

U. S. Citizens Fight Under Own Flag



U. S. citizens who jumped the gun and got in the war, via the Canadian army, before Uncle Sam was attacked, are pictured just after their release from the Canadian army in England as they were sworn into the U. S. army. Britain is releasing any American who wishes to fight under his own flag. The above men still wear the Canadian uniform.

This Week in WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C. (NWNS)—Under a new program announced by Leon Henderson, head of the Office of Price Administration, a purchaser can sue a retailer for at least \$50 if the retailer charges a price higher than that established by retail price ceilings.

On many lines of goods the regulation is expected automatically to take care of enforcement, but there are still many difficulties which stand in the way of permanent stabilization.

The demand for freezing of farm prices and for the freezing of wages has increased greatly during the last month. The rapidly increasing costs of certain meats, plus the shortage of meats in some cities, is blamed on the lack of control over farm prices.

On the controlled foods, such as beef, bananas and canned fruits and vegetables, the price has declined in most cases, but the increase in prices on uncontrolled items has offset all reductions and caused an increase in the total cost of living.

Although thousands of types of products are under strict price control, the cost of living, in the eyes of most people, is measured primarily by the cost of food. With food prices rising there is an increasing demand that all food prices be put under control of the OPA.

This attitude of congress was clearly demonstrated when both houses, despite presidential opposition, passed a measure to establish a separate government agency to encourage the manufacture of synthetic rubber from farm products.

The insistence of congress on doing favors for the farmers, no matter what the consequences to the nation may be, is considered here to be the chief dangerpoint in our efforts to stem inflation and may also interfere with our war production, as threatened by the synthetic rubber move.

The next most important threat to our emergency program is the

unwillingness of the government to take a firm hand with labor. The decision of the War Labor Board to increase wages in the "Little Steel" industries by an amount equal to the increased cost of living—a decision which has set a formula for the demands of all industry—is believed by experts here to be a move which practically forces inflation.

All of the "Little Steel" companies have accepted the War Labor board's ruling because they have been forced to under the threat of losing their business if they didn't comply.

"The steel workers threatened to strike if the company did not comply. The War Labor board threatened to invoke the full power of the President to compel the company to comply, meaning that the company's plant would be taken from it. The company had no alternative. It had to comply."

Hoping to let these situations drift along until November before the public's demand for action becomes too great, many congressmen and senators have left Washington to go to the home-folks to see how the prospects are for votes.

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SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

By MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS Associate Editor, Parents' Magazine

Last week we wrote about lies which are prompted by fear of punishment. These, we suggested, could be kept at a minimum by making it easy for your children to tell the truth.

An illustration of this was given me by a friend who said that her very first lie was still on her conscience! Her father, it seems, used to bring home candy and divide it evenly among the three children.

Now I think this father put a little too much responsibility on so young a child. Later on—that is, not in front of the other children—he should have drawn her

out and made it easy for her to confess. By that time she would have had the bad time with her conscience he intended her to have, and would have gained the knowledge that lie-telling is very uncomfortable.

There are also untruths which aren't told directly to the child but which enter his subconscious as family standards of holding truth lightly. Right now we have more areas than usual in which we are on our honor as families—gas and sugar rationing, rubber salvage—can your child be certain that his parents are being honest about all these?

Above all, don't label a child a liar. If your child lies find out why. Is he afraid? Help him to conquer that fear.

Navy Auxiliary



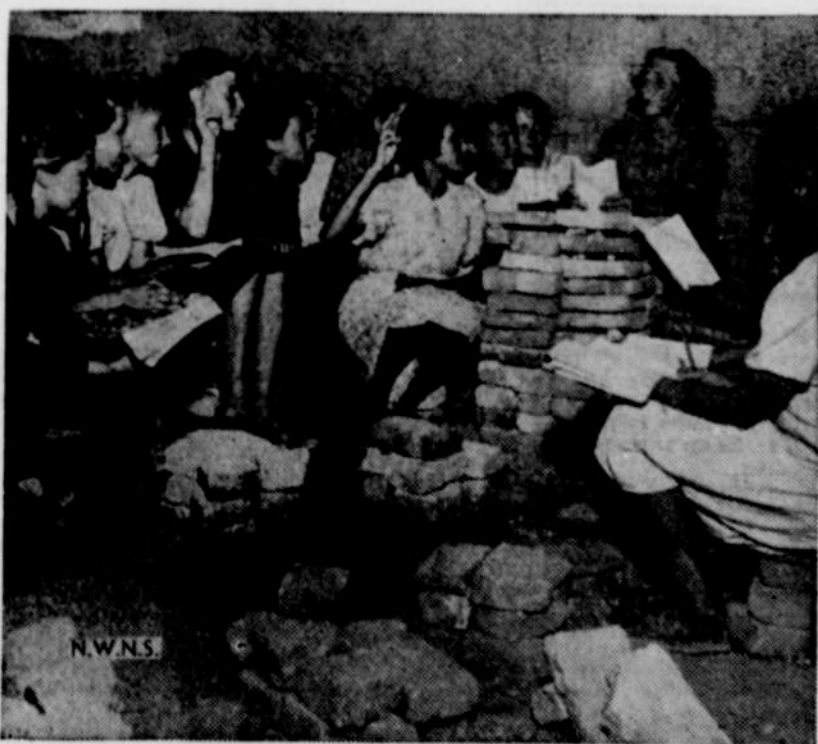
This is Dr. Mildred McAfee, president of Wellesley college, Wellesley, Mass., who is being named director of the Women's Naval Auxiliary corps—navy counterpart of the WAAC. Twelve thousand women will take over the jobs of desk sailors who will be released for active sea duty.

New Bomb Sight



Recently promoted from a master sergeant to a captain, Donald Herb, of Mitchel Field, N. Y., works at his hobby shop where he built a low-level bomb sight which has proven itself in action.

Polish Refugee Children in Iran



Here a group of Polish refugee children in Tehran, Iran, use an uncompleted Nazi machine gun factory for a schoolroom. Before the British and Russians drove them out, the Nazis started this project but now turned into a useful building by Red Cross committee.

Russians Get U. S. Bombing Planes



At a designated spot in the Middle East, U. S. medium bombers are being ferried from the U. S. and turned over to Russian fliers who take over from that point on. U. S. fliers act as instructors and aid the Russians in learning the controls of the American planes. Here a group of U. S. fliers and their Russian Allies are shown talking flight maneuvers.

"GUERRILLA GAL" ON GUARD



READY to help their menfolk defend their homes, the province, their families and themselves, women employees of many of British Columbia's larger companies, including Canadian National Railways, are organizing "Guerrilla Gals" shooting clubs on the Canadian west coast to train as potential guerrillas with the catchy motto "Gats for Gals."

HAPPY DAZE

By Bob Bowie



"Keep your eyes on their third baseman, boss. I got a suspicion he's light-fingered."

