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of liberation have convinced the great majority of Filipinos that they do not want independence for many years yet. Commonwealth officials candidly say in private that they have searched

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trustfully for a face-saving method of postponing it.

But the government of President Sergio Osmeña is committed to the 1935 independence act and subsequent agreements which call for full freedom by July 4, 1946, at the latest. President Osmeña furthermore felt obliged to respect the public wish that it might be granted on August 11, 1945, the anniversary of the first American entry into the islands. He was yielding to the influence of a pressure group of some 20,000, whose demand is immediate

independence. No other call for this status has arisen within the islands.

The United States, on the other hand, cannot ignore its pledge, without at least a responsible position from the islands. To take the initiative in postponing freedom would sabotage completely American international prestige, particularly in Asia where Japanese political warfare is still extremely active.

All Filipino leaders of sufficient stature to make a post-independence position stick are aligned with the Osmeña government and therefore technically planned to its commitments.

This impasse means an uncertain future. Under independence agreements, the United States could negotiate to retain Naval, Air and Army bases in the islands. The Filipinos privately hope that the present arrangement will continue. While the commonwealth government possesses full civil rights, the United States Army at present is handling policing, public health and similar essentially administrative jobs. The Army also is supplying considerable food to the weakened populace.

Commonwealth officials fear the possibility of disorders if Ameri-

Miners Win Wage Raise; Pits Seized

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John L. Lewis abandoned his 10-cent-a-day royalty demand. Already, Interior Secretary Ickes had stepped into the fourth war-time role as mine operator, ordering the American flag flown over every tipple made idle by a 10-day series of wildcat strikes that cut deep into steel production. The number seized, however, was fewer than seven percent of the nation's 5,475 soft coal mines, most of which have continued operations.

The break in the long-stalemate contract talks came hours after dark with an announcement from Conference Chairman Ezra Van Horn, an operator, that an agreement had been reached. He said only that the mine-operator conferees would meet at 3:30 p. m. (e. w. t.) today to approve the agreement. It then must be viewed by the War Labor Board and Economic Stabilizer William H. Davis.

In addition to the basic daily wage concession, the new pact, as far as could be learned, also called for:

1. A \$75 vacation payment, representing a compromise between Lewis' demand of \$100 and the present \$50.
2. Termination in one year instead of on 20 days' notice as Lewis proposed.
3. Bringing into UMWA membership all except three supervisory employees at each mine. Lewis had asked all two.
4. Reported that the \$1.30 average daily increase will result from an agreement on a seven-hour day with time and a half for all additional time spent underground except for a 15-minute lunch period. Overtime now starts after the eighth productive hour in one day and the 40th productive hour in Peru, Indiana.

Not Retiring Type

Seattle - (AP) - Wetlain Holbrook, assistant U. S. regional director in Alaska, who has been watching over Alaska's forest and wild life, is not that retiring type. He retires April 30, and for the celebration, Wetlain and his wife will build a boat and make a 1,500-mile trip down the Yukon river.

Priority Jam Seen Broken

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be placed on more critically needed items.

Priority increases will be leveled off for 75 and 105 mm. high explosive shells, M-21 boosters, and M-48, M-51 and M-54 fuses. Lesser reductions are planned for 41 and 51 mm. mortar shells. This lifting of pressure on the country's manpower and material resources follows similar cuts in the past.

It is threatening the production of munitions and war equipment just when our armies need our full support to win victory in Europe. . . . Every ounce of production strength must be used to reduce the threatening cost deficit of 40,000,000 tons.

Ickes ordered the seized mines to open for work tomorrow morning, designated executive heads of the mining companies as Federal operating managers and instructed the managers to raise the American flag over their pits. He called on the mine workers to return to their jobs and keep coal moving to war factories. President Roosevelt called on the miners to continue at work under a 30-day extension of their expired contract.

The wildcat strikes began immediately after the Easter Sunday and eight-hour day holiday, April 7 and 2, despite Lewis' instructions to the miners to continue at work under a 30-day extension of their expired contract.

Previously the miners had voted overwhelmingly in favor of the strike. The results in daily demands, presented to the operators March 1.

In Wrong State

Peru, Ill. - (AP) - A truck driver made the 100 mile trip from Chicago with a heavily-loaded vehicle, and spent several hours hunting for the terminal on Kelly avenue. Finally he asked police help. A check of his bill of lading showed he should have gone to Peru, Indiana.

Local Soldier Is Promoted

Pat Deyorio Is Now a Second Lieutenant in the Philippines.

Mrs. Dominick Deyorio of 109 Spruce street received word today that her son, Pat Deyorio has been promoted from Second Sergeant to Second Lieutenant in the Philippines.

Pat Deyorio was a member of the local National Guard unit and has been overseas for more than 30 months. He has been in the service more than four years, and was wounded in action on Luzon, Philippines.

He was employed at the Popular Market before entering service. He has a younger brother, Private Louis Deyorio in the Army under going basic training at Camp Standing, Florida. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Deyorio.

May Postpone Some Stands

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altering of treaties. Even under the Vandenberg proposal, all the proposed countries could do would be to make recommendations. But recommendations made by a majority of the council members would carry a weight of world public opinion that hardly could be ignored by the countries involved. Thus there may be foreign objections to letting the council go even that far.

Most of Vandenberg's other amendments deal with insertion of the word "justice" at certain points in the basic pattern on which the American delegation is working. These insertions have been approved tentatively.

French demands that room be made within the proposed league's structure for two-country pacts, such as the recent Soviet-French treaty, also have been discussed by the American delegation. The French apparently feel that since they are in the front-line danger zone of possible future European aggression, they should be allowed to bring security machinery to function immediately without waiting for possible cumbersome international machinery to function. Somewhat similarly the American delegation does not favor the Monroe doctrine of hemisphere defense to be lost in the shuffle of arrangements for international security.

Hitler's Death Report Denied

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Its information, the news agency's diplomatic correspondent said he had been authoritatively informed that there were good reasons to believe that Hitler already was being superseded by Himmler.

Foreigners who have been in the closest touch with Germany are convinced that Hitler is a "dying man," the correspondent added.

The Foreign Office said it was operating on the theory that Hitler still was in control, with Himmler in command of defense forces. One spokesman said: "Nothing definite had been received of a split among Nazi leaders." "If Hitler's condition, he said, all kinds of reports are heard—that he is dying, insane or even dead and "any one of them may be true, but probably most of them are."

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maintained after the preliminary air bombing.

Tanks Give Close Support

Tanks gave close support yesterday as infantry moved on into Lago, Fuziguan, and Cotiguala, reaching the Lago canal. More than 700 heavy bombers swooped over the region again yesterday, dropping more than 1,700 tons of fragmentation bombs on enemy lines and gun posts west of Lago. Difficult terrain lies ahead. It is an even 700 thousand yards by river or a canal virtually the entire distance to Bologna.

On the west coast, the Fifth Army was advancing on a front five and one-half miles wide against stiff resistance.

Push Across Frigidia River

Massa was captured by the 42nd Infantry regiment, composed of Japanese-American troops, and the 47th regiment of the 92nd Infantry division, a Negro unit. Part of the 47th pushed across the Frigidia river.

Units of the 42nd cleared the village of Parano, two miles northeast of Massa, and advanced toward the marble-quarrying center of Carrara.

At the head of the Adriatic, the British Naval craft intercepted and destroyed two of them with torpedoes. Six enemy planes were shot down yesterday and nine Allied aircraft failed to return.

Wheeler Hurls New Barrage Against OPA

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tended OPA had all the evidence it needed against the gang in question without working with Brundidge.

Questioned by Wheeler as to what was done with the gang, Emerson said the leader was sentenced to a year and a day in jail and fined \$10,000 while the others got fines and suspended sentences. Wheeler said that the black marketeers who were indicted today in Baltimore or who will be indicted tomorrow in a \$2,000,000 black market operation are the same characters with whom Mr. Brundidge did business two years ago and could have been nailed long ago and permanently instead of letting them loose and wild for two full years.

Talk About "House Cleaning"

Some senators talked of recommending a "house cleaning" in OPA.

Wheeler told reporters that unless OPA changes its policies they ought to start at the top and go down to the bottom with a clean-up. Similarly, Chairman Thomas (D., Okla.), said he thought the best way to correct

Simsbury Pastor Dies

Simsbury, April 11. - (AP) - Funeral services for the Rev. E. Knox Mitchell, pastor of the First Congregational church, who died in Hartford yesterday, will be conducted Thursday from his church with the Rev. James W. Foglia, superintendent of the Connecticut Council of Congregational Christian Churches officiating. The Rev. Mitchell, a veteran of World War I, had been pastor here since 1928. He leaves besides his widow, a son, a daughter and a sister, the Rev. Frederick Mitchell, pastor of the Congregational church in Keene Valley, N. Y.

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Admitted today: Ann Burr, 102 Adelphi street; Thomas Poole, 21 Corville lane; William Stewart, 527 Adams street; Donald Watson, 133 Lehigh street.

Discharged yesterday: Mrs. Caroline Larpard, Wilmanite; Mrs. Edger Smith, 108 Belden street; 2. Grove street; Mrs. Mary Gray, Penn street; Shava and Meyer Bucklander, 146 Porter street.

Discharged today: Stanislaw Kosner, 105 Eldridge street; Mrs. Anna Wanager, Rockville; John Cavagnoli, 108 Belden street; Eleanor Giandakowski, 48 Grandview street; Mrs. Stanley Nichols and son, 144 Center street; Mrs. Stanley Gollmitzer and son, 28 Willard street.

Birth today: A son to Mr. and Mrs. George Bader, 62 Hill street.

Family Sleeps Soundly

Peoria, Ill. - (AP) - The Alex Podar family sleeps soundly. While they sleep burglars ransacked the refrigerator, took a package of cigarettes from Podar's clothing, and carried a heavy radio through the house and out the back door. The Podars slept one

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The pool, if completed at that time, will also be used by the girls that are to be brought here from Pennsylvania to work on tobacco. They will be housed at the Y. M. C. A.

Airmen Swarm Over Germany

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months by the Allies and now virtually grounded for lack of oil, the enemy air force was given its worst blow of the war yesterday when American fighters destroyed 403 of its planes and damaged countless others.

In the last four days 61 German air fields have been bombed and strafed and at least 700 enemy planes destroyed.

Setting up several new records, the Americans yesterday knocked out 236 German aircraft on the ground and shot down 150 in the air on 26 or more enemy fields. The cost to the U. S. Eighth and Ninth Air Forces was 25 heavy bombers and 15 fighters.

The air assault raged on into yesterday and last night with unrelenting fury. British heavy bombers attacked military yards at Leipzig and at Plauen, some 90 miles to the south. Mosquito bombers again hit Berlin.

British losses were 13 bombers and two fighters.

Thirty-five of the German planes downed yesterday's aerial combat were destroyed by American fighters—the latest bag for a single day. Bombers dumped 2,000 tons of explosives on enemy air bases and destroyed 100 jet planes being guarded in the area.

Pilot planes accounted for the bulk of the enemy toll; bomber groups knocked down 17.

Nazis Shown Brutal Work

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ence of Nazi concentration camp management.

A body of one slain worker, almost like a highway sign, points the way to the main entrance of the camp, which lies at the edge of this pleasant town. The presumption was he attempted to flee and didn't make it.

Most of the bodies lying scattered in the open have bullet holes in the back of the head. In one spot the victims were apparently made to kneel in a 40-foot circle, and were killed by an executioner who walked behind them.

One survivor said the executioner was an SS medical major.

4,700 internees killed.

One Russian survivor asserted that 4,700 internees were killed or died of maltreatment in the camp.

Local Sportmen Paid Over \$5,000

Manchester sportmen last year paid to the State Fish and Game Commission over \$5,000 in fees collected for licenses and stamps. The commission for the first four months of April last year alone paid to the state commission \$4,747. With this amount of money turned in by Manchester alone, the state for assistance in stocking local ponds.

Your GI Rights

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON VETERANS' PROBLEMS

By Douglas Larson
NEA Staff Correspondent
Washington—Here are some additional rights for veterans under consideration by Congress and Veterans' Administration:

Congress has been asked to extend the Emergency Maternity and Infant Care program now available to wives of soldiers to include wives of veterans, widows of service men, and infants born after the father's death. A woman whose husband is killed in action and whose application cannot get these benefits. An infant born under the program cannot get infant care if the father has left the service before his birth.

Veterans of Foreign Wars are protesting the fact that veterans' compensations and pensions are considerably reduced during periods of hospitalization in Government hospitals. VFW spokesmen say this has resulted in many veterans leaving Veterans' Administration hospitals against medical advice.

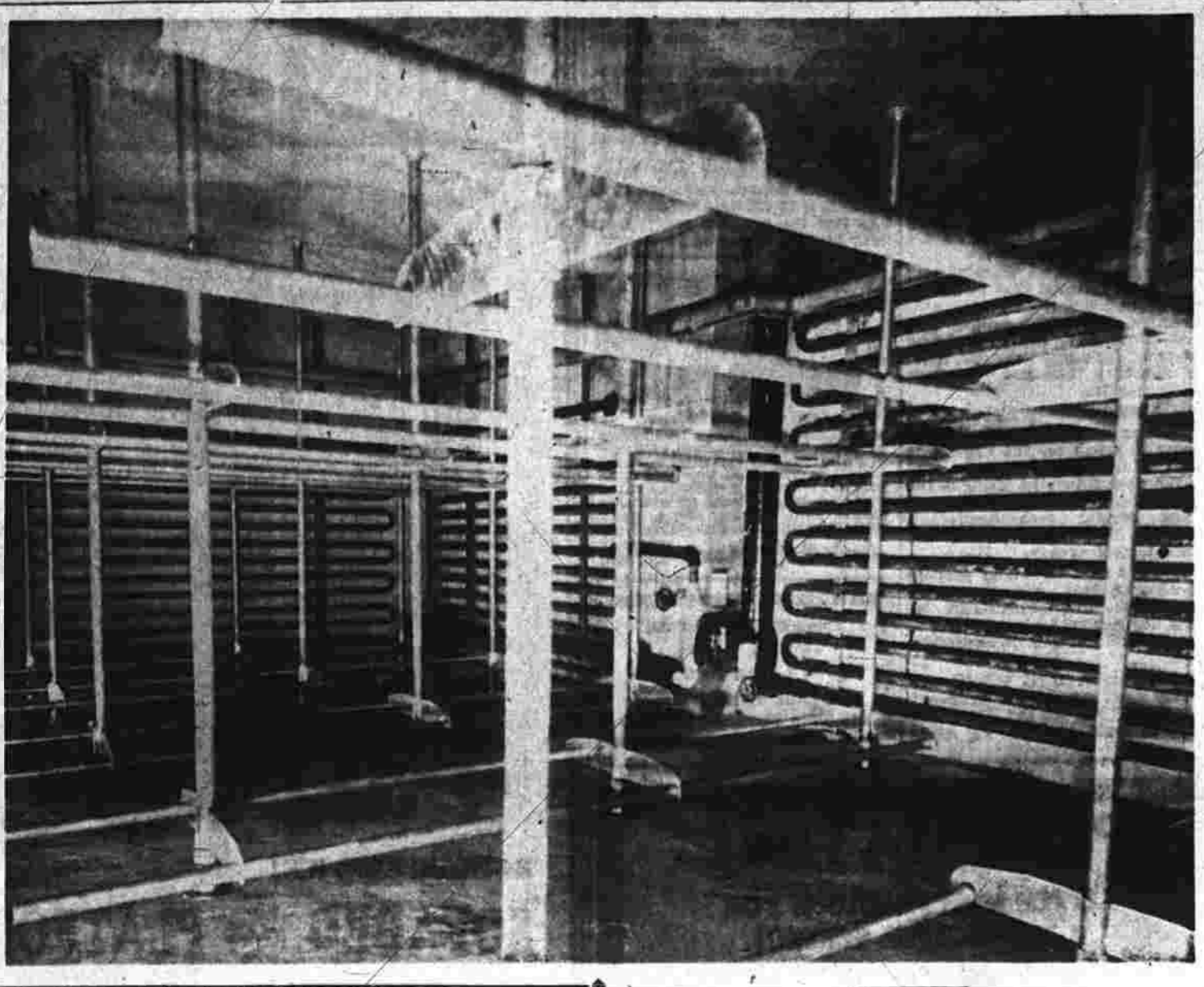
National Service Life Insurance policies taken out by soldiers in World War II will expire in 1945. Congress is now studying the possibilities of extending that time through the duration of the war. This would save millions of men the task of converting their policies. It is argued that families covered by the insurance are entitled full protection as long as the threat of death or disability faces the policy holder.

A bill to provide dependency allowances for all service-disabled veterans with families to support is now being considered by Congress. At present, compensation for permanent service-disabled disability is based entirely upon the disability itself, regardless of how many people depend on the veteran for support.

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Partial View of Hale's Enlarged Fur Storage Vault



Is Promoted To Lieutenant

Harley Newcomb, of North End Was First Sergeant in Army.

Word was received today of the promotion of Harley Newcomb from First Sergeant to Second Lieutenant in the Philippines. Lt. Newcomb was a member of the local National Guard unit for several years prior to Selective Service and left Manchester with the company when they were Federalized more than four years ago.

He has been overseas more than 30 months and has taken an active part in several of the "major campaigns" in the South Pacific area. He was formerly employed at the Manchester Country Club.

Lt. Newcomb is the son of Mrs. Mabel Newcomb, 30 North School street. He has two other brothers in the service, Sergeant Walter in the Philippines, and Staff Sergeant Roland in Germany, both in the Army. A third brother, Daniel has been honorably discharged.

Way to Relieve Itchy Pimples

When your skin is irritated with pimples, red blotches and other skin blemishes, and you're crazy with itching tortures, here's quick relief. Get a 35c box of Peterson's Ointment at your druggist and apply this delightful soothing balm. Itching relieved promptly. Smearing soothing. Your skin looks better, feels better. Also wonderful for itching of feet, cracks between toes. Try it!

Actress Escapes Injury

Hollywood, April 11.—When Actress Trudy Marshall's flimsy gown was ignited by a faulty electric switch yesterday on a movie set, a studio worker, Monroe Liebold, beat out the flames with his hands. He suffered minor burns but Miss Marshall was not injured. She was working in a film with Betty Grable and John Payne.

Most of them in recent weeks

American officers regarded that figure as high, but estimated that 4,100 to 4,700 was conservative. The SS tried to evacuate as many internees as possible when American armored columns made their swift approach, but there was little transport and great confusion, survivors said. Those killed were the ones who had to be left behind, many of them sick.

The camp, known only as Nord Lager of Ohrdruf, was understood to have taken the overflow of internees from the notorious Buchenwald concentration camp.

Most of the bodies lying scattered in the open have bullet holes in the back of the head. In one spot the victims were apparently made to kneel in a 40-foot circle, and were killed by an executioner who walked behind them.

One survivor said the executioner was an SS medical major.

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One Russian survivor asserted that 4,700 internees were killed or died of maltreatment in the camp.

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When you get on or off a bus or trolley, watch your step!



Farms to Get Break On Power Extensions

Will Be Federal Funds After War to Bring Electricity to Homes; More Money Sought.

By James Marlow
Washington, April 11.—You can be sure there'll be Federal funds after the war to bring electricity to farm homes. The administration wants it that way. Practically everyone in Congress believes it's a good idea.

Electrification of the farm country—with government help—has been going on since 1938 when Congress created the Rural Electrification Administration.

Since that time REA has spent \$410,000,000 on getting electricity into rural areas.

There's a bill in Congress to give REA \$550,000,000 to spend on the same kind of program between now and 1948.

Three General Ways

There are three general ways in which the program works:

1. A group of farm people, wanting electricity, get together from a cooperative and borrow the money from REA to pay for the power lines that will bring electricity to their homes. Most of the REA program is with cooperatives.
2. Or a city borrows money from REA to extend electric power lines into farm areas.
3. Or a private company, a utility, borrows money from REA to extend the same lines.

Some of the borrowers may have to pay 25 years to pay the loan.

So, when the loan is paid back, a farm cooperative will have paid off the cost of setting up the power lines.

From then on—unless they have their own power plants, which few have—the farmers in the cooperative need only pay some nearby power company for the electricity actually used.

Slowly Being Electrified

In the meantime America slowly is being electrified. Light and heat for the home, electricity for the farm equipment.

Since 1938 there have been 904 borrowers from the REA. Of that total \$31 were cooperatives. The rest were 54 public agencies, like city governments, and 19 utility companies.

That represents electricity brought to 1,233,000 rural establishments—like farm homes, non-farm homes, country stores—and serving about five million people.

REA estimates that an additional 2,000,000 rural establishments—representing perhaps 13 million people—can be electrified.

The war, with its various short-ages, has cut into REA work. But about 10,000 men are getting electricity through REA loans.

This number will be greatly stepped up after the war.

Only One Bad Loan

So far, REA says, only one borrower—a utility company—fell down on its obligations to REA and had to be foreclosed.

Which means that the REA has been nearly 100 per cent successful in the loans it has made.

When REA started the cost of stretching the power lines averaged about \$1,800 a mile. It has been reduced to somewhere between \$800 and \$1,000.

But all this doesn't mean there won't be a fight over REA. There probably will be.

Senator Shipstead (R., Minn.), wants REA taken out of the Department of Agriculture—where it is now—and made an independent agency.

Senator Wheeler (D., Mont.), and Senator Aiken (R., Va.), back Shipstead on this. But the administration wants the REA to stay right where it is: Under Agriculture's wing.

Problem of Administrator

And there is the problem of choosing an administrator for

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The amount of work above mentioned is approximately only.

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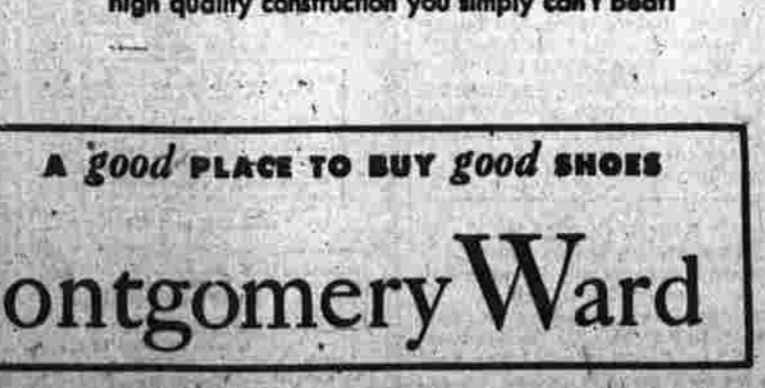
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White Paper Napkins, per pkg. 6c
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Auto Tire Patch Kits, 18 sq. in. material 7c
Poultry Drinking Fountains, 2 gal. 85c
Archery Sets, 6 arrows, bow, equip. \$3.57
Bike Tires, 26" size \$1.58
Soilax, famous cleaner 17c
Vigoro, garden fertilizer, 5 lbs. 45c
Screen Door Hinge Sets 20c
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Wednesday, April 11
Nazism Seeks Future Life
The fate of Germany grows more terrible by the hour, as it becomes more and more clear that Hitler and his Nazi gang are succeeding only too well in their effort to stage a Sanson-like finish to their own careers. Never before in the so-called civilized history of the world has there been such a will to wanton destruction, such a fanatical capacity for wreckage and ruin.

Tribe Chooses Trial by Jury
Tommaselli, Lewis and McCarthy Enter Innocent Pleas.
Hartford, April 11.—(AP)—Arthur Tommaselli of New Haven, Raymond Lewis of Berlin and James J. McCarthy of Danbury will face trial before a jury on first degree murder charges during the present term of the Superior court. State Attorney Hugh M. Alcorn, Jr. announced last night.

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Open Forum
Editor, The Evening Herald:
There are in the United States today an estimated 25 million alcoholics. This group does not include the social drinker. Every one of these alcoholics is living a miserable life, despite the fact that they are happy and healthy.

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College Loses Degree Rights
Hartford, April 11.—(AP)—The State Board of Education has notified Beecher College in New Haven that its authority to grant the B. A. degree is being withdrawn as of June 30.

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Cross Hopeful On Prosperity
Says Yankee Ingenuity Will Prevail in Consequent After War.
Hartford, April 11.—(AP)—Celebrating his 83rd birthday here yesterday in the manner inaugurated last year, the former Governor of Connecticut, Walter Dill Scott, told the friends who had gathered to celebrate his birthday that he had unbounded faith that Connecticut's post-war days will be abundant in prosperity.

Measles Cases Show Increase
Hartford, April 11.—(AP)—Measles, with 147 new cases for the week ending April 9, increased by 80 new cases over the previous week's total, the State Board of Health has reported. Hartford county, with 133 new cases, was the state leader.

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