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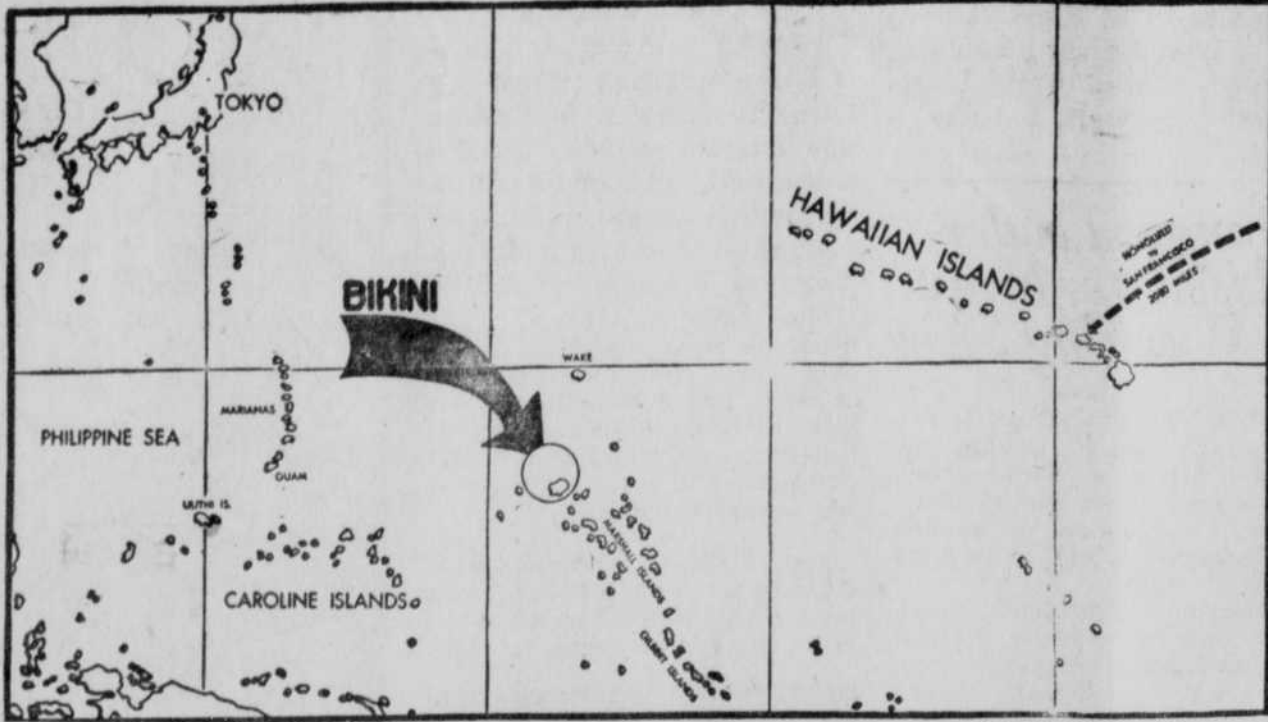
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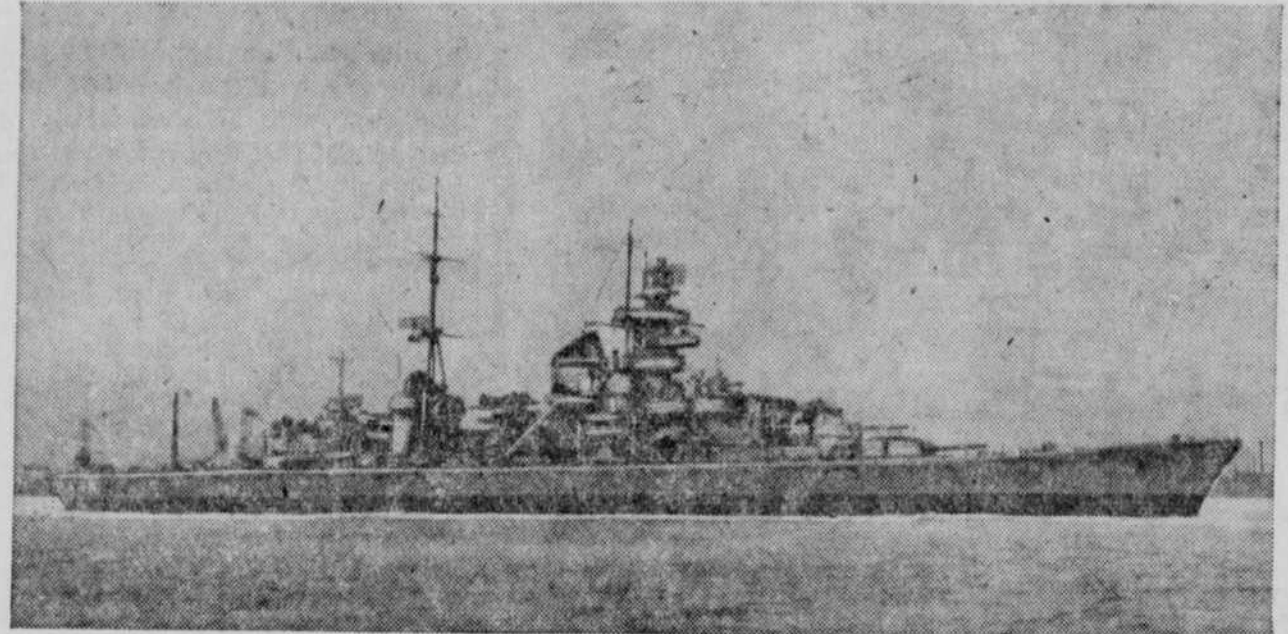
THEY'LL feel the destructive force of the atomic bomb! Here are seven of the 97 target ships to be tested in Operation "Crossroads," atomic bomb tests scheduled for May and July. The scene will be Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Island group.

The tests will be conducted by an Army-Navy-Civilian group under the Navy's Vice Admiral W. H. P. Blandy. In early May, an A-bomb will be exploded above the ships, followed by a surface test in early July, and a deep-water explosion later. Total personnel strength for

the operation will reach 37,000, the Navy crews of the operating and target ships constituting the majority. This is the first of a series of layouts on ships of the target unit. Represented here are each of the combatant-type ships to be used in the tests.



Bikini Atoll, Central Pacific, where the tests will be conducted. Bikini is in the perimeter of the Marshalls, bitterly contested chain of islands wrested from the Japanese early in the war.



The Prince Eugen, second of the Admiral Hipper class of heavy cruisers built by the Germans for use in World War II, fought several important actions in the Atlantic, Baltic Sea, and English Channel, including the engagement in 1941 which resulted in the sinking of the Bismarck. She also accompanied the German battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau in their flight from the English Channel in 1942, escaping to Norway. The vessel was later damaged several times by bombs and torpedoes, but has been put in repair for the coming Bikini test.

INMAN ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tomlinson returned from Omaha last Wednesday.
W. S. C. S. met at the Aid parlors last Thursday afternoon and lunch was served.
Mrs. James Coventry entertained the Y. M. Cub at her home for an all day meeting.
Mrs. Mary Hartigan entertained the Pich Club at her home last Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Smith, of Bayard, visited several days with Mrs. Smith's father, Rev. E. B. Maxcy.
Mrs. Lois Taylor of Beatrice, returned to her home Tuesday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moor.
Mrs. Harvey Tompkins went to Omaha Tuesday to get Mr. Tompkins, who has been in the Methodist hospital the past week.
Rebekah lodge met last Wednesday evening and lunch was served by Mrs. Maurine Smith, Mrs. Lucile Hutton, Mrs. Mary Ellen Coventry.
Last Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rouse and Miss Mildred Keyes helped Mrs. Gerald Risor celebrate her birthday anniversary at her home.
The Adult Fellowship held a bingo party last Thursday evening at the Aid Parlors. A large crowd was in attendance and the lunch was served by Mr. and Mrs. Ermand Keyes and Mr. and Mrs. Haden Geary.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rouse and Miss Mildred Keyes drove to Omaha last Friday afternoon to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Keyes and family and Miss Marjorie Rouse.

CHAMBERS ITEMS

PROJECT CLUBS MEET
The Amelia Progressive, The Neighboring Neighbors and the Valley Center Project Clubs met Friday afternoon, February 16, in the parlors of the Methodist church. The group chairman, Mrs. Wandersee was the presiding officer. Mrs. M. L. Sageser led the community singing with Mrs. C. V. Robertson pianist.
The county agricultural agent, Neil Daves, and state extension specialist, Mrs. Leo Corcoran, of St. Edward, presented the lesson on DDT and its uses. This wonderful insecticide comes in several forms; as a dust, an emulsion, a solution dissolved in oil, and as a wettable dust to use in water. It shows more promise in the control of household pests than any other material. Its most outstanding feature being its lasting qualities. Spray or dust residue retain their killing powers for lengths of time varying from several weeks to several months.
About 100 people were present to hear this discussion and see the demonstration. Following the lesson a social hour with refreshments of sandwiches, pie and coffee was served.
Jim Sheedy and Jack Gray, of Lincoln, visited last week at the Clifford Potter home.
Dr. C. M. Eason arrived home Saturday from the E. T. O. after three and a half years in the service.
Fifteen members of the Rebekah lodge met last Friday evening to attend a lodge ca lodge journeyed to O'Neill meeting.

A few friends gathered at the Charles Spath home Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. Spath's birthday.
Mrs. Rena Feyerherm returned last Friday from a visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pheil of Wayne.
Rev. Paul Sawtell, who is head of the Bible Institute in Omaha, conducted services at the Baptist church last Wednesday evening.
Leo Adams drove to Sioux City Saturday to meet his daughter, Elaine, who came from Sioux Falls, S. D., to spend the week-end with her parents. She returned Monday.
Mrs. Marion Meyers has received word that her brother, Clyde Primus, has arrived on the west coast after serving for several months in the South Pacific. He expects to be home soon.
The family dinner was held on Sunday. Mrs. Fullerton dressed and cooked a 22 pound turkey for the occasion and also baked a lovely three tier angel food cake, which was decorated with a golden bell.
A large crowd gathered at the Baptist church Saturday evening to hear the lecture and see the pictures on Africa, which was given by Rev. Lehman, a returned missionary, and Rev. Tanis, who is home on furlough.
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burch returned Tuesday from a 12 day vacation, which they spent visiting his brother, at Amite, La. They attended the "All Girl Orchestra" performance in Omaha Monday evening.
Members of the Lutheran church have started work on the new parsonage which they are building as soon as possible. The old parsonage has been moved, the basement dug and lumber on hand to start building.
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ge are the parents of Mrs. Chas. Spath of Chambers. Mrs. Spath and daughters, Angie and Mrs. George Fullerton drove to Plainview Friday to attend the celebration.
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Mrs. John Soukup left for her home in California Friday, after spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Gray.
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cashatt and three children, of Ewing, were dinner guests Sunday evening of her sister, Miss Euna Borden, who was celebrating a birthday anniversary.
Miss Margaret Murphy, Plainview, Russell Sorenson, Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sorenson and daughter were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Soren Sorenson.
Mr. and Mrs. Soren Sorenson received a letter from their son, William E., B. M. 2-c from Manila, stating he was on his way to Shanghai, China. He has been in the Pacific area the past nine months.
Members of the Get-to-Gether Club entertained their families at an oyster supper at the I. O. O. F hall Thursday evening. There were 38 in attendance. Entertainment for the evening were cards and two short plays by the ladies.
Mrs. Bessie Wanser of Wahoo, spent from Thursday until Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cronk. She left for Martin, S. D., to visit another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kosmicke. She expects to return here the latter part of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. John Grutsch entertained at a birthday dinner for their daughter, Ilene, at the M and M cafe at O'Neill Sunday noon. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans, O'Neill; Misses Maude Martin and Effie Stevens, Page; and L. G. Stevens, Oakland.

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Mrs. Floyd Fusselman and Mrs. C. E. Walker were hostesses to the Contract Bridge Club at the Fusselman home Monday evening. Guests were, Mrs. Ralph Larson, Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. Jerry Lamason, Mrs. Harold Kelly and Mrs. Mary Hartigan. Mrs. Herbert Steinberg received high score and Mrs. Fusselman the traveling.
The Royal Neighbor Kensington met with Mrs. E. A. Edmisten Wednesday afternoon, March 13, with fifteen members present. Guests were, Mrs. Clarence Stewart, Mrs. Ed Stewart and Mrs. Dave Bowen. Pitch was the entertainment for the afternoon. Mrs. Herbert Steinberg receiving high score and Mrs. Robert Gray low. A covered dish luncheon was served.
A family dinner was held at the C. M. Stewart home Sunday. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and Neva, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stewart and Loren, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart Jackie and Loren. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and Linda, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ganskow. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart left for their home at Papillion Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ganskow left for Hollywood, Cal., Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are visiting relatives at Inman this week.

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stewart celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Friday, March 15, at their home in Page. A family dinner was served at the home of their son, Roy. Those present, besides the guests of honor Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stewart, were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and daughter, Neva, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Smith and daughter, Linda, of Compton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stewart and son, Loren, of Page, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart and son, Jackie, of Papillion, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ganskow, of Hollywood, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Anna Stewart of Joplin, Mo.
Open house was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. from 4 p. m. to 5 p. m., and 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Many relatives and friends called to extend congratulations and best wishes. Mrs. Harold Banta had charge of the guest book in which 70 names were signed. They received many gifts, flowers and cards. A delicious lunch was served.
Miss Hattie Ramsey and Calvin Munson Stewart were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ramsey, near Rogers, Arkansas, March 15, 1896, by Rev. Todd a Baptist minister. They took no wedding trip but commenced housekeeping in a log cabin on a farm in that county. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have four sons, Roy of Page, Joy of Corte Madera, Calif.; Arnold of Page; Ivan of Papillion. One daughter, Mrs. Melvin Smith of Compton, Calif. Another daughter, Mrs. Ethel Ganskow passed away 23 years ago. They have seven grandchildren.
Mr. and Mrs. Stewart both enjoy good health and maintain their home, garden and chickens, gold bell.

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By these means, retailers are helped to maintain wholesome conditions in keeping with the public welfare.

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United States Brewers Foundation

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PAGE PROJECT CLUB
Mrs. A. L. Dorr was hostess to the Page Project Club on Tuesday. Following the covered dish luncheon at noon, officers were elected for the next year as follows: Mrs. Edgar Stauffer, (Continued on page five)