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Temperature:  
Highest yesterday 88  
Lowest this morning 48

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# CHINESE OFFENSIVE STINGS JAPANESE

## Behind Washington Headlines

By H. R. Baukhage

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LULL EXPECTED IN MAJOR SHANGHAI HOSTILITIES

CREDIT DIPLOMATS WITH RELIEVING SITUATION

JAPS SEEN IN NEED OF CO-ORDINATED FORCES

SITUATION HELD STILL FAVORABLE TO CHINESE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—While sharp attack and defense may continue in the Shanghai area in the next few days, close observers of the shifting military and diplomatic scene about the city predict a lull in major hostilities. They believe the international settlement is safe for the present, and the evacuation of non-combatants assured.

There are two broad reasons, neither announced in official statements, for this predicted "lull." One is the success, temporary though it may be, of the diplomats who have been working long hours behind closed doors.

The second may be found right up in the front of a little, commonplace book thumbed by corporals and, apparently, at the moment being read by Japanese generals as well. The volume called "Infantry Drill Regulations" and it says, among many other things, that the object of warfare is the destruction of the enemy, not department stores, hospitals and filling stations.

Just what steps the diplomats took in helping to relieve the military pressure on the international settlement are not revealed. But those in a position to know point to conditions affecting both China and Japan that are important factors.

China, they say, of course, wishes to keep the friendship of the powers, for she hopes for intervention on her side.

Japan, those familiar with her possible future action say, is anxious to do nothing to jeopardize her own extraterritorial privileges. Continued encroachment on the international settlement by her soldiers might affect Japan's own position later.

On the military side, the destruction of the enemy means that the Japanese objective is to destroy the terrain to the north and west of Shanghai. To do this a perfectly coordinated offense is necessary.

This requires time, for, while the invading forces are rapidly being augmented by the arrival of new transports from Japan, they cannot be immediately co-ordinated in the military sense. A military unit must be a perfect machine, an unbroken chain from the base to the most far-flung point in the line.

Before the "big push" really begins, such a machine must be perfected. When it is, it must be able to destroy with frontal attack or encircle and force into retreat the army now lying to the north and west of Shanghai.

The situation still favors the Chinese in that they can retreat in good order.

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## INVADERS VOICE OMINOUS WARNING AFTER HOT FIGHT

Day-Long Display of War Weapons Gives Shanghai Worst Time Since August 13 — Battle Surges On

SHANGHAI, Sat., Sept. 4.—(AP)—The imperial Japanese third fleet, stung by the might of Chinese counter-attack, today proclaimed stern punitive action to "terminate Chinese activities in Shanghai."

The ominous and cryptic warning said merely that the Chinese activities would be summarily "terminated" and that Japanese objectives would be "furthered."

It came after a diabolical, day-long display of war weapons that exposed the heart of the city to some of its gravest dangers since fateful Friday the 13th of August.

Battle Surges On  
This was the day the undeclared war hit Shanghai. The battle surged on early this morning, somewhat lessened in intensity. Flames, too, flicked viciously through scattered districts, their ghostly glare silhouetting Japanese and foreign men-of-war in the Whangpoo.

Friday's new maelstrom of shell fire and shrapnel prompted French authorities to give blunt notice that they expected both sides to curb hostilities during evacuation of 850 French and American refugees.

While Japanese planes droned over the city dropping bombs on Chinese positions across the Whangpoo, French consular and military officials prepared to safeguard the refugees down the river to the French liner Sphinx.

Americans Leaving  
The Sphinx is scheduled to sail at 8 a. m. Many Americans have booked passage.

The Japanese bombardment in the early morning darkness was Nippon's angry answer to a Chinese counter offensive which stalled Japan's long promised "big push."

Chinese guns roared along the Whangpoo, raking Japanese warships and turning Shanghai's waterfront into a shell-shattered battlefield.

The river seemed almost impassable for a tender, but French auxiliary boats were seen to move.

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## FULLER SETS RECORD ON FLIGHT EAST FOR BENDIX COMPETITION

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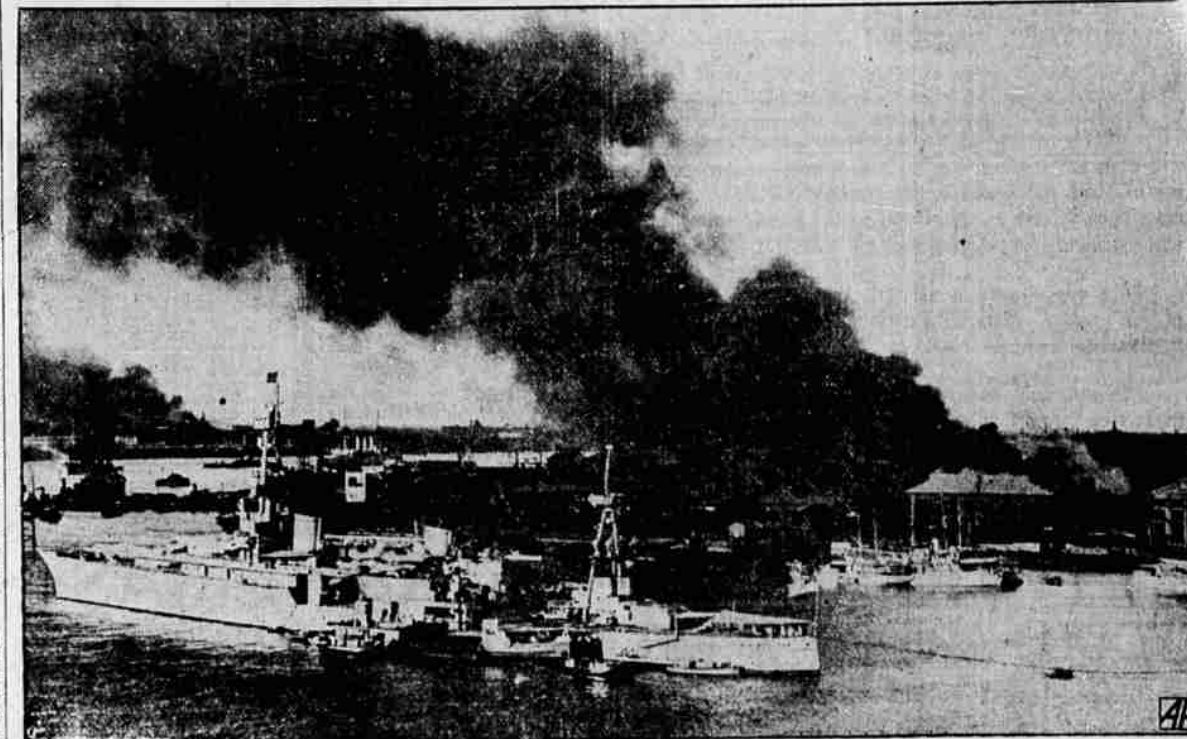
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## Bombardment, Flame Wreak Havoc in Shanghai Area



The picture at top, flown to San Francisco on the Philippine Clipper, and to the Mail Tribune by Air Mail, is the first showing of the U. S. S. Augusta (in foreground). The picture was taken from the Associated Press office in Shanghai and shows the fire which cost countless lives and estimated damage of \$100,000,000.

Center scene is the first to show the havoc created by the heavy artillery shell which dropped in Nanking road between Wing On and Co. (left) and Sincere Co. (right) August 23, killing nearly 400.

At bottom hundreds of fleeing terror-stricken Chinese non-combatants are shown obeying the command "hands up" from Japanese soldiers in the Shanghai area. (A. P. photos by air mail to Mail Tribune.)

COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 3.—(AP)—Three hundred farmers routed pickets today from the local plant of the Morgan Packing company without serious violence and plant operations were resumed with between 300 and 400 employees back at work.

Operation of the plant was halted late yesterday when the 700 employees left their jobs in support of a demand for higher wages.

The farmers, organized during the night by Clarence Thompson, Bartholomew county farm agent, and aided by police and sheriff's officers, marched to the plant at 7 o'clock this morning in a body. As the group approached, the pickets left.

Nine persons were arrested on charges of disorderly conduct and assault and battery.

The farmers had tomatoes and corn at the plant and in the fields for which the company had contracted.

COVADONGA DIVORCE PETITION IS FILED

HAVANA, Sept. 3.—(AP)—Lawyer Jose L. Pessino filed the divorce suit of the Count and Countess of Covadonga today, exactly two months after their marriage here July 3.

Pessino acted as lawyer both for the count, eldest son of former King Alfonso XIII of Spain, and Marta Rocafort, his commoner wife. The countess did not ask for alimony in the mutual agreement proceedings.

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## SCHOOLS TO OPEN TUESDAY MORNING FOR ALL GRADES

Senior High Book Exchange Will Open Saturday — New Pupils in City Asked to Arrange for Credits

All city schools, elementary, junior and senior high, will open Tuesday, September 7.

Regular class work starts Tuesday, September 7, and senior high students are expected to report at 8:20 (excepting in the case of bus pupils who can report at 9). The school formally opens at 9 o'clock. The early morning period, beginning at 8:20, will be maintained the same as last year, but classes scheduled for that period are duplicated later in the day.

The senior high book exchange will be open to receive books from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. on Saturday. Books will not be sold from the exchange until Tuesday.

Pupils new to the Medford school system should see to it that credits are in the hands of the high school office staff at the time they present themselves for registration.

Junior high school pupils unable to register ahead of time may do so when school opens. This includes bus pupils who need not report until 9 a. m. Tuesday.

Entering seventh grade pupils who attended one of Medford's public schools last year are not to report to the junior high until Tuesday morning at 8:30. Registration of all old pupils has been done and they are not to report until Tuesday morning.

Books are furnished for seventh and eighth grade pupils. The book exchange will be open Tuesday morning and at stated times thereafter.

Elementary pupils for grades one to six will report for registration at 8 a. m. at their respective schools.

All pupils who are six years of age not later than October 15 may enter school unconditionally. Pupils who will be six years of age between October 16 and January 21 may enter school by taking a test and showing a mental development of six and one-half years. The entering of under age pupils is discouraged by the school system as it has seldom proved a wise thing to do.

The following elementary schools of the city house grades one to six: Roosevelt, Lincoln, Jackson and Washington. Roosevelt serves all territory east of the center line of the Pacific highway; Lincoln that portion of the city west of the Pacific highway and east of the Southern Pacific railroad tracks; Jackson, north-west part of the city which lies west of the Southern Pacific railroad tracks and north of the center line of West Main street and the Jacksonville highway; the Washington school serves the southwest part of the city, lying west of the railroad tracks and south of the center line of West Main street and Jacksonville highway.

The junior high school serves the entire city for grades seven, eight and nine. The senior high school likewise serves the entire city for grades ten, eleven and twelve.

All pupils are expected to report to their own respective schools for the opening day. Following registration, where it can be shown that individual parents and pupils will be better accommodated by attending at some other school, a request for transfer may be filed with the school superintendent, but until a transfer can be effected a pupil must attend the school to which he is assigned.

All elementary text books are furnished, according to law, to pupils of the first eight grades. These will be distributed at the time of their registration in the several schools of the city.

PENDLETON WOMAN IS HIT AND RUN VICTIM

PENDLETON, Sept. 3.—(AP)—City police today were investigating circumstances of the death here last night of Mrs. Charles Addison, 69, Pendleton housewife, who died in a local hospital of injuries received when struck by a hit-and-run driver.

She was found unconscious on a paved street in the east part of the city about 9:30 p. m.

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## LEWIS WILL SEEK FARMER SUPPORT FOR THIRD PARTY

Bushy-Browed Chief of CIO to Make Bid for Political Alliance of Farmers and Labor in Talk Tonight

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—(AP)—John L. Lewis indicated today he will bid for a political alliance of farmers and labor in a broadcast address tonight.

The bushy-browed chief of the Committee for Industrial Organization said farmers were the "natural allies" of labor and added:

"Some of the means whereby labor expects to consolidate and further this natural alliance will be discussed in my speech."

Lewis' address will be broadcast by a radio network (CBS) from 9:30 to 10 p. m. (eastern standard time).

Third Party Hint.

His intimation of its character recalled his statement at the end of congress, criticizing the Democratic leadership. It was interpreted by many congressmen as a threat of a third party in 1940. Senator Lundeen (R.-Mo.) predicted a national labor party in the next presidential election.

Lewis said he also will talk about the bloody steel strike of the early summer and mention some of "the public officials who betrayed their trust and used the forces of government against labor."

His speech will be the first of a series of week-end oratorical efforts by labor leaders which may set forth further policy in the struggle for

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## OFFICE OPEN LATE SATURDAY EVENING FOR SUBSCRIBERS

The Mail Tribune's annual bargain days begin officially tomorrow and will continue through September 18.

During this period the Mail Tribune may be ordered at special low rates. This is an annual event of long standing and at no other time during the year is a reduced rate offered for yearly subscriptions.

To receive subscriptions the Mail Tribune office will be open tomorrow from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., Sunday from 8 a. m. to noon and Monday (Labor Day) from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

As in the past the bargain rates during this ten-day period will be \$5 by carrier delivery where carrier service is maintained and \$3.50 by mail delivery in Jackson, Josephine and Siskiyou counties. These special rates represent a saving of \$2.50 on carrier subscriptions and \$3.70 on mail subscriptions.

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