

# TRUMAN HOLDS JUDGMENT ON COURT MARTIAL

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The navy's court of inquiry similarly concluded that the record "would not support the trial by general court martial of any person or persons in the naval service."

The army's Pearl Harbor board held General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, at least partially responsible for the blow at Pearl Harbor, but President Truman and Secretary of War Stimson sharply rejected such a conclusion, the president stating "I have the fullest confidence in the skill, energy and efficiency of all our war leaders, both army and navy."

The reports renewed sharply critical service analyses of the actions of Rear Admiral Husband E. Kimmel and Maj. Gen. Walter C. Short, the navy and army commanders in Hawaii at the time of the Japanese strike. Both these men have repeatedly asked for public trials.

Secretary of the Navy Forrestal directed in the case of both Admiral Stark and Admiral Kimmel that they should not be held in any position in the United States navy which requires the exercise of superior judgment.

No Recommendation The army board made no recommendation as to General Short. Secretary Stimson in a statement coinciding with release of the reports flatly rejected a suggestion of criticism of former Secretary of State Hull in the peace negotiations with Nippon envoys, in progress when the Pearl Harbor attack occurred.

## EDITORIALS ON NEWS

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at the North Pole. If you saw the words in a book you'd know what they mean, but in this hour of need they won't come to you. Eventually an aged Parisian who explains that he spent four years in a Nazi concentration camp and had to pick up some of the accursed language says "sprechen sie deutsch" and so in a mixture of bad German and French we reach an understanding of my needs, and in the course of time I get billeted and arrive at the place.

YOU can't imagine what a relief it is to get where you can talk again after having been in surroundings where for all practical purposes you have been deaf, dumb and unable to read lips. Human conversation is a good deal like the proverbial water—you don't miss it until the well runs dry.

AT the present moment, practically all Americans in Paris are here on official or semi-official business, and so are housed and fed in billets and messes. One shudders to think what would happen to any poor devil caught there without such aids to living.

In America we have the notion that houses are scarce and hard to find, and do a lot of talking about it. We really don't know much about the subject, for, occasionally a house CAN be found, even in the most crowded of American cities. In London the housing situation is fantastic, but with a million houses destroyed in the bombing and less than a quarter of them repaired enough to make them habitable, plus the hundreds of thousands of allied troops in the city on leave or passing through on redeployment, plus all the governments in exile and their establishments and all the allied and United Nations missions you find it easy to understand.

Downtown and residential Paris were practically untouched by bombing. An unknown but very large number of Parisians was taken out of the city in various ways, including Nazi labor drafts, etc., and by no means all of them have got back. Official records show more deaths than births. But still the city is jammed to its attics and its closets and the general report is that any kind of purely private housing is simply non-existent.

There is going to be a LOT of rehousing to do as soon as Europe settles down to anything like normal living again.

### Salvage Division To Close Sept. 30

PORTLAND, Aug. 29 (AP)—The head offices of the salvage division—the war production board department which has collected old papers, cans, and fats—will close September 30.

Claude I. Sersanos, chairman of the state salvage committee, said he expected all Oregon's volunteer salvage committees to halt work on the same date. He said, however, that some salvage work still should be needed. The used fat collection—giving housewives red points and cents for fats—will continue under the commodity credit corporation's direction.

## Marine Ace Alive After 20-Month Jap Blackout

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would be found safe although at the time they had searched fruitfully for him.

At the time of his disappearance he was attacked by 12 Japanese planes, said his wingman, Flying Tiger.

Before joining the Black Sheep Squadron Boyington was a member of the famous Flying Tigers, American volunteer group in China. He bagged six bombers while with this group. The noted marine pilot was born at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho and lived at Okanogan and Seattle, Wash., before entering the service.

## JOBLESS PAY BILL APPROVAL URGED

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ers and other classes not well insured. Cost Cited Kilgore estimated the annual cost at \$750,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000—depending upon the unemployment load and the extent to which the states take advantage of voluntary or optional features of the bill.

Citing war manpower commission estimates that there will be 8,500,000 unemployed by December, Kilgore said that if business should fall next year to the March, 1939, level there would be only 43,000,000 obs and 57,000,000 job seekers.

## 18,150 Troops To Move In On Nip Homeland

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ing the battleships South Dakota, veteran of South Pacific battles and flagship of Admiral Nimitz and the British Duke of York, conqueror in the Atlantic of the German Scharnhorst and now flagship of Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser.

Japanese medical officers promised that when occupation forces land, 6125 prisoners of war and 94 civilian internees would be released in the Tokyo area. Announcements of new Japanese surrenders trickled in from Pacific islands.

Old Glory flew over Mill atoll in the Marshalls after the surrender of the surviving 2400 Nipponese of an original garrison of 4500. Two hundred marines occupied the atoll which has long been a bomb practice target for carrier and marine pilots.

Eight thousand other Japanese capitulated on Morotai, a MacArthur stepping stone to the Philippines, and nearby, bypassed Halmahera. The surrender to Maj. Gen. Harry W. Johnson, commander of the 93rd army division, was the first large scale capitulation in the Southwest Pacific.

Simultaneously with his arrival on Okinawa, MacArthur was awarded his fourth Distinguished Service medal, this one for his liberation of the Philippines.

## Hurricane Damage May Be 15 Million

HOUSTON, Tex., Aug. 29 (AP)—A tropical hurricane that blew itself out in east Texas after ravaging the central Texas coast, brought crop and property damage which may reach \$15,000,000, the Houston Post estimated today.

Meanwhile, work of aiding the means went on in stricken areas down the coast from here. The Salvation Army at Houston issued an appeal for clothing for storm sufferers, and the Red Cross put a network of aid facilities in action.

Three persons were dead and at least 13 injured.

## De Gaulle Visits President Truman



Gen. Charles De Gaulle (left), president of the French provisional government, and President Truman stand at attention on the White House lawn as the French national anthem is played during ceremony held on De Gaulle's arrival in the capital. (AP wirephoto).

## Allied POWs Wave To Plane



Allied prisoners of war wave as an American carrier-based plane from the third fleet flies low over a camp in the Tokyo area. This navy photo transmitted direct to San Francisco from USS Iowa in Sagami bay. (AP photo from navy).

## MIDLAND EMPIRE NEWS

### Bonanza

The Bonanza cafe is to be opened soon by Mr. and Mrs. Bentley from Arizona. The cafe building was recently purchased by Mrs. Hazeltine.

Mrs. Maud Ferrell of Medford has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Cox and family.

Earl Van Sipe is home now after serving with the Seabees in the South Pacific. Jack Kelly has returned to Bonanza.

Mrs. Mona Lamb and daughter, Laura, are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Dixon.

Danny and Gordon Givan are now home. Danny has been in navy school after serving in the Atlantic. Gordon has been serving with the merchant marine.

Mrs. Hugh C. Combest is visiting her mother, Mrs. Combest is the former Nina Schmor.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pepple and son, Ted, are leaving for San Francisco where they will visit with their son, Dick, who has been serving with the navy in the South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Boggs were dinner guests in Klamath Falls Sunday with the John Horn family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cox, Mrs. Nora Cox, Sam Cox, Mrs. Maud Ferrell, Ell Cox, Georgia Cox and Sylvia Cox were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland have left to visit their son who is in a hospital in California after serving overseas for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Evers have sold their ranch and moved to Grants Pass. Mrs. Evers is staying with Mrs. Mary Dixon while completing arrangements here. John Hayden is replacing her in the irrigation office.

### 4 Killed In Plane Crash

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 29 (AP)—Names of four men stationed at Walla Walla army air field killed in Saturday's night crash in the west of here were released by air field officials today. They were in addition to 11 from the Sioux Falls field. The four were:

- Capt. Edwin F. Zdunczyk, pilot, Wyandotte, Mich.
- Sgt. Robert W. Johnson, radio operator, Rochester, Minn.
- Sgt. Paul E. Lx Kleiner, engineer, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Sgt. Emil Eckert, engineer, Parmelee, S. D.

### Beck Protests Government Control

SEATTLE, Aug. 29 (AP)—Charging "collusive practices by business combinations," a protest of continued government restrictions on delivery service was sent to Washington D. C., yesterday by Dave Beck, international vice president of the Teamsters' union.

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Barrett and Spindel; Davis and Sandlock.	2 5 0

## Japs Were Licked Before Atom Bomb, Byrnes Says

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that the bomb facilitated surrender, he said, it saved the lives of hundreds of thousands of American boys, and—something we're apt to forget, he added—it saved the lives of hundreds of thousands of Japanese boys and millions more of Japanese people.

It saved far more Japanese lives than were lost, Byrnes declared. Speaking as a member of President Truman's special committee on atomic bomb policy, Byrnes said the committee had completed and turned over to the president a memorandum for congress on the form legislation for control of the bomb might take.

## Truman Lifts Ban On Enlistments

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—President Truman today ordered the resumption of voluntary enlistments in the armed forces. Such enlistments were suspended December 5, 1942. Today's order revokes that suspension with a view to adding to military forces during the period they are needed for the occupation of Germany and Japan.

## ALLIES LIST 24 GERMANS AS WAR CRIMINALS

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who was designated successor to Hitler in September, 1939, and directed the Nazi air offensive.

Rudolf Hess, Joachim von Ribbentrop, former champagne salesman who directed Nazi intrigue in half a dozen European capitals as Germany's foreign minister.

Robert Ley, chief of the Nazi party organization, commissioner for national housing, and chief of the German labor front.

Alfred Rosenberg, Reich leader for ideology and foreign policy and propagandist who took leading role in anti-semitism in Germany.

Hans Frank, who was governor general of Poland and an SSS general.

Ernst Kaltenbrunner, Hitler's right hand man, chief of the Reich security department and chief of criminal police.

Wilhelm Frick, minister of Interior and ruler of Bohemia and Moravia. He served in Hitler's secret cabinet council.

Feld-Marshal Wilhelm, chief of the Wehrmacht.

Adm. Karl Doenitz, commander in chief of the navy, director of U-boat warfare, and the man who took over rule of Germany after Hitler was reported dead.

Fritz Sauckel, manpower commissioner.

Albert Speer, chief of the

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## Road To Tokyo



Line traces route of General Douglas MacArthur in his Pacific offensive which has carried him from Australia to the doorstep of Tokyo. (AP wirephoto map).

Lakes make up one-twelfth of the entire area of Sweden.

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MISNOMER The Jerusalem artichoke did not come from Jerusalem. The name is a confusion of the term, "girasol," meaning "to turn in the sun," from the plant's habit of facing the sun.

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