

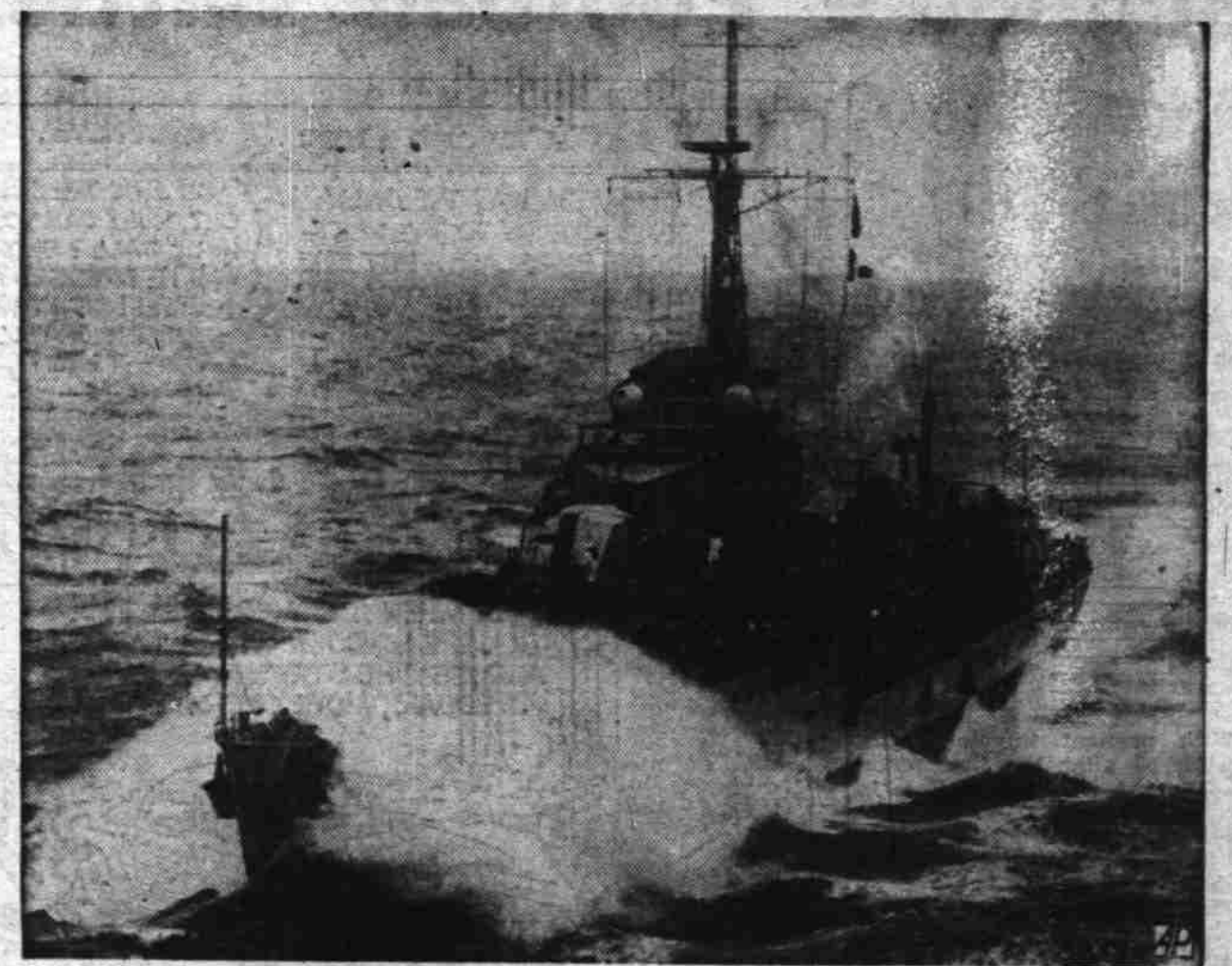
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS IN PICTURES



RECALLING DAYS OF OLD—Spectators line the Grand Canal, Venice, during the city's annual water carnival as gondolas parade over routes used by the Doges centuries ago.



PARADE HIGHLIGHT—A floral "Puss in Boots" drawn by a tractor amuses spectators as products of the Dutch flower center of Aalsmeer are exhibited in an Amsterdam parade.



ON KOREA PATROL—The British destroyer Cossack ships a heavy sea while on patrol off Korea. It is one of the British Far East fleet units operating with U. N. naval forces.



ENVOY TO SYRIA—Cavendish W. Cannon (above), career diplomat and former Ambassador to Yugoslavia, has been nominated by President Truman as U. S. Minister to Syria.



MOSAIC IN WOOD—Fritz Bado, wood inlay artist of Louisville, Ky., works on a mural made of wood. He uses no stains or paint, achieving patterns from natural colors of wood.



MULTI-BLADE PROPULSION—Eight blades are used of the British Navy's YB1 plane which was shown at the British Aircraft Constructors exhibition, Farnborough.



THE LEADER STEPS OUT—This smart-stepping drum major heads a costumed boys' band during a shepherd's festival in the German town of Dinkelsbuehl, Bavaria.



HARBINGER—This creation, exhibited at Ange Tinsley's London show, is not a hat. It's a wire framework trimmed with gold accents, his forecast of next Spring's fashion trend.



UNCOMMON CARRIER—Postman Ignazio Pagoria, of Chicago, makes his daily mail deliveries with the aid of a special cart he designed, by permission of the Postmaster General.



DESIGN BY DACHE—The corselet theme is interpreted by Lilly Dache in a strapless evening bodice of black and white checked damask sprinkled with gold sequins.



AFFECTIONATE PETS—Raymond Encins winces as one of his two pet raccoons bites his ear while playing at Yakima, Wash. The other pet reaches for the camera with paw.



NEW MISS EUROPE—Hanni Schall, 23, of Austria, poses before jury and public during "Miss Europe 1951" contest which she won over 12 competitors at Rimini, Italy.



M. P. WITH A PROBLEM—Ernest Marples, Member of Parliament, inquires of a London policeman the location of a parking space for bicycle he rides to House of Commons.



A NEW MEMBER OF THE FAMILY—Remo, a week-old elephant, is carefully guarded during his first meeting with his three-year-old sister, Roma, at Rome, Italy, Zoo.



ENGINEERS TAKE OVER—Phillip West, of North Hollywood, (behind engine) moves his English-type locomotive to main line at Golden Gate Live Steamers Club meet near Oakland.



HOUSE-MOVING DAY IN CHICAGO—Workmen move a stone and brick house valued at \$40,000 from one Chicago site to another to make room for a new department store.