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LONDON, Sunday, Jan. 10 (AP)—RAF's latest report says that the bomber force on the 6th time last week it was RAF's most successful day. It was the third night in succession that the Big Ben searchlights lit up the sky with loads of light explosives to Germany.

PRICE 5 CENTS

# New Soviet Drive Threatens Enemy Flank at Rostov

MOSCOW, Sunday, Jan. 10 (AP)—A red army column driving west on a wide front from Stalingrad's western railroad and the lower Don, early today was reported within 15 miles of the lower Donets river, creating a new threat of outflanking Rostov from the north.

The midnight communiqué of the Soviet information bureau announced the capture of Buzovayevskaya, a village 18 miles northwest of Nikolaevskaya and 19 miles west of Marinsk, with Soviet troops approaching the lower Donets just north of its junction with the Don.

A crossing of the Donets at that point would expose Rostov, supply base for the front, to a direct attack from the west bank of the Don. It would put the red army little more than 50 miles from the city.

The hardest fighting was going on in the lower Don region where the Germans have been steadily counter-attacking on one sector with more than 100 tanks and a large force of infantry.

The communiqué announced that these were beaten and forced to retreat with heavy losses of tanks and men, while the Russians took two more points.

Offensive Progress The offensive against Rostov and the arterial route supply for hundreds of thousands of German troops appeared to be progressing steadily. There were no spectacular gains at the present stage but instead a methodical occupation of territory and a relentless grinding down of German manpower and materiel.

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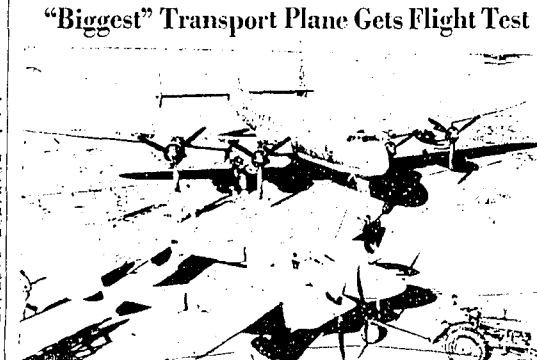
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# U. S. SWAP PLANES STAGE GREATEST RAIN ON BIZERTE

French troops moving up on the Saker front in the Tunicis area, the French reported they smashed back another German attack which cost them 1,000 men and 100 tanks.

# PRICE AND LABOR TOP WOOD PARLEY

Idaho wood growers, at the Legion hall meeting here Monday and Tuesday last, will open a parley with the wood processors.

# RAILWAY BLAMED FOR DEATH OF 26

ALMONT, Ont., Jan. 9 (AP)—A coroner's jury today blamed the Canadian Pacific railway for a wreck that took 26 lives and injured 55 persons on a passenger train.

# WAVELL GROUND ARMY CONTACTS JAP TROOPS IN BURMA LOWLAND

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP)—Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's command thrusting forces have reached the front in the vicinity of Patheingyi in the vicinity of Patheingyi.

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# C. of C. Asks Sales Tax for Age Grants, Cut in Income Levy

Six recommendations for new legislation or reforms in present laws on the statute books had been submitted today to the county delegation in the Idaho legislature by the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce.

# POMONA RAPS AT SALES TAX FOR PENSIONS

The Twin Falls county Pomona Grange went on record in opposition to a sales tax as a means of raising revenue for the senior citizens' grant act.

# RAZIS URGED TO WITHDRAW LINES

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Jan. 9 (AP)—German Marshal Peter von Bock, commander of the German forces in the Baltic region, urged Adolf Hitler to withdraw his lines within a few days.

# APPS STRENGTHEN SOLOMONS BASES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP)—That the Japanese are strengthening their bases in the Solomons area was reported today by a day-by-day attack from the Japanese.

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# Three Transports Sunk in Terrific New Guinea Fight

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Sunday, Jan. 10 (AP)—A mighty victory of the air—at least 88 Jap planes shot down—with the figure for probables and grounded planes scoring the total to around 135, was scored in a three-day, around-the-clock attack on New Guinea-bound Jap convoys which suffered a total of three transports sunk and at least three others badly smashed.

# PROBE LOOMS ON CHOICE OF FLANN FOR U. S. ENVOY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP)—Minority Leader Charles McNary announced today the Republicans would demand a hearing and full investigation of the record of Edward J. Flinn, the resigning Democratic nominee for ambassador to Australia.

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# CHINA PLEADS FOR ADDITIONAL HELP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP)—China's foreign minister today pleaded for additional help in her fight against Japan.

# 2 SAFE-CONDUCT SHIPS ARE SUNK

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# FOUR DIE IN FIRE

BLOOMINGTON, N. D., Jan. 9 (AP)—Four men died tonight in a fire which swept their home while they were asleep.







FARM MOBILIZING PLANS COMPLETE

War God Riding Herd on Movie Plots; Even Western Opera "Idaho" Shows It

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—Practically every county in Idaho will have its own celebration as part of the farm mobilization plan Tuesday.

(NSA Service)—The War God is riding herd over the film world. He has pretty well smashed the old "star system" and the lavish traditions of a galaxy of stars.

National Broadcast Audiences at many communities will listen to a national broadcast from Washington, D. C., on Jan. 10.

Gold Rush Goes On For instance, 20th-Fox put \$300,000 on the line for John Steinbeck's "The Grapes of Wrath."

Problems to Solve Besides the labor shortage, other problems which county meetings will seek to solve include prospective 1943 farm prices.

British Battle Force Helped Convoy Through Without Loss The British battle force was very good—was better.

5 MILLION TAKEN IN INCOME TAXES

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—Collection of \$5,404,412.4 in state income taxes in the 1942 year was accomplished.

Bill Introduced IN THE SENATE: S. 5 by Brandt, R. Stinchcomb, D. Cal., to amend the act to provide for the collection of income taxes.

FISH, GAME AND SURVEY STARTED

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—The Idaho fish and game survey is under way.

Bill Introduced IN THE HOUSE: H. 4 by Schachtel, M. Moffatt, R. Ada, to amend the act to provide for the collection of income taxes.

Pioneer accorded Last Honor Here

A final tribute was paid Saturday afternoon to Hans Peter Lorenzen.

Charitable Unit BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—A. H. Thompson today announced that he has named H. C. Baldridge, commissioner of public relations, as acting director of charitable institutions.

Boisean Hero of Attack in Africa

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Everett is talking about Capt. G. W. Whitlock of Boise, Idaho, who after running down a plane in the desert.

Potato Growers We are in the market today. When you are ready to sell your potatoes, Call or See HOWARD BROTHERS

FIGHT ROOMS AND KAISER REMARKS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 9.—(P)—With Henry J. Kaiser's criticism of the workers' act for 1943 and his remarks on the Kaiser's attitude toward the workers.

Chamber of Commerce Selects 18 Committees for 1943 Work

Palmer committee through which the Chamber of Commerce will function during 1943 have been appointed by President Charles B. DeWitt.

Pete Brooks, 80, Dies at Hospital

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—Pete Brooks, 80, died at the White Mountain hospital here today.

Services Held for Mrs. Ruth Miller

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruth Miller were held Saturday morning at the White mountain chapel with Rev. Herman H. Officiating.

PALEONTOLOGISTS FINANCING ASKED

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—A joint memorial was introduced in the Idaho legislature today for the purpose of raising money for the purpose of financing paleontological research.

FOR SALE

Wooden Filing Cabinet Roll top desk 1 Wrapping corner with 6 drawers 1 High desk 1 National Cash Register (old model) 1 Metal typewriter desk 1 Stool 1 Chair 1 Check writer 1 Shorthand 1 Work tables 1 Paintbrushes-More platform scales 1 50-Drawer parts cabinet 1 25-Drawer parts cabinet 1 15-Drawer parts cabinet 1 10-Drawer parts cabinet 1 Electric oven 1 Severe's pressure cooker

Call J. H. Blandford Phone 253

Send that boy in the service

new successfully contracting. Col. John Casey, Twin Falls, spending a furlough at home. Harry "Red" Twin Falls, was recently called by the navy and will report for training in Boise.

Call Regulations Halted for Idaho

BOISE, Jan. 9.—(P)—At the request of the administrative committee of the state board of agriculture, all call regulations of the Idaho potato administrative committee announced today.

Baldridge Heads Charitable Unit

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Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you are afflicted with rheumatic pain, you can get relief quickly by using the following recipe: Take one cup of water, add one cup of lemon juice, and one cup of sugar.

THE ABOVE NEWS LETTER MAY BE CLIPPED AND MAILED TO YOUR SOLDIER, SAILOR, MARINE, COAST GUARD OR DEFENSE WORKER AS A THUMB-NAIL SKETCH OF THE DOINGS HERE IN MAGICALVIA

**STATE FACES DARK FINANCIAL BIENNIUM, EXPERTS REPORT**

**BIG DROP LOOMS IN TAX RECEIPTS**

He Calls Local USO Tops

**By JOHN CORLETT**  
BOISE, Jan. 9 (UP)—The state of Idaho faces a dark financial biennium, without the inclusion of cuts of the senior citizens' grants and actual figures are still being covered, but faces of the state finance and house appropriations committee of the legislature are lengthening.

It was learned authoritatively that present estimates on revenue reveal that the legislature may face the prospect of providing additional taxes for normal operations of state government without providing additional funds to aid in the pension.

A person in authority, who asked his name not be used, said all but two forms of income tax will decrease in the next two years.

The facts are these:

**Tax Slab**

If the legislature increases personal exemptions on the income tax, revenue from that source will be cut more than 50 per cent.

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Here's the type of young soldier served by the Twin Falls USO center—and on the picture he sent to the USO was this message: "The best of them all but this just home." The soldier is Staff Sgt. Tom Winkie of Wendover air base. (Staff Engraving)

**NOVELIST WILL PLEAD INNOCENT**

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 9 (UP)—Novelist Ursula Parrott will plead not guilty when she goes on trial here next month to face three counts involving the desertion of a soldier from the United States army, her attorney said today.

The 40-year-old screen writer and author of the best seller, "Ex-Wife," was indicted by a federal grand jury yesterday, 10 days after she was arrested by federal bureau of investigation agents on a warrant charging her with abducting a soldier from a military stockade at Miami Beach.

Three counts charging her with (1) enticing desertion from the United States army, (2) harboring a deserter, and (3) undermining the loyalty, discipline or morale of the armed forces, were returned by the grand jury. She could be sentenced to a maximum of 13 years in prison and fined a total of \$12,000 if convicted on all counts.

Attorney Bart Riley, Miami, indicated he would attempt to convince the court that his client had "no intent" to violate the law.

According to A. P. Kilebin, special agent in charge of the FBI here, Miss Parrott aided the desertion of Pvt. Michael Kelly Bryan, of Greenlaw, Tenn., former guard in the Christmas decorations at the center.

Three claret were given for soldiers at the center, along with one Y.W.C.A. dance, and one motion picture show. About 60 dinners were given soldiers, and 23 dates were arranged. Seventeen Negro soldiers have been entertained by a committee headed by Mrs. F. W. Dickerson.

**Wounded Nazis Strafed by Comrades**



Germans in Tunisia fired on their own wounded who were prisoners in this Red Cross ambulance being driven to the rear of American lines. Although the Red Cross on the side of the ambulance was clearly visible, the vehicle was strafed by a Nazi Junkers 88 plane, the driver was killed and wounded Germans were hit. Maj. William Yarborough, Seattle, Wash. liaison officer to the French with U. S. forces stands by rifle at right as Nazi prisoners remove a comrade from the ambulance, whose driver, dead, lies by the door as the plane strafed on when the attack came. (NEA Telephoto)

**MAIL DELIVERY PROBLEM GROWS**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—The navy said today that the problem of mail delivery to its men and to those of the marine corps and coast guard has been complicated by the war's increase in personnel.

To assure prompt mail service without demanding increased cargo space, the navy said two new rules will be placed into effect on Jan. 15:

1. Parcel post packages will be accepted which weigh not more than five pounds and measure not more than 15 inches in length and 16 inches in length and girth combined; only one such parcel will be accepted in one week.
2. Inappropriate second and third class matter such as advertising circulars will not be forwarded to men overseas.

The army and navy are working together to encourage the use of V-mail. V-mail affords fast service and represents a cargo saving saving of 98 per cent over that of ordinary mail.

The army announced Thursday that after Jan. 15 no package may be sent to a soldier unless the article has been requested by the soldier, and the request has been approved by his commander.

The average American farm uses 1,500 board feet of lumber a year.

**3,136 Servicemen Visit USO; They're Royally Entertained**

Nearly 250 Twin Falls women and girls have aided in the Twin Falls USO's entertainment of 3,136 soldiers and sailors who have visited the center in the first three months since it was organized, according to a report by the USO contact committee. This number includes 500 transients who signed the register, and the rest a mix up of several visits by the same group.

There were 633 visitors to the USO center in the first month of the three-month period during which the USO not only has given soldiers a good reputation wherever servicemen's centers are discussed, but has brought praise from national USO representatives, and the commanding officer of the military unit most familiar with the local organization.

Attendance had nearly doubled, the figure for that month being 1,200, and in December it reached 1,225.

**40 Senior Hostesses**

To keep the center open from 1 p.m. to 1:30 a.m., the next day—requires the services of 40 senior hostesses. There are 18 resident hostesses, used only in the evenings, with exception of Saturday and Sunday when they are used after-noon and evening. Most of the hostesses have sons, husbands or brothers in the service.

Approximately 120 addressees, varying in age from 18 to 20 years, are invited to the dances and other entertainment given at the center. In addition to the royal entertainment provided for the arrivals at the local center, the matter of "goodies" has been just as regularly taken care of. Supplies of good things to eat run to large figures, and all of the food was donated by various organizations in town and the surrounding territory except for the canned goods and sugar of the cook.

**They Appreciate This**

About 20 shavers have been given soldiers, through the courtesy of hotels and barber shops, while there are 1,000 in use at the center. Apartments and rooms were located for 12 soldiers; wives during the week, and an attached one for two visitors, and employment was found for this was done by the personal service committee, under

**U.S. Again Asks Secrecy on All Military News**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—The government reiterated today its help request to citizens to help preserve national security by keeping military secrets.

The office of war information, observing that every person "must be his own security officer," issued this new warning against too much talk.

"Don't give the enemy the benefit of the doubt. The fact that you have learned something as a part of your routine job or heard it in casual conversation or read it in a letter that bears no seal of official secrecy doesn't mean that it isn't important. Nor does that mean the enemy necessarily can find out—unless you pass the word along."

**M'CONNEL SETS RULING ON VOLS**

BOISE, Jan. 9 (UP)—Brig. Gen. M. G. McConnell, adjutant general of Idaho, today revealed the following details of the stabilization of the volunteer reserve organization of Idaho:

Vacancies occurring in commissioned personnel may be filled from members within the organization of Idaho.

Units that have been authorized and have progressed to a "final" status may continue, but those which have existed "only on paper," will be mustered out of existence.

"Units may be kept recruited to table strength," McConnell said.

The reserve, fostered by former Gov. Chase A. Clark, was first set at 100,000 men, but the limit later was dropped to 25,000 "due to the progress of the war, the close of the biennium, and the uncertainty of appropriations."

Expansion, appointments of commissioned personnel and retraining for the reserve force was halted Jan. 5 by order of Gov. C. A. Botwin.

**RATION BANKING PROGRAM SKATED**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—Nationwide operation of the ration banking program, intended to ease bookkeeping burdens and speed the handling of millions of coupons by rationing boards and dealers, will start Jan. 27, the office of price administration announced today.

The program was tried out first in the industrial and commercial area in New York state comprised of Albany, Troy, Schenectady and surrounding communities.

Under the program, stamps and coupons taken in by storekeepers, wholesalers and other dealers in rationed goods will flow back to primary suppliers through commercial banks in the manner that banks act as clearinghouses for checks. Dealers will have separate "accounts" in the banks for each rationed commodity, deposit checks against the accounts when they want to replenish their stocks.

The system will cost ration depositors nothing. CPA reimbursement banks for costs.

**H. S. Pupils May Make Application For Deferments**

BOISE, Jan. 9 (UP)—Col. Norman Addison, state director of selective service, today revealed that high school students, upon making application, may be exempted from military service until they have completed their second semester of school work.

"Any high school student who is 18 years of age, and is not yet 20, may be permitted to finish his second semester's work," Addison said.

Written applications, however, must be made to local boards, he added.

The selective service director said the announcement was in response to numerous queries from high school students who wondered whether they were subject to induction.

**SOLDIERS IRKED BY INSURANCE RATES**

BOISE, Jan. 9 (UP)—The Idaho state insurance fund, for the wrath of the Idaho house of representatives, and a bill of "protest" introduced today may lead to greater reprobations.

Speaker Milton L. Hordley, R. Carbondale, today signed a resolution introducing the insurance fund providing insurance for legislative officials' question is rates at 12 cents per \$100 for the sons.

Rates for most forms of compensation insurance written by the state-operated insurance fund have increased in the last two years, and a year ago drew a sharp protest from Hordley.

**Plan Approved For Labor Conference**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—The CIO executive board has approved the machinery set up by the AFL-CIO peace committee for arbitrating jurisdictional disputes between the two unions.

Philip Murray, president of the CIO, announced today.

The agreement was signed by the peace committee Dec. 2 and was endorsed by the executive council of the two groups. The AFL council has yet to announce its action.

**The Long Road Back**

When this war is over and won, millions of young men will be coming home. We must be ready to meet them with jobs, with security for them and their families.

They left behind a free nation—one that gave them the privilege of engaging in whatever occupation they chose. We must preserve that same freedom for them to return to.

They left behind, too, the free American system, one which has brought the American people the greatest prosperity the world has ever known. This is the system of free labor and free business which has carried the nation through countless crises. And each time it has returned the nation to greater heights than before.

This is the system which we must preserve, to fit these young men into peacetime occupations on their "long road back."

**Look Americans!** Since the beginning of time, the only road to prosperity has been P-R-O-D-U-C-T-I-O-N and exchange of goods and services at a profit—the American system of labor and business.

From it you have earned personal benefits—your home towns have enjoyed increasing advantages—and your nation has become the richest on earth.

THE AMERICAN SYSTEM HAS CREATED THESE TANGIBLE THINGS FOR YOU!

- the highest standard of living in the world;
- the accumulation of personal savings and worldly possessions—your schools, your high ways, your buildings—your life insurance, your home, your automobile;
- money to pay the cost of government, local, state and national, including the payment of national debt;
- and with it, you have the right to think, to speak and to worship as you choose—rights forbidden to millions not living under the free American system.

**IDAHO POWER COMPANY**



Keep his America—AMERICAN!



DORALS QUILTS DETROIT U. TO BURLEY PRO COACHING RANKS

Veteran Signed To Five-Year Grid Contract

By Watson Spolstra
DETROIT, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Charles K. (Gas) Dorais, 47, of Notre Dame's first great grid player, has signed a five-year contract as Detroit's athletic director and coach for 18 years.

Bruins Turn Back Buhl Cage Bid By 24 to 16 Score

TWIN FALLS, Jan. 9.—The Twin Falls high Bruins made their second straight over the Buhl Indians today.
The Bruins recorded their second victory over the Indians here last night by a 24-16 score, leading 8-4 at the end of the first quarter, 12-6 at the end of the half and 19-11 at the end of the third period.

Best Big Man



The Bruins' starting five included... The Bruins' starting five included... The Bruins' starting five included...

Burley Trims Rupert Cage Quint, 23-17

RUPERT, Jan. 9.—The Rupert Pirates, contracted a bad case of back fever, or something of the sort, during the second half of their game with the Burley Bobs.
Burley led 12-10 at the end of the first quarter, 18-10 at the end of the half and 23-17 at the end of the third period.

NBA Delays Decision on Angott Plans

PATNSON, N. J., Jan. 9.—(AP)—Albe Greene, president of the National Basketball Association, said tonight that his organization had decided to withhold action on Jimmy Angott's announced comeback until such time as Greene had a chance to talk with both Angott and manager Sam Jones as to what is best for the league.

Catron Leads Bowlers With Mark of 197

Averages zoomed in the Almor Bowling league last week as the end of half of the split-schedule got underway, according to official averages released today by Fred Biele, league statistician.
Fred Biele topped all league bowlers with a 197 average on the strength of a 245-strike rolled in the third heat of his first game. Biele's second was second with a 100 mark.

Murtaugh Beats Kimberly 1st Time in 5 Years

MURTAUGH, Jan. 9.—For the first time in five years the Murtaugh Devils today owned a baseball victory over the Kimberly High Bulldogs.
The Red Devils accomplished the feat by a score of 21-16 here last night. It was their second straight victory with no defeats for the season.

Ways At Gonzaga

In 1947 the Gonzaga Camp Missionary team in Texas to an undefeated season and the following year to a 2-2 record. The team coached by Father James M. O'Connell, S.J., of Gonzaga University in Seattle, Wash., recorded the best record in 1945 of his long career at Detroit.

Raft River Upsets DeLo Club, 38-32

DELO, Jan. 9.—The high school basketball team of Raft River upset the DeLo Club last night by a score of 38-32.
Raft River led 15-10 at the end of the first quarter, 25-15 at the end of the half and 38-32 at the end of the third period.

Gooding Triumphs Over Wendell Cagers, 31 to 16

GOODING, Jan. 9.—The Gooding high school Senators made their first home basketball game a winner last night by a 31-16 score over the Wendell Cagers.
Gooding led 15-10 at the end of the first quarter, 25-15 at the end of the half and 31-16 at the end of the third period.

Cage Scores

Table of scores for various cage sports: Bull (16) vs DeNail (1), DeNail (1) vs Stewart (1), Stewart (1) vs Husted (1), Husted (1) vs Mannan (1).

Top Conditioning Program Under Way at St. Mary's

By Leo H. Petersen
SUN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—(AP)—St. Mary's school is in the middle of a conditioning program for its basketball team. The program is the first of its kind in the state and is being conducted by Coach James H. Dwyer.

Attention Sportsmen

The Annual Meeting of the SOUTHERN IDAHO FISH and GAME ASSOCIATION will be held TUES. NIGHT, JAN. 12—8 P.M. Idaho Power Auditorium

Filer Rallies To Turn Back Wolves, 32-22

FLIER, Jan. 9.—Coach Art Wilson's high school Wolves turned back the Filer Bulldogs last night by a score of 32-22.
Flier led 15-10 at the end of the first quarter, 25-15 at the end of the half and 32-22 at the end of the third period.

Carey Tips Hailey Cagers, 14 to 12

CAREY, Jan. 9.—The Carey high school basketball team made a 14-12 victory over the Hailey Bulldogs last night.
Carey led 7-4 at the end of the first quarter, 12-8 at the end of the half and 14-12 at the end of the third period.

Montgomery Advances in Fight Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Careful pacing and an excellent attack by the opponent's face enabled Bob Montgomery to win a 10-round technical knockout last night over Chester Brown in a fight at the Waldorf Astoria.
Montgomery's victory advanced him to the quarter-finals of the "Big Boy" lightweight championship.

Potato Growers

Get our quotations before you sell. We are always in the market. MACK BRIGHT
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Albion Quits Acequia, 38 to 24

ALBION, Jan. 9.—Albion high school seniors last night triumphed in the Acequia League by a 38-24 victory over the Wendell Bulldogs.
Albion led 15-10 at the end of the first quarter, 25-15 at the end of the half and 38-24 at the end of the third period.

Late Model Used Cars

Advertisement for Jesse M. Chase Used Car Store, featuring a car and text: 'Used Car Store you'll find the cream of the late model used cars...'

Write, Wire, or Phone. We Ship C. O. D.





SERIAL STORY

I AM A MURDERER

BY MORRIS MARKEY

The story: This is the story of the "perfect crime"—the murder of Col. Wesley Hope Merrivether, in the library of his Long Island estate—and of the events leading up to it. At a polo game we have met the wealthy Colonel and his daughter Cynthia. And while the Whitbriens lead the Clavers, we have met in Mr. Porter West's Mustangs, Cynthia over a solution to the Fred's marital difficulties. In the West, Mrs. West's son, Fred, and Mrs. West's rival in Henry Prattis.

VICTORY PARTY

Chapter IV  
They gathered that night at Stone House to celebrate the victory of the Whitbriens and the defeat of the Clavers. Cynthia and Henry Prattis, with the exception of Mrs. Porter West, who simply could not face the situation, and Henry Prattis, who had a miserable appointment in the city.

When he spoke of that appointment, Cynthia put him in a laughing mood and said, "Why don't you get on and bring her to the party?"

Prattis smiled in his uncharacteristic genial fashion. "It isn't a she at all," he said. "It's a mister."

"Bring a man?" Fred blurted out, right when the chafers came home to rest. "I can tell you that."

"You're getting a little unkind, I suppose you know it."

"I don't mean to, Miss Pratty. I simply have to be a rather unpleasant jock, and I'd like it out with our own kind for all."

She laughed. "Don't be ornery where Winnell could spy you out. That's little enough to ask, isn't it?"

The party went easily and pleasantly and quietly. Someone should write his doctor's prescription for the difference between the parties that bloom and flower and die of this world of men.

The fundamental gap lies between the unhappy folk who are determined to enjoy themselves in spite of everything, and the more fortunate who can perfectly well appreciate they are out for a delightful and satisfying evening, and act naturally to the living of it.

At Stone House, human beings expected good wine and amusing talk and girls of a certain beauty. Also assorted small jokes of a more or less "fanciful" nature—very, very funny but always entitled to a polite smile—a roulette table for those in a mood, bridge and swimming and tennis, and the rather specialized pleasure of strolling toward the stable and being patronized by the groom.

The dual throne, as to speak, was the high-backed chair, behind his broad oaken desk. The desk, in turn, occupied the jurece center of his library, and the library was a handsome room with one of its walls made out of French doors. The French doors gave upon the terrace, which was of concrete and the terrace (one step down) dominated the lawn.

But the view through the French doors was not confined to terrace and lawn. It commanded, as well, the deep end of the swimming pool, the stunted lemon trees which shaded the entrance to the tennis courts, and the garden of rose trees which fell away at the left toward the summer house.

It was the colonel's custom to have upon his desk a humidor of sound cigars, and it was his whim to have also a silver-framed photograph of the horse which had last won admiration in the community of Quill Point. Sometimes a horse, sometimes a polo mount, sometimes

a saddle hack or show stallion—but always different, and the murder of Col. Wesley Hope Merrivether, in the library of his Long Island estate—and of the events leading up to it. At a polo game we have met the wealthy Colonel and his daughter Cynthia. And while the Whitbriens lead the Clavers, we have met in Mr. Porter West's Mustangs, Cynthia over a solution to the Fred's marital difficulties. In the West, Mrs. West's son, Fred, and Mrs. West's rival in Henry Prattis.

In detail, however, of the custom of the country, Cynthia herself, upon the arm of Fred West, crowded at an early hour through the open French windows to wish the gentlemen of the house a good evening. They were followed almost immediately by several others of their own generation, and then by Colonel Merrivether and Mrs. Pratty. The dance orchestra in the main hall was already playing in the manner known, quite appropriately, as sweet.

Colonel Merrivether rose and looked hospitably at his guests, and shook hands with the men. He waved them toward chairs and settees, and toward his own chair, and beckoned the manservant into action.

He said to Cynthia, "I hear that good lull fell your way this afternoon, my dear."

"What a man!" Fred blurted out, and Cynthia said, "I wasn't luck at all. It was good old Fred here, sitting at the ball like a Cecil Smith. Bless you, Fred darling. These marvelous Whitbriens can take the Clavers any time at all. The championship is going to be a canter, don't it, Fred?"

"Fred West blurted, and he said, 'We had a lot of breaks.'"

Colonel Merrivether regarded the tip of his cigar. "I stand corrected, Cynthia," he said.

He was an unlikely looking man. Unlikely, that is to say, to be the father of Cynthia Merrivether. In contrast with the upright immensity of her coloring, her voice, her elegant gesture, his own voice and color-

ing and gestures were as near as such things may be to total neutrality. He was neither large nor small, neither light nor dark. His hair was thin brown and his eyes, when he opened the lids wide enough to permit inspection of them, mottled hazel.

His voice was carefully controlled, and his whole body, including his hands, seemed eternally at rest. He had evinced either excitement or boredom, even upon the most provocative occasions, people would have been astonished, and only his strongly made clothing, the frame and atmosphere of his Stone House, gave him the slightest distinction from a million other men just the middle of life, hanging stubbornly to the dubious benefits of existence.

He spoke to Fred West, "I am sorry I did not see the game. It must have been quite interesting. I frankly did not think you had the chance against Prattis and the Claver boys."

"Henry didn't play," Cynthia said. "He had a fall yesterday in a practice game."

"Nothing serious, I hope,"

"Oh, no," Captain Pugh said. "Just an ordinary sprain."

Colonel Merrivether regarded Captain Pugh. "I am glad that you came in to see me," he said. "It seemed to me that your race is a trifle out of condition, and even had a game is rather severe for you. Why don't you give her a rest, and use my gray gelding for a while? He needs the work."

Colonel Merrivether regarded the faintest possible degree. He could never quite get used to the necessity for bluff—nor to offers from others to alleviate that necessity. Before this, he had said to his wife, "It annoys me to accept favors from Colonel Merrivether. It annoys me for very particular reasons. But I cannot possibly object him."

So now he said, "It is very kind of you. I shall be grateful."

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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE



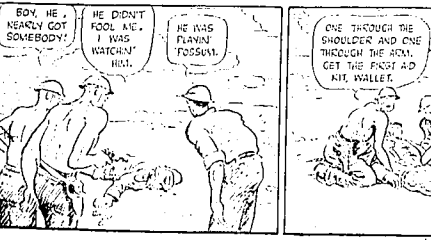
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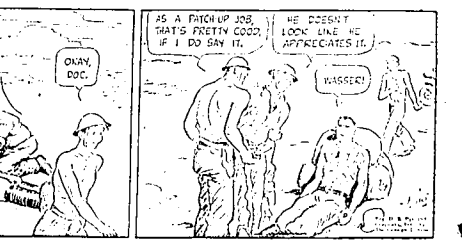
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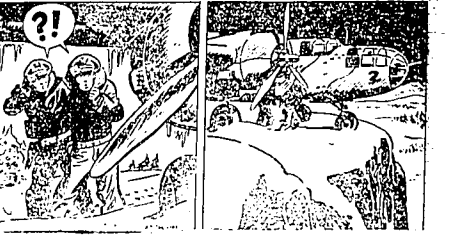
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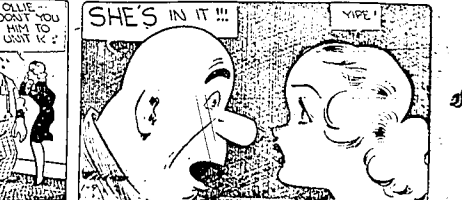
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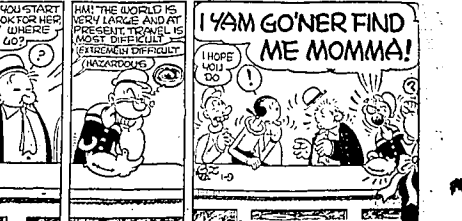
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"Just think—if you weren't a married woman you'd probably have joined the WAAAC, and you'd have to answer you'd be breakfast!"



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# BOTT PLAN WOULD ABOLISH RECLAMATION COMMISSIONER

## BOOST ASKED IN TAX EXEMPTIONS

By ARMAND L. BIRD

HOUSE COMMITTEE The first of the bill's provisions would make it possible for the federal government to acquire and operate in the future a large number of water projects.

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### Appointed Members

Early this week Gov. Donnell appointed to the board members and named Max Margaret Roberts of this county.

One source who declined to be named in the matter of the historical society bill.

### 44 OF ESSENTIAL JOBS ARE LISTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—The selective service bureau announced today that it has selected 44 essential occupations in repair and hand trade services.

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### Health and Welfare

The bulletin on health and welfare services covers "offices of physicians, surgeons, dentists, oculists, podiatrists, veterinary medicine, etc."

### Next With Sent

Immigration and naturalization officials announced a series of changes in the handling of alien cases.

### Marine Wins Top Honor for Heroism

MARINE ISLAND, Cal., Jan. 9 (UP)—Private Charles W. Brown of the United States Marine Corps.

### NOTICE TO SOFT WATER CUSTOMERS

Under the new government ruling, credit will not be extended beyond 60 days and notice will be sent to any account that service will be discontinued if this credit is exceeded.

### Soft Water Service Co.

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### LOUIS KUKA Continues as Service Man and Miss Eva Pugh in the Office

We are hopeful of getting enough softeners to take care of orders on hand, but only customers located on present routes can be installed for the duration to save tires.

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## Not All Fighting for Reds in Caucasus



War in Russia is not always slugging at the enemy. In the case of these red army troops, bundled against the knife-sharp whiteguards, above are their weapons as they clear the way for their advancing comrades in the northern Caucasus. Driving northward from captured Tikhovsk, the Russians are threatening to split the back-tracking Germans. (NEA Telegraph)

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—Sen. Gerald P. Nye, R.-N.D., administration critic and newly-appointed member of the agricultural committee, said today he would ask the committee for an immediate investigation of the food shortage and lend-lease food shipments.

## Appropriate

Whether said an inquiry now would "find out what the percentage of the taxpayers' money" and added: "Best Problem"

## Long Tenure of Treasurer Ends After 12 Years

One of the longest tenures of office in the history of Twin Falls county will come to an end Monday when Mrs. Cora Stevens, county treasurer, turns the keys of her office over to her successor, Mrs. Rose J. Wilson.

## Eastern Lovers Can't Park Now

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—The young men caught by their girls in parked automobiles, last night have been reported to the office of price administration by U. S. park police. It was learned today.

## Probe Asked on Camp Education

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (UP)—A resolution calling for investigation of the educational and administrative program of Japanese resettlement camps by a special congressional committee was introduced today by Rep. J. Leroy Johnson, R., Calif.

## Tank caps Tommy sitting bench

MONTECALI, Jan. 9 (UP)—Domestic estimated today at more than \$750,000 re-tilled from a three-acre farm at the Canada packers fertilizer plant.

## Official Tire Inspectors, TIRE CHECK FORM



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- 41 Chrysler Windsor Sedan
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- 39 Ford
- 38 Chev. Deluxe Town Sedan
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