

FLYING RESERVE FORMING

Is Russia Massing Giant Kamikaze Corps?

(Editor's Note—Here is a soldier's view of Russia's post-war military activity, as seen from inside the Soviet Union by a British army officer who was stationed in Moscow as a British military attache. He returned to London in 1948.)
By ROBERT MUSEL

London, Nov. 17 (AP)—A former British attache in Moscow said today that Russia is amassing a flying reserve of such proportions that he wonders whether the Soviets are creating a corps of kamikaze or suicide pilots.

Russian boys and girls can now learn to fly as easily as they once could learn to drive a car. Maj. Gen. Richard Hilton said in an interview summarizing much of what he learned in two years at Potsdam and in Moscow despite the "leper-like isolation" there of foreign diplomats.

Dosav, the organization sponsoring the learn-to-fly campaign, he said, is working on a greater scale than any other similar organization in the world.

It is possible, he said, these boys and girl pilots may some day be used in war "in forms which may seem impossible to our hidebound way of thinking."

Gen. Hilton said that when he left Russia for retirement in 1948 he took along these "impressions":

1. Russians regard the whole country as being one vast war machine and believe consequently that practically everything that goes on economically or otherwise is a military secret.

2. Foreign observers believe the Soviet high command is abnormally anxious to conceal the true state of affairs.

3. The Red Square functions seem too good to be true—deliberately planned to give the outside world a false impression of Soviet military preparedness.

4. There is a faction in Russian aviation led by Josef Stalin's son which believes in strategic bombing against the theo-

ry of tactical support to which the Red airforce was devoted in the last war.
5. The M.V.D. (Secret police). "This sinister force is the king pin of the entire Soviet system." It gets its results by terror. It is hated and dreaded.
6. The Soviet integration of the armed forces is even more perfect than the German "wehrmacht," but political surveillance still is necessary and political commissars are active although the Russians claim to have abolished them.

Men's Store Moving From Lebanon Site

Lebanon—Moving to a downtown location from North Lebanon, Seymour's Men's store, will hold their formal opening next Saturday, announces the manager, Gene Priest. The new location is at 764 Main street. An enlarged stock of merchandise and improved facilities for customer convenience are located in the new store, Priest said.

Fedje Lyons Speaker

Lyons—A pot luck supper and fellowship hour was held at the community club house, followed by the quarterly conference meeting with Dr. Roy Fedje of Salem in charge. Dr. Fedje also gave a talk of his trip to Norway last summer.

Show Window Smashed Again

A show window of the Brown jewelry store was boarded up again Monday—this time as the result of an errant auto which attempted to smash through the luckless display.

The car, driven by Johnnie F. Paulson, route 3, went out of control Sunday evening when it turned from Liberty into Court street. A door of the vehicle flew open, and as Paulson endeavored to close it, the car smashed into the window as its wheels skidmarked showing a year ago. The later eral reservation under endea-

Despite skidmarks showing that Paulson endeavored to halt the auto, the car jumped to the left curb and hurtled into the brick work beneath the window to the store. The window crashed, the bricks crumpled, but the display was virtually intact.

Paulson was fined \$25 in police court for reckless driving. A brick, hurled by a "treasure trove" of jewelry put on display for the spring opening of Salem stores last March 21, set recent precedence for the window smashing.

On June 29th, another Brown jewelry store window was caved in by a thief who looted the display.

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OUR WINDOW WAS SMASHED

SO WE'RE SMASHING SOME SILVERWARE PRICES

One of our display windows was recently smashed (see story at left) and the accident slightly damaged some of our silverware that was on display.

Many of our prices are being cut in half and even more. Here are some examples . . .

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 - Sterling Silver Compote \$5.98* reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Cream and Sugar, reduced to \$12.97*
 - Sterling Silver Salt and Peppers 89c reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Cold Meat Fork and Berry Spoon, reduced to, pr. \$4.95*
 - Sterling Silver Salt and Peppers, 4 1/2-inch, reduced to \$4.98*
 - Sterling Silver Cheese Servers \$1.29* reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Bottle Openers \$1.29* reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Cake Knives \$1.98* reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Preserve \$4.29* reduced to
 - Sterling Silver Candlesticks \$7.95* reduced to
 - 7.50 Sterling Silver Cigarette Holder and Tray, reduced to \$4.89*
 - Sterling Silver Coasters, Crystal, reduced to \$1.39*
 - 9.50 Cream and Sugar reduced to \$5.98*
 - Coffee Spoons, set of six reduced to \$1.49
 - 5.00 5-Piece Tidbit Set reduced to \$2.98*
 - 5.00 Cramb Butler reduced to \$3.79*
 - Silverplate Candy Dishes \$2.29*
 - Silverplate Salt and Peppers \$1.97*
 - Silverplate Cheese and Cracker \$7.98*
 - Silverplate Coffee Pot \$8.79*
 - Silverplate Tea Set with Tray \$17.98*
 - Silverplate Gravy Boat and Tray \$9.95*
 - Rogers April Pattern Buffet Fork 49c
 - 15-Inch Serving Tray \$7.98*
 - 4.50 Candle Style Cigarette Lighter \$2.89*
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