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JAPANESE MAY EXPECT MORE AIR RAIDS ON CITIES

A taste of what the Japanese people may expect in the way of an aerial offensive has been served to them by American aviators.

The first bombing raid on Japan since she attacked Pearl harbor December 7 was staged last week-end on an extensive scale. It spread death and destruction in Tokyo and three other Japanese cities.

Like any other bully in a baby's play pen, Japan showed the yellow when it was handed a beating. The Nipponese assailed bitterly the "indiscriminate" bombing of the Japanese populace. Despite the official outbursts, all Japanese have expected bombings to be staged by the united nations on Japan proper, and Americans, officials and laymen, have freely predicted such assaults when the United States was prepared for them.

The Japanese can expect more of such attacks, because United States officials hailed the bombing raid as the first step in an all-out offensive that will carry the war to Japan's doorstep.

The Chinese, who have watched their women and children writh in pain in the streets after Japanese bombings of Chinese cities, were jubilant over the bombing of Tokyo. The Chinese in Chungking staged their greatest demon-

stration since the outbreak of the war.

The raids have had an equally uplifting effect on the morale of other nations fighting with or sympathetic toward the united nations.

News of the raid came at about the same time as the announcement that General Douglas MacArthur had been definitely appointed as allied commander in the southwest Pacific. Even when MacArthur was operating under a clouded authority as southwest Pacific commander, he expressed the intention of starting an offensive just as soon as possible.

It looks like the Japs are facing some "bomby" weather.

BIG BEND

Dr. Roy Stark and Mrs. Stark of Hamilton, Montana, arrived last Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stark, and other relatives.

Mrs. Della Bunnell of Caldwell visited her mother, Mrs. P. B. Anderson, from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Russell and baby are staying with Mrs. H. R. Hatch since her return from the Ontario hospital.

Mrs. H. R. Hatch and Dr. Roy Stark attended an osteopathic meeting in Caldwell Thursday night and another in Boise Saturday.

Mrs. F. A. Miller and Mrs. E. H. Brumbach attended a Book club meeting at the home of Mrs. H. R. Otis in Adrian Saturday. Mrs. C. C. Hunt gave an interesting review of "Windswept" by Mary Ellen Chase.

E. H. Brumbach transacted business in Ontario Saturday.

Word was received from the Ontario hospital that Thomas Welsh is recovering rapidly from an operation he underwent about 10 days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Babcock of Caldwell were Sunday guests at the Brumbach home.

Walter Bishop transacted business in Nampa Monday.

SUNSET VALLEY

The item which read in last week's news "The Ladies Auxiliary would meet May 5 at Mrs. R. W. Bolitho's" should have read The Ladies Auxiliary will meet May 5 at the community hall with Mrs. R. W. Bolitho and Mrs. William Buffington as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Steiner, who have spent the last few months here, are expected to leave for California soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schneider and children were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowe of Mitchell Butte Sunday.

John Mittleider purchased 15 pigs from Charles Indermuhle of Meridian, Idaho the first of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Brotzman and son, Mrs. Charles Ditty and Tressa and Mrs. Boyd Query attended an all day meeting of the Assembly of God churches in Weiser Thursday.

John Mittleider sold one cow and two steers the first of the week.

Services at the church were well attended Sunday. Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Coulter of Owyhee were among those present.

Mrs. A. R. Roberts was called to Boise Thursday because of the death of her brother, Olover Ward, who has been an invalid since the world war. Mrs. Roberts went on to Twin Falls and Jerome for a visit with relatives before returning home.

Jack Reffett, who has been attending N.Y.A. school in Weiser, returned home last week for an indefinite stay.

Alberta Valley

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Seward Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Kellogg and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seward and family, Thelma and Faith Lee of Nampa and Monte Corbett.

Helen Anderson went to Nampa with Doris Aston Sunday.

O. Z. Matthews shipped a carload of cattle to Portland Friday.

John Goode of Cascade called at the home of O. Z. Matthews Monday.

Jake Fisher is getting along quite well after a bad case of mumps. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quigley and Mrs. Frank Merzer of Wilder were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Jake Fisher.

Jerry Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tucker broke his arm in a fall from a horse Sunday.

Round-up Clinic Scheduled Here

The Nyssa Civic club will sponsor a summer round-up clinic April 25, beginning at 8:30 a. m. in the grade school building.

The national and state health authorities urge that all children between the ages of six months and six years be immunized against smallpox and diphtheria, either by their own family phy-

sician or through organized clinics. Fifteen summer round-up clinics will be held in Malheur county during April and May. Parents are urged to take their children who are to enter school for the first time in the fall to their own family physicians and dentists for a physical and dental examination and immunization or take them to the nearest clinic.

In addition to this service the summer round-up clinics are giving to every child from six months to six years who has not been successfully vaccinated against smallpox and inoculated against diphtheria and who does not go to his family physician for this service the opportunity to have these immunizations at the nearest clinic. No child will be examined or given the immunization unless accompanied by his parent or guardian. Forms for each child receiving service will be filled out at the clinic. Both immunizations may be given with safety at the same time, health officials said. A charge of 25 cents to each child will be made to cover the cost of materials. Both immunizations may be had for the cost of one.

Mr. Hartley pointed out that somebody is going to get the surplus from the income tax and added that "I think you would get more good out of the surplus if it were given to the school districts than if it were handed by the legislature and you would have more control over its expenditure if local school districts received the surplus."

Austin Patton and Gerald and Mr. Irvin of Cascade were visitors at the O. Z. Matthews home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Fisher were business visitors in Ontario Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loe and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. John Redman of Home-dale.

Adrian

Mrs. Howard Hatch shopped in Boise Tuesday.

The second year 4-H sewing club met at Patty De Haven's home on Saturday.

Adrian high school will hold baccalaureate services Sunday night, April 26. Class day exercises will be held Tuesday, April 28 and commencement Wednesday, April 29.

Mrs. Ellen Sparks and Mrs. Howard Hatch visited Mrs. Harry Russell Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Harvey Hatch in Big Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Martin visited his parents in Parma Thursday evening.

Adrian high school held its junior-senior banquet and prom in the gymnasium Friday evening. The theme of the banquet was "Candle light". The decorations were garden scenes.

The young people's Sunday school class held a picnic at the M. L. Kurtz home Sunday afternoon, honoring their teacher and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. de Lespennasse, who will leave when school is closed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ashcraft spent Thursday night with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Richards of Wilder.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Points shopped in Nyssa and Ontario Thursday.

Mrs. Ted Milsap of Vale called at the Glen Pounds home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Zinc returned home Thursday from Portland, where they had their baby treated at the Doernbecker hospital.

The Faculty Dames Pinochle club met with Mrs. Earl McKinney Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dan Holly and Mrs. Dennis Patch attended a Garden club meeting at Mrs. Holton's home in Kingman Colony Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McPartland spent the week-end with her parents in Ontario.

Mrs. Korthies of Ontario and Mrs. Panke of Weiser called on Mrs. Gerritt Muntjewerff Saturday afternoon.

The Book club met with Mrs. Harvey Otis Saturday. Mrs. Hunt reviewed the book.

Coast Guardsmen Needed—

The United States coast guard has openings in the reserve for fully qualified men as third and second radiomen, ship's cooks, and as second class machinist's mates and motor machinist's mates. Applicants for radioman rating must be able to send and receive coded messages at the rate of 20 words per minute. Persons in good physical condition who are between the ages of 17 and 35 and desire to go to sea should contact the recruiting officer in room 301, junior post office building, Portland.

TAX PROPOSAL IS COVERED IN TALK BY HARTLEY HERE

Henry Hartley of Nyssa, speaking at the weekly luncheon of the Lions club, discussed an initiative petition, classified as a bill distributing surplus tax funds to school districts and reducing taxes therein.

The purpose of the measure is "To provide that all money received from state income taxes in excess of \$7,750,000 in any year shall be distributed to public school districts and union high school districts in proportion to the number of days of actual school attendance in public schools by pu-

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Residential Construction Up to \$499

No license or permit is required for Residential Construction where the estimated Total Cost is less than \$500 in a 12-month period. This means that you can make improvements, alterations and additions to your home, as long as total cost of such construction is less than \$500.

Agricultural Construction Up to \$999

This means farm buildings other than residential, such as barns, sheds, etc. No permit or license required where the Total Cost is less than \$1000 in a 12-month period.

Industrial Construction Up to \$4999

This includes new and remodeling construction for business and manufacturing enterprises of all kinds, amounting to less than \$5000 within a 12-month period.

In addition to the foregoing new and remodeling construction, WPB order L-41 permits all kinds of repair and maintenance work on your home, farm or industrial property as may be actually necessary to return the structure to sound condition; also permitted without limitation is the reconstruction of property damaged or destroyed by fire, flood, etc.

Complete explanation of WPB Order L-41 will be made by Boise Payette upon request. But in the meantime, keep in mind that you ARE permitted to build—Residential construction less than \$500; Farm construction less than \$1,000; and Industrial or commercial construction less than \$5,000.

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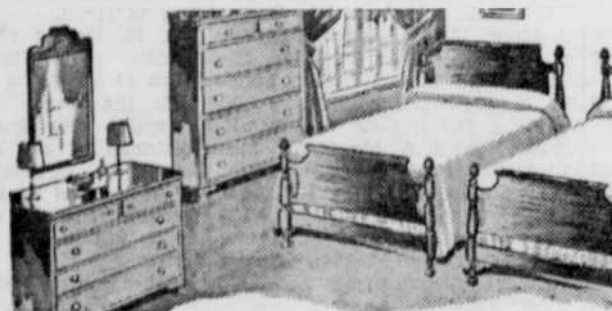
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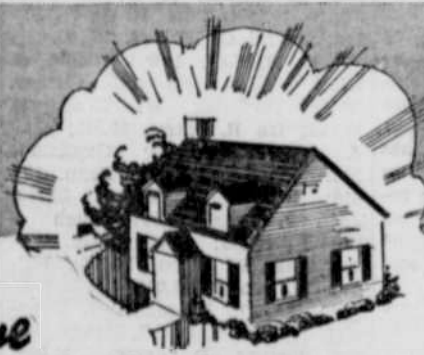
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