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### German Industry Poses Problem For Peacetime

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

PARIS, June 16 (AP)—German industry, twice the arsenal of aggression, is almost non-existent today as the allies await determination of how it can come to life safely without again endangering world peace.

Some German plants—several hundred in number, have been permitted to reopen for production which the military government considers essential, but present allied regulations permit German plants to reopen only if their products are wanted by the allied armies or if production is essential to maintain a minimum standard of life for the German civilian population.

The management of the Krupp works, steel and munitions manufacturing organization, has submitted a request to resume production, without stating what it wanted to produce. The request said production was necessary for the reconstruction of Germany. The application was returned for more details.

Potentially Dangerous Industries

Officers of Lt. Gen. Leonard T. Gerow's U. S. 15th army—the unit which by virtue of its occupation of the Saar and Rhine valleys and part of the Ruhr has been guarding the center of Germany's productive might—have recommended that both Krupp and I. G. Farben-Industrie be operated by special commissions, on the grounds that the organizations are too big and potentially too dangerous to be lumped with ordinary manufacturers in the control problem.

This summary of the present status of industrial control in Germany is based on reports to 15th army headquarters.

The present enforced shutdown of German production is in an interim stage in the complete transformation of the nation, Gerow's headquarters said. Presumably Germany will produce again under controls designed to eliminate any war potential but pending allied control council determination of how this can be done, Germany's economic activity will be kept tightly restricted.

During this transitory stage, control of German production is exercised essentially at the level of several headquarters controlling the allied occupational armies.

G-4 Supervises Problem

Overall supervision is in the hands of army G-4, expeditors of all matters of supply. Problems are parcelled out by industries to special staff sections whose military assignments were such as to make them most familiar with the problems peculiar to individual businesses. Every manufacturer in Germany today must be licensed under this control machinery before he can open his plant.

In the Rhine province military district 108 permits to open food processing plants have been granted to date. Sixty of these are flour and grain mills.

The Ford Motor plant at Cologne, relatively undamaged by the war, had material on hand for making about 500 trucks. It was ordered to reopen and produce the vehicles.

### OPPOSITION TO BIG FIVE VETO CRACKS

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16 (AP)—Small nation opposition to a Big Five veto over future changes in a world security charter is cracking up, and leaders of the big power bloc hope to win out on this issue tonight.

It is one of three which conference committees are struggling to wipe out this weekend in line with a high-speed schedule which calls for President Truman to address a final session of the United Nations conference next Saturday.

Two Issues

The other two controversies are: 1. Whether colonial powers, such as Britain and France, should be directed to make reports on their colonies to the proposed new leagues. Australia proposes that they should. The two big powers object.

2. Whether the projected general assembly of United Nations should be empowered to debate any aspect of international relations or only matters concerned with peace and security. This is an old issue, previously settled over Russian objection in favor of the right to debate any international affair. But Russia has insisted that it be re-opened, demanding the peace-and-security restriction.

Supports Veto

Discussion of a Big Five veto over future amendments provoked a long and sometimes sharp session of a conference committee last night. In its committee last night. In its course, Senator Henri Rollin of (Continued on Page Three)

### Examiners Question Von Ribbentrop At 'Ike's' Headquarters

By DANIEL DELUCE

MONTGOMERY'S HEADQUARTERS, Germany, June 16 (AP)—Captured Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop was reported to be under questioning today at Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters at Frankfurt-on-the-Main.

The supreme command's most skilled examiners were said to have been assigned to try to pry loose some of the state secrets known to the 52-year-old former reich ambassador to London who was reputed to have convinced Hitler on his return in 1938 Britain would not intervene when Poland was invaded.

Officially, Ribbentrop left Luesberg airport here for an unidentified destination "somewhere in Europe" yesterday after being arrested in Hamburg Thursday along with an attractive brunette divorcee in whose apartment he boarded under the name of "Herr Riese."

By telephone from Hamburg, Lt. J. B. Adam of Paisley, Scotland, told how his detail of a Belgian and two British sergeants arrested Ribbentrop. He said:

Woman Answers

"We called at a very unpretentious block of flats about 9 a. m., and knocked on the door of the top floor, but getting no answer we nearly had decided to break it down when a lady in a dressing gown appeared. She was dark-haired and very attractive, and we learned later she was 33 and divorced. We brushed her aside, saying we'd come in and search."

The Belgian discovered Ribbentrop, shook him and woke him. Lt. Adams said "We searched him from top to bottom," but they did not discover the taped on poison phial which a medical examination at headquarters later found hidden between his legs. Sleepily Ribbentrop dressed, muttering to himself. He then (Continued on Page Three)

### TOP MILITARISTS BACK DRAFT PLAN

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON, June 16 (AP)—General of the Army George C. Marshall, Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King and General A. A. Vandegrift, marine corps commandant, told congress today universal military training was the foundation of the nation's future security.

The starred and braided military leaders were the final witnesses before the house postwar military committee as it concluded, except for congressional witnesses next week, two weeks of hearings on the controversial peacetime draft proposal.

They followed Navy Secretary James V. Forrestal, two admirals and a general, all of whom backed the proposal. "To support our determination to maintain the peace," General Marshall told the committee, "the world must recognize our military power as realistic and not as a remote potential."

The answer to preparedness, he asserted, lies not in a large standing army, which he said would be "repugnant to the American people," but in a system of universal training together with an effective program for industrial mobilization and continuous scientific research.

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### NATION'S WEATHER ON FREAKISH SIDE

By The Associated Press

Snow has ceased falling in the Rocky mountains. . . . An egg won't fry on a Texas sidewalk. . . . Sections of the east and west coasts continue to steam today (Saturday) in their first swelter spells of the year. It seems the nation's weather is recovering from a touch of spring whimsy.

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### POLE PREMIER TO CONFER ON GOVERNMENT

By ALEX H. SINGLETON

LONDON, June 16 (AP)—Stanislaw Mikolajczyk, former Polish premier, flew to Moscow today to confer on reorganizing the Warsaw government while in a second postwar dispute Britain was reported authoritatively to have rejected France's proposal for a five-power discussion of middle east problems.

Both developments were preliminaries to the next Big Three conference, scheduled in Berlin sometime before July 28.

Accompanying Leader Accompanying Mikolajczyk, the peasant party leader, were Jan Stanczyk, who was labor minister in his London Polish government, and Jan Drokohowski, a foreign affairs expert in Mikolajczyk's group.

A Moscow dispatch said preliminary discussions were underway among Poles already on the scene. The Big Three commission on Polish reorganization—Foreign Commissar Molotov and the U. S. and British ambassadors to Russia—was said to have asked ailing Wincenty Witos, 72-year-old former Polish premier, to attend the meeting.

"Reign of Terror" The Polish government in London charged last night that a "reign of terrorism" existed throughout Poland, and demanded immediate withdrawal of Russian troops and political police from Polish soil.

As for the middle east, authoritative Paris quarters said Britain turned down the French request for a five-power conference. The British government previously had expressed preference for a discussion only by France, Britain and the United (Continued on Page Three)

### Civilian Housing Project Okayed

Approval of another 50-unit civilian housing project for Klamath Falls was given today by the national housing agency.

The project will cost \$155,000. Construction will begin soon, and it is expected the units will be located near the Main street bridge, where another project is now underway.

The new units will be designed particularly for civilian employees of the naval air station, Marine Barracks and the railroads, according to Congressman Lowell Stockman, who wired the chamber of commerce about it.

Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) of the house ways and means committee announced he will introduce the business-aid tax bill Monday.

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#### Weather News

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Max. (June 15)	73	Min.	48
Precipitation last 24 hours	.00		
Stream year to date	13.06		
Normal	11.48	Last year	8.87

Forecast: Warmer Sunday.

### From Business To Pleasure



An old-type landing boat, which, in the early days of the Pacific war was used to move men from off-shore transports to Jap-held beaches, now serves as a pleasure boat at the marine summer camp at Crescent lake, where leathernecks are carving a pleasure resort out of the wilderness. (Official USMC photo).

### ODT Takes Over Trucking Industry In Chicago Area

By The Associated Press

As the result of presidential seizure orders, the office of defense transportation took control of Chicago's trucking industry today while employees of the Scrampton Transit company ended a 27-day strike.

The ODT's Chicago move in seizing 1700 lines was an apparent effort to avert a second strike by the city's union truck drivers and camir amidst unconfirmed reports that troops were moving into the city for any emergency.

The seizure order, issued in Washington yesterday, stemmed from a long-standing controversy over wages and hours.

Return Ordered Meanwhile, striking bus drivers and mechanics in eight southern states were ordered by the war labor board yesterday to return to their jobs by Monday. In telegrams to Tri-State company officials and union officials, the eighth regional WLB at Dallas, Tex., said unless full operations were resumed by Monday, the case would be certified to the national WLB for action.

In New York, most city buses continued to run at a "slow-down" pace in what officials of local 100, Transport Workers union said was a protest against overwork and what the New (Continued on Page Three)

### TAX REVISION PLAN SET FOR CONGRESS

By FRANCIS M. LEMAY

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### BORNED, TRUK, OKINAWA SITES OF MOVEMENTS

By-Passed Truk Said BombarDED By Navy

By LEONARD MILLIMAN

Three widely separated allied fleet movements were reported by Tokyo radio today, involving a threatened-third invasion of Borneo, the first naval bombardment of the by-passed Truk island fortress, and "suddenly increased" activity in Okinawa waters.

The three unconfirmed actions were about 2500 miles apart at the points of a triangle reaching up to Japan's home waters, down into the Dutch Indies and well into the Pacific.

More than 20 warships, including a carrier and three battleships, were said to be near Balikpapan, Borneo's major oil refinery center. The report coincided with an allied announcement that Australian troops had seized all initial objectives of their second Borneo invasion, begun only last Sunday, with the capture of their third airfield on Brunel bay.

New Blow Hinted A great increase in American naval forces around Okinawa, Tokyo said, "may point to an enemy scheme to launch fresh operations against the Japanese homeland."

With less than 10,000 mostly second rate Japanese troops left on Okinawa, the "final phase" of the ground campaign on this naval and air base island will be over in less than a week, said Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner Jr., whose tenth army troops narrowed the Nipponese hold to eight square miles.

Bombard Truk Naval bombardment of Truk, Tokyo said, was carried out yesterday by two cruisers and four destroyers in conjunction with a carrier attack which reached its third successive day today. The Japanese offered no explanation for this attack, presumably by British forces, on the once mighty Nipponese base in the Caroline islands.

Tokyo also reported more than 25 Superforts made four mine-laying expeditions into Japanese waters during the early morning hours. These mines are taking an unknown toll of the mikado's shipping in addition to the daily announced bags of air raiders. Today's reports listed 14 coastal vessels and schooners sunk and six wrecked on the ways—mostly in Shanghai waters.

While hundreds of American warships, loaded cargo vessels and landing craft are pouring into Okinawa waters, Tokyo said, U. S. naval patrols have been extended to within 200 miles of Japan.

### \$335,618 IN BONDS SOLD IN RURAL AREA

War bond sales totaling \$335,618 have been made in the rural areas of Klamath county, with a total of \$10,132 left to raise in the final push of the 7th War Loan drive, according to figures released this morning by Mrs. Rose M. Poole, county war bond chairman and Mrs. Winnifred K. Gillen, county agricultural chairman for the drive.

Mrs. Poole and Mrs. Gillen, conferring with members of the agricultural division of the county war finance committee, pointed out that a grand total of \$445,750 is the quota set for rural Klamath county, to be reached by the end of the drive June 30. About \$571,563 in E bonds is still needed to put the entire county over the top of her quota.

"Over the top" were five communities, the first in the county to reach the "E" bond goal set by the war finance committee: Dairy, Malin, Chiloquin, Sprague River, and Chemult.

Plugging the "E" bond sales, and expected to reach their quotas were the communities of Poe Valley, Langell Valley, Ivory Pine, Bonanza, Bly, Gilchrist, Henley, Merrill and Algoma. Merrill canvassers are counting on a bond push on June 23 to round out the quota for that area.

Pelican Bay camp and Crescent Lake have not reported. Cellar-dwellers in the campaign for war funds are these communities, who have reported a temporary stand-still in bond sales while still short of quotas: Modoc Point, Hildebrand, Klamath Agency, Fort Klamath, Crescent, Beatty, Midland and Keno.

Blanche Schonchin Enters Contest The last aspirant for the title of rodeo queen for Klamath Buckaroo Days entered the contest today.

She is Blanche Schonchin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Barney. Blanche is 18 years old and is 5 feet 6 inches in height. She is the great-granddaughter of Modoc Indian Chief Schonchin.

She was born in Klamath county and was raised on the Klamath Indian reservation. She will represent Sprague River in the contest with queen's riding tryouts slated for Sunday at the fairgrounds.

And These Are The Things That Didn't Happen Here, All Rumors To Contrary

This is a story about several things that didn't happen here in the last few days, rumor and gossip to the contrary.

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### Man To Travel Nearly 16,500 Miles In 40 Days

WASHINGTON, June 16 (AP)—President Truman plans to travel approximately 16,500 miles in the next 30 to 40 days.

How he will build up mileage: Washington to Olympia, Wash., then to San Francisco, back to Washington, Kansas City and Independence, Mo., and back to Washington; then across the Atlantic to meet Premier Stalin in the Minister Churchill vicinity of Berlin.

The White House disclosed that Mr. Truman plans to press the closing session of the United Nations conference in San Francisco Saturday.

Earlier, Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross said the Big Three meeting will be held near the Gerpal at a date yet to be decided.

Flying Trips The president will fly to Olympia Tuesday or Wednesday, probably Tuesday, to meet Gov. Mon C. Freeman, from Olympia. Truman will fly to San Francisco the day before his departure.

Returning to Washington probably June 24, the president will make another flying

trip to Kansas City June 26 to attend homecoming celebrations at nearby Independence that afternoon and at Kansas City the next day.

To Meet Dewey Before leaving for the middle west Mr. Truman will confer with Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York at the White House on June 25. Several weeks ago he invited the 1944 republican presidential nominee to drop in and discuss any matter the New Yorker may have on his mind.

The White House announcement said the San Francisco conference "is making a real effort to wind up its business by the end of next week and it is hoped that President Truman will be able to address the conference on Saturday, June 23."

### Venus Visible, Klamath Finds

Hundreds of Klamath Falls people, who never knew it before, discovered today that the planet Venus could be seen in the daytime at this time of year.

Someone discovered the star hanging in the heavens yesterday noon, and soon word spread that there was something up there that might be a balloon. All over town people were out gazing at the heavens.

The star was visible again today and an "astronomy clinic" was conducted outside the newspaper office by A. B. Epperson, local amateur astronomer.

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### 'Meanest Man In World'

Here's another nomination for the "meanest man in the world."

An elderly couple was driving from Klamath Falls to Lakeview to pick up some of their belongings there. A trailer was attached to their car. En route to Lakeview one of the wheels came off the trailer, leaving them stranded.

A passing motorist noticed their predicament and also observed the loose wheel and tire. Instead of stopping to assist the stranded pair, he stopped his car, leaped out and picked up the tire, then jumped back into his automobile and drove away, leaving them alone and helpless on the road.