishment of an international bank for post-war stabilization of the world's currencies.

Morgenthau reportedly told senators that discussions were progressing on the establishment of an international bank with \$10,000,000,000 capital, of which the United States would furnish \$3,500,000,000 and Great Britain \$1,000,000,000. Other countries would subscribe proportionate amounts.

Described As "Shin Plasters"  
Senators appeared much more interested, however, in the issuance of what one of them described as "shin plasters" by the Allied governments to pay for supplies purchased in liberated countries. American troops also were said to

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## Patton Visits Wounded Troops



Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., commander of the U. S. Seventh Army, bends over a line of wounded soldiers awaiting evacuation from Sicily to North Africa. He is talking with Pvt. Frank A. Reed, East Durham, Mass., who suffered a sharp wound. (AP Wirephoto from Signal Corps via OWI.)

## Strong Naval Force Hits Japs on Wake

### Ships Move in Close Enough to Pour Ac- curate Fire on Foe; Carrier in Attackers.

Pearl Harbor, Oct. 7.—(AP)—A strong force of United States warships, including at least one aircraft carrier, opened a heavy attack with guns and planes Tuesday on the Japanese at tiny Wake island, more than 2,000 miles west of Hawaii. The fact that the ships had moved in close enough to pour their always deadly accurate fire on the enemy commanded at dawn Oct. 5 and the Japanese defenses there were overwhelmed.

### Only Reports Attack

How long the attack lasted, or if it had yet ceased, was not stated in a two-sentence communique issued yesterday by Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet. The communique confined itself to the report that the attack by Naval units under command of Rear Admiral Alfred E. Montgomery was "successful."

Such details likewise were unavailable in first reports of the Aug. 30 raid by carrier-based planes on Makin island, and the 200-ship strike on the island-based planes Sept. 17 and 18 on enemy holdings in the Gilberts, coming after the necessary radio silence to protect the similarly large task forces involved they

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## Seven Held In Spy Ring

### Charged With Conspir- ing to Transmit Data To German Reich.

Newark, N. J., Oct. 7.—(AP)—Federal investigation of a pre-war Nazi spy ring and a German-American organization was resumed today. Assistant United States Attorney Thorn Lord said, with the arrest of seven naturalized citizens of German birth, two of them soldiers.

The seven were charged in a sealed indictment opened here yesterday with conspiring to transmit to the German Reich, in violation of the espionage act, "documents, writings, code books, sketches, photographs, blue prints, maps... to the injury of the United States."

### Broken Up in 1941

Lord said the indictment closed investigation of the German-American Vocational League and of a Nazi spy ring broken up by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the summer of 1941.

Among those named as defendants were three men who were included Tuesday in a separate indictment which charged them and 24 other persons with illegally conspiring to act as agents of the German government.

They were Joseph Benedict Liebelin, 29-year-old American soldier arrested at Camp Ripley, Minn.; Carl Kranz, 43, of Rochester, N. Y.; and Fritz Schaefer, 43, former national leader of the Vocational League.

Also named in the indictment were Hans Philip Koenig, 40, who was arrested at Fort Dix, N. J., where he was stationed in the Army; Gustav Wilhelm Kaercher, 47, of Westwood, N. J., a former German Army lieutenant; Felix Gustav Adolph Jahnke, 41, New York; and Eric Heinrich Wedemeyer, 41, of Floral Park, N. Y.

From that point, presumably the charges of violating the foreign espionage laws would be treated as a real stone in the cutting.

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## Nazis Shift Armored Division for Attack; Hit in Termoli Area

### Fascists Pace Rome Streets In Big Groups

### Opponents Believe Re- turn Has Doomed Them More Than Ab- dication of Mussolini.

Bern, Switzerland, Oct. 7.—(AP)—A Rome dispatch to the Tribune de Geneve said today that under cover of German guns Fascists again have emerged on the streets of the Italian capital but declared they still dared to appear in public only in groups.

The dispatch, which passed through German censorship, added the comment that opponents of the party believe "the Fascists' return had doomed them even more than did the events of July 25"—Benito Mussolini's abdication.

The Fascists, toward whom the Nazi occupation forces were said to have an attitude of "tolerant well wishing," were retreating for the popular destruction of party insignias and emblems on the streets and buildings of Rome, the correspondent declared.

### Savoy Emblems Removed

He added that the emblems of the House of Savoy have been removed and destroyed wherever possible, and that over the Palazzo Venezia flies an Italian flag with the center emblem of the House of Savoy cut out.

Fascist headquarters have been established in the Piazza Colonna and Braschi palace where Mussolini for a time was held prisoner. Both are protected by machine-guns and tanks equipped with cannons.

The Fascists have taken up the idea that Rome is an open city, the Swiss dispatch said, but questioned whether the capital could be considered such under present conditions. It appears, the writer said, that the Fascists are unwilling or unable to establish a Fascist republican government and that Rome was declared an open city because "it costs them nothing."

Since the German occupation the Rome police have been wearing red and yellow armbands, inscribed "The Open City of Rome." Similar signs are on police cars.

### Nazis Forbidden to Enter

At the Quirinale, a large sign in German warns Nazi soldiers they

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### Air Success Behind Ship Output Cut

### Negation of Italian Fleet Also Appears Factor Behind Navy Cut Destroyer Escorts.

Washington, Oct. 7.—(AP)—Success of U. S. airplane in the war on U-boats and negation of the Italian fleet appeared today to be the prime factors behind the Navy decision to cut down its planned production of destroyer-escorts (DE). The curtailment will amount to about 20 per cent of the long-range "DE" program, and will be accompanied by a prompt increase in the building of landing craft used in invasion tactics.

Additional cuts in destroyer-escorts may be forthcoming later, along with curtailments in construction schedules for the less formidable corvettes.

The bulk of the cancellations will be on the Pacific coast, presumably in recognition of the

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## Army Losses In 4 Weeks Total 8,307

### Only 511 Now Listed As Killed in Action Since Landings at Sa- lerno Beaches Began.

Washington, Oct. 7.—(AP)—Secretary Stimson reported today that Army casualties during the four weeks since bitterly-contested landings began at Salerno, Italy, total 8,307, of whom only 511 now are listed as killed in action.

The war secretary told his press conference that 5,428 American soldiers have been wounded in the campaign on the Italian mainland, and 2,358 are missing.

"I understand," Stimson said, "that this is somewhat greater than the total casualties suffered by the British components of the 5th Army."

At the time of the initial landings in the Bay of Salerno, the secretary said, the 5th Army under Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark was composed almost equally of American and British troops, but subsequent reinforcements have been largely American.

### Outstanding Event of Week

The 5th Army's capture of Naples was the outstanding event of the war during the last week, Stimson said, and engineers now are working day and night to clear the harbor with greater prospects of

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## Vinson's Plea Seen in Vain

### Additional Taxes "Mini- mum Requirement" to Head Off Inflation.

Washington, Oct. 7.—(AP)—A warning that inflation threatens the nation, voiced by Economic Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson, failed today to kindle congressional enthusiasm for the administration's \$10,500,000,000 new tax program.

Vinson pleaded apparently in vain for the program before the House Ways and Means committee, declaring that the additional taxes were "a minimum requirement" to head off inflation and bring in needed wartime revenue.

### Opposition Unabated

However, the bi-partisan opposition to so large a tax increase continued unabated and leading members of the Ways and Means group indicated that "a bill would be drawn for a sharply reduced figure, probably nearer \$5,000,000,000."

Vinson testified yesterday that the "threat of inflation was a grave" menacing the value of government bonds and savings. "Our insurance policies and our homes."

### To Appear Again Today

The additional taxes, he said, are needed to siphon off a part of the \$136,000,000,000 in purchasing power which in 1944 will be bid-

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### Battle for Rome Begins With Powerful Ger- man Onslaught Along Adriatic; Destroyers Bring Naval Artillery To Aid of Montgom- ery; Pound Railway And Military Targets.

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The Battle for Rome has begun with the Germans launching powerful infantry and armored attacks in the Termoli area along the Adriatic where the Eighth Army of Gen. Sir

B-E-F-N-A-R-D L. Montgomery stands 130 miles east and slightly north of the capital city. Official announcements at Allied headquarters today said the Germans had shifted an entire armored division from the west side of the peninsula and thrown it into an onslaught against Montgomery's forces.

### Reinforced for Showdown

General Montgomery's troops also have been reinforced for the showdown fight, and have beaten off the attacking German units. Eisenhower's communique announced.

Two British destroyers brought Naval artillery to the aid of Montgomery, driving boldly into the narrow Adriatic and pounding railway and enemy military targets to the northwest of Termoli, countering and dislocating the German attack just as Naval forces were poised to assist in the offensive against Naples.

The northwest African Air Forces also were intensely active over General Montgomery's front for the first time in weeks.

Both R.A.F. and American fighter planes swept the skies from Termoli as far as Pescara on the Adriatic, and inland as far as Alfedena, halfway to Rome on the Termoli-Rome highway.

While fresh German tank units hastened to oppose the Eighth Army's flanking threat, the Germans rushed the task of fortifying the Volturno river 20 miles north of Naples. General Dwight D. Eisenhower's Fifth Army which reported dogged progress

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## Flashes!

### Fourth Term Endorsed Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 7.—(AP)—The CIO United Automobile Workers conditionally endorsed a fourth term for President Roosevelt and the re-election of Vice-President Wallace today after a minority report of the convention's constitution committee recommending unqualified support of the nation's chief executive was withdrawn. A majority report was adopted at the UAW's 48th annual convention which conditioned the endorsement on "the basis of an aggressive effort" by President Roosevelt and his administration to achieve a "sound and progressive" program.

### Germans Looting Rome

London, Oct. 7.—(AP)—The London Daily Herald, quoting a Madrid dispatch, said yesterday that the Germans were looting Rome on a wholesale scale, carrying off paintings, manuscripts and art treasures to their headquarters. The Spanish dispatch said also that Pope Pius XII had sent secret documents to his papal nuncios to be opened if the Germans imprisoned him.

### Spy Given 30 Years

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 7.—(AP)—Niels Christensen, German leader of a spy ring which sent radio information from Brazil direct to Germany, was sentenced to 30 years imprisonment today by the National Security tribunal. Christensen was convicted of acting against the national security. He had been linked with a broadcast station which transmitted ship departures and routings, including that of the Queen Mary, which barely averted disaster a year ago.

### French Situation Worse

Madrid, Oct. 7.—(AP)—A French domestic situation growing rapidly worse, with bread blacker than ever, less meat than before, no coal at all, soaring prices and increasing attacks by "strange marauders in the mountains" was pictured today by Paris correspondents. Border reports said that increased French underground activity had forced the Vichy government to rush reinforcements to Saint-Flour in a previous expedition sent against French guerrillas who defeated with heavy casualties.

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