#### WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS.

# Big Three Study Peace Terms; Homecomings Beat Schedule; Allies Get Set on Rule of Berlin

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When spinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)



After a full of five months, more than 1,000 carrier planes from the Pacific fleet returned to direct attacks upon Tokyo. This map graphically illustrates what they had already been given. The data is based on toll taken by B-29s. Percentages show industries destroyed.

ENEMY AIRCRAFT DESTROYED.

JITTERY JAPS:

any minute by Allies.

Nany Score

the last few days.

TYPHOON:

Hits U. S. Fleet

now been refitted for action.

carriers. Only one life was report-

ment of the incident did not specify

where the typhoon struck but pre-

sumably it was in the western Pa-

cific area between Okinawa and the

Philippines. This area is known as

the "typhoon cradle" where violent

by an American naval party was

Many of the Japs appeared to be

many would die during the night.

While the sick men were kept

clean, the wards and galleys were

filthy and insect-infested, and the

standard of cleanliness on the ship

was below par everywhere. A stench

emanated from the ship that could

Curiously, the Jap officers were

polite and anxious to please. The

skipper offered American officers

tea and liquor. He was interested

in American baseball, as he had

played third base on a Jap navy

team, and was especially inter-

ested in the present standing of

The Office of War Mobilization

and Reconversion will become a

when Fred M. Vinson, present direc-

tor, becomes secretary of the treas-

agencies into the treasury.

Vinson has already indicated that

CONVERSION POST:

the Yankees.

To Treasury

be smelled 1,000 yards away.

storms strike without warning.

In Bad Shape

JAP HOSPITAL SHIP:

Adm. Chester Nimitz' announce-

tery over continued large-scale air

assaults against Tokyo and other in-

Broadcasts, changing from hour to

pects invasion of the mainland at

Military spokesman for Japan ad-

it would be necessary for the Im-

perial government to devise some

The U. S. navy alone has de-

secretary Artemus L. Gates of the

period the American fleet plane loss

has been approximated at 2,700. It

is believed that the army has ac-

considering the large number in

deployed to the fleet last year.

against continued air attacks.

Get More So

#### TRUMAN: And Big Three

Through chilled North Atlantic waters, President Truman arrived in Potsdam to keep his rendezvous with Prime Minister Churchill and

Marshal Stalin. It is believed that they will be concerned with problems dealing with control of Germany, planned on long-range basis; disposition of territories-Italian and some 30 disputed boundaries to be settled; political and economic questions, including Italy peace terms, what to do with Spain and other "neutrals," which might include Japan.

Diplomats say that the Big Three, while discussing the San Francisco conference, their present work will not tie in directly with the West Coast conference and United Nations charter.

#### Berlin Rule

The rule in Berlin has been split, and for the first time the American and British military governments have moved in and taken up their responsibilities in the German capi-

Rules and regulations established in American and British zones of bat tonnage. More than 26,000 air-Berlin, as established by the Red army, will remain in effect until General Clay and General Lyne and their staffs can formulate permanent methods of operation. Russian policy has been declared to be more realistic than those adopted by other Allies in other sections, and high sources seem to think there will be little change made in Ber-

Each Allied military government will provide food, coal and other scribed as greater than any Jap necessities from their part of occupied Germany to take care of German civilians within Berlin. There will be exchanges of different kinds of goods among the British, American, French and Russian authorities due to scarcities of some items in different sections.

#### **BIG HOMECOMING:** Ahead of Schedule

When eight transports docked in New York one day in mid-month, they brought back 35,000 happy veterans of the European war-the largest number returned in a single day since V-E Day. Twenty-eight thousand soldiers were Americans, 7,000 Canadians. Five infantry regiments, a hospital unit, various groups of the 8th air force, and numerous smaller units were among the arrivals. The number of troops now back in the states is approaching the half million mark.

The giant Queen Mary carried more than 15,000 men, including 6,000 of the Canadian contingent. The West Point, which is the navy's largest transport, had 7,600 soldiers aboard, and the John Ericcson about the same number. Three thousand men came home on the James Parker, and four smaller transports returned a total of 1,500.

Aboard the West Point were 33 men who were not happy about the trip. They were Japanese diplomats taken into custody in Europe.

An unlisted passenger was Natale Piavallo, nine-year-old Italian orphan, who was smuggled aboard the General Bliss by soldiers of the 8th division. He was liberated from a German prison camp by American troops. He will be placed in a private home pending decision of immigration authorities.

#### 'DIES' COMMITTEE: New Chairman

Representative Wood (Dem., Ga.) has been elected by the house to the chairmanship of the committee | part of the treasury department on un-American activities, succeeding Representative Hart (Dem., N. J.), who resigned due to ill ury, according to Washington.

Representative Rankin, who has he intended to keep his top OWMR been acting chairman of the group | personnel. Eventually treasury ofsince Hart resigned, called Repre- ficials look for a further consolidasentative Wood, outstanding and one tion of some of the independent fiscal of the finest Americans in the house.

#### PLENTY POINTS: But Still In

Eighty-five points doesn't necessarily mean immediate release from the army, as all soldiers know. The trouble is, their families don't realize the catch. Thousands of men who have served long and valiantly are classed as "essential" and are being held indefinitely. In many cases they are having a hard time explaining to their wives just why

they aren't coming home soon. One captain stationed in Germany with an occupation unit has 127 points. His wife is so sure that he could return to the states if he wanted to that she is threatening divorce. She thinks that he wants to stay because he has fallen for some German woman, Chaplains report that dozens of such cases reach them every week. Morale is suffering seriously.

# CHARTER:

Moves Along

The United Nations charter, meeting with almost no opposition before the senate foreign relations committee, went to the senate for what is said to be certain acceptance without modifications. The committee ended its sessions by a parade of supporters of the charter, after listening to a few individual outspoken opponents.

Final witnesses before the committee included Philip Murray, president of the CIO and William G. Carr, president of the National Education association as well as Norman Thomas, Socialist party leader.

The speed with which the charter has been handled indicates that the United States will become the first nation to officially approve Japan homeland has become jitthe charter or to pass on it in any

#### dustrial centers of its islands. NEW WAC CHIEF: Hobby Resigns hour, all indicate that Japan ex-

Col. Westray Battle Boyce has been named director of the wommitted that to defend the islands the service.

adequate defense of the homeland Colonel Boyce was employed for eight years in federal agencies in WACs. She served as a company stroyed more than 17,000 Japanese In North Africa she was WAC staff fast. planes since Pearl Harbor, Underdirector. During the last few months she has been chief assistant to Colonavy has reported. During the same nel Hobby.

Colonel Hobby, wife of former Governor Hobby of Texas, and mother of two children, says she counted for as many Jap planes, wants to return to civilian life to make a home for her family.

# Navy carriers now total nearly 100 | CHINESE GAINS:

with a tonnage of 1,250,000, the On Mainland largest single portion of total com-

Doggedly battling Chinese troops craft built since Pearl Harbor were at Kanchow is being encircled, it was said, with fighting going on 12 Five weeks after a raging typhoon miles outside the town. This comlashed Admiral Halsey's 3rd Fleet munications center is about 250 with 138-mile-an-hour winds virtualmiles north of Hong Kong. In ly every damaged ship (there were another sector, the Chinese are ap-21 hit) was back in action. The proaching Wuchow, Japanese suphavoc wrought by the storm was deply base 130 miles west of Canton on Sikiang river. Capture of this city blow ever administered to the fleet. is a major objective.

The cruiser Pittsburgh miracu-New advances are being made in lously stayed affoat after its bow was Hunan province, where the Japs are torn off in the churning sea. It has pulling back toward Paoking. They are now only four miles outside the Among the damaged ships retown, which guards the approaches paired and back in action were three to the Jap-held rail junction of fast battleships and two Essex class | Hengyang.

## AUTOS:

Ration Free?

More autos will be available to the public by March 31 than originally planned-at least enough to bring announcement from Henry P. Nelson of the War Production board that they would be ration-free.

They will still be hard to get however due to a serious shortage of tin. The present quotas called for some 690,000 new cars by next A Japanese hospital ship, boarded March 31, which is not much more than 10 per cent of the market defound to be dirty and overrun with mands. Thus while cars may be vermin. Food and medical supplies placed on ration-free lists, little hope were entirely inadequate for the is held out that many will be able 1,000 patients, who had been reto secure the family car they have moved from Wake Island under been saving for.

#### BEEF: starving. A doctor admitted that Grass Fed

Cattle fattened on grass in Oklaenter the markets in sizable numbers. About 380,000 head have been will gain from 200 to 350 pounds on that, too. the green feed.

Animals that would come up to A islands on December 7, 1941, Pvt. grade if finished on corn are being Joseph Lockard, though not supgrass fed because of the scarcity of posed to be on duty at the time, grain. Commission men think the was listening to a 'detector," an grassy beef will sell for 13 to 14 cents apparatus which strangers weren't stacles to their flight. And, of a pound.

# MALARIA CONTROL:

Daily "delousing" of Manila by low-flying aircraft with DDT, the wonder insecticide, has resulted in a sharp decline in the fly, mosquito and other pests among its unwanted population, with a material lowering of the number of malaria cases

reported. The planes, mostly transports, fly at rooftop level, spraying the city with a fine mist composed of DDT. The same method has been used effectively on the New York City beaches. The supply is still limited.

# Washington Digest

# Radar Saved Britain— Will Remodel Industry

Electronics Proves of Great Value to American Air and Naval Forces During Present War.

> By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

> > it to his superior, but that gentle-

man, knowing American planes

were out at the time, took no action.

Lockard was eventually given the

Distinguished Service medal. The

rest we had better try to forget

while we still must "remember

Pearl Harbor." Human service

failed to carry the message that the

Jap air fleet was coming, but radar

Radar has grown to be a giant

since then. This is what "Impact,"

an official publication of the assist-

ant chief of air staff (intelligence)

"The use of radar in military op-

erations is in its infancy, but it has

permeated every phase of air war-

fare. It is used in strategic bomb-

ing by both British and American

heavies. It makes night fighting and

intruder operations possible. It liter-

ally saved England in the battle

of Britain. And it provided for the

control and direction of virtually ev-

ery day or night sortie flown by the

TACs (tactical air force planes)

The importance of the part which

the American tactical air forces

played from the battle of Normandy

right up to V-E Day is acknowl-

edged by everyone, though there

may be differences of opinion as to

the relative achievements of the

various branches of the service.

(Tactical bombing and strafing is

that part of air force activity which

is an integral portion of the individ-

execution as the disposition of ar-

"softening up," the long range air

And radar was a vital part of the

It controlled night fighters, photo

and mapping planes, picked out tar-

gets and kept track of enemy planes

To quote an official comment:

constant overcast conditions dur-

ing the last winter, the IX, XIX and

XXIX TACs were able to operate at

maximum strength continually. On

the other hand, the 1st Tactical air

force, which was without radar

equipment last November, flew

only two missions that month, one

of these abortive because of the

As to the long-range, strategic

bomber, which has to cross half a

continent to get where it is going,

if bad weather envelopes it, radar

is, of course, invaluable for keeping

its location. Radar is also an inte-

Speculation as to radar's ultimate

possibilities are unlimited, both in

war and peace. Any ordnance ex-

pert will tell you that a "controlled

missile" - that is, a bomb such as

the deadly German "V" bombs,

which flew from Holland to Eng-

land - can, with certain improve-

ments, be made much more deadly.

Not only can they be made to fly

much farther-across the Atlantic,

over the North Pole - but they

can be accurately aimed and di-

rected at an area such as a city

and ruthlessly destroy it. Radar can

do that and many other things it has

not yet attempted. There are, like-

which radar can and will serve a

peaceful world.

wise, an infinite number of ways in

In commercial aviation, the man

in the control tower, the traffic cop

at the airport, will be able to lo-

by day or by night, in cloudy weath-

er and clear. And it must be re-

membered that regulating the traf-

important problems of tomorrow's

planes which will be in use and a

similar increase in their speed and

Radar can warn the planes them-

cate all of the planes in the vicinity

gral part of the fire-control.

Commercial Aviation

Will Profit Greatly

"On the western front, despite

for normal operations.

in the area.

weather."

during the winter (of 1944-45)."

had done its part of the job.

WNU Service, Union Trust Building, | about 30 miles away. He reported Washington, D. C.

(This is the first of two articles by Mr. Baukhage revealing some of the remarkable achievements of radar and explaining how it operates.)

Little by little the world is learning more of the secrets hidden in that magic, five-letter word which, spelled backward or forward, means the same thing, but whose real meaning is still a mystery. I mean R-A-D-A-R.

I have written it down that way because its derivation is one mystery that we can reveal. Before it went into "classification," which is what they say in the army when they mean something can't be mentioned in public, radar was an important but little - known, copyrighted, commercial label. It is really four words in one: Radio Direction and Ranging.

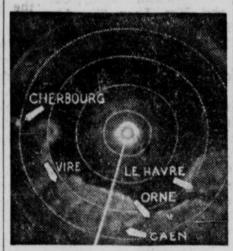
Early in the war there were some stories printed about a German airplane which had a television camera in it which could send back pictures of the territory beneath it. Shortly thereafter all mention of such an apparatus stopped and the dark and mysterious career of radar began. Radar and television are not the same thing, but there are similarities and if we can believe that en's army corps, following resigna- actors in a studio in the RCA buildtion of Col. Oveta Culp Hobby, who ing in New York can be seen out was the first head and organizer of in Westchester county by people sitting around a television set, we can believe that another little gadget can register the presence and loca-Washington before she joined the tion of a distant object (like a plane or a warship) and, if it is moving, officer and in public relations work. | tell which way it is going and how

#### Radar Will Soon Be Industries' Marvel

As I said, we knew the Germans had been working on such a device early in the war. This is how radar was born in this country:

Back in 1932 two scientists observed that something happened to a radio wave when it hit the wide side of a building and also when a ship went across its path. Research continued, but the war sent radar have recaptured two former U. S. into hiding. On November 14, air bases in Kiangsi province, it 1942, a Jap battleship slipping was announced by the Chinese high through the sea near the Solomon command. The important Jap base islands was suddenly struck by a salvo of shots from an American ship eight miles away. The Japs went down to Davy Jones' locker without knowing what hit them. They never saw the American ship which fired the shots. Nor did the' Americans ever see the Japanese

warship except as it appeared as a



Radar Finds Military Targets.

little "blip" of light on a tiny

Radar did it.

On a winter day, I sat in a room at the Willard hotel in Washington. London was trembling under the terror of night bombing. Sitting at a table before us was an officer of the Royal air force. After a few general remarks, he made what was to us an astounding statement; namely, that defense against daytime bombing had been perfected and a method of ending the effectiveness homa and Kansas are beginning to of night attack would soon be in operation.

The tide had been turned in the put to graze on the blue stem grass battle of Britain and, though we lands. It is expected that the steers | didn't know it then, radar had done

Between these two events was an-Ordinarily beef from the grass other one we don't like to talk too country rates as B grade or worse. much about. Over in the Hawaiian allowed to approach in those days. course, will permit safe landing and pear growers throughout the Lockard "detected" an airplane even in a dense fog.

BARBS . . . by Baukhage

# Ad in personal column'-"Literate | Remember way back when about

on the first of the month.

front and the product still has a sters and bachelors can get their tures is not affected by the percentgood potential domestic market. first mate.

suey?

A French paper says that French | The Metropolitan Life Insurance necessity for adding more air and girls don't like the G.I. brand of company has discovered that di- using higher pressures in proportion love-making. However, there is a vorced and widowed persons can get considerable shortage on the home- a new mate more easily than spin-



# Farm Accident Costs Continue to Mount

Most Losses Can Be Prevented Entirely

Accidents to farmers, in a typical year, lost double the amount of time needed to produce the average annual wheat crop of the United States. The economic loss from accidents of all kinds occurring to farm people is nearly a billion dollars per year. In a typical year: 17,200 farm people were killed. 4,500 were killed at agricultural

1,500,000 rural residents were in-

Of the 17,200 accidental deaths among farm people, nearly half were the result of accidents similar to those in urban homes, due to falls, burns, poisons, firearms and drowning.

The greatest number of fatal accidents to farm workers occurred



Don't adjust moving belts.

while oiling, unclogging or adjusting moving farm machinery. Some ual land force operations, as much a part of the battle plan and its farmers were killed when tractors tipped over, but, next to matillery. Strategic bombing is the chinery, the commonest accidents were caused by livestock-by the startled horse or the bull that everyone thought was tame.

success of the tactical operations in Motor vehicle accidents not asso-Europe from D-Day on because of ciated with farm work took the lives its help in getting a fighter-bomber of 3,700 rural people. to its target and getting it home

The week commencing July 22 again in weather which is too bad has been designated by President Truman as National Farm Safety

Hunt Started for

Meatier Market Fowl Major poultry associations, key poultrymen and U.S.D.A. specialists have undertaken an assignment from the A & P Food stores to draw up specifications for an ideal meat-type bird and to supervise distribution of \$8,000 in awards which the company has posted.

The committee, headed by D. D. Slade, secretary, International Baby Chick association, believes the program will crystallize thinking among poultry breeders and hatcherymen on a chicken with an abundance of "carvings." A broadbreasted chicken would mean more economical growth, more meat per pound of feed consumed, and more profits to poultrymen. A prize of \$5,000 will be given to the poultryman breeding the best bird at the end of three years. Annual progress awards will total \$3,000.

Water for Chickens In order that fresh water may



be provided for the chickens and be kept clean, the cover shown in this illustration is recommended. It may be used with water basin or some form of automatic water fount.

## Alfalfa Adds Nitrogen

When alfalfa is fed on the farm where it is grown and the manure is returned to the land, there would be a large gain in nitrogen and the phosphorus and potassium loss would be greatly reduced.

At the University of Illinois, it was observed that when a ton of hay is fic is going to be one of the most | sold, 37 pounds of nitrogen obtained from the air goes with no gain skyways, for there will be a tre- to the grower, but rather as a gain mendous increase in the number of the buyer of the hay. By feeding the alfalfa and using manure, this loss is reduced.

Hormone sprays, or pre-harvest selves against collision and the pres- fruit - drop inhibitors, containing ence of land masses, high tension naphthalene acetic acid as the acwires, tall buildings or other ob- tive ingredient, were used both in

## Add Water to Tires

There are no ill effects from filling tires completely with a water solution of calcium chloride. Comlass looks for laughter in letters." the only thing a soy bean was good pletely filled tires have an advan-Then don't open your mail, lassie, for was to provide sauce for chop tage in that pressure is automatically increased as the tires are overloaded, thus avoiding the usual to heavier tire loads.

Resistance to bruising and puncage of liquid fill.

Charming Nightgown For Summer Wear



CHARMINGLY simple nightgown to make up in white rayon crepe, using two-inch white embroidered beading to finish the V-neck and for the shoulder straps. Run narrow pink or blue silk or satin ribbon through the beading. Self material bandings will give a more tailored effect, if you prefer.

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