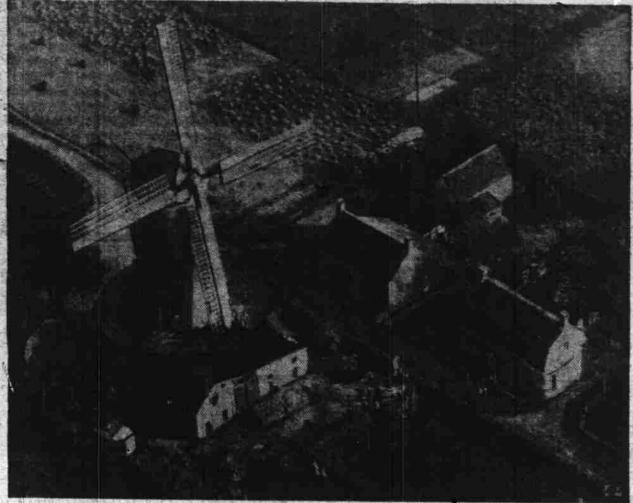
## THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS IN PICTURES



JAPS FIRE U. S. TANKER—Crewmen of a U. S. aircraft carrier watch from flight deck as USS Mississinewa, a tanker, burns after a Jap attack somewhere in the Pacific.



FEEDING TIME\_Two little lion cubs who were described by their mother get a snack from Judith, 2½-year-old daughter of Homer Snow, lion keeper in San Francisco's Ficishhacker 200. A high chair serves as their pen.



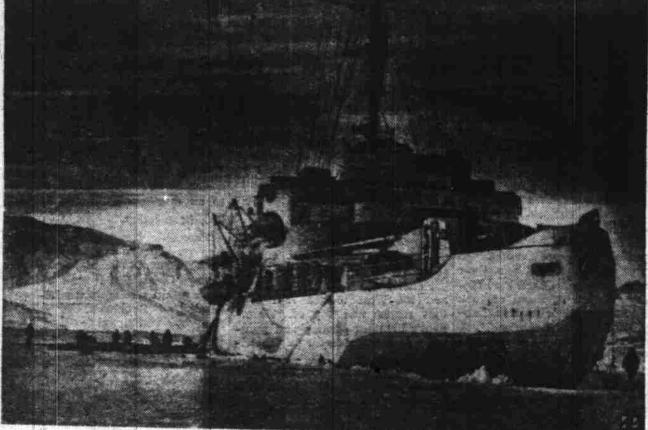
GREETING FROM DUTCH ... In the yard of a picturesque Holland farm home, Dutch residents stand to wave to Allied airmen as B-24 Liberators pass overhead en route to targets.



VETERAN SHOTGUN—This shotgun, held by Merton A. Robinson, ballistics engineer at Winchester's New Haven, Conn., plant, has been fired 1,310,720 times in testing shells over a period of 42 years.



STARLET — Marie McDonald, screen player who poses here in sports attire against a Hollywood tree, invaded the film capital several years ago as a singer with a dance band.



FAR NORTH FIGHTING—The U.S. Coast Guard combat cutter Eastwind, helping destroy Nazi weather station on northeast Greenland, turns over captured supplies to Danish sled patrol.



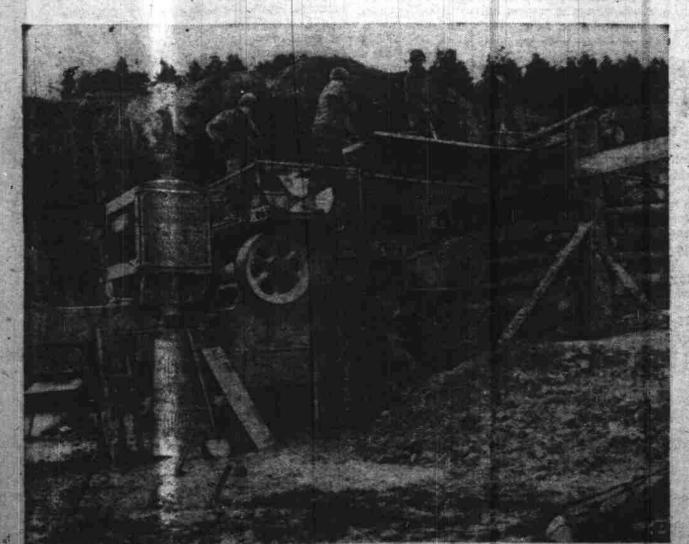
STUDENTS SING OPERA — Stage Director Alfrede Valenti (seated) goes through a scene with Annette Burford of Oklahoma City and Henry Clark of Aurora, Ill., who sang in "Don Pasquale" at the Juilliard School of Music in New York.



SEES CANCER CELLS\_Dr. E. V. Cowdry (right), professor of anatomy at Washington University, St. Louis, shows living cancer cells used in research into the malady to Senator Claude Pepper, chairman of the Senate subcommittee on wartime health and education, seeking to maintain wartime speedup in research.



GI'S ENJOY BATH HOUSE—Cel. Manuel Hohenberger (left), Honey Grave, Tex., and Cpl. George O. Clark. Arlington. Va., scrub up in a Dijon; France, bath house run by Red Cross.



GERMANS WORK IN QUARRY—Somewhere in the European theatre, German civ-



MINDORO ISLAND - Closeup map of Mindore Island in the Philippines, south of Luson and within 150 miles of Manile.



"BUFFALO" BRINGS SUPPLIES - A "buffalo" heavily laden with ammunition and rations travels up a river in northern Legie, in the Philippines, to supply forward fighting areas.