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## Churchill To F.D.R.: 'We'll Throw Everything At Japs'



Magic carpet atmosphere prevailed aboard an American warship as President Roosevelt and high ranking army and navy officials met with King Saud of Saudi Arabia. The ship was anchored in Great Bitter lake near Cairo.

### PLANNING FOR RETURNING VETERANS— Six Methodist Churches To Build Following War

By EMMA RIVERS MILNER  
*Times Church Editor*

Methodists lead all the denominations in Indianapolis in proposed new churches and property improvements for the post-war period.

The Forest Manor congregation, descendant of the church which was built in a day, has gone further with its planning than any of the other five Methodist churches which intend to erect new edifices. The architect's drawings for the Forest Manor church, E. 34th and School sts., call for an investment of \$65,000.

Union chapel, known popularly as another "Church in the Wild-wood," will spend about \$35,000 for its new building. It is a mile east

This is the second in a series of articles on post-war planning of Indianapolis churches.

of road 431 on 80th st. Unity Methodist church in the Riverside addition estimates the cost of its new structure at \$25,000. But plans for a new Meridian st. church, one of the oldest and largest in the city, are still in the "dream" stage.

Both Barnes and Broad Ripple churches own the land on which future churches will stand. Barnes expects the new church and parsonage to cost about \$75,000 while Broad Ripple has not yet named the sum of its investment.

In addition to these six new churches, Indianapolis Methodists look forward to the erection of a new educational building by the North Methodist church. The East Tenth Street church will remodel its present structure, while Roberts Park hopes to rebuild its annex, purchase a parsonage and redecorate. St. Mark's expects to

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### LABOR . . . By Fred W. Perkins

### CIO Leader Runs GI Barrage Of Queries on Post-War Jobs

By FRED W. PERKINS  
*Scripps-Howard Staff Writer*

LONDON, Feb. 20.—What questions do our millions of fighting men overseas have about economic and labor conditions in the United States?

I got an insight into those questions by attending a soldiers' forum, held in a famous fighter airplane base, some distance from London. From this base have flown many American aces—Maj. Don Gentile, Col. Don Blakeslee, Col. C. G. Peterson and others.

This forum, one of many similar institutions in American bases, was organized by Sgt. Richard A. Meyer, of Chicago, an armorer in a fighter squadron. Sgt. Meyer said the men are interested in world affairs and every week or so

"we get a speaker to come out and give a talk after which he is expected to answer questions."

This time the speaker was James B. Carey, secretary-treasurer of the C. I. O., who was in London for the world trade union conference. The questions developed that the outstanding interest (outside of: when do we go home?) is the subject of jobs in the United States when peace comes.

The sentiment for and against labor unions appeared to be divided in about the same proportion as among civilians at home. "One thing we want to know," said Chairman Meyer at the gathering of about 100 soldiers in a Red Cross library, "is what are labor unions planning to do for us? That may be essentially selfish, but all of us are curious about what's going to happen after this war job is finished."

Mr. Carey said the C. I. O. regards itself as "the trustee for your interests while you are away in matters such as maintenance of wage rates and work standards, and support of legislation for the benefit of veterans."

He portrayed the C. I. O. Political Action Committee as devoted

### LOCAL GARBAGE MEN ON STRIKE

#### Mayor Recruits Equipment As Entire Force of 130 Walks Out.

Mayor Tyndall moved today to recruit equipment and workers from other city departments to replace regular ash and garbage collectors who went out on strike late this morning.

Frank Sprout, newly-appointed superintendent of the collection department, said the entire collection force—130 men and supervisors—had walked out.

The strike had been threatened for several days when collectors failed to receive a 10-cent-an-hour pay raise voted Feb. 5 by city council.

Legal Ruling Sought

An appropriation to provide money for the increases is now being reviewed by the state board of tax commissioners. The board has asked the attorney general to rule on the legality of the raise.

A state law prohibits the granting of pay raises to municipal employees during a current budget year.

In an effort to keep the collection workers on the job, the mayor yesterday promised the workers the raise would be retroactive to Feb. 7, the date he signed the increase.

Mayor Tyndall also replaced the collection department's two top supervisors, Benjamin H. Thompson, superintendent, and Fred H. Schriner, assistant superintendent. In their places, the mayor put Mr. Sprout, former city asphalt plant superintendent, and Earl Gossard.

Mayor Tyndall said today that

### CAB DRIVER IS HELD AFTER A WILD RIDE

#### Women Say He Refused to Let Them Out of Taxi.

William Poynter, a taxicab driver who has a number of aliases, was arrested on five charges today. Two women passengers charged that he took them on a reckless ride and refused to allow them to get out of his cab.

He appeared in municipal court this morning on charges of drunkenness, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor,reckless driving, resisting an officer and vagrancy. His case was continued until March 7 in court 4.

Mrs. Robert Lieze, 4136 Winthrop ave., told police that she got into the cab at 42d st. and College ave. about 1:30 a. m. today. She told

Hoosier nightlife—already sobered

### 2 U. S. Senators Fail to Agree on Vote Probe Here

By DANIEL M. KIDNEY  
*Times Staff Writer*

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Senators Tom Stewart (D. Tenn.) and Joseph H. Ball (R. Minn.) failed to agree on findings regarding the alleged 1944 election frauds in Indiana.

Their separate reports were submitted for final action by the Senate campaign investigation committee today.

For weeks the two senators, who conducted hearings on election day in Indiana, have been trying to get together on a report to the full committee.

Senator Stewart's draft was considered "too partisan" by Senator Ball, however, so today he "rolled his eyes."

The facts set out are the same as those in the Stewart report and Senator Ball says he has no quarrel with turning them over to the Justice department. That is what the Stewart report recommends.

But I do not think the attorney general will find anything for criminal action," Senator Ball concluded.

Senator Stewart thinks otherwise. But both exonerate Senator Homer Capahart (R., Ind.) and place the entire blame on Marion county courthouse officials.

Senator Ball's report lifts whole paragraphs from that of Senator Stewart and outlines the facts as they found them regarding the certificates-of-error and affidavit differences between former Governor

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### GERMANS SLOW DRIVE ON RUHR

#### Allies Grind Beyond Goch And Outflank Calcar, Rhine Strongpoint.

By BOYD D. LEWIS  
*United Press Staff Correspondent*

PARIS, Feb. 20.—Fierce German counter-attacks slowed the Canadian 1st army drive on the Ruhr today.

The allies previously had cleared all but a small corner of Goch and outflanked the Rhine stronghold of Calcar.

German armored and infantry reserves were reported streaming into the Maas-Rhine corridor in a determined effort to stem the Canadian offensive.

The drive already had cracked through the toughest fixed Siegfried line defenses before Goch.

Practically all of Goch, at the center of the 17-mile-wide corridor, was in allied hands after 24 hours of furious house-to-house fighting.

Root Out Snipers

Field dispatches said Scottish and Welsh infantrymen were rooting out the last die-hard snipers from the ruins of the town.

Meanwhile their main forces were pushing on to the east, west and south against opposition.

To the south, the American 3d army wedged a mile or more into the German Eifel mountain defenses at a half-dozen points or a 50-mile front.

The 3d pushed a new invasion

front across the Moselle river.

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### HOOSIER HEROES—

#### 3 Listed as Dead; Member of 106th Division Captured

By ROBERT MUSLE

United Press Staff Correspondent

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### ADM. NIMITZ BIDS FOR

#### TOKYO INVASION JOB

By FRANK TREMAINE

United Press Staff Correspondent

ADM. NIMITZ'S HEADQUAR-

TERS, Guam, Feb. 20 (U. P.)—

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz made his bid today for command of the invasion of Japan and hinted that his staff was laying plans for such an assault.

In a statement reminiscent of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's recent "On to Tokyo" proclamation, Nimitz said flatly that "our troops will land on the Japanese home islands," "covered and supported by the ever-

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The third monarch to confer with the President was Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia.

## POST-YALTA CONFERENCE IS REVEALED

Roosevelt Sends Invitation to DeGaulle While  
Touring North Africa but Fails  
To Meet French Leader.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 (U. P.)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill told President Roosevelt in a recent meeting that Great Britain "was determined to throw everything it had at the Japs as soon as Germany has been defeated."

The White House today disclosed that the President and prime minister conferred on the Pacific war at Alexandria, Egypt, after the Big Three meeting at Yalta in the Crimea.