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Sabres Down 4 Enemy Jets

Dogfight Produces
America's 16th Ace

SEOUL, Korea — (AP) — U.S. Sabre jets reported they shot down four Communist jets over Northwest Korea Tuesday. The air battle near the Manchurian border produced America's 16th jet ace.

A U.S. Fifth Air Force announcement said the new kills raised total destruction of Russian-built MIGs in the Korean war to 302.

Col. Harrison R. Thynge of Pittsfield, N. H., commander of the Fourth Fighter-Interceptor wing, got his jet ace rating in the fight near the Yalu River.

Allied air losses if any are announced weekly.

The Air Force confirmed that U.S. Sabre pilots on May 4 destroyed five Communist propeller type fighter planes on Sinuiju air field. This is in extreme Northwest Korea on the bank of the Yalu.

Eight Japan-based B-29s Monday night bombed the Suncheon rail bypass bridge across the Taedong River northeast of Pyongyang, the North Korean capital. The Air Force said pilots reported moderate anti-aircraft fire.



YOU'RE SURPRISED? — You're not half as surprised as were the citizens of Frankfurt, Germany, when Pfc. Kenneth D. Frost, left, of Ithaca, N. Y., and Pfc. Olis V. Thompson, of Stillwater, Okla., wheeled down the streets on their unicycles. Besides saving on the price of tires, the soldiers have both hands free for saluting.

Truman Accepts Delegate's Post

Ike Strategists Wait Homecoming

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's campaign strategists are making plans for the general to deliver a major address in Detroit on or about June 17.

Informed sources said it is "definite" that Eisenhower will make a June appearance in the motor city, but that the exact date is not yet "firm."

Eisenhower said at The Hague Tuesday that he is "not aspiring to anything." He said if the Republican Party wants him to run for president, it will have to tell him so.

THE DETROIT speech could be one of Eisenhower's most important undertakings before the Republican Convention opens July 7. Present plans call for him to return from Europe in time for a June 4-5 appearance at his home town of Abilene, Kans., followed by an indefinite schedule that indicates at least two or three major speeches.

Supporters of both Eisenhower and his chief rival for the GOP nomination, Sen. Robert A. Taft (R-Ohio), eye Michigan as a key state this year.

Besides wanting to capture the

state's hefty bloc of electoral votes, the GOP especially wants to knock off Sen. Blair Moody (D-Mich.), a prime Republican target in the November voting.

On the Democratic side, President Truman accepted an invitation to serve as a delegate-at-large from Missouri at the party's national convention.

Mr. Truman accepted the offer from John J. Nangle, Democratic national committeeman from Missouri, to join his home state delegation. However, the President

repeated what he told his news conference last week — that he would not show up at the convention until the Democrats have chosen their presidential nominee.

Party interest also focused on the May 27 showdown for Florida convention delegates between Sen. Richard B. Russell and Estes Kefauver, Russell licked Kefauver in the state's recent preferential primary.

The Georgia Senator, concerned over activity by Kefauver back-

ers, revealed plans to travel to Florida for a two- or three-day tour to confer with his backers and firm up his bid for a second term in the state's convention.

In other political developments, supporters of Vice President Alben W. Barkley for the Democratic nomination stuck plans to keep the 74-year-old senator from becoming a candidate, despite a slight endorsement from his party.

They want to see "see what happens," as one source put it.

REPUBLICANS looked on Tuesday's bitter battle between Eisenhower backers and Missouri's eight GOP votes. Some leaders expected a divided GOP delegation to the convention, also meeting Tuesday, showed a lack of concerted action.

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Truman Okays GI Pay Boost

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Truman has signed the bill boosting pay and allowances in the military services by nearly half a billion dollars a year.

The White House announced the signing Tuesday. It came in time—Truman had until the end of this month—for the raises to become effective with this month's pay vouchers.

Intended to help offset higher living costs, they range from \$3 monthly for privates and seaman to \$85 for two-star generals and admirals.

THEY APPLY to approximately 3½ million active as well as retired personnel.

In the final version of the legislation, there was no provision, such as the Senate once voted, to give an extra \$45 monthly to men who are fighting in or have fought in Korea.

This may be taken up later under a separate measure.

The pay raise bill calls for a flat boost of 4 per cent in base pay of all personnel and an increase of 14 per cent in allowances for food and rental.

IT WOULD GIVE the average low-ranking enlisted man a \$3 monthly raise, or 4 per cent of the present \$75 pay. Most of these men have no dependents and their food and lodging are furnished by the government, so the majority are not affected by the increase in allowances.

For enlisted personnel with dependents, the monthly increase in pay and allowances would range from \$13 to \$19.

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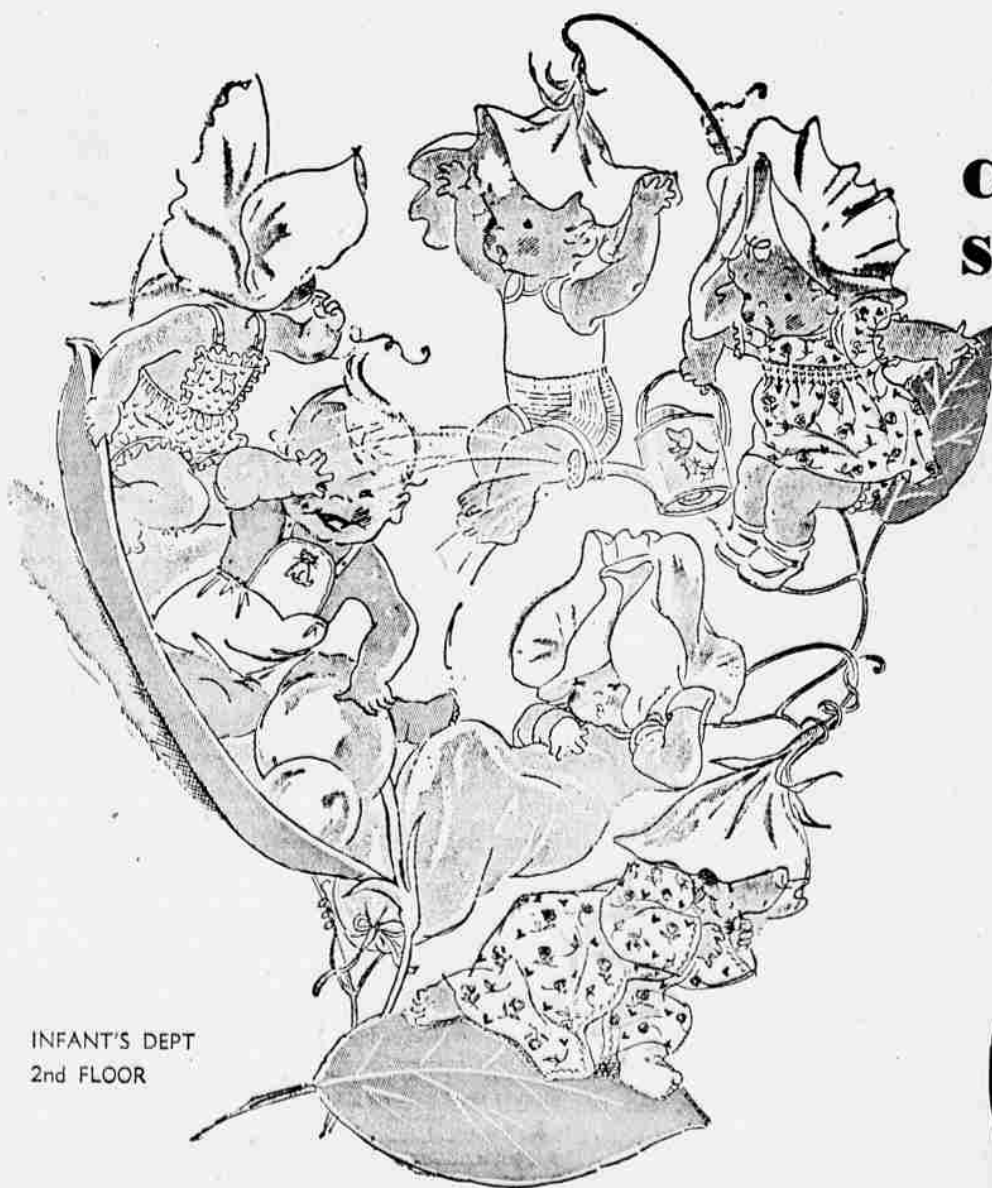
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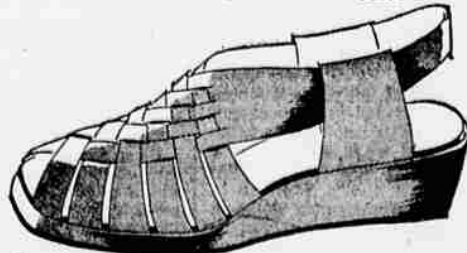
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