

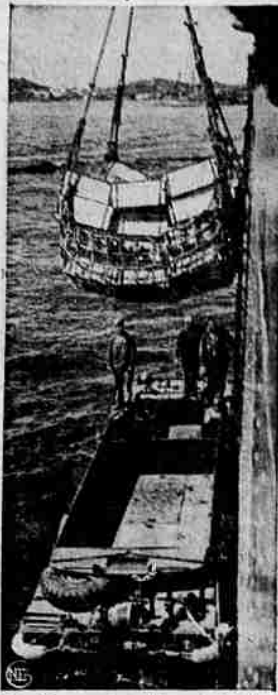
# NEWS OF THE WEEK IN PICTURES

### Any Old Shoes to Sell?



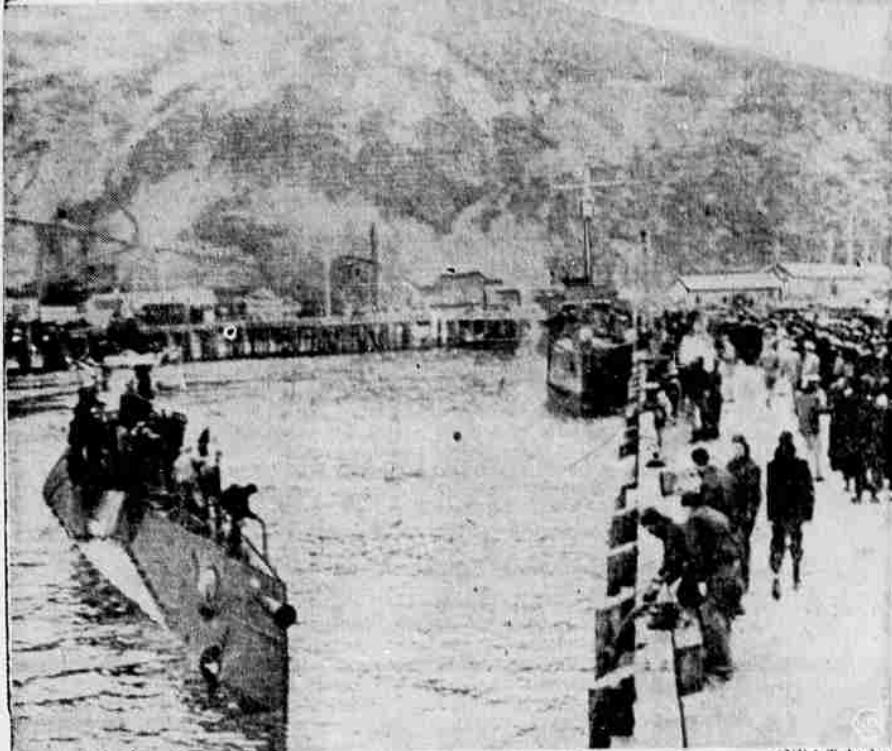
Ever feel like an old shoe? Well, Shoe Salesman Sherman Rabinovich, above, probably felt like one after last-day San Francisco customers gave him the rush act to buy shoes before their No. 17 ration stamps expired.

### Army's Duck



Loading up alongside a freighter is one of the Army's new 2 1/2-ton amphibian trucks, known as the Duck because of its official designation as model DUKW.

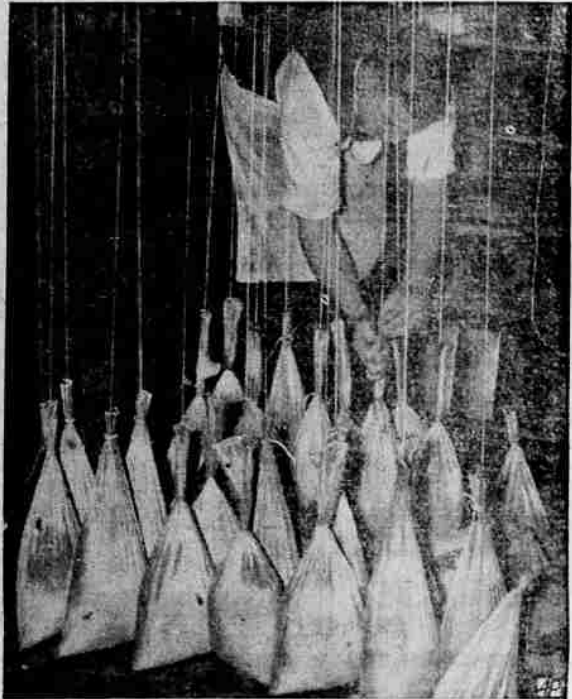
### 'Alaska Homecoming for Triumphant U. S. Submarine



An American submarine, which sank five Jap ships in the Pacific, receives a gala welcome as she comes to tie up at her Dutch Harbor, Alaska, base. The enemy victims included two merchant and three warships. (NEA Telephoto)



**GUN STUDY EN ROUTE**—Traveling by train to a desert maneuver area, a pullman car-load of soldiers get instruction on their Garand rifles. This train was one of several required to move a division across country.



**ANOTHER WAR SHORTAGE**—Violin strings are running short in Australia, due to war conditions, so processed strings are stretched for 24 hours with 15-pound sandbags to create a local supply in Sydney, N. S. W.



These one-time waker-uppers will work a darned sight better as bombsights now that they're in the hands of the Army. Turned over to Midland, Tex., bombardier school, the broken clocks will be used to make classroom bombsights.



**MODERN ATHENS**—This view of peaceful Athens, capital of Greece, shows it before it was crushed beneath the heel of Axis occupation forces.



**'SWOOSE' PILOT**—Back from the southwest Pacific where he piloted the famous Flying Fortress, "The Swoose," is Lt. Col. Frank Kurtz, shown with his wife, Margo. Col. Kurtz, a noted swimmer, was on U. S. 1936 Olympic team.



**BOND SALESMEN**—Crooner Bing Crosby and Alec Templeton, famed blind pianist, get together for a recording to be played on the "Treasury Song Parade," radio program designed to encourage purchase of U. S. War Bonds.



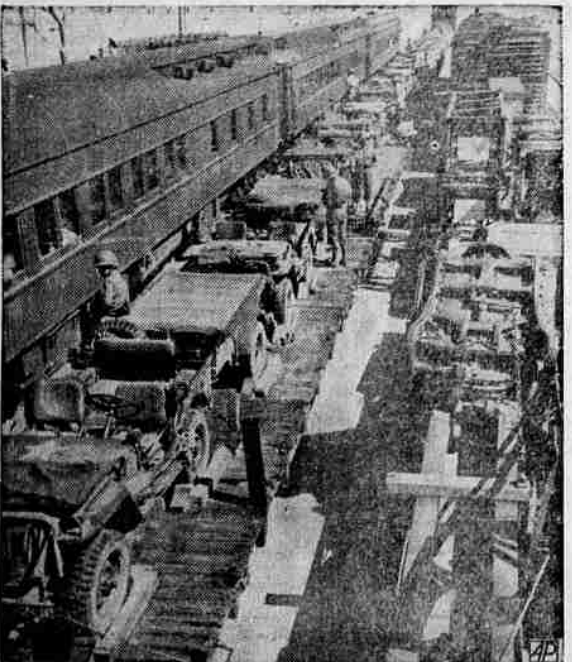
**ELECTED**—Pilots of big U. S. Army Air Force planes at Camp Parks, Calif., had an election of their own recently and chose Helen O'Connell (above), ash-blonde songstress, as their "Bomba dear."



**KEY TO NORWAY'S 'WAIST'**—Vital to German defenses in Norway is Trondheim (above), seaport city on the "waist" of Norway. Fall of Trondheim might cut off northern Norway.



**CHOW TIME**—Meal time on a U. S. troop train finds the officers served their mess on paper plates, others eating from their mess kits. Menu usually includes meat, vegetables, fruit, bread and butter, beverage and dessert.



**READY TO ROLL**—Flat cars loaded with mechanized equipment of a division of U. S. troops get a final checkup before leaving a bivouac for the Arizona desert for maneuvers. All vehicles are blocked and wired down.

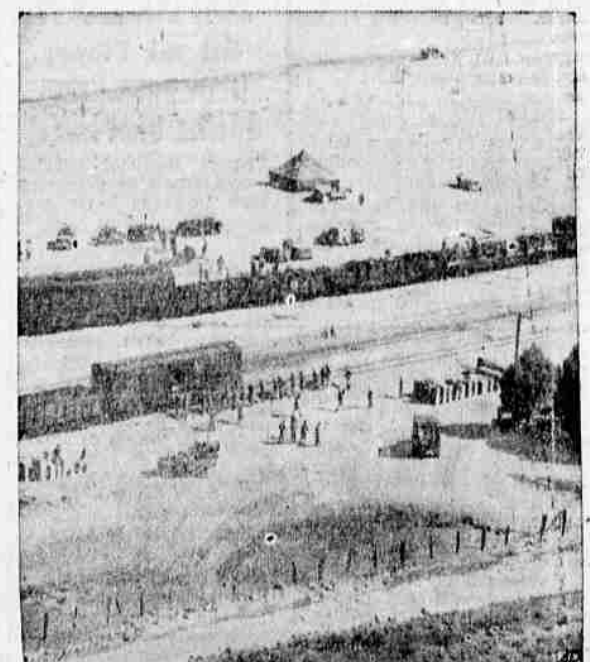


**NICE GOING, COUNT**—Count Fleet gets an approving pat from his owner, Mrs. John D. Hertz of Chicago after adding the Withers Mile, Belmont Park feature race, to his Kentucky Derby and Pimlico victories. Jockey Johnny Longden is up.

### Before the Fall of Lampedusa



RAF Boston bombers cloud the skies over the doomed Italian island of Lampedusa in the Mediterranean. The photo was made before the Allies occupied the island on June 12. (NEA Telephoto)



**JOURNEY'S END**—At a siding on the Arizona desert this train carrying part of a division of U. S. troops is being unloaded preparatory to maneuvers. The trip was carried out under simulated combat conditions.