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## Washington Outlook

By the Washington Staff of The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 -(AP) Pressure of war is leaving the Chungking government in China ever closer to some kind of a working agreement with its strongest domestic element of dissension, the so - called communist regime in northwest Chi-

The reds say they have half a million trained troops who lack only equipment to fight the Japanese on a broad front.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has had only nominal loyalty from the communists since the war with Japan began in 1937. On the other hand, he has given them no arms, no real voice in the government and has kept central government troops watching their borders.

Chiang's armies have had to retreat before the latest Japanese advance and have been unable to avert sacrifice of the big American airbase near Kweilin. Another base is threatened at Liuchow. farther south.

This situation is receiving much attention in Washington, for it is generally held that an allied vic- dies on her cake. tory over Japan could be serious-

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ly delayed if the Japanese succeeded in splitting China in two. ernment

Among signs that American influence may be taking effect is a subjects of rumor. relaxation of Chungking's stringent censorship and a report that Chiang has accepted a war production plan worked out by Nelson.

Not much can be done about China's desperatee conomic plight until after the war, but it is generally conceded that recovery, either now or in the future, depends upon a solution of China's internal political dilemma, in which the Kuomintang-communist rift is the keylog in the jam.

#### Little Steel Fight **Enters Showdown Stage**

No CIO compromise - Labor's fight to break the little steel formula, spearheaded by CIO steelworkers demanding an increase of 17 cents an hour, enters the showdown stage this coming week in a series of public hearings before the war labor board .



By ISABEL CHILDS

**Road Town to Enemy** 

CHUNGKING, Sunday, Sept. 24

(AP)-Several Chinese positions east

of the Burma road town of Mang-

shih in Yunnan province have

been given up in the face of nu-

merous attacks by reinforced Jap-

anese troops equipped with ar-

tillery, the Chinese high command

Most of the attacks were re-

pulsed, with an estimated 550

Japanese casualties incurred in

the past three days, a high com-

mand communique declared. Fair-

ly strong enemy forces have en-

tered Pingka, 22 miles southeast

The Japanese were reported still

preparing defensive positions in

the vicinity of Mangshih, while

only minor action occurred in the

Lungling sector to the northeast

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23-(AP)

The new "national agricultural

committee" of the anti-Roosevelt

democrats appealed to farmers to-

day to vote against a fourth term

in November, asserting such votes

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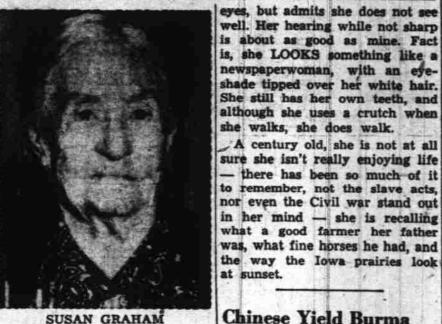
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**Ed Smith Leads Farm** 

**Group Against FDR** 

said today.

of Mangshih.



SUSAN GRAHAM Today she will have 100 can-

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When Susan Graham was born. back in New Philadelphia, Ohio, It is understood that both Vice Sept. 24, 1844, John Quincy Adams, President Wallace and WPB the nation's sixth president, was , Chairman Donald Nelson have getting along in years and John urged Chiang to broaden his gov- Tyler was in the White House. The steamship and the steam locomotive were so new as to be

When she was three years old the United States issued its first adhesive postage stamp. Susan was four years of age

when gold was discovered in California, and was in school when the fugitive slave law and Henry Clay's compromise resolutions were passed. She was 15 years old by the time John Brown raided Harper's ferry. The year of the Lewis and Clark

Centennial exposition (1905) she and her husband and daughter moved to Salem. In 1908 Charles Graham died,

but his widow and daughter. Miss Emma Graham, continued to live at the 959 South 12th street resi-

dence. Five years ago the daughter, widely known here as a music teacher, died, and Mrs. Graham was alone.

would help in "recapturing the Alone, that is, except for a government from the domination nephew and nieces (Charles H. McDonough and Jessie Williams of un-American visionaries." in Salem; Dr. Ruth Dougherty

The group formed here yester-Indications are that the board Benson is the daughter of a niece, day under the chairmanship of and still other nieces live in other 80-year-old Senator Eddison D. (Cotton Ed) Smith of South Carolina concluded a two-day session by adopting a resolution urging -V-When the Salem Deaconess hos- rural voters "to join in defeating pital, where she has resided the the fourth term" and in "smashpast year, held its staff birthday ing the vicious control of the new party last week she was a guest, dealers." Less than a dozen attended the wears no glasses over her bright sessions.

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will incorporate some of the steel workers' demands in a new wage Oregon cities), she retained her policy it will propose for use when interest in the Baptist church. V-E day comes.

This policy is expected to call for an 8 per cent base rate increase for a 40-hour week, figured on current average earnings for 48 hours of work, including and I went out to see her. She overtime. . . . but board sources have learned informally that such a "reconversion solution" will not be acceptable to CIO because of CIO "prestige" is involved in larger demands.

#### **Two Nisei Convicted For Draft Invasion**

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 23 -(AP)-Yutaka Frank Maruhashi, 21, and George Nakagawa, 18, both of Seattle, today were added to the list of Japanese - American residents of the Minidoka relocation center at Hunt convicted by federal court juries of draft evasion.

Today's trials brought to 29 the number of Nisei convicted of the 35 indicted.

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