

'God Is My Co-Pilot' Opens at Liberty

Out of the red sky above China, out of the clouds that inevitably shelter a waiting enemy plane, comes the roaring story of Col. Robert Lee Scott, Jr., and his Flying Tigers. "God Is My Co-Pilot," which is now showing at the Liberty theater starring Dennis Morgan and featuring Dana Clark, Raymond Massey, Andrea King and Alan Hale, is the saga of those men and of their inspiring, incomparable courage.

"God Is My Co-Pilot" is the roaring story of the birdman who fought for the freedom of China in her skies long before the United States turned its mind toward war. With Dennis Morgan as Scott and Raymond Massey as General Claire Chennault, the film is Colonel Scott's own life story laid against the legendary backdrop of the activities of Chennault's Flying Tigers, the men of the Curtiss P-40s.

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MacArthur Sets Up Sweeping Rules To Govern Japan

TOKYO, Oct. 4 (UP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur today ordered the Japanese government to oust its home minister, remove every police chief in the country, free more than 3,000 political prisoners and restore civil liberties.

MacArthur also demanded that the government abolish its notorious "thought police" and all other secret police, including those in the home and justice ministries.

He ordered the removal of all restrictions on political, civil and religious liberties and an end to all discrimination on grounds of race, nationality, creed or political opinion.

All persons jailed under those laws or held on technical minor charges because of their thoughts, or religious and political beliefs must be released by next Wednesday, MacArthur said.

Among those ordered freed were three communist leaders who told the United Press in an interview Emperor Hirohito must go "by execution, exile or retirement," before Japan can fulfill the allied peace terms.

3 Soldiers Get 10 Years for Murder Of Two Japanese

TOKYO, Oct. 4 (UP)—Three American army sergeants today were sentenced to dishonorable discharges and 10 years at hard labor for the killing of two Japanese civilians following their conviction of manslaughter by a general court martial.

The verdict announced by 1st cavalry division was reached after two days of testimony in the hearing. The trio had been charged with first degree murder, the first against a member of the occupation forces since Japan's surrender.

Trial Judge Capt. Anthony Constantino, Dunkirk, N. Y., accused the men of killing Katsuzi Tanaka and his 16-year-old son, Osamu Tanaka, following a saki drinking party at the Tanaka home in Yokohama after they had gone AWOL from a nearby camp.

The men all joined the famed first cavalry division after the war end, officers said.

They were:
Sgt. Ray J. O'Soark, 25, Los Angeles, and formerly of Kansas City.

Sgt. Sherman E. Huffman, 19, Pittsfield, Ill.

Sgt. John Nimits, 24, Willmore, Pa.

Planes Drop Food To Americans in Kunming Fighting

CHUNGKING, Oct. 4 (UP)—Five liaison planes today dropped emergency rations to American troops and Red Cross girls trapped in Kunming's western suburbs between warring Chinese central government forces and provincial units.

Three American soldiers were wounded yesterday during skirmishing by the two Chinese forces over the dismissal of Gen. Lung Yun, one of China's most powerful war lords.

In an attempt to forestall additional incidents, U. S. headquarters ordered Americans to remain in their barracks unless on official business. Armed guards were ordered to escort all leaving the garrison area.

Unofficial reports said the American Red Cross workers, hostesses at the Kunming club for U. S. troops, were being guarded by armed American soldiers. They and the troops were reported to be the only Americans in the city's "no man's land."

Senator Taylor to Face Support Suit

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4 (UP)—Glenn H. Taylor, Idaho's gullible-playing senator, today faced a \$20,000 non-support suit filed by his former wife, Mrs. Pearl D. Nitzkowski, in behalf of the 20-year-old daughter he hadn't seen since she was nine months old.

Senator Taylor's daughter, Daily News society columnist Olive Taylor, first addressed her father as "sir" yesterday on his arrival in Los Angeles for a political rally.

Mrs. Nitzkowski married Taylor when they were in show business together.

Today We Pay Tribute to—



H. David Nelson, Rd M) e, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace J. Nelson of La Grande, Nelson is a radar operator on a troop transport, and his convoy was the first to sail into Manila harbor after that city was liberated. He has two battle stars for the conflict at Leyte and Okinawa.

He attended Central school and La Grande high school, being graduated with the class of 1944. Induction into the navy in May of that year was followed by training at San Diego and Seattle.

Business Women Of Union Have First Meeting

UNION, Oct. 3 (Special)—Business Women's club held its first meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Ralph Taylor assisted by Mrs. George Ferguson and Miss Mae Shanks served a delicious dinner at 7 o'clock. This was followed by the regular business meeting with Miss Mae Shanks, president presiding. Mrs. George Ferguson, secretary gave a report of the past year's work. Especially interesting was the account of the permanent project of this club, the paper subscription for our boys in service. The club has made possible the sending of the paper to 242 boys for three years. This has been a most commendable project and has had the wholehearted support of the members of this organization. Following the secretary's report was the election of officers for the coming year: Mrs. Olga Smith, president; Mrs. Keith Spray vice-president, and Mrs. L. Z. Terrall, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Carl Moulton went to Pendleton Friday, where she boarded a plane for Washington D. C. Mrs. Moulton will meet her husband there on his arrival from overseas. Carl Moulton had been missing for months and only recently was word received assuring his wife and parents of his safety. Mrs. Moulton was accompanied to Pendleton by Mrs. Tony Smith and Mrs. Keith Spray.

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Mrs. Andy Timpy left Saturday for Portland, she was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ellen Smith and her two nieces, Cadet Nurse Verna and Jeanne Smith of Haines.

Friends in Union are grieved to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. E. E. (Big) Johnson of La Grande, her daughter, Mrs. Charles Rich of Longview is here to be at the bedside of her mother.

Mrs. Willard Miles of Bates was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miles.

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Man Not Indicted In Death of Wife

SALEM, Oct. 4 (UP)—A Marion county grand jury refused to indict Robert Theodore Pullman, a veteran, who was arrested on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon after his young wife died of shotgun wounds. Pullman told investigating officers the gun was fired accidentally as he attempted to take it away from Mrs. Pullman.

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"I'm the widow down the street with two service stars in my window. Besides worrying about my boys overseas, I've somehow got to give my other children the decent, healthy life they deserve. It would be pretty tough if it weren't for my home-town relief agency."

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"I'm a merchant seaman. I've hit some tough ports in my time, but nothing like the ratholes I've seen in the last few years. But just making a port is okay when there's something there to remind me of home. Something like the United Seamen's Service."

Don't turn your back on me.

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