

# JAP PUNISHMENT FOR BARBARITY IS EVATT'S DEMAND

Australia's Foreign Minister Releases Report On Jap Treatment of Captives

London, Sept. 12—(U.P.)—Foreign Minister Dr. Herbert Evatt of Australia demanded today that "superior officers up to the highest"—presumably including Emperor Hirohito and the imperial general staff—be punished for Japanese barbarity in the Southwest Pacific.

He made the demand in releasing Australia's official report to the United Nations War Crimes Commission on Japanese cannibalism and tortures in the Australian war zone.

**Cannibalism Charged**

The report charged:

1. Japanese soldiers ate flesh from their own and American and Australian dead in New Guinea following the Buna-China campaign in 1942-3.
2. 150 Australians who surrendered under a white flag in

New Britain were shot or bayoneted to death, a few at a time in the presence of those still to die.

3. Two Roman Catholic priests, one a Dutchman and the other an American, and two Catholic nuns were bayoneted to death in a New Britain village about Aug. 19, 1942. The bodies of the nuns were naked when found.
4. Two American prisoners were dissected and their livers removed while they were still alive in the Kokumbona area of Guadalcanal in the latter part of September 1942.

**No Humanity**

5. Japanese troops killed up to 59 natives and 38 Australian soldiers without justification or excuse at Milne Bay, New Guinea, in 1942. Many, including women natives, were subjected to frightful mutilation and some were used for bayonette practice while they still were alive.

Evatt said the report, taken in conjunction with the American statement on atrocities released last week, strengthened "the confirmed policy of the Australian government . . . that there should be no immunity for trial for war crimes for any Japanese whatsoever."

Australia has informed the war crimes commission that it desires machinery be set in motion immediately for the trial of Japanese war criminals, Evatt said.

He said the Australian report

was based on the testimony of 500 witnesses and was prepared by Justice Webb, chief justice of Queensland for the war crimes commission.

## Court House News

**Divorce Complaints**  
 Sydney S. Barker vs. Clara Ella Barker.  
 Uriah Gordon vs. Deia Stephens Gordon.  
 Doris Maxine White vs. William P. White.  
 Margaret McGinty vs. Edward McGinty.

**Divorce Decrees**  
 Bernard Ronald Mattheisen vs. Deloris May Mattheisen.  
 Betty Jean Stacey vs. William B. Stacey.  
 Lois Marie Pattschull vs. Earl Theo Pattschull.  
 Florabel Iverson vs. Arthur Iverson.  
 Pearl Rogers vs. Robert Rogers.

**Home From Service**—County men reporting to Selective Service board No. 2 yesterday following honorable discharge from the army were John G. Watson, Clayton D. Ayres, Don E. Sears, Emil M. Anger, and Wilbur L. Warhurst.

**In Mishap**—Dean De Berry, 522 Crater Lake avenue, was slightly injured yesterday evening when the bicycle he was operating went to pieces at the intersection of Main street and Riverside avenue, city police reported today.

**Son Born**—A son was born the morning of Sept. 10 to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Klein, formerly of Medford and now of Portland. The infant weighed nine pounds and three ounces and has been named Ronald Charles. Mrs. Klein is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Brommer, 821 Minnesota avenue.

**Returns**—Mrs. Laura Albertz, 236 South Central avenue, returned yesterday from Fresno, Calif., where she spent the past eleven days with Mr. and Mrs. Eino Hemmila and family. Mr. Hemmila, former manager of the local theaters, returned with Mrs. Albertz and will resume duties as manager of the Grants Pass theaters.

**Council To Meet**—Townsend District council will meet Sunday, Sept. 16, at the K. of P. hall with the session opening at nine o'clock, members state. A potluck dinner will be served at 12:30 o'clock. Anyone interested is invited to attend. It was also announced that John Weir, due to attend the council meeting, is ill and unable to be present.

**McKelly Here**—R.L. McKelly, Los Angeles, representative of The Packer, weekly newspaper for growers, packers and shippers of the produce industry, and The Red Book, rating agency of the produce industry similar to Dunn and Bradstreet, is in Medford contacting local produce men. McKelly, registered at the Medford Hotel, will be here until Saturday.

**In States**—First Lt. Johnnie Davidson, who arrived in the United States yesterday, is expected home soon on a 30-day leave before reporting for further service in Texas, according to a phone call from the officer to his wife, Helen, route 1, box 368. Lt. Davidson has spent the past nine months with army forces in Italy and arrived in the States with the 45th division.

**Here From Texas**—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Womack of McLain, Tex., arrived in the valley last Friday and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Mathes, Central Point. Mrs. Womack is Mrs. Mathes' mother. Another daughter is Mrs. R. E. Rawson, 329 King street, and a son, J. M. Parsons, resides in Klamath Falls. The Womacks

## LOCALS

**Bike Stolen**—A bicycle belonging to Wayne Finley, route 4, was reported stolen yesterday from a rack in front of a local business house, city police said today.

**Stewart Discharged**—Among the Oregon men recently honorably discharged from the separation center at Ft. Lewis, Wash., was T/Sgt. Robert A. Stewart, a dispatch from the center states.

**Receives Medal**—Sgt. Jessie F. Windes of Medford was recently awarded the bronze star medal for meritorious service with the War headquarters platoon, Fifth Army, Italy, an army dispatch states.

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plan to remain in Oregon about six months.

**Visiting Father**—Cpl. Phyllis Curry and First Lt. Neal A. Curry, son and daughter of Allen D. Curry, 503 Benson street, are visiting their father while on leave from the service. Cpl. Curry arrived home Saturday from Camp Pickett, Va., and the lieutenant arrived by plane yesterday after two years with the medical corps in the European theater. Also visiting at the Curry home is Miss Shirley Scoggins, The Dalles, Ore. The family will leave this week-end to visit T/Sgt. Wayne Curry with the air corps in Sacramento, Calif., who expects to leave for overseas duty soon.

## Women Slay Bear With Small Rifle

Armed only with a .22 rifle, Mrs. Audrey Gabriel and her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Krichesky, killed a large black bear near their home at Drew recently. Mrs. James, 337 East Jackson street, reports that Mrs. Gabriel shot once at the animal, the bullet lodging behind the ear, and that Mrs. Krichesky dashed to the house for a butcher knife with which she completed the job of extermination.

The two women photographed the animal, after which it was dressed and the meat placed in cold storage.

**BURGLARY FACTORY**  
 Hollywood, Sept. 12—(U.P.)—A complete "burglary factory" was seized today by detectives Frank Warren and Bob Hodgins when they arrested Joe Mattheis for robbing the wallet of Irwin Krebs. Included in the "factory" was everything from sledgehammers to a complete key-cutting machine, bolt cutters, more than one hundred other tools, two sawed-off shotguns, revolvers and automatics in shoulder holsters.

## Daily Weather Report

**FORECASTS**  
 Medford and vicinity: Clear tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature.  
 Oregon: Clear tonight and Thursday except fog on coast. Warmer north portion and gentle northerly winds off coast.

**LOCAL DATA**  
 Temperature a year ago today: Highest 85; Lowest 52.  
 Total precipitation since September 1, 1945: .04 inches.  
 Deficiency for the month: 13 inches.  
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 Relative humidity at 5:30 p. m. yesterday: 11%; 5:30 today: 61%.  
 Sunrise 6:47 a. m. Sunset 7:28 p. m.  
 Tomorrow at 5:30 a. m.: 120 Meridian Time.

Place	High	Low	Prec.
Biose	85	53	
Boston	84	69	.05
Chicago	67	51	
Danver	84	45	.14
Eureka	69	51	
Hayward	64	39	.01
Los Angeles	97	60	
Medford	109	53	
New York	91	68	.20
Owens	74	23	.01
Phoenix	107	72	
Portland	80	55	

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 Washington, D. C. 75 62 Closing time for Classified Ads 8:30  
 Yakima 67 44 a. m.—Too Late to Classify 12:15 p. m.

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Fine soft leather with water-repellent lining. Zippered.

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**Justice Court**  
 Henry Slover, combination overload, \$8.50 and costs.  
 George E. Elrod, truck speeding, \$2.50 and costs.  
 Robert A. Smoot, overweight load, \$2.50 and costs.  
 Roland T. Morrison, no operator's license, \$1 and costs.  
 Frank A. Lindstrom, combination overload, \$8.50 and costs.  
**Police Court**  
 Ed Milne, overparking, \$1 bail.  
**State Police**  
 Iris B. Millard, Jr., and Joseph O. Francis, overweight loads, cited.

**BIRTHS**  
 GRIMES—To Mr. and Mrs. Elmo, 715 Alder, Sept. 12, 1945, a girl, 7 pounds, at Community hospital.

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