

British Leaders Resist Ill-Timed 2nd Front Demand

LONDON, May 21—(AP)—Bombing Germany is the best way of assisting Russia "until such times as we are able to make a carefully planned attack upon the continent of Europe, which we intend to do it," Sir Stafford Cripps told the house of commons yesterday.

Answering criticism in the second day of a war debate in which Prime Minister Churchill is not participating, Sir Stafford, who is the government leader in the house, declared the government was ready to face a vote of confidence if "any substantial body of members" desired it.

Leslie Hore-Belisha, former war secretary and a sharp critic of Britain's war leadership, urged establishment of a separate ministry of defense, which now is under Churchill.

"The war cabinet desire to have the advice of a first-class defense minister, and there is no one with wider and longer experience of defense problems than the Prime Minister," replied Sir Stafford, who is government leader in the house.

Around the County

Lookingglass

LOOKINGGLASS, May 19.—Mrs. Roy J. Smith, nee Grace Montgomery, and small daughter, Nancy Glenn, were visitors in the valley last week at the home of Mrs. Smith's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Nigel B. LeClere and children, Raoul and Yvonne, of Portland returned to their home on Monday evening following a week's visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. May LeClere.

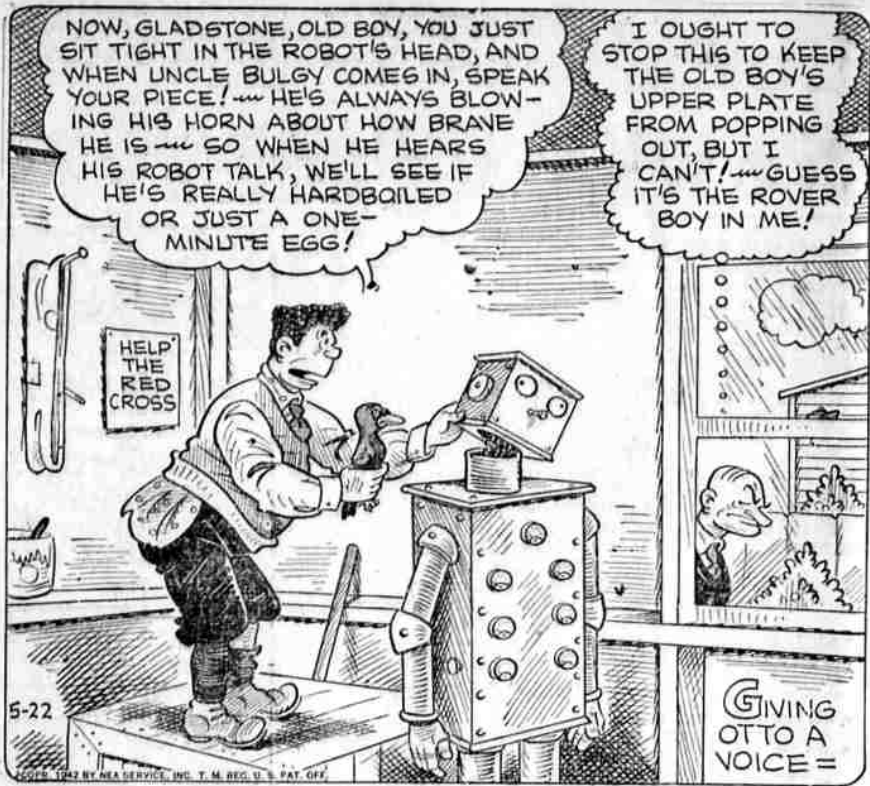
Dorsal Spriggs spent the weekend in Eugene visiting his brother, David, who is studying at a trades school in that city.

Miss Olive Warrington of Oregon State college accompanied Clare Meredith on a visit to the home folk last week-end.

Miss Alice Bostick of Roseburg was a guest over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Meredith.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buell that their

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son, Leonard, is now stationed with the forces in India.

Among the young folk away at school and at work who were home for Mother's day were Raymond Buell of Monmouth, who visited his parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buell; Miss Luella Crow of Westfir, who visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Crow, and Ira Howard, of Eugene, who spent the time with his father, Charley Howard, and grandmother, Mrs. I. B. Howard.

Mrs. P. Peterson (Faye Morgan), of San Francisco is visiting at the home of her father, Tom Morgan, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Paulson.

Mrs. W. J. Meredith and Mrs. Arthur Marsh, accompanied by Miss Helen Wooden spent Saturday and Sunday at Corvallis where Mrs. Meredith and Mrs. Marsh attended the Mother's day events as guests of their sons, Clarence and George.

Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery and children, Marda Jean, Jackie and Hugh Rice, spent the week-end in Corvallis with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Mack and with Mr. Montgomery's father, R. B. Montgomery, and sisters, Mrs. Roy J. Smith and Mrs. Ned Gurney, who live in Albany.

The annual clean-up day at the cemetery has been announced for Wednesday, May 27. A potluck dinner will be served at noon.

Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, May 29. The senior class includes the Misses Maxine Buell, Eunice Craft, Constance Elliott and Iona Hodges, Mrs. Betty Fortune, Lee Redding and Wayne Swan. Kenneth Andrus will also receive his

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diploma, having completed the required number of subjects in three years and expects to fulfill requirements by the close of the final term. The baccalaureate sermon will be given on Sunday evening, May 24, by Miss Kathryn Montgomery and the services will be held in the local church.

Jack Carr of Anchorage, Alaska, visited friends here the first of the week. Mr. Carr's daughter, Jacqueline Carr, came from Alaska several weeks ago to stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Logsdon and son, Allen, who visited relatives here for several days, left Wednesday to return to their home near Lakeview.

Mrs. Elva Kellar returned to her home in Colorado this week after spending the past month here with her mother, Mrs. Mary Aspy.

The local sugar rationing board reports that 559 certificates were issued to residents of this community during the registration last week.

Cadet Phil Fogus, who is stationed with the U. S. army at Stockton, Calif., was called home Monday by the illness of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Fogus.

Mrs. Kenneth Busby and two daughters of Glendale, Calif., are guests at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Crow, Mrs. Busby was formerly Miss Marvel Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Logsdon received word Friday of the birth of a son to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Johnson, at Vancouver, Wash.

Mildred and George Hamlin entertained a group of high school students at their home recently. The group enjoyed games, music and an old-time taffy pull.

Mr. Fisher and his sister, Mrs. Effie Edkins, are visiting friends at Azalea for a few days this week.

Future Craftsmen Are Annual Banquet Hosts

The fifteenth annual employer-employee banquet sponsored by the Roseburg high school Future Craftsmen was held last night at the Umpqua hotel. The Future Craftsmen are vocational students, who secure apprentice training through part-time work in Roseburg business houses. Each year they entertain their employers with a banquet program.

At last night's banquet, the program was opened by the officers of the craftsmen's organizations, with Charles Pratt serving as master of ceremonies. Employers and students participating in the program which followed included Lester Nelson, Earl Karlinger, students, Marshall Pengra, Bruce Melis and Tom Parkinson, employers. A vocal duet by Jim Hess and Ruth Snoddy was a musical feature.

Mrs. W. Victor and two grandchildren left Friday for Salem, points in Washington and Idaho. Mrs. Victor will be gone a month.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wells and family have moved to Sweet Home, where they will be near Mr. Wells' work.

Miss Mabel Kingery of Portland spent the weekend here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arthurs of Spokane, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Osterhout of Portland, Mrs. Ruby Winters of Gates, Ore., spent the weekend here visiting at the George Edes home.

Mrs. Clyde Latson spent Wednesday in Eugene visiting friends.

Mrs. Fred Setton and Mrs. Walter Lannay transacted business in Eugene Monday.

Riddle
RIDDLE, May 21—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Crow of Roseburg spent last week-end with Mr. Crow's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Crow.

Mrs. F. H. Fogus, who has been quite ill at her home here, was taken to Morcy hospital Sunday for medical treatment. Her condition is slightly improved.

Miss Lillian Logsdon spent last week-end visiting friends at Yreka, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickens of Salem visited with their daughter, Mrs. Ab Matthews, and family last week.

Gordon Frazee, assistant in the

All Sees Chance For Allied Victory Earlier This Year

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull indicated yesterday he saw some grounds for hope that victory for the United Nations might come sooner than had been expected earlier this year.

He was asked at his press conference whether developments in recent weeks on the home and foreign fronts encouraged him to believe in an earlier victory. In reply he pointed out that the powers and facilities of the United States have been developing on a more and more massive scale, operations but for outright offensive war.

It was only natural, he suggested, that calculations as to the duration of the war should be made in the light of those facts.

In reply to other questions, Hull said the work of immobilizing French warships at Martinique still was going on, but that the task of removing fuel oil from the vessels had been completed. This, he said, made it impossible for the vessels to put to sea, but left enough oil to operate their electric lighting systems and other minor installations.

Jimmy Roosevelt To Be Promoted to Major

WASHINGTON, May 21—(AP)—Captain James Roosevelt, son of the president and who once held a lieutenant colonel's commission in the marines, has been selected for temporary promotion to major, the marine corps disclosed today in announcing the names of

310 captains chosen for advancement.

The list also includes the names of 11 officers who are now believed to be prisoners of war. Among them are Captains Frank Cunningham Tharin of Washington, D. C., and Herbert C. Freuler of Orinda, Calif.

Both Tharin and Freuler were pilots of the gallant marine aviation squadron at Wake Island. Tharin shared credit with Captain Henry T. Elrod for sinking a Japanese light cruiser.

Employees Denied Upped Allowance for Mileage

SALEM, May 21—(AP)—A proposal that state employees using their private automobiles on state business have their mileage allowances increased was rejected today by the state board of control, which said it wished to curtail the use of such cars.

The employees now are paid 4 cents a mile, and several departments wanted it increased to 5

cents. Budget Director George Aiken recommended that the figure be set at 5 cents a mile for the first 1000 miles, and 4 cents a mile thereafter.

Aiken said the increase should be granted because the employees are wearing out their tires working for the state.

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Baking Chocolate	Red & White 1/2-Lb. Pkg.	15c
CAKE FLOUR	Red & White Large Pkg.	25c

SHREDDED WHEAT	2 pkgs.	23c
TOMATO SOUP	No. 1 tins, 3 for	25c
SHORTENING	3-lb. tins	73c
COCOANUT	8-oz. cello	19c
CHEEZ-IT	Large	10c
COFFEE	1-lb. tin	33c
COFFEE	2-lb. tin	65c
COFFEE	1-lb. bag	27c
SALAD DRESSING	Pint	27c
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