

NO OPTIMISM FOR JAPS ON WAR SITUATION

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 (AP)—The Tokyo radio, in broadcasts reported to the office of war information, told the people of Japan today that the "development of the war situation hereafter warrants absolutely no optimism."

One Tokyo domestic broadcast, the OWI said, admitted that the Japanese had suffered "costly" losses in the operations around Lae, New Guinea, and cautioned that the allies would "continue such persistent movements." The commentator insisted, however, that the Japanese had struck "annihilating blows" at those allied forces which had landed near Lae.

A Japanese naval war correspondent who recently returned to Tokyo from the South Pacific broadcast an impressive picture of American strength in that war theater, the OWI added.

"The battles of the South Pacific area mount in fury with each passing moment," he was quoted as saying. "Recent offensive moves by enemy forces in the Rendova, New Georgia and New Guinea areas are a preparatory step with the object of taking control of strategic bases on our New Guinea island."

American production power, he added, has enabled the allies to send out aircraft in day and night raids in forces of "from 100 to 200 planes, proof enough of the ferocity of the battles."

"The enemy is steadily pouring mechanized equipment into the South Pacific," the correspondent said. "We cannot afford to slacken even for a split second."

Fractured Wrist Puts Dick Bartell From Giant Lineup

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 (AP)—Dick Bartell, fiery infielder for the New York Giants, is lost to the club for the remainder of the season.

X-ray pictures of his right wrist, where he was nicked Sunday by a pitch thrown by Rex Barney of Brooklyn, showed a fractured bone.

Big Timber Deal Recorded at Eureka

EUREKA, Calif., Sept. 7 (AP)—The largest timber deal ever recorded in Humboldt county was completed yesterday when a Northern California investment corporation purchased 25,999 acres of timber land from the Bayside Lumber company. All the timber is pine and fir. The new owners expect to start operations within the near future.

ORDERS IS ORDERS
U. S. ARMY HEADQUARTERS, South Pacific, (AP)—In the final drive on Munda Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler refused to rest, so a higher officer detailed an aid to Beightler's dugout with orders to see that he stopped worrying and slept.

Next morning, the aide, his eyes looking like holes burned in a blanket, reported to the top officer:

"Sir, General Beightler kept me up all night."

Rain never falls in the interior of Antarctica; moisture falls there in the form of snow.

Lodge Official



District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Ernest L. Scott, Medford, representing the Oregon south district, will make his official visit to Klamath Falls Elks lodge Thursday evening. Initiation of a class of candidates will be a feature of the evening. A light lunch will be served after lodge.

Tubbs Wins Money In Bareback Ride Of Boise Rodeo

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 7 (AP)—Johnny Tubbs of Spokane, Wash., won first place money in the bareback riding contest of Boise's third war bond rodeo which closed last night.

Johnny's four-day score averaged 620 points. Trailing him by a small margin was Smokey Snyder of Pueblo, Colo. Cecil Bedford of Walla Walla, Wash., won third place money and Larry Daniels, Homestead, Ore., was fourth.

Ten Killed In Crash of Bomber

HOBBS, N. M., Sept. 7 (AP)—Ten men were killed in the crash of a four-engine bomber Sunday afternoon near Memphis, Tenn., the public relations office at the Hobbs army air field, from which the plane had departed on a routine training flight, announced yesterday.

They included Sgt. Vidma W. Poole, husband of Mrs. Ada Poole, Marshfield, Ore.

THE TOUCH
LOS ANGELES, (AP)—Robert B. Agins willingly gave a dime to the stranger who asked him for a lone ten cent piece. The man drew closer, to lay his hands on Agins' shoulders and bless him. A few minutes later Agins discovered his wallet, containing \$100 was gone.

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JOHN CUDAHY KILLED WHILE RIDING HORSE

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 7 (AP)—John Cudahy, 55-year-old director of the Wisconsin council of defense and former United States diplomat, was killed yesterday in following his favorite sport—horseback riding.

Cudahy was pronounced dead of a broken neck by Dr. T. R. Murphy, of the county general hospital after his body was found on his 250-acre country estate at nearby Brown Deer, by Earl Kramer, of Racine, Wis., who was visiting friends near the Cudahy home, and who saw Cudahy's riderless horse. Sheriff's deputies theorized that Cudahy was thrown when his horse stumbled in trying to jump a small drainage ditch.

Cudahy was named ambassador to Poland in 1933 by President Roosevelt and served until 1937 when he was made minister to Eire. He became ambassador to Belgium in 1940 and held that post until 1943 when he returned home. He was an explorer and a big game hunter, and the author of several books.

Armored Car Guard Admits Theft

PORTLAND, Sept. 7 (AP)—John E. Maycock, armored car guard who admitted abstracting \$12,000 of dimes from Portland Traction company's fare boxes, today was under parole to the state parole and probation board.

Attorney for Maycock testified that he had already returned approximately \$10,000 of the embezzled funds. Circuit Judge Walter L. Tooez sentenced him yesterday to five years, with an immediate parole.

FBI Grabs Spies



(NEA Telephone)—One of three persons arrested in Detroit on charges of wartime espionage, Grace Buchanan-Dineen, 34, Canadian-born beauty, is shown as she was arraigned in court. Miss Buchanan-Dineen was used as a counter-espionage agent by the FBI in breaking the spy ring.

WPB to Consider Importation of Low Grade Wool

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7 (AP)—The war production board (WPB) will consider during September the granting of authorizations for importation of lower grades of wool from all countries where shipping quotas are available.

Before being considered, however, importers will be required to certify the wool will be used only in apparel yarns, fabrics, blankets and for industrial purposes, WPB said.

Christopher Columbus would have had to sail more than 5000 miles off his course to miss discovering the New World.

HIGH SCHOOL News Notes and Comment

Quite a bit of controversy went on yesterday at school and yesterday being Labor Day, of course the subject was about going to school on that holiday.

Some of the students seem to think that the principal, Stanley Woodruff, is to blame. That isn't so. Students and teachers cannot stay out of school on Labor Day unless the governor of the state declares it a legal holiday. Anyway, why should Mr. Woodruff or any teacher want to keep the school open on a holiday. Teachers are human and they can enjoy a rest just as much as any student.

Some townspeople take it all wrong too. They, being off work on Labor Day, naturally want to go someplace or do something. And they want their children to go to, but that day not being a holiday for school, ruins their plans. And of course the first person to "beef" to is the principal of the school. Well, all you have to do is talk our state government into having Labor Day a school holiday and everything will be just fine.

An assembly was held at school today, first for girls and then for the boys. The first assembly was called in order to get the information to the girls about the home ec. department.

There is now enough room for a new course in that class. The girls were told of the opportunities in retail selling. This class hasn't been developed as much as it should, because a teacher wasn't found until a short time before school started this year and a lot of girl students were turned down before that time.

The purpose of the boys' meeting was getting out the information in regard to classes in defense school and encouraging them to enroll in the new Boys' Glee club.

Charles Woodhouse's Pelicana class has a new system this year. Each show or broadcast will have a different editor and assistant editor. This class is made up of juniors who are interested in radio and who can be free evenings to go to the radio station for the programs.

Mr. Woodhouse hasn't a commitment from KFJL for the first show.

Clark New Champ Of Southern Oregon Invitational Golf

MEDFORD, Sept. 7 (AP)—Leland Clark, Medford, is new champion of the Southern Oregon-Northern California Invitational golf tournament.

He won the title Sunday at the Rogue River golf course by defeating Pvt. Pete Schefelck, Camp White soldier from San Francisco, 5 and 4.

Douglas Fir Backer Dies at Hood River

HOOD RIVER, Sept. 7 (AP)—Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, author of the resolution adopted by the legislature to make the Douglas fir the state tree, will be buried here tomorrow. She died Sunday at the age of 70.

LEADERS PROTEST GOP APPOINTMENTS

SEATTLE, Sept. 7 (AP)—The failure of republicans, meeting at Mackinac Island, Mich., to appoint westerners to two important subcommittees has drawn a protest from Frederick E. Baker, acting Washington state committeeman.

The telegram, signed by Baker and Ralph H. Cake, of Portland, Ore., national committeeman, to Harrison Spangler, head of the GOP national committee, said:

"You appointed temporary subcommittees to study foreign and domestic problems without any representation from the 11 western states. Need we remind you that three-fourths of our fifteen million population are governed by republican governors?"

"You have several outstanding members of your advisory committee from the west. We will appreciate your immediately appointing at least one to both major subcommittees. Lack of consideration of the west should stop at once, otherwise the Indians really will be on the war-path."

MONUMENTAL, EH?
BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—Edith DeSylva, comely ex-showgirl

who is now working the mid-night to morning shift at Lockheed Aircraft Co., has been voted by her fellow workers—"Miss Graveyard of 1943."



Paul O. Landry
this question:

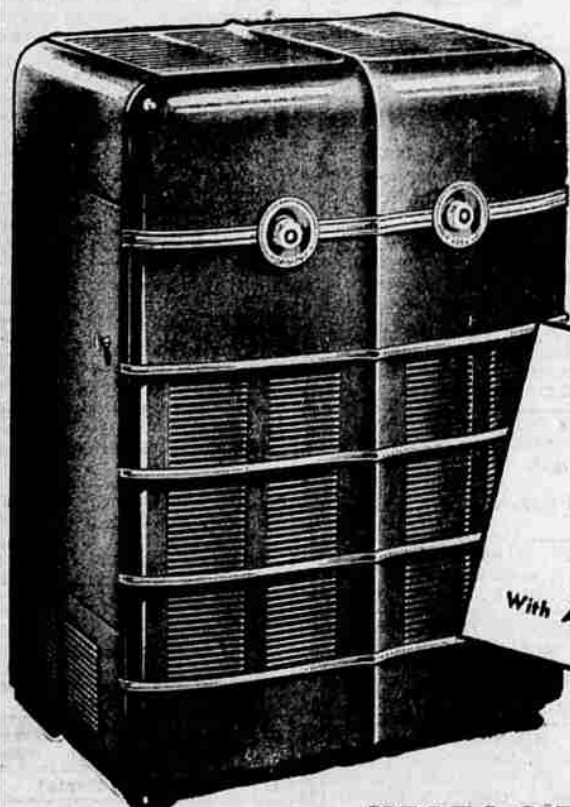
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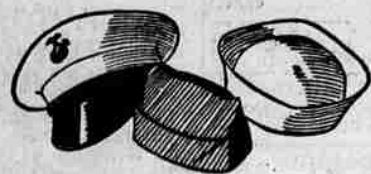
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