

INDIA IS GIANT COMPLEXITY OF RACES, BELIEFS

Over 1,808,000 Sq. Miles and 350,000,000 People — Britain Holds Reins

By the Associated Press
The giant patchwork known as India is a confusing complex of racial, religious, cultural and political rivalries over which Britain gradually gained dominance in the 17th and 18th centuries.

India's size and difficult geographical nature make for lack of unity. It is rich in manpower and natural resources.

With 6,000 miles of land frontier and 5,000 miles of sea-board, India has an area of more than 1,808,000 square miles, and a crowded population of more than 350,000,000.

These millions—between one-fifth and one-sixth of the earth's population—present all shades of social and economic variation, from fabulously rich maharajahs to poverty-stricken "untouchables."

Over 200 Languages
With the blood of many races in their veins, these peoples speak more than 200 languages and dialects and practice many religions, some of them bitterly antagonistic to one another.

The vast Hindu group has 240,000,000 adherents in India, the Moslems some 77,000,000.

India is divided politically into a British India of 11 provinces which are governed by representatives of the crown, and a native India of more than 360 states ruled with varying degrees of authority by native princes who hold their power through treaties and alliances with Britain.

The conflict between the great Hindu majority and the militant Moslems, who provide some of the best fighting men in the British Indian army, and that between the native princes, who depend largely on British support to hold their thrones, and the independence-seeking masses led by the congress party, have complicated Britain's problems.

CARE URGED IN CALL TO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire department headquarters said today that telephone calls other than reports of fires were being received daily over the emergency line.

The emergency number should be dialed only in case of fire and all other calls should be made by dialing the ordinary number, 3790, headquarters said. Cooperation of the public was requested to avert confusion.

STATE GUARD OFFICERS ARE GIVEN PROMOTION

Camp Murray, Wash., Aug. 9.—(P)—Major General George A. White, commanding the 41st division, announced the promotion of Major Charles A. Meek, Eugene, to Lieutenant Colonel to command the 1st battalion and Captain H. G. Maison of Salem to major in command of the 3d battalion.

Sub Given Up
London, Aug. 9.—(P)—The admiralty announced tonight that the British submarine Oswald, which had been operating in the Mediterranean, was considered lost. (The Italian high command announced the sinking of the Oswald earlier this week.)

"Oregon Sugar Time"

AUG. 2 TO 17

"I learn with special interest that many of Oregon's communities are preparing to set aside August 2 to August 17 as 'Oregon Sugar Time.' As Governor of the State, I should like to add my word of encouragement to this worthy movement, and urge upon all citizens of Oregon the need for greater support of this, as well as other home industries..."

Proclaimed by dozens of Oregon mayors and endorsed wholeheartedly by Governor Sprague, "Oregon Sugar Time" presents an opportunity for all consumers and distributors of sugar to support a basic industry that will return approximately \$5,000,000 to the state this year and will bring benefits to many thousands of Oregonians. Moreover, it is the peer of all sugars.



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NAZIS EXERCISE STRICT CONTROL IN REPATRIATION

Only Trickle of Refugees Allowed to Pass to Former Homes in Occupied France

By Lloyd Lehrbas
Moulins, France, Aug. 9.—(P)—Only trickles of refugees, mostly trickling afoot or riding bicycles, are allowed to pass through this bottleneck of the jealously guarded pathway to their former homes in German-occupied territory.

A day of watching the lines of war-wanderers seeking to return to their home towns or farms—traveling on foot, on automobiles, bicycles and wagons—discloses that a major element in the slowness is the rigid control the Germans exercise along the border between the occupied and unoccupied zones.

Rigid Examinations
(Moulins lies along the Alliers river in central France, about 160 miles southeast of Paris and 30 miles north of Vichy, temporary capital of the Petain government.)

Every returning refugee must have papers approved by French and German control stations and must undergo examinations by the Germans before being permitted to pass the barriers.

Under German instructions, the French have established control barriers two miles from Moulins, leaving a "no man's land" between these barriers and a German control station at a bridge over the Alliers river outside Moulins.

Refugees have piled up at these barriers like driftwood, while waiting long periods for examination of their papers.

FROZEN FOOD HOARD PROPOSED AS PHASE OF DEFENSE EFFORT

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 9.—(P)—A vast network of plants where Uncle Sam would hoard frozen foods against the day of national emergency has been proposed here as a defense measure.

Roger Sprague, an engineer who for more than 20 years has been engaged in the construction and promotion of locker plant facilities for frozen foods, likens the proposed system to a "line" more formidable in the event of war than the Maginot and Siegfried lines combined.

Sprague said steps have been taken to present the plan to the national defense board. As evidence of its practicality, he pointed to the operation of 2,700 frozen foods and locker plants for patrons from the Pacific northwest to the eastern seaboard.

The plants now being used he described as well-equipped food processing, storage and distributing centers, serving the needs of communities in which they are established.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.



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- Double Fudge Cake All chocolate.
- Honey Macaroon Cake Yellow three-layer.
- Silver Pineapple Cake White three-layer.
- Angel Cakes in wide variety
- Choice 49c - 1/2 Cake 25c
- Angel Cake Loaf for ice cream service 29c
- Apple Sauce Cake... each 15c

For Breakfast:

- Danish Minced Orange Roll 3 for 10c
- Jelly Twists 3 for 10c



Fresh Huckleberry Pie

Fresh luscious ripe huckleberries from Huckleberry mountain—with flaky Home Purity crust.

- 8-inch Pie 25c
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Snowdrift Shortening 3-lb. can 42c

Libby Apple Butter No. 1 tall can 10c

Gold Bar Pure Fruit Preserves, 9 1/2-oz. can, 3 for 25c (Strawberry and Raspberry 10c)

Junket Ice Cream Powder 3 pkgs. 20c

Pard Dog Food 3 cans 25c

Gold Bar Catsup, 14-oz. bottle 2 for 25c

Gold Bar Large Ripe Olives No. 1 tall can 15c

Bagley Standard Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 can 3 for 25c

Palmolive Soap 3 bars 14c

Peet's Mechanic Soap bar 5c

Crystal Cocoa Hard Water Soap 6 bars 25c

Crystal White Soap, 10 for 25c; Jumbo bar, 5 for 25c

Super Suds large pkg. 15c

Concentrated Super Suds pkg. 15c

Peet's Granulated Soap pkg. 19c

Crystal White Soap Chips 5-lb. pkg. 27c

Flavor Loaf Flour 49-lb. \$1.43

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Drifted Snow Flour 49-lb. \$1.49

Kitchen Bouquet Flour 49-lb. \$1.09

Super Meat Market

The Kind of Meat You like to Eat

- Shoulder Pork Roast lb. 15c
- Shoulder Veal Roast lb. 15c
- Ground Ham and Veal for loaf lb. 20c
- Boned and Rolled Prime Rib of Steer Beef Roast lb. 25c
- Chuck Roast of Steer Beef lb. 15c
- Ground Steer Beef lb. 15c
- Summer Lean All-Pork Sausage lb. 15c (Mild or full sage seasoned)
- Sweet Pickles pint 15c
- Pure Lard 3 lbs. 25c
- Oro Shortening 4-lb. carton 33c

A Hot Weather Supper

1 Lb. Cooked Veal Loaf, 1 Pint Home Purity Potato Salad

Both - 29c

Sams Valley Grange Dance Saturday Night, Aug. 10 Good music. Supper at midnight.

- Jell Well Dessert 3 pkgs. 10c
- Cascade Crackers 2-lb. box 14c
- Cascade Grahams 2-lb. box 15c
- Golden West Coffee lb. can 23c 3-lb. 65c
- Folger's Coffee lb. can 23c 2-lb. 45c
- Gold Bar Coffee 1 lb. 22c 2 lbs. 41c
- Z-Mor-U Coffee lb. 20c 2 lbs. 39c (Freshly roasted and ground to suit your coffee maker.)
- Melorama Coffee lb. 15c 2 lbs. 29c (New low price on this fine Brazilian coffee—ground when you buy.)
- Gold Bar Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2 1/2 can, 2 for 25c

Tomatoes & Melons

- Tomatoes, 2 1/2-lb. basket 5c
- Tomatoes 50 lb. Lug Box 43c (Bring a box—the lug box belongs to the grower)
- Cantaloupes, 54s 3 for 5c
- Home-grown Watermelons lb. 1 1/2c
- California Watermelons lb. 1c (Not enough home-grown yet—when plentiful, no California melons)

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