

### Super-Fortress Details Given

Chicago, Jan. 21 (AP)—Details of the new Boeing B-29 super-fortress, which packs a bomb load of nearly nine tons for a 1000 mile flight, were revealed publicly for the first time in a British aviation magazine, copies of which were received by the Chicago Sun.

Described by Gen. H. H. Arnold, commanding the army air forces, as a great improvement over present Flying Fortress and Liberator bombers, the B-29 mounts six gun posts, two of them operated by remote control.

**Has Chin Turret**  
The super-fort carries a "chin" turret, as was recently mounted on the B-17G, most recent of the regular fortress line, and dorsal, ball and tail turrets. The two "waist" turrets, located on the sides of the planes and formerly manned by waist gunners, are operated by remote control in the new model. Whether the new type guns would reduce the size of the regular 10 man fortress crew, and who would fire the waist guns was not revealed.

According to the British magazine "Flight," the bomb load of the B-29 is from 16,500 to 17,000 pounds for a 1000 mile range, or 6000 pounds for a 3000 mile trip. Both loads exceed the present capacity of the B-17G for the same distance.

Unlike earlier models, the new super-fort has a tricycle landing gear, all wheels of which have double tires.

The wing span is said to be 141

### Belgian Priest Likes His Bleak Alaskan Island

Tununak, Nelson Island (AP)—Father Paul C. Deschout, Jesuit priest for 10 years on this bleak, little-known sea island, had as much difficulty learning the ways of the Eskimos here as they had becoming accustomed to his.

When the Belgian-born priest was called to an outlying village to officiate at a funeral, he found the village elders sitting on a bench in the kashim, or men's house. He began shaking hands with them, moving along the line of skin-clad hunters, trying to gain their confidence.

"I was halfway along the line of men," Father Paul relates, "when I found myself shaking hands with the dead man. They had brought him into the kashim for a last visit before he was buried."

Father Paul has been off Nelson island only once in 10 years, and then he hurried back, homesick for his bleak island home, his tiny chapel, and the wild Eskimos he works, hunts and lives with. With his team of eight malemutts, the priest travels constantly among the native villages, pinch-hitting in every capacity from midwife to reindeer herder.

Today Father Paul was preparing for a trip to a remote village on the other side of the island. All the men of this village were away on the reindeer round-up—and four children were about to be born. The men wanted Father Paul to bring them news of their wives and offspring as soon as possible, and the women wanted him there with a medical kit.

"One thing about it," Father Paul laughed, "if the babies are all boys, I'll be the most popular messenger on Nelson island when I return."

### Crowd Due at Dinner Speech

Capacity reservations have been placed for a dinner tonight at the Pilot Butte inn at which Dr. G. R. H. Frederick Peters, Reed college lecturer, will speak on "Russia and Post-war Europe." The dinner meeting will open at 7:15.

Dr. Peters is brought to Bend through the United Nations bureau and is appearing locally under the auspices of the League of Women Voters and the A.A.U.W. United Nations bureau speakers receive no pay save their expenses. Local sponsors have pointed out, and give their lectures in the interests of world peace.

### Coat Hangers Asked by Scouts

Bend housewives this afternoon and Saturday will be asked by members of Boy Scout troop 20 for donations of coat hangers of all sizes and construction. The boys are carrying out this campaign to aid the local cleaning establishments whose pleas to customers for hangers for the most part go unheeded, and also to swell the troop's treasury.

Boy Scouts taking part in the drive will be in uniform. Pfc. Robert Johnson of Camp Abbot, scoutmaster, has announced.

### German Bullet Winged Tito, Soldier Reveals

By Sam Souki  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
A Yugoslav Partisan Refugee Camp in the Middle East, Jan. 18—A German bullet winged Marshal Josip (Tito) Brozovich in the upper left arm but failed to prevent the commander of the Yugoslav partisans armies from leading his forces out of a trap set by 35,000 enemy troops in the Green mountains of Montenegro last June, a wounded guerrilla leader who participated in the battle told me today.

### Midwest Demos Endorse Roosevelt for 4th Term

Washington, Jan. 21 (AP)—The midwest democratic conference today unanimously approved a resolution endorsing President Roosevelt for a fourth term.



### Lumber Production Falls Short 4,000,000,000 Feet

Washington, Jan. 21 (AP)—Final figures on 1943 lumber production are certain to show that the 32,000,000,000 board feet goal was reached, the war production board said today, but that will be more than 4,000,000,000 board feet short of the year's estimated consumption.

November lumber production totaled 2,870,765,000 board feet. Production totaling 30,822,150,000 board feet in the first 11 months of 1943 virtually assured the 1943 goal, W.P.B. said.

### JUVENILES GROUP FORMED

Salem, Jan. 21 (AP)—Elda Russell of Portland, supervisor of the Oregon Protective society and chairman of Gov. Earl Snell's juvenile delinquency committee, today submitted policy committee recommendations for the governor's approval. The committee advised it would serve as a clearing house for juvenile problems and would cooperate with existing agencies, not replace them. It recommended each community be encouraged to coordinate activities of its local organizations.

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### MORE ABOUT Japs Rush

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Mitchell revealed that since Nov. 30 Japan has lost 350 planes defending Rabaul's air-dromes and shipping, but added that enemy interception failed to decrease.

He said that each time American planes venture toward the big New Britain base, they meet from 70 to 100 intercepting fighters despite the fact that the allied airmen often knocked down as many as 31 of the planes.

**Sending In Planes**  
"The Japanese definitely are bringing in replacements and with regularity," Mitchell said. "There is definite indication they are going to make a stand on Rabaul. We know they are flying in planes from Truk, and undoubtedly they are bringing in others by converted carriers."

He said it was possible the Japanese were flying planes into New Britain by the Philippines and New Guinea.

### Pastors Exchange Pulpits for Week End of Worship

The Rev. Lawrence R. Eyres, Orthodox Presbyterian pastor of Portland, will occupy the pulpit of Westminster Presbyterian church next Sunday at both morning and evening services. He is also to speak to the Macheen league at 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

The Rev. Glenn R. Cole, pastor of Westminster church here will speak in Portland tonight at a fellowship dinner at the Orthodox Presbyterian church there, and on Sunday will occupy the pulpit of the new Portland church. Rev. Cole left this morning by bus and plans to return to Bend on Monday.

### SCHOOLS CAN MUCH

Salem, Jan. 21 (AP)—State Director of Vocational Education O. I. Paulson, today reported 11 Oregon school canneries processed 658,114 cans of vegetables and meat for 6,871 families last year.

Caesar, in his notes on the winter campaign in Great Britain, stated that the night sentries were thrown into great confusion when the water clocks froze.

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### MORE ABOUT Russians Kill

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from Kolpino, completing the lifting of the siege that began Aug. 21, 1941.)

"Disrupted and isolated groups of Germans are being liquidated," the soviet high command said in its midnight communique. "Many German soldiers and officers have laid down their arms and surrendered. Enormous quantities of various equipment and war materials were captured."

Gen. Kyril A. Meretskov's army, ripping into the German eastern flank, swept six miles beyond Novgorod, 100 miles south of Leningrad, and captured Naschi on the railroad west of Batetsk. Dolgovo, 13 miles northwest of Leningrad, also was captured.

Prodigious booty was being seized by the Russians in the wake of the demoralized enemy. The Leningrad and Novgorod armies together in the past six days have seized 447 guns, including 85 super-siege artillery that have been shelling Leningrad; 270 mortars and 30 tanks, while the Novgorod forces alone destroyed 178 guns, 16 tanks and 350 trucks.

A 32-pound wild bobcat killed 30 lambs in two weeks on a Texas ranch this year; when captured, five suckling kittens with her were taken also.

Fossil camels found in North America show that some of the family were 15 feet in height and others were the size of jackrabbits.

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