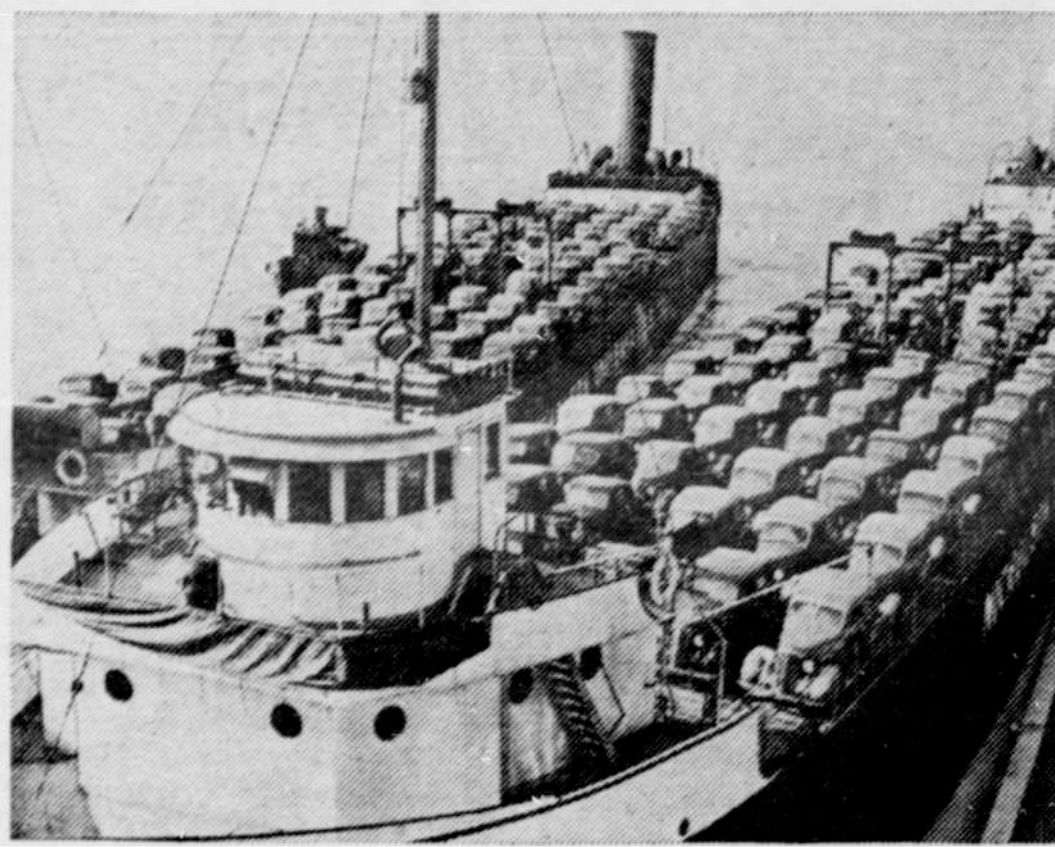


They "Saved" the Bremerton Navy Yard



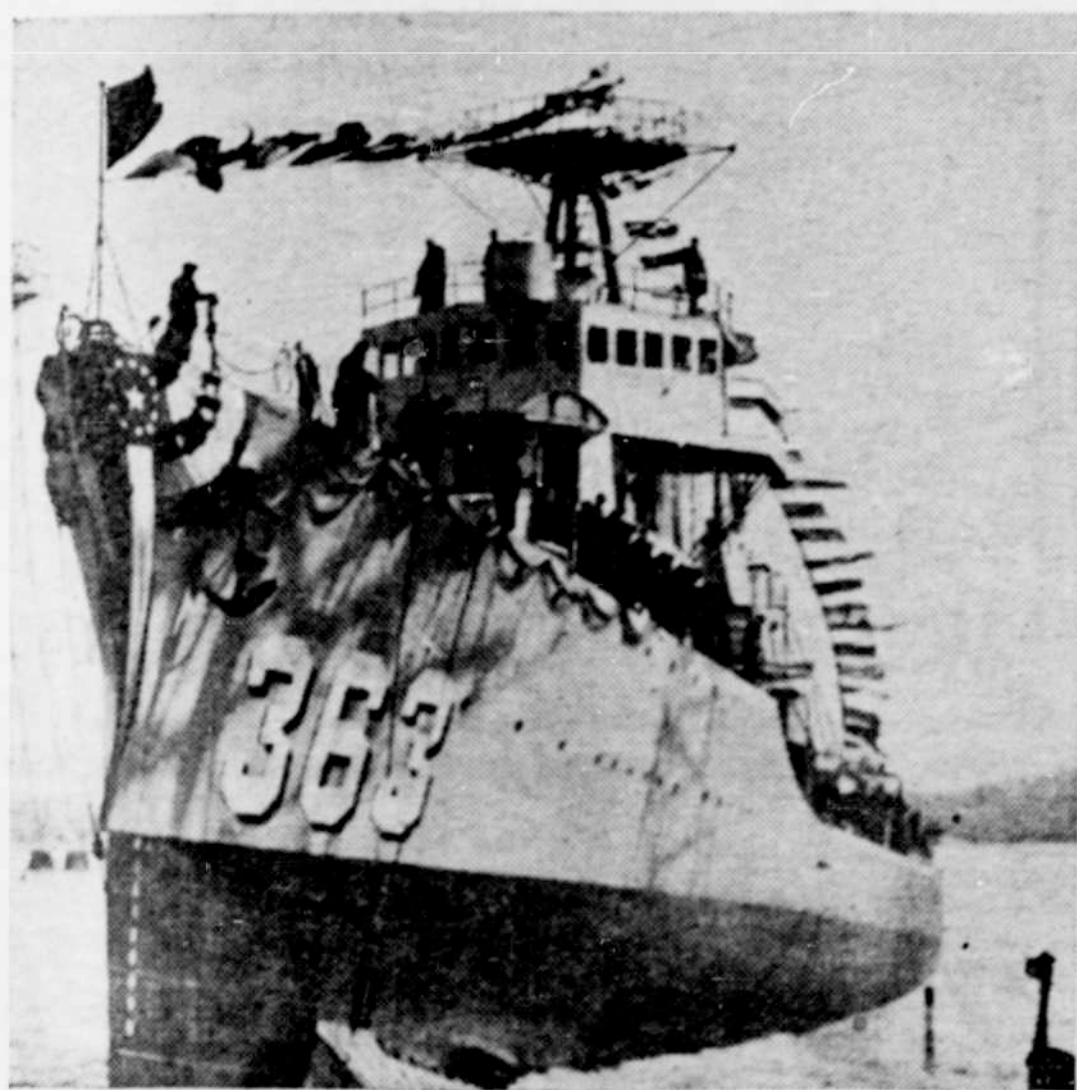
The motorized forces of Fort Lewis, Washington, were moved to Bremerton navy yard, a distance of 80 miles, in record time to repulse an attack by a mythical enemy. The photograph shows a portion of the four-mile long motorized unit on the road in the early morning hours.

Great Lakes Shipping Season Opens



Battering their way through ice floes from fifteen to eighteen inches thick, these two lake steamers from Detroit docked in Cleveland harbor, opening the 1936 shipping season in the Great Lakes. Both vessels had holds and decks filled with new automobiles consigned to eastern buyers.

One More Destroyer Is Launched



View of the launching of the new 1,850-ton destroyer leader Balch at the Bethlehem shipbuilding plant at Fore River, Mass. This 372-foot warship, one of four of a new development in navy vessels built, or building, was named for Rear Admiral George Beal Balch, Mexican and Civil war naval hero, and was sponsored by his granddaughter, Miss Gertrude Balch of Wilmington, Del.

Ancient Skyscrapers in the Arabian Desert



Like a fata morgana the city of Shiban looms out of the desert. It is an Arabian city of skyscrapers that thrived in the days of the queen of Sheba and is a busy trade center even today. The city was built in this manner for reasons of warfare. Each community must be a fort prepared to resist the raids of nomadic Arab tribes. The skyscrapers were old in years when America was a land of log cabins. This rare picture was obtained by Hans Helfritz, author of "Land Without Shade," and is published here through the courtesy of Robert McBride company.

Fleet Chief of Staff Hands Out Boxing Trophies



Rear Admiral James O. Richardson, U. S. N., chief of staff, U. S. fleet, shown with boxing champions of the navy to whom he had just presented championship belts. Left to right are: Nick Russi, U. S. S. destroyer tender Altair, welterweight; Ernie Schaub, U. S. S. Colorado, middleweight; Ray Butler, U. S. S. Dobbin, light-heavyweight; Rear Admiral Richardson; Dub Bowen, U. S. S. Pensacola, lightweight; Alex Pepin, U. S. S. Mississippi, featherweight; Bob Jacobs, U. S. S. Altair, bantamweight.

Surveying All New Deal Agencies



These three men, left to right, Dr. Luther H. Gulick of New York, Charles E. Merriam of Chicago and Louis Brownlow of Washington, D. C., have been named by President Roosevelt as a special committee of three which will survey the multitudinous New Deal agencies to ascertain which shall be scrapped, reduced or molded into the permanent framework of the government. Gulick was a director of the New York bureau of municipal research and of several similar bodies. Brownlow is a journalist and public administrator. Merriam is professor of political science at the University of Chicago.