

### Great Britain Plays Safe



Picture Parade

Though England has not been invaded for 1,000 years, modern airplanes bring danger of bombing and gas raids. So A.R.P. (Air Raid Precautions) has been organized to teach civilians how to wear masks and defend themselves against bombs. Most masks sell for 75 cents and the government has an extra 40 million on hand for emergency use.

This year, Britain is spending \$1,715,000,000 on rearmament, building anti-aircraft guns (above) and fixing out defense troops with oilskin suits (right) as protection against disastrous mustard gas. Though the nation is outwardly calm, A.R.P. has perfected an amazing organization of 600,000 community "wardens" who will have charge of A.R.P. fire brigades, first aid units, evacuation and contamination squads. Moneyed classes are building underground bomb-proof shelters where they will retire to live in comparative comfort during raids. But poorer classes cannot afford this luxury, indeed cannot even afford gas masks, thereby creating a defense problem of major importance.



England hopes her coastal defense measures will drive away planes to forestall a repetition of World War raids which killed 1,414 people. One phase of this defense is the artillery, another the fantastic wire mesh supported by balloons, which would surround London and possibly scare off planes. A third phase is fast transportation of troops by planes, enabling England to move man power to any part of the coast in the event of invasion. Though she hopes for the best, Britain realizes the English channel is not so wide as it used to be, that an enemy can knock at her front door within a few minutes after leaving the continent.



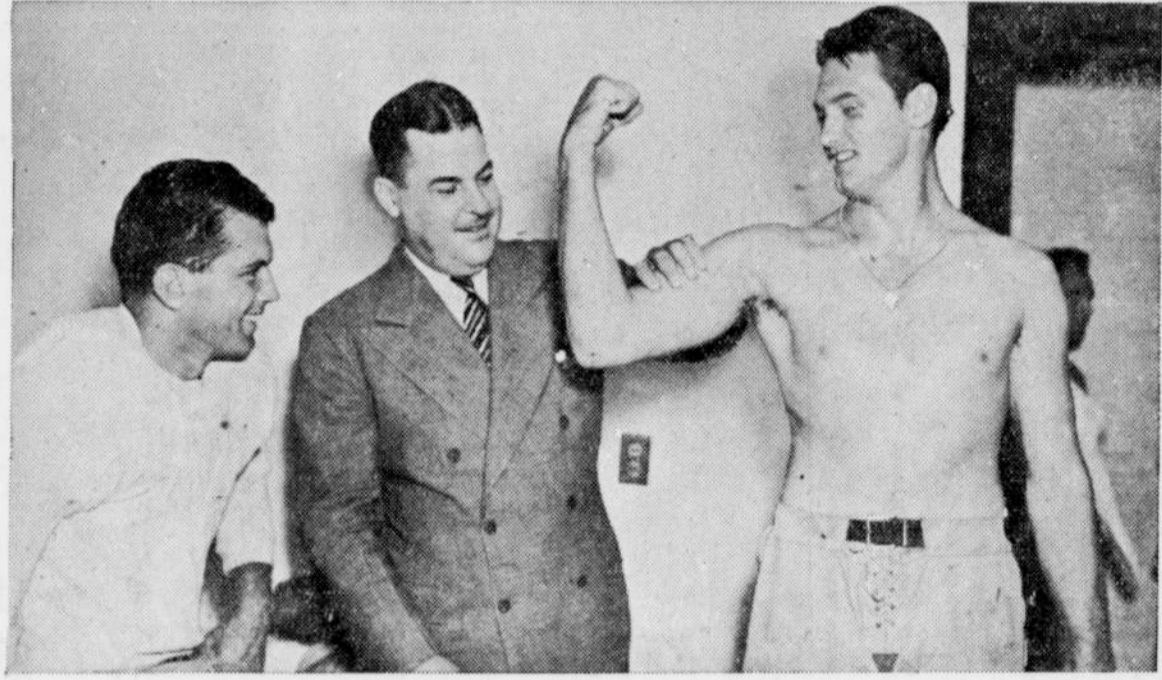
Post haste, British pilots see how fast they can take off.

### Money Queen—Open New Bridge—Bund Baiters



1—Nellie Tayloe Ross, director of the mint, inspects some of the 12,700,000 new Jefferson nickels struck off by the Philadelphia mint. 2—Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan, left, and Prime Minister Mitchell F. Hepburn of Ontario pull the switches opening traffic on the new \$3,250,000 International Blue Water bridge which connects Sarnia, Ont., and Port Huron, Mich. 3—John C. Metcalfe, right, wearing uniform of the German-American bund's storm troops, shows photographs of the bund's activities to Rep. Martin Dies, chairman of the house committee investigating un-American movements.

### Governor Impressed by Texas Football Might



"Tell me, son, are you just the left end or are you the whole left side of the Rice line?" asked Gov. Rich and W. Leche of Don Hagger when the Louisiana executive sized up the Owls during a visit to Houston. Photo graph shows, left to right, Walker Williams, Governor Leche and Don Hagger.

### Blarney Stone Moved to Los Angeles



Manfred Meyberg, Los Angeles seedgrower, acquired 20,000 pounds of genuine Blarney stone on a gag that has left Ireland and its newspapers still gasping. Meyberg was struck with a waggish thought about the time Douglas Corrigan made his wrong-way flight to Ireland, and ordered a friend to buy the Blarney stone. The friend bought the entire quarry. In the picture Violet Ashley, an American colleen, kisses a piece of the stone held by Meyberg.

### 'MISS SHANGHAI'



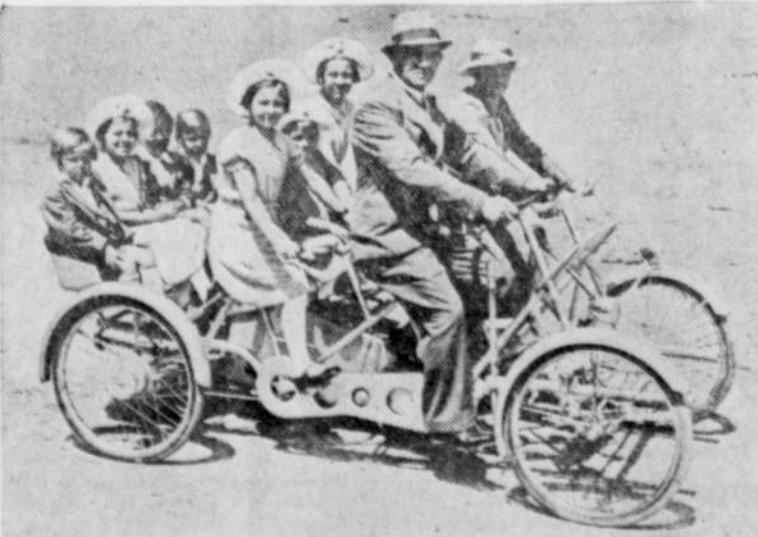
Lucy Cherekova, Russian glamour girl known in China as the "most beautiful girl in Asia," and winner of the title "Miss Shanghai," is shown on her arrival in San Francisco en route to Hollywood.

### WAR HERO HONORED



Twenty years after the battle of the Meuse-Argonne in the World war, Benjamin Pagliano, New York barber, is to receive decorations from the French government as one of the 250 survivors of the famous "Lost Battalion." He will receive the medal of St. Mihiel, the medal of Chateau Thierry and the medal of Verdun.

### Solving Transportation Problem



Father and mother and three of their seven children pedal this unusual bicycle at Duedingen, Switzerland. The economical contraption has no motor.

### CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

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#### Give Kitchen Towels 'Wee Bit o' Scotch'



Pattern 6113.

Towels that are a wee bit different make kitchen chores a joy! What fun to embroider these yourself in simple stitches and bright colors. Make a set for a friend. They're welcome gifts! Pattern 6113 contains a transfer pattern of 6 motifs averaging 7 1/4 by 9 3/4 inches; materials needed; illustrations of stitches; color schemes. To obtain this pattern, send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle, Household Arts Dept., 269 W. 14th St., New York, N. Y.

Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly.

#### Or Else—

The man's conduct was suspicious, and the watchman asked why he kept hanging about the gunpowder factory? "I want to make myself give up smoking," replied the man.

Answer to a correspondent: Always help your wife. When she mops the floor, mop the floor with her.

#### A Crying Need

Tommy (to mother standing on pier)—What's that there, ma? Mother—A lighthouse. "What for, ma?" "It keeps ships from getting on the rocks." "Well, why don't you get one for dad?"

### NERVOUS?

Do you feel so nervous you want to scream? Are you cross and irritable? Do you scold those dearest to you? If your nerves are on edge and you feel you need a good general system tonic, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made especially for women. For over 60 years one woman has told another how to go "smiling thru" with reliable Pinkham's Compound. It helps nature build up more physical resistance and thus helps calm quivering nerves and lessen discomforts from annoying symptoms which often accompany female functional disorders. Why not give it a chance to help YOU? Over one million women have written in reporting wonderful benefits from Pinkham's Compound.

#### Revenue From Autos

It is estimated that 15 per cent of all government tax revenue, local, state and national, is contributed by car owners.

### HEADACHE?

Here is Amazing Relief for Conditions Due to Sluggish Bowels. Nature's Remedy. If you think all laxatives are alike, just try this all vegetable laxative. It is mild, thorough, refreshing, invigorating. Dependable relief from sick headaches, bilious spells, tired feeling when associated with constipation. Without Risk. Get a 25¢ box of NIB from your druggist. Make the test—then if not delighted, return the box to us. We will refund the purchase price. That's fair. Get NIB Tablets today. NIB TO-NIGHT. ALWAYS CARRY TUMS. QUICK RELIEF FOR ACID INDIGESTION.

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