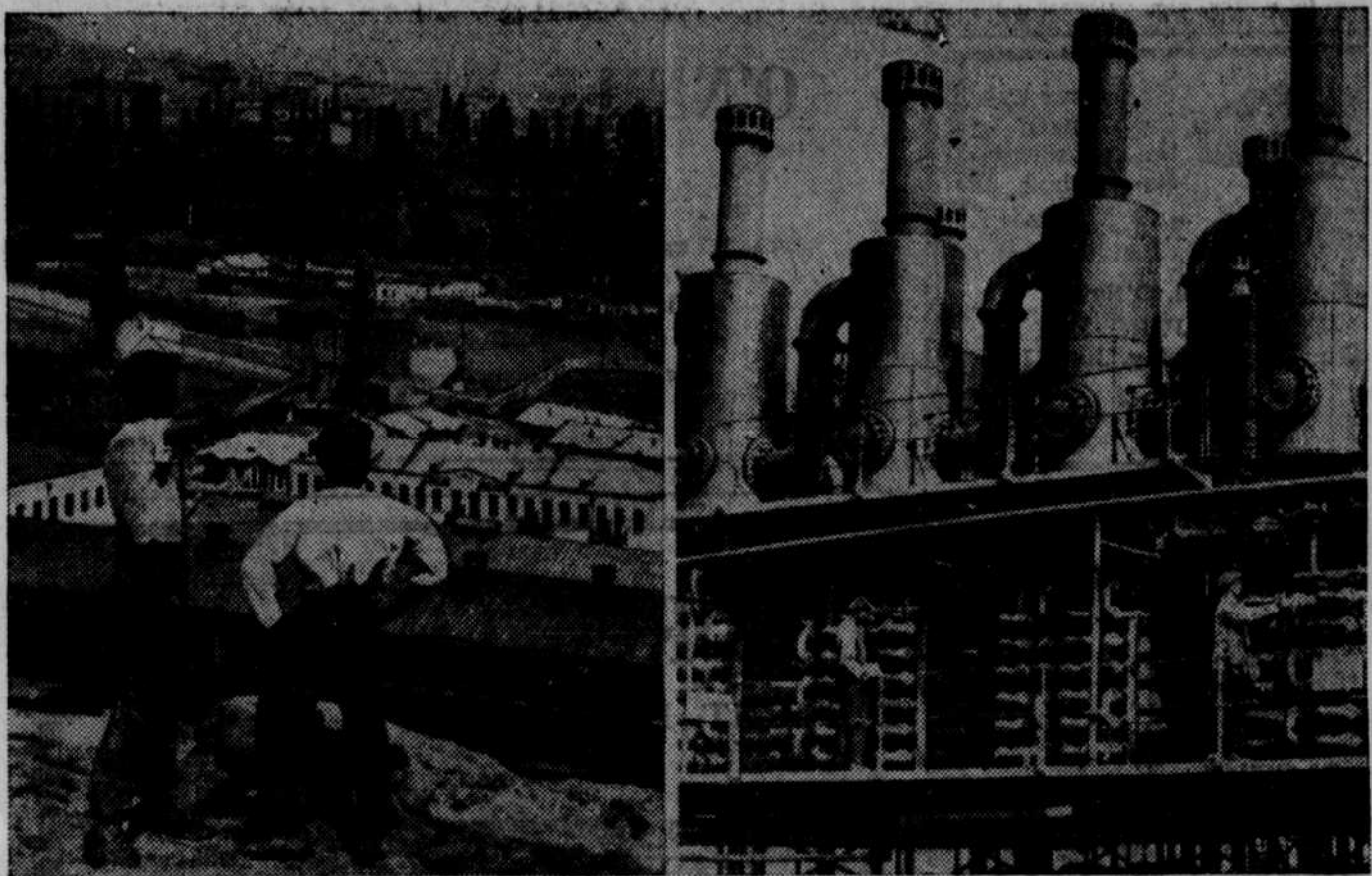


### Trainees Learn What Makes a Ship 'Tick'



From the mountains and the plains young Americans come down to the sea at Port Huene, Calif., to answer the call for immediate expansion of the U. S. merchant marine. Here at the new, spacious Maritime Service Training station nearly 300 trainees are going through the streamlined three-month process of becoming seamen. At left they are shown learning to operate a 3-inch gun. Right: Lieut. Jr. Grade G. A. Painter instructs his class in boat engineering.

### Oil That Feeds Russian War Machine



Two Russian workers (left) stand on a hill at Baku, U.S.S.R., and look over a vast panorama of oil fields with the derricks resembling pins placed at random in some gigantic pin cushion. From this rich oil land in the Caucasus comes most of the fuel to feed the Red army fighting machines. It has been Hitler's most wished-for goal. Picture at the right shows an oil-cracking plant in Baku.

### Jews Prepare to Defend Homeland



This photo, released in London, shows what the Jews are doing to guard the traditional homeland against attack by the Axis. A gun post in a crusader castle on the island of Cyprus is manned by Jews from Poland, Rumania, Czechoslovakia and other countries that are temporarily under the Nazi heel. They have already seen service in Greece, Crete and Libya.

### Fish Story?



Maybe he isn't telling his stooge, Colonel Engel, about the big one that got away, but you can bet that whatever Adolf is recounting here is just as fishy as the tallest tales. The photo was made on the Eastern front, where the Russian army has been engaged in hacking highways through Adolf's invincibles.

### Queen Among Britain's Tin Miners



Queen Elizabeth is shown chatting with Cornish tin miners during her visit to the tin-mining district in Cornwall, England. Her majesty holds a piece of ore presented to her by one of the miners. This industry, neglected for many years, has been revitalized since the loss of Malaya and the East Indies on which Britain depended for tin.

### 1st WAAC Volunteer



Mrs. Jane House, 31, of Manhasset, L. I., first woman to volunteer for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. She is shown with Col. J. F. Daye, recruiting and induction officer.

### Net 230,000 Lbs. Farm Rubber First Day



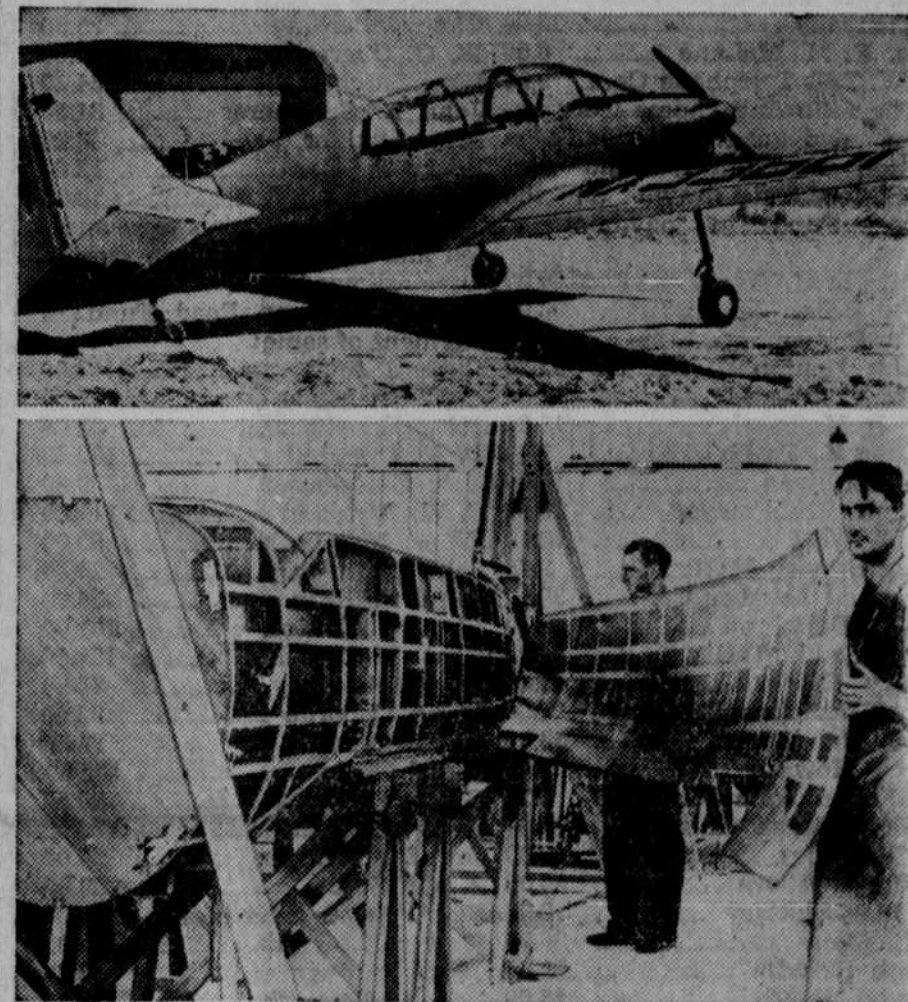
On the very first day of the Northern California Works Projects administration drive to collect agricultural scrap, William C. Bruner, left, an orchardist at Arbuckle, Calif., turned 230,000 pounds of discarded tires over to the WPA collectors. Bruner turned the huge pile of rubber into the custody of A. J. Doyle, chief of the WPA farm salvage staff.

### Auto and Aviation Pioneers Meet



Glenn D. Martin, pioneer plane manufacturer, meets Henry Ford, auto pioneer, who is now a bomber manufacturer, at the famous Ford Willow Run bomber plant. Shown, left to right, are Henry Ford, Albert Kahn, the architect who designed both Willow Run and Martin factories, Mr. Martin, and Charles Sorensen, vice president in charge of production.

### First of Wooden Troop-Plane Fleet



In order to solve the metal shortage in plane production, piano and furniture men have built a plane made 90 per cent of wood. Fleets of these huge wooden troop-planes, capable of carrying men and munitions at 200 miles per hour, are nearing reality. Below you see these experts making the plywood sides. On top is the completed plane.

### Fairly Safe—Even if House Is Bombed



If the brick of this house comes tumbling down, the mother and two children inside this timber air raid shelter would be fairly safe. The heavy timber is easily put together with pegs, contains a double bed and incendiary bomb fighting equipment. The family is bundled in for the night, with one son on top, looking on—and the dog looking in.

### Admiral Honored



Admiral Thomas C. Hart receives from President Roosevelt the gold star in lieu of a second Distinguished Service medal, for his "exceptionally meritorious service as commander-in-chief of the American Asiatic fleet." The citation paid high tribute to Hart's conduct of operations in the Southwest Pacific during the early phases of the war. L. to R., the President, Admiral Ernest King and Admiral Thomas C. Hart.

### Modern Madonna



A war-weary child, made homeless by Nazi air raid on Norwich, England, finds peace in arms of a woman warden. The raid was in reprisal for RAF raids on German industrial cities.

### AEF Baseball



Maj. Gen. Russell P. Hartle, commander of the AEF in Ireland, is about to throw out the first ball to open the baseball season. Many natives see the games.

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TO THOUSANDS of Americans seeking news of their families and friends in war-torn countries, 25 words on an official Red Cross form have meant all the difference between hope and despair. Ever since the outbreak of the war, the American Red Cross has been for many people the only medium through which they could get news of their relatives in Poland, Holland, Belgium and the other occupied nations. Even when the news has been bad, even when it has been the worst possible, it has at least meant merciful release from torturing anxiety and uncertainty.

For a while it was possible in a few cases to maintain contact by letter over long roundabout routes. Since America's entry into the war, all remaining avenues of communication have been closed. Today, under the rules of the United States Office of Censorship, personal messages to residents of enemy or enemy occupied territory may be forwarded ONLY through the Red Cross inquiry service here and the International Red Cross committee in Geneva, Switzerland.

Regulations governing the sending of one of these messages from the United States are that the communication, which should be filled in at a local Red Cross chapter, must not be more than 25 words, and should be in English. If it is written in a foreign language, an English translation must be attached.

The United States Office of Censorship rules that no mention may be made of politics or military subjects, defense materials, shipping or weather conditions, business matters or geographic names.

But even the strict regulations cannot rob the brief message on the International Red Cross form of its human warmth and drama. The original message, made out in some local Red Cross chapter here, goes on its long and slow journey across ocean and continents. Space is provided on it for a reply message, to be returned to the original sender.

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