

U. S. KEEPS EYE ON DUTCH INDIES

Naval Maneuvers Hint of Preparation to Defend Caribbean Islands.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (U. P.).—American naval maneuvers off the Dutch West Indies suggested today that the Navy may be preparing to defend the strategic Caribbean Islands if Holland is drawn into the European war.

President Roosevelt revealed at his press conference yesterday that 22 naval vessels maneuvering in the Caribbean will operate off and out of the Dutch islands of Curacao, Aruba, Bonaire and St. Eustatius. He insisted that assembly of the Atlantic squadron in the Caribbean was only a routine training maneuver.

Gordon and Queen Confer

The Navy and State Departments refused to comment. Diplomatic circles, however, speculated that naval maneuvers near the Dutch islands after recent Dutch mobilization on the German border might be more than coincidence.

Last week, George A. Gordon, United States Minister to the Netherlands, conferred with Queen Wilhelmina at the Hague. The White House never disclosed the nature of the conference, but it was considered possible now that it concerned American naval operations in the West Indies.

The incident recalled Mr. Roosevelt's press conference declaration shortly after the outbreak of the European war that the United States, under the Monroe Doctrine, will not countenance:

May Be Nazi Warning

1. Transfer of any Western Hemisphere territory from one European nation to another.

2. Transfer of any Western Hemisphere territory to a non-American power.

The maneuvers precipitated semi-official speculation that the incident might imply a warning to Germany and all other European powers that revision of the Netherlands' status quo would not be permitted by the United States to result in change of ownership of the Dutch Indies.

ST. JOHN FRESHMEN PLACE FIRST, SECOND

Miss Mary Catherine Gritt and Miss Patricia Anne Hanley, freshmen at St. John's Academy, have won first and second places in the junior high division of a national contest conducted in connection with the centennial celebration of the founding of the Sisters of Providence.

Both girls submitted essays on "The Services of the Sisters of Providence During the Civil War." The contest was open to all students in schools conducted by the Sisters of Providence in the U. S. Miss Gritt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gritt, 425 Rockledge St., and Miss Hanley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hanley, 1315 E. New York St. They are both 14.

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WORKS ON POSTOFFICE MURALS

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NEIGHBORHOODS —By HARRY MORRISON

Audience Fails to Produce Dog Chain for 'Auctioneer'.

Dave Manley, the old-time burlesque and vaudeville artist who came here several months ago to conduct the "Auction Dave" shows at the neighborhood houses, is still going strong.

Saturday at the Oriental he offered \$20 for a dog chain and collar with no takers. He offered \$15 for either accessory with still no acceptances.

Finally he got to offering money for anything having to do with dogs. And there wasn't a dog biscuit, a dog bath or a dog sweater in the house. Not even a dog-eared volume, hound-tooth coat or a hot dog.

Last week without even trying he paid \$2.50 each for four Chinese back-scratchers.

Speaking of dogs, it's been suggested that a special matinee be conducted for the pets that so patiently wait outside the theaters for their masters to see the show. The pets would be admitted free. The movies would be cartoon shorts, with Pluto, Bonzo and other cartoon dogs featured.

Exhibitors report a gradual de-emphasizing of love in the screen thrillers, particularly the cowboy pictures. The boys and girls who like these shows most are embarrassed by too many kisses. If the hero gets kissed too much the kids in the audience are embarrassed for him.

Even the "better" films have changed to this system recently. "What a Life," "Siwash" and "Seventeen"—all about youngsters—put the soft pedal on love-making.

Victor Jory will play the role of "The Shadow" in the Saturday matinee serial of the same name starting Saturday at the Vogue. . . . The Paramount is opening a new jitterbug show every Thursday, starting tomorrow evening. There'll be 12 contestants each week. . . . The Vogue parking lot will be more popular with the customers now that you have to have a tail light if you park on the street after dark. . . . The Sheridan is bringing back an all-Technicolor show that should be seen. It's "Kentucky" and "Jesse James," to run tomorrow through Saturday. The Esquire, another Cantor Theater, will show "Honeymoon in Bali" tonight and tomorrow.

The midweek calendar follows: **RELMONT**—Tonight and tomorrow: "Laugh It Off" and "U-Boat 29." **CINEMA**—Tonight and tomorrow: "Jamaica Inn" and "The Witness Vanishes." **DAILY**—Tonight and tomorrow: "The Women" and "Hidden Power." **EMERSON**—Tonight: "Drums Along the Mohawk" and "Rulers of the Sea." Tomorrow through Saturday: "Jamaica Inn" and "Punch at Midnight."

LOCAL COURT'S ENTRY ERASED

Order to Expunge Gambling Case Action Becomes Permanent.

The Indiana Supreme Court has made permanent its recent writ ordering Marion County Superior Court Judge Herbert M. Spencer to expunge from his record an entry he made in a gambling case last June 27.

One June 12, Judge Spencer's court awarded Mrs. Ida Helen Freeman \$3500 judgment in her suit to recover alleged gambling losses from Thomas E. Dillon. The suit had stated that the money was lost by Mrs. Freeman's husband.

According to the records, Judge Spencer set aside the judgment awarded Mrs. Freeman on June 27 the same day he appointed Miss Jessie Levy as judge pro tem of his court.

The Supreme Court ruled that Judge Spencer did not have jurisdiction to transact any court business on that day because Miss Levy had the sole jurisdiction.

Judge Spencer's attorneys argued that the entry was made after Miss Levy had adjourned court for that day and therefore the transaction was legal.

BUTLER APPOINTS DE VIETIEN TO POST

Max de Vietien, Indianapolis riding school master who has been giving equestrian lessons to Butler University students for the last two years, has been given the title of instructor in physical education at Butler.

Mr. de Vietien is a German cavalry officer at the Royal Stud, Traekenen, Germany. He received a doctor of economics degree from Albertus University at Konigsberg, Germany, and took undergraduate work at Cambridge, England, and at the Sorbonne in Paris.

CLAIM AUTO CRASH WEAKENED BUILDING

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 24.—Owners of a commercial building here have filed suit against two automobile drivers, alleging damages when a collision sent the cars crashing against the building.

The owners are asking \$1000 from each driver. They say two show windows were broken, a wall cracked and a portion of the building's foundation was weakened.

RILEY STAMPS ON SALE FEB. 23

Greenfield Will Get First Chance to Buy One Of Poets Series.

The second group of a series of 35 commemorative stamps in the "Famous Americans" series will be placed on sale here beginning the middle of February, Postmaster Adolph Seidensticker said today.

This series, the poets group, will include the new 10-cent brown James Whitcomb Riley stamp which will be sold first at Greenfield, Ind., Feb. 23.

Other portraits of the group will be those of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, James Greenleaf Whittier, James Russell Lowell and Walt Whitman. On Feb. 16, the 1-cent green Longfellow stamp will go on sale at Portland, Me., and the 2-cent red Whittier stamp at Haverhill, Mass. The 3-cent purple Lowell stamp and the 5-cent blue Whitman stamp will be placed on sale Feb. 20, the former at Cambridge, Mass., and the latter at Camden, N. J.

Other stamps in the series will include those of artists, composers, educators, inventors and scientists. The poets' portraits are enclosed

in inner and outer frames of Georgian design. A reproduction of the winged horse, Pegasus, forms the symbol of the poets' group. Stamps collectors desiring first-day cancellations on the above dates may send up to 10 addressed covers to the postmaster at the respective offices with a remittance to cover only the cost of the stamps.

CORRECTION!

This item appeared in our Advertisement in Yesterday's Edition of THE TIMES—This was an error and should have read **PAIR**

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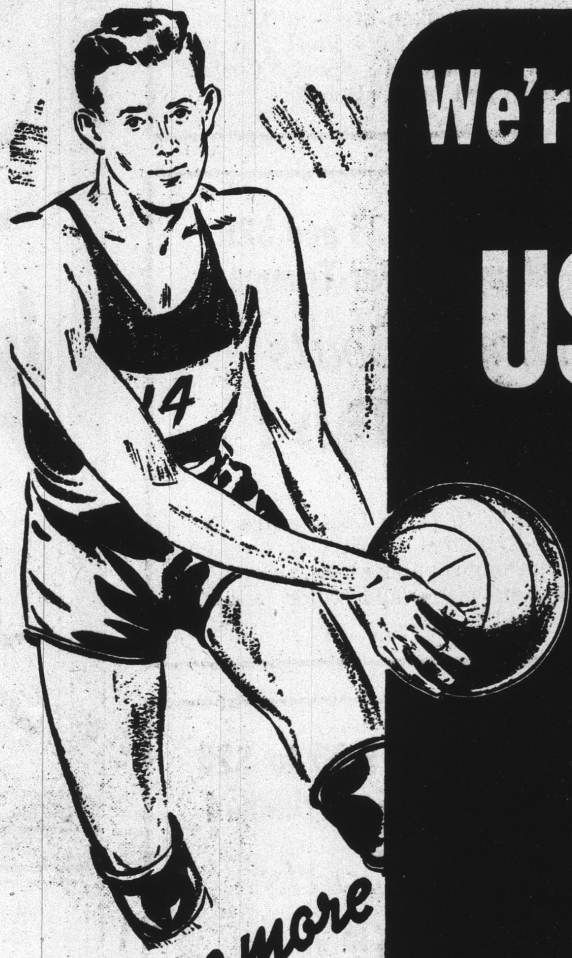
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To get quick and satisfying relief from coughs due to colds, mix your own remedy at home. Once tried, you'll never be without it in your home, and it's so simple and easy.

First, make a syrup by stirring 2 cups granulated sugar and one cup of water a few moments, until dissolved. A child could do it. No cooking needed. Then get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any drugstore. This is a compound containing Norway Pine and palatable guaiacol, in concentrated form, well-known for its prompt action on throat and bronchial membranes.

Put the Pinex into a pint-bottle, and add your syrup. Thus you make a full pint of really splendid medicine and you get about four times as much for your money. It never spoils, and children love its pleasant taste.

And for quick, blessed relief, it is amazing. You can feel it take hold in a way that means business. It loosens the phlegm, soothes the irritated membranes, and eases the soreness. Thus it makes breathing easy, and lets you get restful sleep. Just try it, and if not pleased, your money will be refunded.



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U. S. COURT RECALLS ITS HOLT MANDATE

The Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago has recalled a mandate ordering that the sentence of Olin R. Holt, former Kokomo mayor, be carried out.

Holt, who was convicted here last May and sentenced to 15 months in prison and fined \$5000 on charges of defrauding the Government by diverting WPA labor to private use, filed a certified copy of the recall in Federal Court here yesterday.

He said that this clears the way for taking his case to the U. S. Supreme Court. His conviction was upheld by the Appeals Court last Nov. 29 and a rehearing was denied Jan. 14.

AMERICAN PAINTINGS EXHIBITED AT CULVER

CULVER, Ind., Jan. 24.—Paintings by 24 nationally known American artists are now on display at the Culver Military Academy. The exhibit will continue until the first of February.

The exhibit is the third of a series being provided by the National Exhibition Section of the WPA Art Program, Washington, D. C.

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