



TRUMAN TO DEDICATE TVA'S NEW KENTUCKY DAM—Huge new \$110,000,000 TVA dam, above, at Gilbertsville on the Tennessee river near Paducah, Ky., serving for navigation, flood control and power production, will be dedicated by President Truman in ceremonies Oct. 10. The dam is capable of impounding 2,000,000-acre feet of flood storage, cutting crests of Mississippi river floods from Cairo southward. The lake creates a channel 184 miles long. Three generator units totaling 96,000 kilowatts are operating. Two more totaling 64,000 kilowatts are under construction.



T Sgt. Olen 'Bud' Herrmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Herrmann, 1411 S street, arrived here Thursday to visit his parents and his wife and child after having spent the last nine months in a Japanese prisoner of war camp or enroute home from the far east. Sergeant Herrmann was taken prisoner Dec. 21 when the B-29 in which he flew was shot down about 40 miles from Mukden, Manchuria. He was liberated by the Russians. After 19 days here he will go to a hospital at Spokane for treatment for beri beri. Sergeant Herrmann holds a group citation. He was on his 12th mission when he was shot down. He had been in the army since October, 1942. His wife is the former Mary Bailey.

T/5 LeRoy Ting of La Grande, formerly stationed at an infantry replacement training center, has been separated from the army at the Camp Wolters, Tex.

Leo O. Foster, signalman, third class, Enterprise, is serving on USS Sherburne attack transport, which landed troops in Tokyo Bay for the occupation of Japan. The Sherburne arrived Sept. 2, and started unloading troops and their equipment by boat. She later moored off the dock in Yokohama.

William H. Lovan, messman second class, U. S. merchant marines is spending a five-day leave in La Grande with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lovan, and with friends and other relatives. After returning to California on Oct. 9, he will ship out.

Conshie Wins Medal Of Honor for Valor

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (UP)—A conscientious objector has won the congressional medal of honor. The man is Pfc. Desmond T. Doss, Lynchburg, Va. He won the medal for outstanding bravery as a member of the medical corps on Okinawa, the war department announced today.



FOR SWIMMING—Hollywood's Republic Studios starlet Adela Mara, above, shows what an attractive swim suit can be when its design is based upon the diaphragm principle, and brightened with a few stripes of color.



HIROHITO TOURS THE RUINS—Evidence that Japan's Emperor Hirohito kept himself fully informed about the state of his country during the war, is the picture above. It shows the emperor inspecting devastated areas of Tokyo's Fukukawa Ward after an American B-29 raid. The picture was made by a Jap photographer during the war and obtained recently from a Jap source.

"Practically Yours" Packed With Laughs

"Practically Yours" showing today and Tuesday at the Liberty theater is practically perfect for three reasons! It has Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray as its co-stars, its a Mitchell Leisen production and the picture's screenplay is by Norman Krasna. Comedy keynotes the production and its list of featured players reads like filmdom's funny-man roster for it includes Robert Benchley, Gil Lamb, Cecil Kellaway and Makhail Rasumny. Each is a specialist when it comes to tickling the audience's funny-bone and all combine to lend Fred and Claudette able support in every scene. In this reviewer's opinion, "Practically Yours" may emerge as the season's comedy sensation.

New Party Condemns New Japan Cabinet

TOKYO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Premier designate Baron Kijuro Shidehara completed his cabinet of liberals tonight and it will be sworn in by Emperor Hirohito tomorrow.

Hardly had the names of the new ministers been announced, however, than the organizing committee of the Japanese socialist party condemned them as "incapable of solving urgent problems."

"The Japanese people have been surprised at the emergency of stopgap government under Baron Shidehara at a time when the entire nation was looking forward to a popular cabinet capable of carrying out reforms with speed," the committee said.

Prince Says Emperor To Attack Planned

TOKYO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Prince Naruhiko Higashi-Kuni said today Emperor Hirohito knew in advance of the Japanese plan to attack Pearl Harbor, but had "understood" a formal declaration of war would be transmitted to the United States before the raid began.

Higashi-Kuni, retiring premier and cousin of Hirohito, revealed the emperor did not sign the imperial rescript formalizing the declaration of war until 11:30 a. m. Dec. 8, 1941 Tokyo time—eight hours after the first bombs fell on Pearl Harbor.

"Although his majesty had heard from the naval chief of staff of the general outline of the operations, he had not been informed of the details of their execution," Higashi-Kuni said.

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Turbines Called Hazard to Fish In Oregon Rivers

ROSEBURG, Oct. 8 (UP)—State fish commission officials today termed power plant turbines of Oregon dams a fish hazard.

Touring the Willamette valley and Oregon coast salmon hatcheries, the commission discovered young salmon released in Oregon streams perish unless taken to points below power plant turbines and other fish hazards.

Members of the commission were informed by Walter Carter, foreman of the McKenzie river hatchery above Eugene, he has proof young fish cannot safely pass through turbines.

Earl Hill, a member of the commission, said he is convinced the reason for the decline in the number of eggs taken annually from salmon returning from the ocean was that the ocean-bound Chinook had not been able to survive the perils of power and irrigation dams and pollution.

Volcanic Activity Thought Likely in Crater Lake Park

CRATER LAKE, Oct. 7 (UP)—Strange gas or smoke clouds hovering over the calm blue waters of Crater lake recently had park officials wondering today. This has brought forth the question of volcanic activity returning to the lake after an absence of 5,000 years.

First to observe the cloud was Miss Linda Newhall, fire lookout. She reported seeing a dust-colored fog or smoke cloud forming over or rising from the waters of the lake Sept. 15.

A few days later, Dale Vincent, photographer and writer, reported sighting the second. It, too, occurred on a clear, cloudless day. Park Ranger Kenneth A. Hubbard Sept. 30 observed the cloud from a lookout point on the west side of the lake. The cloud was about 300 to 400 feet wide and extended upward 400 or 500 feet. He observed it from all lookout points along the rim, seeing it finally drift away.

Japanese Navy Buildings Thought To Contain Loot

TOKYO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Armed guards of the first cavalry division tonight surrounded the Japanese navy ministry after United States officials said evidence had been discovered leading to the belief hoards of loot from Japan's lost empire might be stored in official government buildings.

These announcements said merely U. S. officials had learned "precious metal," presumably stolen in Japan's years of military conquest, was in the navy ministry building.

It was reliably reported more troops may be placed shortly at other Japanese buildings to guard similar hoards.

While the amount of treasure involved was not immediately disclosed, it was assumed Gen. Douglas MacArthur's command had discovered evidence of the storage places in records of Japanese financial institutions ordered seized more than a week ago.

GETS DECORATION
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Oct. 8 (UP)—Col. L. B. Hickam of Portland, commanding officer of the Dale Mabey army air field, was today notified by the French government he will be presented the Croix de Guerre with palm.

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Your GI Rights Problems of Men In Service

By **DOUGLOS LARSEN**
WASHINGTON, (NEA)—Here are some general questions from GIs and their relatives:

Q. My son will be out of the army soon. Before he was drafted, he worked at a small machine shop which closed a couple of months ago when their war contracts were cut. It is expected to stay closed for at least three or four months.

A. My son will have to apply for his old job within 90 days, they tell me. But suppose the shop doesn't open for longer than that? Will he have a right to his old job back?

A. Your son should apply for his old job as soon as he is out of the army if he wants it, regardless of whether the shop is operating. In that way there will be no question about his reemployment rights if the question should arise.

Q. Can aviation cadets keep their national service life insurance after they get out?

A. Yes.

Q. I have been stationed in a state different from my own state while I have been in service. My wife has lived with me. Now the question has come up as to whether she has lost residence in the former town as a result of having been with me. The question has come up with regard to taxes. I know I haven't lost residence, but what about her?

A. That question will have to be decided by the court which ultimately will be given jurisdiction of this particular case. It is not fully covered by law.

Q. My wife writes the house in which we used to live has been sold and the new owner is asking her to leave. Can they do this?

A. The dependents of a soldier may not be evicted from their dwelling if the rental is \$80 or less per month, except upon order of the court.

Ship Loads Wheat To Take to China

PORTLAND, Oct. 8 (UP)—The Liberty ship Robert Lansing is loading wheat here today for China, the first such cargo to be loaded on the Pacific coast since the beginning of the war. It is presumed the cargo will be carried to Shanghai.

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Hines Shoots 275 To Win Tacoma Open Tourney

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 8 (UP)—With the Tacoma open golf championship and \$2,000 in war bonds stuffed securely in his pocket, bushy browed Jimmy Hines today wrapped his clubs and headed the parade of top professional talent to Seattle for another \$10,000 match.

Winning his first major tournament since he took the New York metropolitan open in 1939, the Chicago pro posted a 72-hole score of 275, one stroke under runner up Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Sanford, Me. McSpaden climbed into the number two spot with a 65-five stroke under the regulation figure. McSpaden collected five birdies for 33-32 to win \$1,333 in bonds.

Playing in the same threesome, McSpaden and Hines came down the home stretch neck and neck. The winner's chances clouded over on the last hole when he drove to a styptic behind a clump of trees. With a blind approach to the green, Hines niblicked over the tree tops within eight feet of the pin.

Lanky Ed Furgol of Detroit, who parred the course for 279, teed off in fourth spot and climbed up a notch to take the \$1,000 prize. The ex-public links player turned in the story book stroke of the day when he shot the only hole-in-one of the tournament on the 185-yard par three eighth hole. The ace came at a time when the Detroitier was four over.

Bracketed at 281, six strokes above the leader, were Ben Hogan, Hershey, Pa., and Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va. Snead, who paired 35, came within a sneeze of tying Hamilton when he balanced a 14-foot putt on the lip of the 18th cup. Hogan bogged four but birdied five.

Art Doering, jr., Denver and Chicago's Ky Laffoon shared the 281 spot with Snead and Hogan. Doering registered 36-31-67 and Laffoon holed out on the 18th with a pair of 37s for 74.

Sgt. Jim Ferrier, San Francisco, winner of seven Australian titles in the 1920s, carded a par 70 for 282.

Snored under a 72-hole score of 283 was the remaining big four teamster, Byron Nelson, Toledo, Ohio. Tricky Greens kept Lord Byron to an indifferent 71, only a pair of strokes above his best score of the tourney.

Rainers hold One Game Edge in Cup Series With Seals

SEATTLE, Oct. 8 (UP)—Seattle Rainers today held a one-game edge over San Francisco in the Pacific coast league governor's cup playoffs after defeating the Seals 7 to 5 in the final northern game last night.

Both teams leave for San Francisco tonight for the rest of the playoffs which resume Wednesday.

The Seals opened the scoring in the first inning when Del Young tripled off the fence and scored on an infield out. Chuck Aleno, Rainer third baseman, tied the score in the next frame on a homer over left field wall.

The Seals again went ahead in the fourth when Ray Parry scored on Roy Niece's double. In the second half of inning, the Rainers drove across three runs when Aleno doubled with the bases loaded. Southpaw Elmer Orella, replacing Bob Barthelson on the mound for the Seals walked the next three men in order, forcing another run in. Bill Matheson singled to drive the final tally.

Doolittle Favors Large Air Power

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 8 (UP)—Air power should occupy a prime position in a modern, mobile national defense system for the United States, Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle said today.

"We want peace, but the only way we can be sure of a lasting peace is to be strong enough to impose our will upon any nation that doesn't want peace," the famed Tokyo raider said.

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Passeau to Try To Keep Cubs in Series

CHICAGO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Manager Charley Grimm put the world series championship hopes of the Chicago Cubs on the aging right arm of Claude Passeau today.

This was the game the Cubs needed to stay in the running, for the Detroit Tigers lead them, three games to two, and a victory for the American league champions this afternoon will bring the richest world series in history to a close.

Manager Steve O'Neill of the Tigers nominated Virgil (Fire) Trucks for his pitching chores.

Sportsmen's Club To Meet Tuesday

Members of the Sportsmen's club will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the city hall to discuss fishing season resolutions for the coming year, President Ernie Walden announced today.

The resolutions to be discussed and adopted will be forwarded to the game and fish commission for its meeting Jan. 16, when it will fix the seasons and set up other rules and regulations to govern the sport next year.

USC, Gaels in Best Spots for West Coasters

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Everything looked rosy today for the two clubs generally conceded to be the gridiron powerhouses of the west coast.

University of Southern California, king-pin in the Pacific Coast conference, and St. Mary's college Gaels, tops among the independents, had successfully passed their first three hurdles. The Gaels and the Trojans meet in Los Angeles, Nov. 3.

No Test
 What had been billed as a "severe test" for Coach Jimmy Phelan's St. Mary's club yesterday in reality turned into a rout as Herman Wedemeyer led the Gaels to a 39-0 victory over University of Nevada.

The all-American-stacked Fleet City Bluejackets ran to a 38-0 victory at Camp Shoemaker over Camp Beale Bears.

Saturday, the USC stayed on its victory path by trouncing St. Mary's pre-flight (minus its professionals) by a 26-14 count.

California Bears at the same time showed a complete reversal of previous impressions and thumped University of Washington 27-14. The Washington State Huskies stayed deadlocked at the top of the Pacific Coast conference with USC by trouncing Oregon State, 33-0.

Oregon Wins

University of Oregon, with speedster Jake Leicht in the lineup, ran away from hapless Idaho, 33-7.

Wyoming State continued winning, with a 19-0 win over Arizona State of Flagstaff; California Ramblers dumped Salinas Junior college, 32-9.

In the Rocky mountain area, Colorado blasted out an 18-13 victory over Utah; Ft. Warren slammed Colorado A. & M. 60-7; and Colorado college beat Herrington field, 43-6.

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Army, Navy High In Football After Weekend Wins

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (UP)—Army and navy ride high in the football firmament today but before their meeting for "the national championship" both must reckon with an old rival given little notice in the pre-season ratings—Notre Dame.

By plastering Georgia Tech 49 to 7, Hugh Devore's surprising Irish joined the select company of national leaders that also includes Southern California in the west, Ohio State and Minnesota in the midwest and Alabama in the deep south.

Navy humbled Duke 21 to 0, Army buried Wake Forest, 54 to 0. Michigan showed class in defeating northwestern, 20 to 7, and may make an exciting gate of it against the Cadets.

In the east, Columbia has come up with its best team in many seasons and the Lions romped over Syracuse, 32 to 0. Yale bowed to improving Holy Cross, 21 to 0. LaFayette tied Princeton, 7 to 7.

In the south, Alabama rose with a 26 to 7 triumph over Louisiana State. Mississippi State beat Auburn, 20 to 0, and Georgia just got by Miami, four touchdowns to three.

Chandler May be On Way Out as Commissioner

CHICAGO, Oct. 8 (UP)—Major league baseball owners today reportedly were preparing to "buy off" Sen. A. B. (Happy) Chandler's seven-year contract as baseball commissioner to pave the way for selection of a new commissioner.

Reports were rife at world series headquarters concerning the owners' alleged dissatisfaction with the manner in which Chandler has handled his commissioner duties.

One major league club owner told the United Press "there has been informal discussion on the matter, but nothing definite has been arranged."

President Sam Breadon of the St. Louis Cardinals said that "I have heard the report, but I know nothing about it. If it is true, I will know about it by tomorrow."

The club owners, who named Chandler to succeed the late Kenesaw M. Landis only last April at a meeting in Cleveland, supposedly were attempting to negotiate with Chandler in an effort to settle the contract which calls for a \$50,000 annual salary and gives Chandler powers practically equal to those enjoyed by Landis during his 23-year reign as the game's first commissioner.

According to one baseball official, several club owners are provoked by: (1) Chandler's handling of world series business, and (2) the fact he has overstepped his jurisdiction as commissioner and "meddled in strictly intra-league affairs."

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