

BROTHELS MOVE WITH JAP ARMY

Gaming and Narcotics Use Always Fostered in Occupied Areas.

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and the foisting of counterfeit money or worthless army "scrip" upon subjugated peoples.

Japanese soldiers are permitted to visit the brothels but they are barred from the gambling places. Narcotics and gambling are supposed by the Japanese to undermine the morale of an occupied district, as well as net fat profits for the S. S. S.

Prof. M. S. Bates of Nanking University investigated the narcotics situation in Nanking after Japanese occupation of the former Chiang Kai-shek capital in 1938. He reported that the S. S. S. systematic habit had spread the nation's habit among the Chinese until more than one-tenth of the population had become addicts and that the S. S. S. had reaped vast profits.

The establishment of bath-houses is for improvement of the soldier's morale. The bath-house in Japan is a traditional feature of each neighborhood, being a community gathering place and one of the few public outlets for the gregarious Japanese nature.

The Japanese bath consists of a large tank of steaming water. Small wooden buckets are provided for splashing and soaping purposes before entering the water. After the bather has washed off the soap he enters the main tank and soaks, shoulder to shoulder with other bathers, in a temperature far too hot for comfort of western peoples.

Employment agencies in Tokyo and other large cities of Japan provide the girls who work in cafes, restaurants, hotels, shops and brothels of Japanese communities throughout the Far East.

I investigated one case where such an employment agency contracted with the family of a girl who was working as a maid in a foreign household in Tokyo. The family was paid 200 yen (about \$50) and ordered the girl to accept employment as a maid in a Japanese hotel at Heio, which is in Northern Manchukuo across the Amur River from the Russian town of Blagoveshensk. Her salary was to be 80 yen per month, about twice what she was earning in Tokyo.

The girl had no choice. Obedience to parents is a reality in Japan. She went to the northern frontier and after several months word trickled back that her place of employment was a soldiers' brothel.

All for One—Red Cross . . . Women Ring Off Politics to Aid Drive . . .



National unity in war-time is symbolized by this picture, showing the top men of the Republican and Democratic parties in Marion County putting their shoulders to the wheel as the Red Cross starts a big push to raise a war relief fund. The Red Cross rally took place last night at Tomlinson Hall. The main speakers included Ira P. Haymaker (left), Democratic county chairman, and James L. Bradford, Republican chairman.



Ringed doorbells to get votes is one of the biggest jobs in politics. These women forget their political rivalry to ring doorbells for the Red Cross. The party workers of both the Republican and Democratic organizations promised to raise a large part of the \$350,000 quota in Marion County. More than \$162,000 of the \$350,000 already has been raised by a special committee. Left to right: Mrs. Ida Beynon and Mrs. Deloris Gabbard, Republicans; Mrs. Elmer Singer and Mrs. Bessie Murphy, Democrats. Albert Stump, Indianapolis attorney, told the party workers, now Red Cross campaigners: "Regardless of which party you work for, you are working for our way of life and for the institutions we cherish."

BOOTHS OPENED FOR RED CROSS

200 Women Volunteers Will Seek Gifts Monday In Mile Square.

The local drive for Red Cross contributions will be brought to everyone in the Mile Square Monday, when more than 200 women volunteers take to the field, according to George S. Olive, general campaign chairman.

The downtown campaign will have headquarters at 14 E. Washington St., and booths opened today in several downtown stores. Mrs. David Weer is chairman of the metropolitan division of the campaign.

The Indianapolis Chapter's quota is \$350,000, the city and county share of \$50,000,000, the nation's goal.

LEAHY, PETAIN DINE VICHY, Jan. 8 (U. P.).—Admiral William D. Leahy, American ambassador, attended a diplomatic luncheon given by Chief of State Marshal Henri Philippe Petain today. Also attending were Valerio Valeri, Apostolic Nuncio, Fernandez De Soto, Colombian charge d'affaires and the Argentine ambassador.

UNWANTED JOB ESSEX JUNCTION, Vt. (U. P.).—Vermont's only woman village president, Mrs. Archie B. Rugg of Essex Junction, took the position after 15

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CHANGSHA TRAP HOLDS JAPANESE

No Chance for 30,000 to Escape, Chinese General Says.

CHANGSHA, HUNAN PROVINCE, China, Jan. 7 (U. P.).—(Delayed.)—Gen. Usueh Yeh, commander of the 80,000 Chinese troops who soundly trounced 120,000 Japanese trying for the third time to take Changsha, said today that 30,000 Japanese were encircled 20 to 30 miles northeast of Changsha, facing annihilation.

Approximately 65,000 casualties already have been inflicted on the Japanese army. Gen. Usueh received newspaper correspondents at a victory celebration attended by Lieut. Col. David Barrett, assistant American military attaché at Chungking. Col. Barrett toasted Gen. Usueh and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

Gen. Usueh said the Japanese encircled northeast of Changsha had no chance of breaking out of a carefully planned Chinese troop disposition. He said "the Japanese were defeated because they were completely outwitted."

Army to Get Fertile Fields Near Old Nineveh for Camp

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ment was going to leave us eight acres additional for the cemetery." Forum discussion around the glowing baseburner in the store concluded that prosperity was coming to Nineveh. Exactly what kind remained to be seen.

The farmers, the mail carrier, the real estate agent—all talked about the prospect of the camp. They were old timers. They said they were here before the war started and guessed they'd still be here when it ended and "everything quieted down."

About the prosperity, now: "Expect they'll do right well in Columbus and Edinburg," a farmer commented. "Don't know what it'll be here."

Storekeeper Clark, whom everybody called "Everett," looked over his shelves and showcases and decided he didn't have the stock soldiers would want.

"Guess they'd be wanting a glass of beer," he said. "Well, we're unincorporated here and can't sell beer. The trustee's against it. Can't get a drop of beer here. We've tried, Cracker knows."

Howard (Cracker) Land, the mail carrier, nodded. "I guess I'll be busier," he added. "How many they going to have building this camp?"

Five miles southeast of here by the T-road is the village of Kansas with its green and white church, filling station and half-dozen residents. Kansas will become the construction center.

Val Uly, 85, oldest Kansas resident, is rather proud of Kansas' expected role. "It'll be the center of things," he said.

Mr. Uly lost a brother at Missionary Ridge in the Civil War. He was a schoolboy then, has lived in and near this section all his life.

"Best farmland in Indiana," he said. "Course, with the Army coming in, I'll have to move. All us folks will."

"I reckon I'll go to the Masonic Home in Franklin. Dillard's looking for another place to live. He's my son."

Mrs. Dillard Uly said she was sure they could find another place. Upset about it? Why, no, she said.

"We all expected it here. If it's for the best, I guess we can give our homes up. Lots of folks may lose a lot more than that in this war."

W. R. Danavent, garage owner at Edinburg, forecast a boom. So did the filling station operator.

"There are going to be plenty of workmen rolling through here and I sell gas," he commented.

"It'll be a boom," said Mr. Danavent. "Edinburg's looking up to it. The edge of the camp is right across the river from here."

He pointed across U. S. 31 toward Blue River where the sunshine made the ice glisten. Westward, over the white slopes, a thousand farm families were preparing to take their leave of the land they and their folk before them had known a hundred years.

NEW ALBANY SEEKS LOWER MILK PRICE

NEW ALBANY, Jan. 8 (U. P.).—Mayor Noble F. Mitchell has asked repeal of New Albany's milk inspection ordinance in an effort to force dealers to lower prices of Grade A milk and other milk products.

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War Moves Today

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the Soviet if terms can be reached and arrangements made for the Finns to get food elsewhere than from Germany.

Perhaps Germany is beginning to see the handwriting on the wall. The heavy losses in Russia and the suffering of the German troops from cold and disease cannot be kept entirely from the German people. When they were asked to contribute miscellaneous used clothing for the soldiers they must have suspected all was not well.

There always has been a question of whether the German people can "take it" when they are not winning. They were buoyed up by continued successes in the first two years of the war and were fed with promises

TRUCKERS GET TIPS ON TIRE RATIONING

The effects of tire rationing on their business was discussed by J. D. Strickland, state director of tire rationing, last night in the World War Memorial before a group of safety chairmen and captains in the Interstate Safety Driving Contest.

Mr. Strickland said that vehicles which carry finished products to a consumer, such as any house-to-house delivery truck, carrying pastries, milk, cleaning, and department store delivery trucks, all may not apply for new tires, since they are not considered essential.

Guests at the meeting were Walter Kline, state safety driving champion, and Orville Hoffert, former national champion, both of Indianapolis.

A truck or automobile traveling at 60 miles per hour wears out tires twice as fast as the vehicle going 40, Mr. Strickland said.

F. Elbert Glass, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Safety Committee, urged the men, all of whom are executives in the trucking business, to pass on to their drivers the importance of conservative driving, not only from a safety standpoint, but also because such care will aid the government in its drive to save materials.

of ultimate triumph and world domination as a superior race.

Their reaction may be violent when they find they have been deceived and face the hardships of defeat on top of what they already have suffered.

Now comes word from London that the governments in exile of the conquered countries will meet there next week to formally list Germany's crimes against humanity and make plans for full retribution for the suffering she has caused. When the war ends, the conquered peoples demand vengeance.

Prepare for Retribution The Dutch have not forgotten the slaughter of Amsterdam, nor the Poles the murder and devastation of their country. The Greeks and Serbs and Norwegians have not forgotten their sufferings.

In the occupied countries, groups of patriots are said to have been assigned as watchful, vengeful vigilance committees, marking down Germans and Quislings for instant death when the day comes. It is to make the process of retribution more orderly and complete that the London conference has been called.

The Germans cannot be completely unaware of the vengeance that awaits them. Premier Molotov's indictment was a terrible one, aside from the truth or exaggeration of his atrocious charges.

Even President Roosevelt, in his address to Congress, promised the oppressed peoples that they will not be denied arms when they rise against the aggressor.

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