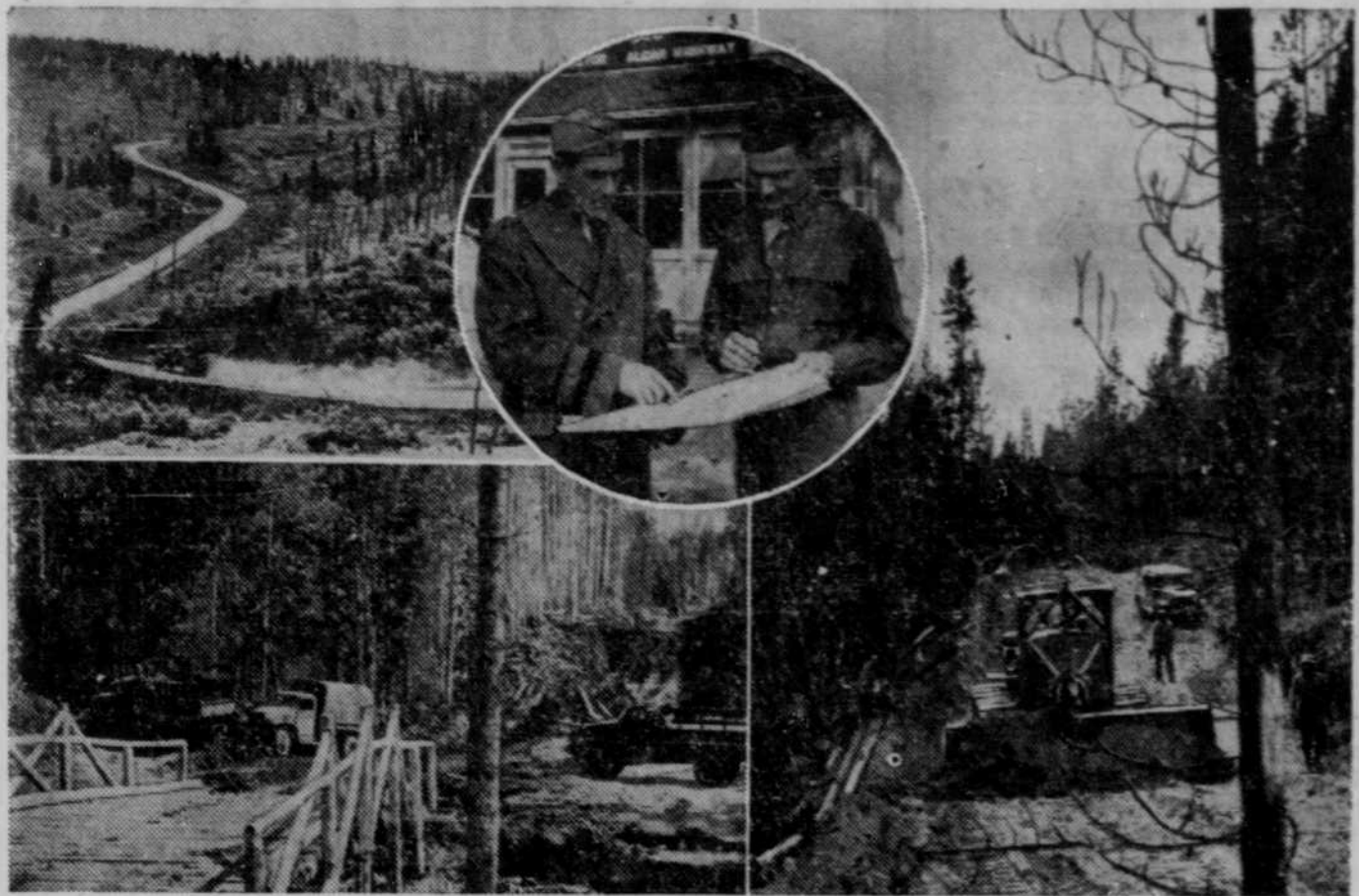


Trucks Now Rolling Over Alaskan Highway



U. S. troops and supplies are now rolling into Alaska over the Alaska Highway (Alcan), which was finished months ahead of schedule. The 1,600-mile road ends at Fairbanks. Photos show (right), a bulldozer knocking a trail through virgin forest; lower left, a "carry-all" puts the finishing touches to a section of the highway as trucks bring up gravel for surfacing; upper left, scenic view of the Alcan as it winds through the Yukon. Circle: Brig. Gen. William Hoge and Maj. E. J. Stann, executive officer, discuss route at Whitehorse.

Uncle Sam's Watch Dogs of Sea and Sky



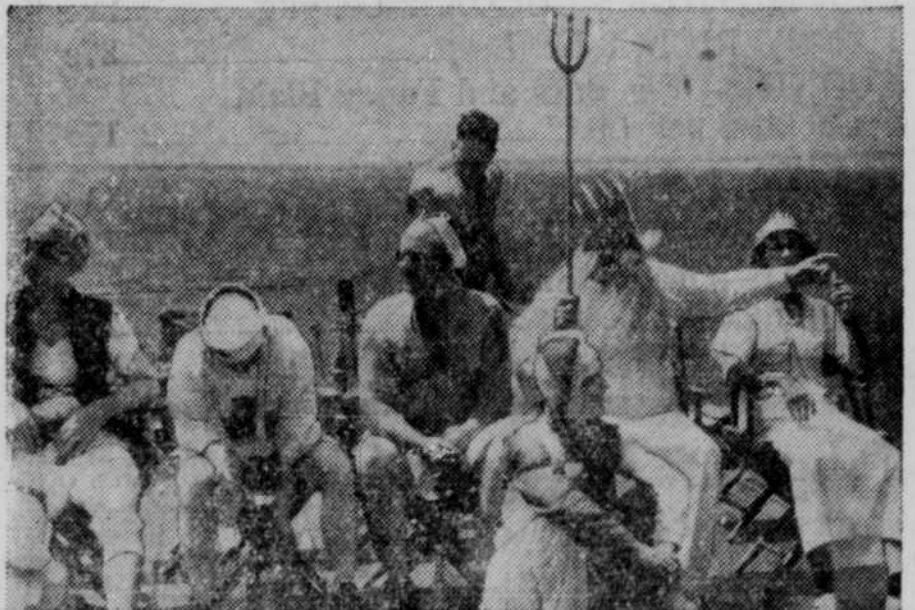
In lower picture three 20-mm. anti-aircraft machine guns chatter out a song of potential death and destruction as their crack crews man them during gunnery practice on a U. S. airplane carrier. (Inset): The TC-14 hovers watchfully overhead as two U. S. navy battlewagons plow through the seas off the American coast. Navy blimps are becoming increasingly popular for patrol and escort work along the coast.

Captured in Battle With British Corvette



In a midnight Atlantic ocean battle the corvette Dianthus rammed and sank a U-boat which had been imperiling United Nations supply lines. After the U-boat was blown to the surface with depth charges the Dianthus rammed it four times. A number of German prisoners were picked up by the Dianthus, which rejoined her convoy in time to rescue survivors from a torpedoed merchant ship. Here are some of the U-boat prisoners disembarking from HMS Dianthus at a British port.

Court's in Order on U. S. Carrier



The court of Neptunus Rex, Ruler of the Raging Main, convenes on the deck of a U. S. aircraft carrier as the ship nears the equator. While the court prepared to convert "pollywogs" (men who have never crossed the line) into shellbacks, other members of the crew keep a sharp lookout for the enemy.

Fighting General



A fighting man from the ground up is Maj. Gen. A. A. Vandergriff, of the U. S. marines. He is shown here using a field telephone on Guadalcanal island, in the Solomons. Note the general's rifle and bayonet leaning against the tree.

Children's Friend



Sister Elizabeth Kenny, Australian nurse, who was awarded the Parents' magazine's annual medal for outstanding service to children, in recognition of her contribution to the treatment of infantile paralysis. Her method has had wide endorsement after extensive tests.

'Welcoming Committee' on Guadalcanal



Manning a 75 mm. gun amidst a tropical setting on Guadalcanal island in the Solomons, this crew of U. S. marines and many others like it poured shells into the lines of the Japanese invaders. The Japs lost heavily in men and equipment as they tried desperately to dent the U. S. lines around the vital Henderson airfield, in an effort to regain it. Meanwhile U. S. warships shelled the enemy's positions on the strategic island.

Rickey Signs Contract to Succeed McPhail



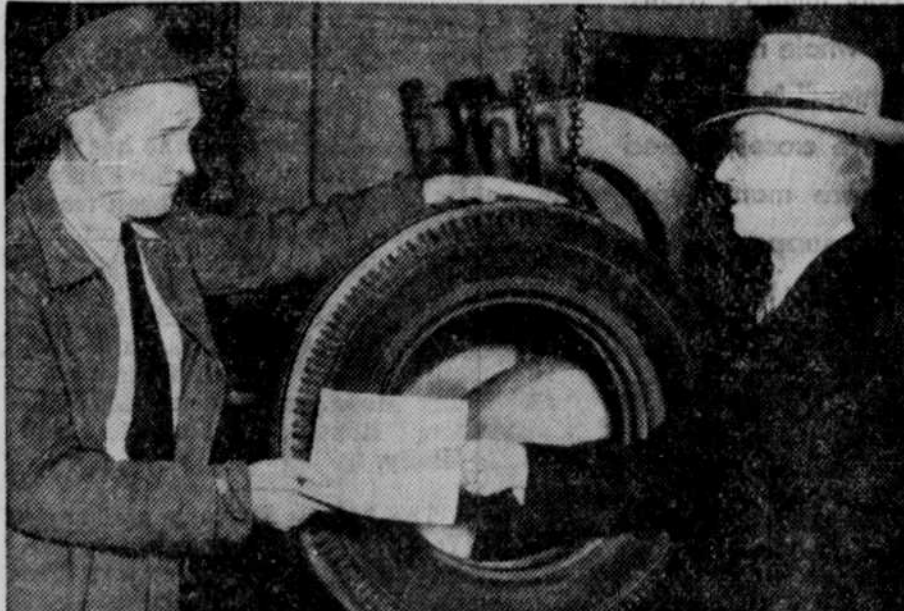
Branch Rickey, lately of the world champions, the St. Louis Cardinals, is pictured here as he signed a contract to succeed Larry McPhail as president of the Brooklyn baseball club. Present at the ceremony are James A. Gilleadeau, vice president of the Dodgers (left), and George A. Barnawall (right), the treasurer.

Drying Soldiers' Mail Saved From Sea



Recovered from the sea after the plane carrying it had crashed, this mail, destined for soldiers overseas, is shown as it was carefully dried and sorted at the New York army post office before being re-shipped. The army goes to a great deal of trouble to see that the boys get their mail regularly.

Gets First Rationed Synthetic Retread



Stanley I. Mason, war worker of Trenton, N. J., is shown (left) with the first synthetic rubber retreaded tire issued to a civilian through rationing board channels. At the right is Walter Lochner of the Trenton rationing board. The tire is recapped with "thiokol," which should give it thousands of miles of additional service.

At Haupt Trial



Mrs. Gerda Melind, former fiancee of Herbert Haupt, executed Nazi saboteur, is shown as she entered the federal court building in Chicago to testify in the treason trial of friends and relatives of the former Chicago youth. Defendants were charged with sheltering and aiding him in his plans against U. S. war plants.

How To Relieve Bronchitis

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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For those smokers who your Christmas gift list give a carton of cigarettes or a pound of smoking tobacco. Particularly those smokers in the service. Surveys show cigarettes and smoking tobacco are preferred gifts. Sales records from Post Exchanges and Canteens show the favorite cigarette is Camel. And, of course, for the service man who smokes a pipe—give Prince Albert—the National Joy Smoke. You have your choice of Camels in the Christmas Carton containing 10 packages of 20's—or the Camel "Holiday House" of four boxes of "flat fifties." Prince Albert comes in the pound canister—a grand gift. All are Christmas-wrapped and ready to give. Your local dealer is featuring them now as gifts sure to please.—Adv.

Nickel-less Nickel



Superintendent of the Philadelphia mint, Edwin Dressel, and his assistant inspect the new nickel-less nickel. The new coin is made of silver, copper and manganese alloy.

'Austerity Suit'



A Melbourne tailor models his own "austerity suit" which he designed when material shortage caused war-limited clothing manufacture in Australia. He used undyed sugar sacks, and the stenciled markings leave no doubt as to their origin.

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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Japan now controls about 80% of the rubber plantations of the world. Regardless of whether synthetic rubbers or chemicals it will be some time before car owners will be able to purchase synthetic rubber tires. War purposes have first call. A tombstone marks the spot near Sussex, England, where a tire that had served its owner 15 years was ceremoniously buried. 300 rubber parts, not including tires and tubes, are used in the modern automobile. Without rubber the car would truly be a "jolt" wagon. There is talk these days of re-capping 25,000,000 tires a year! Quite a jump from the 3,000,000 re-capped - retreaded mark of 1937. Automobiles were on over 58% of all U. S. farms in 1940; 15.5% of the farms had motor trucks and 23.1% motor tractors.



This radiophoto shows British infantry running through the dust and smoke of enemy shell fire to attack Gen. Erwin Rommel's advance posts, in the Egyptian desert.

In war or peace B.F. Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER