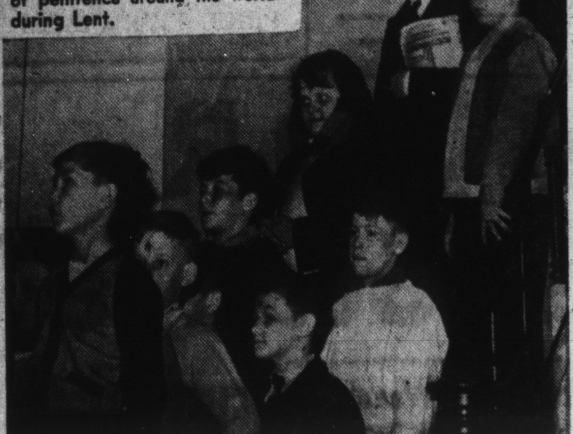


'Ashes to Ashes... Dust to Dust'...

Crosses in ashes on the foreheads of these children coming out of St. John's Catholic church today bespeak the spirit of penitence around the world during Lent.



BALANCED BUDGET IS URGED BY SPEAKER

A balanced budget, continued federal spending for social purposes and lower taxes simply will not fit into the same basket, local businessmen were warned today.

Wilbur J. Brons, chief editorial writer and columnist of the Chicago Journal of Commerce, told the Indianapolis Kiwanis club at a luncheon here that the only way to achieve a treasury surplus is to "insist that government spending be cut to the bone and continue federal taxes at their present high level for a generation or so. This would enable us not only to service the debt but to retire portions periodically."

Spending beyond income has become a national habit, he said, and "anyone who suggests we are on the wrong road is put down as a hard-hearted Tory who doesn't care if people starve just so he can make a profit."

Waldorf-Astoria Plugs Corn Bread

NEW YORK, March 6 (U.P.)—New York's most famous hotel yesterday announced measures to conserve wheat and fats "in order to increase supplies to the hundreds of millions of starving people."

In a bulletin entitled "Eat Less," the Waldorf-Astoria told its patrons it would:

1. Serve wheat bread only on request — "Eat more corn bread."
2. Serve only one slice of toast per person, unless specifically requested to serve more.
3. Serve one roll to a person, unless more are requested.
4. Serve buckwheat and corn cakes instead of wheat cakes.
5. Serve no wheat cereals unless requested — "There are other cereals equally palatable."

It also asked its patrons not to order more than they could eat of anything.

SAYS DRAFT CAUSED SCIENTIFIC SETBACK

Twenty-five years will elapse before the nation regains the scientific and technical brains lost to the armed forces is the prediction of Dr. A. A. Potter, dean of Purdue university's engineering school.

Dr. Potter asserted before Rotary club members in the Claypool hotel yesterday, that selective service "not only dried up the ranks of research, but is continuing to do so in peacetime."

Estimating that the nation is "short" at least 50,000 technologists and scientists, he declared, "no other nation in the world made this mistake."

Education must stimulate the creative instincts and provide tools of invention so Americans will continue to invent and develop greater comforts for humanity, he stated. Improvement of primary readers is more essential than college fellowships, he said.

Negro Ministers Will Be Trained Here

Indianapolis has been chosen as one of three cities for an experimental project in the training of Negro ministers to handle modern social problems in American cities.

The project will be sponsored by the Home Missions council whose headquarters are in New York. The other two cities are Brooklyn and San Francisco.

News of the local project of national interest was announced today in the meeting of the board of trustees of the United Christian Missionary society in the Missions building. The board meeting was in session through yesterday and closed at noon today. The trustees voted to give financial aid to the Negro ministers training program.

Similar to Rural Activity

The council has been conducting a similar activity among Negro rural ministers. The city ministers will receive training in ways to attack such problems as juvenile delinquency, the "destruction of the Christian home," maladjustment, under-nourishment, and the like.

The first new missionary to be sponsored by the society in China before Pearl Harbor, Miss Pauline Storm of New Haven, Conn., was commissioned this morning in the Missions building. Dr. Robert M. Hopkins, society president, conducted the ceremonies.

Three missionaries who wish to go to the Belgian Congo, three who indicated China as their field, and three who have chosen the Philippines were examined. These prospective religious workers are here from all parts of the United States.

Holloway Given Mention

Mention was made by the trustees of the fact that H. B. Holloway of Indianapolis has served the United society for 25 years and will be retired in June.

Miss Adelle Ringstrom of Seattle, who was presented to the trustees as associate president along with other officers of the International Christian Youth fellowship, will go next summer as a delegate to Geneva to attend the World Student Christian federation. She will represent the United Student Christian council and be one of 15 young Americans sent to Switzerland.

Other officers of the Disciples youth fellowship presented to the trustees are James Farrar of Ft. Worth and Miss Ruth Campbell of Toronto.

TO BEGIN MANEUVERS

LONDON, March 6 (U.P.)—The admiralty announced today that the British home fleet will begin large scale maneuvers off the Spanish coast within a few days, but emphasized that they had no political significance.

Traditional Services Mark Opening of Lenten Season

The sacrificial season of Lent opened today with traditional Catholic and Protestant services in Indianapolis.

Many Protestant denominations will unite in the first Ash Wednesday service ever sponsored by the church federation. It will be held at 7:45 p. m. tonight in Christ Episcopal church on the circle. Dr. Howard P. Lowry, president of the College of Wooster, will give the address.

Many local Protestant churches will hold midweek services during Lent, all stressing the theme of Christ's sacrifice of himself on Calvary.

Ashes Distributed

Lent commemorates the 40-day fast of Christ in the desert, followed by his trial and crucifixion. It will end April 20 this year, the day before Easter.

In Catholic churches ashes were distributed this morning and were to be distributed again tonight, Palm leaves set aside last Palm Sunday were burned for use as the blessed ashes today.

"School children poured out of the churches this morning, the marks of the ashes still on their foreheads as they walked to classes. During Lent many of the Protestant and Catholic churches encourage their members to refrain from various forms of entertainment and to deny themselves in other ways in order to give sacrificial offerings to the church. Rigid rules of fasting and abstinence also are enforced in all Catholic churches during Lent."

Clarence Elbert, choirmaster, will direct the choir in special music at the 7:45 p. m. Ash Wednesday service today, and on Thursday nights at the same hour during Lent, at the First United Lutheran church. The Rev. Olen A. Peters, pastor, will be in charge.

22 SHIPS BRINGING G. I.'S AND FAMILIES

By UNITED PRESS

Twenty-two ships will arrive at U. S. ports today with more than 25,486 servicemen and their dependents.

DUE AT NEW YORK:

Lafayette, from Le Havre—4390 troops, including 75th and 82nd airborne divisions, 691st field artillery battalion, and 195th signal company.

April Prince, from Le Havre—1227 undesignated troops.

Mahoney City Victory, from Le Havre—1434 undesignated troops.

Condale Victory, from Le Havre—1441 troops, including 28th and 47th airborne divisions, and 16th engineering construction battalion.

Joliet Victory, from Calcutta—22 undesignated troops.

DUE AT SAN FRANCISCO:

Mariposa, from Brisbane—880 Australian war brides and children.

General Charles G. Morgan, from Eniwetok—3088 undesignated troops.

W. S. Sumner, from Okinawa—4981 undesignated troops.

Missouri, from Okinawa—2082 navy, army and marine personnel.

Talladega, from Hawaii—1989 navy, army and marine personnel.

Sitkoh Bay, from Hawaii—430 naval personnel.

Berrien, from Yokohama—897 undesignated naval personnel.

Altack Transport 66, from Hawaii—12 naval personnel.

DUE AT SEATTLE:

Outford—1742 undesignated troops.

Destiny, from Seattle—1000 troops and 1000 dependents.

Destiny Express Savages, Mills, Ballstrom and Ramon—With 248 naval personnel.

FOOD RIOTS BREAK OUT

MADRAS, India, March 6 (U.P.)—Food riots broke out in several districts of southern India today. Mobs attempted to loot grain shops. Police fired at looters at two places, killing three at Conjevaram near Madras and one at Cheyyar.

Van Johnson 2-1 Over Sinatra

NEW YORK, March 6 (U.P.)—Van Johnson, heart-throb of the bobby soxers, is a two-to-one favorite over Frank Sinatra.

When Mr. Johnson and Mr. Sinatra appeared at La Guardia field together yesterday there were 75 bobby soxers present.

Fifty mobbed Mr. Johnson and the rest stormed Mr. Sinatra.

Jack Dempsey, who also was present, didn't get a tumble.

VA SEEKS 65 MEN FOR VETERANS JOBS

New openings in Indiana for 65 men to assist in organizing and administering the vocational rehabilitation training of this area's veterans were announced today by the Veterans Administration regional offices here.

Six positions requiring experience and beginning with \$4360 base pay are also open. Base pay for men without previous experience calls for \$3640.

Persons having experience in these capacities were asked to call of write Duke Baker, veterans Administration, Old Trails bldg.

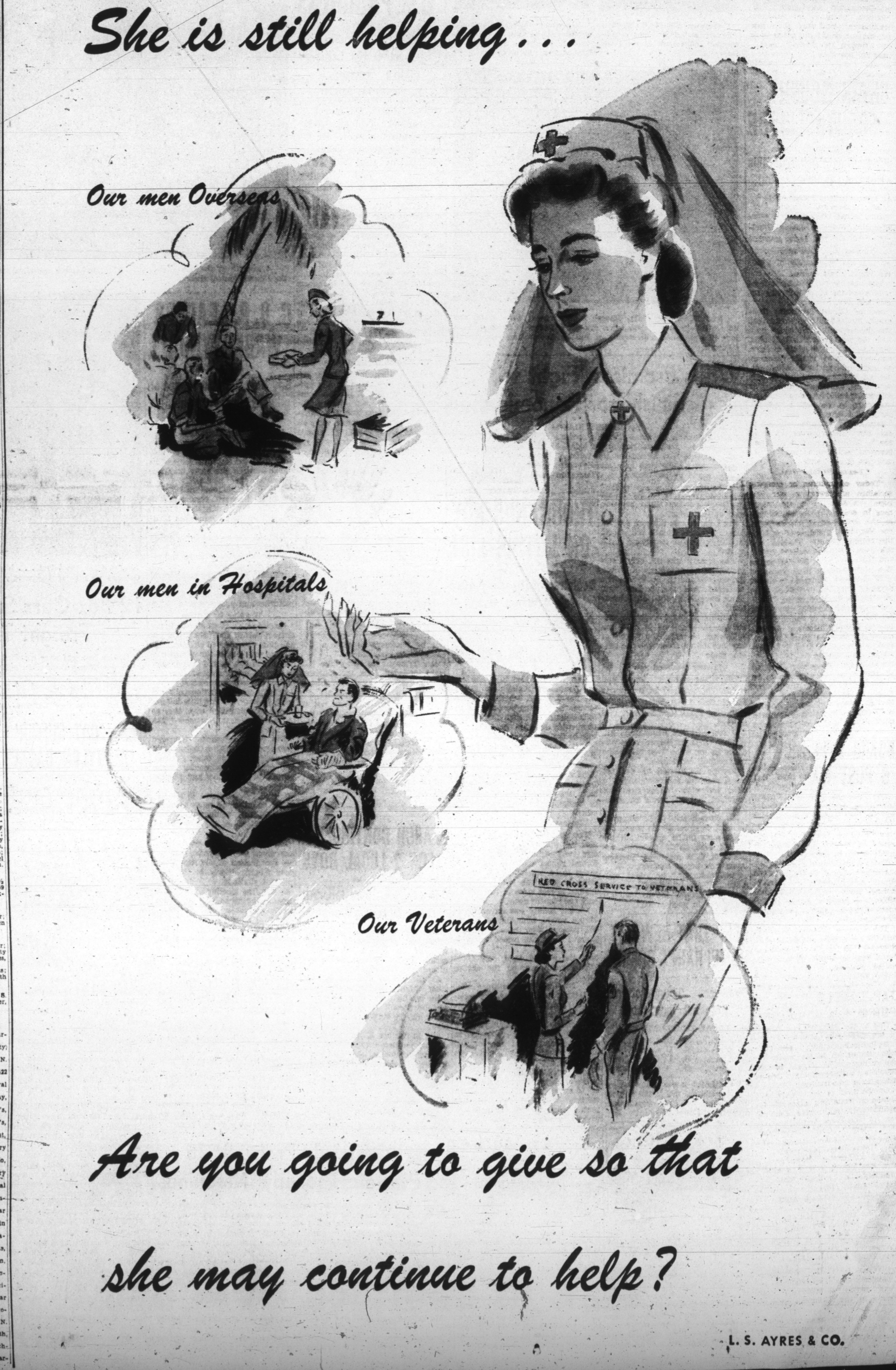
POSTPONE GOERING DEFENSE

MUERNBERG, March 6 (U.P.)—Chief Justice Sir Geoffrey Lawrence announced today that Hermann Goering's defense in the war crimes trial has been postponed until Friday.

IN INDIANAPOLIS

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- Loans club, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Claypool.
- Women's Republican club, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Claypool.
- Junior Chamber of Commerce, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Washington.
- Economic forum, meeting, 6:15 p. m., Washington.
- #### EVENTS TOMORROW
- Indianapolis Real Estate board, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Washington.
- Chamber of Commerce, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., Claypool.
- State P. L. A. meeting, 10 a. m., Claypool.
- Indiana Lumbermen's association, dinner and dance, 7 p. m., Claypool.
- Elm City & Co., dinner, 7:30 p. m., I. A. C.
- American Business club, luncheon, 12:15 p. m., I. A. C.
- #### MARRIAGE LICENSES
- William Rhet Craig Jr., Walhalla, S. C.; Elizabeth Ann Barnes, 940 N. Graham.
- James White, 519 W. St. Clair; Emma Mason, 819 W. St. Clair.
- Charles Francis Nelson, 1534 N. Sherman dr.; Miss Florence Wines, 118 S. Richmond.
- Richard W. Briant, 432 Virginia; Grace Marie Taylor, 432 Virginia.
- Bush Oran Aldrich, 2109 E. Michigan; Dorothy Louise Collins, 632 N. Tacoma.
- Thomas Rimer Berry, 39 N. Bradley; Virginia Lucille Olson, 39 N. Bradley.
- William John Rovers, 410 E. 29th; Brooklyn, N. Y.; Emma Julia Jauch, Wakarusa General hospital.
- Harry Caruch, 2020 N. New Jersey; Gertrude Ruth, 2020 N. New Jersey.
- Herbert W. Dittmer, 1602 E. Market; Virginia McHenry, 1602 E. Market.
- Fred Raymond Boaz, Midevah; Ida May Young, Ninevah.
- Jewel E. Johnson, 2601 N. Temple; Beanie May Thomas, 2711 Eastern.
- Jack Eugene Morgan, 1620 Central; Barbara Ellen Harris, R. 11, Box 34-D.
- Harry H. Northern, 61 S. Warman; Betty Jane Cooke, 2407 Jackson.
- William Green, 410 N. West; Beanie Hayes, 410 N. West.
- Miss Edward Cole, 2350 Carrollton; Margaret Anne Pett, 2524 N. New Jersey.
- George Henry Cullen, 228 W. Warren; Catherine City, N.; Solene Yvette Blais, Zionville.
- Charles Orris Smith Jr., 2823 Burton; Pearl Lucille Wallace, 322 Coffey.
- William P. Duke, 845 S. Capitol; Gayella Barnes, 845 S. Capitol.
- Charles Green, 2211 Howard; Dora May Mitchell, 1725 W. Minnesota.
- Henry Eugene Parks, 2854 N. Denny; Betty Louise Harvey, 3650 N. Gladstone.
- John Charles Rums, 837 N. California; Anita Elizabeth Bennett, 712 Drake.
- Robert G. Stafford, 348 S. Dearborn; Elsie Elizabeth Smock, 2130 W. Walnut.
- William Moore, 1613 S. Capitol; Odessa L. Porter, 2974 Park.
- John Patrick Begley, Chicago; Julia Patricia Dugan, 812 N. Rural.
- Harold H. Turner, 845 W. Washington, Franklin; Orel Bullwell, Franklin.
- Charles Frank Kendall Jr., 320 E. Maple rd.; Helen Louise Stevens, 2191 North-western.
- James P. Powell, 1346 Commerce; Betty Jean Taylor, 2948 Polk.
- Arthur Henry Greenbach, Grinnell, Iowa; Frances Louise Eird, 1048 River.
- Stanley Head, 360 Beecher; Maxine Gray, 8520 Bethel.
- Sylvester Smith, 1709 Pierson; Ethel Jennings, 2819 Clifton.
- #### BIRTHS
- At St. Francis—Richard, Virginia Graves, and Wilbert, Allene Tusken.

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