

# Around-the-World—Cairo Denies Haifa Report Of Peace

Informed Quarters Expect Armistice Any Day, However

The Foreign Ministry in Cairo today labeled "not true" a Haifa report that Israel and Egypt were understood to have signed an armistice agreement.

United Nations officials arriving in Haifa from Rhodes said they understood the long sought armistice providing a lasting peace for Palestine had been signed by Israeli and Egyptian negotiators.

The first reaction here was that nothing was known of any such development.

A little later a high official of the Foreign Ministry said the report was untrue. But informed quarters had been expecting the conclusion of an armistice any day.

The United Nations officials at Haifa, headquarters of the United Nations mediation effort in the Middle East, said they understood the agreement was signed after an envoy returned to Rhodes with an Egyptian government endorsement of a compromise proposal by Dr. Ralph Bunche, acting United Nations mediator.

**London**

Differences over the proposed Atlantic defense pact divided Scandinavia into troubled, uncertain camps. Norway had decided to join. Sweden, traditional champion of neutrality, refused. Denmark was trying to decide what to do.

**Sofia**

Bulgarian press organs reported that two of 15 Protestant clergymen had confessed to the charges on which the group will go on trial next Friday. They were accused of espionage for the United States and Great Britain.

**Rome**

A Communist-led strike by rail, trolley and bus workers crippled transport in most of Italy. Municipal workers continued a week-long strike. Threats of sympathy strikes in other fields arose.

**Tokyo**

Gen. Douglas MacArthur's chief intelligence officer accepted full responsibility today for information in the Sarge spy case report and said he welcomed threats of a libel suit from author Agnes Smedley, who was named as a Soviet spy in the report.

"While I decline absolutely to accept any responsibility for public release of the report, I do accept fully any other responsibilities involved and very gladly waive any immunities I may possess to legal or any other action that may be taken or desired," Maj. Gen. Charles A. Willoughby said.

**Called 'Faux Pas'**

The Army Department's public relations office in Washington said Saturday that release of the Sarge report was a "public relations faux pas" and noted that the report was based on unsubstantiated evidence and was not carefully edited. The report was issued in Washington.

**Canton**

Acting President Li Tsung-Jen was believed encountering heavy opposition today in his efforts to persuade Premier Sun Fo to return with his cabinet to Nanking.

Mr. Li made a flying week-end trip to Canton to talk to the Premier and his supporters, who reportedly are opposed to making peace with the Communists.

Some reports said that Mr. Li would demand Premier Sun's resignation if he refused to return to Nanking and join the government there in united peace negotiations with the Communists.

**Compton Rites Set for Friday**

Lt. Robert William Compton, 13th Air Force bombardier-pilot, who met his death when his plane crashed into a mountain during a storm while returning to his base on Luzon, Sept. 27, 1945, will be buried in the National Cemetery in New Albany following services at 1:30 p. m. Friday in the Paul Seabrook Mortuary there.

Lt. Compton, who was 26, was a graduate of Technical High School and a member of Grace Methodist Church. He entered the service Feb. 19, 1943.

Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Compton, 3314 E. 13th St., he is survived by a sister, Mrs. John Bier Jr., also of Indianapolis.

**Seventh Child Comes To Jobless Trucker**

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (UP)—Everett Dougherty, 29, a jobless truckdriver, had still another mouth to feed today.

His wife, Harriet, 23, gave birth to her seventh child, a son, yesterday. The couple was married in 1935 when she was 13 years old, and had their first child in 1941.

"It just keeps happening," Mr. Dougherty said.

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# Women Receive Awards for Truckdriver Husbands



Robert Stough, Hancock Truck Lines, Inc., safety supervisor, yesterday presented safe driving awards to Mrs. Martin Rhine (left) and Mrs. Walter Reynolds, who in turn gave them to their driver husbands.

## Firm Eyes Safety As Family Affair

### Hancock Lines Turn Attention to Wives

A new approach to safe driving has been instituted by the Hancock Truck Lines, Inc.

Already holder of one of the best safety records among trucking firms, company officials yesterday began safety meetings which include the wives of drivers.

The meetings will become regular affairs, said Fred Kohout, vice president.

"If we can impress the wives with the necessity of safe driving, they in turn will impress their husbands. Safety is a family affair," Mr. Kohout said.

Attend Dinner

Some 50 local drivers of Hancock and their wives attended the session and dinner at the Antlers Hotel yesterday. Speakers included Louis Miller, Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., Louisville, and Henry Day, safety engineer, Evansville.

In a down-to-earth safety talk, Mr. Day pointed out the hazards of driving, the deaths and injuries.

If all the dead and injured of last year's traffic could parade before you in a reviewing stand at the rate of 5000 an hour, you would sit there and watch for two and a half months," Mr. Day said.

Awards for a year of safe driving for the firm were given by Robert Stough, safety supervisor, to Mrs. Martin Rhine and Mrs. Walter Reynolds for presentation to their husbands.

## Hog Prices Drop 25-50c In Fairly Active Trading

Hog prices dropped 25 to 50 cents a hundred pounds below figures of early Friday in moderately active trade in the Indianapolis Stockyards today.

Good and choice 160 to 225-pound barrows and gilts dropped to prices from \$20.75 to \$21.50, the top price. Prices from \$20 to \$20.75 were paid for 225 to 250-pounders. A few reached \$21. Weights from 250 to 290 pounds sold at \$19 to \$20, as prices from \$17.50 to \$19 were paid for 100 to 160 and 290 to 340 pounders.

Row prices dropped 50 cents to \$14.50 and \$16.50 figures.

**Cattle Trade Active**

All slaughter classes were active in cattle trade. Steers and heifers sold at 50 cents to \$1 higher prices, on common and medium 600 to 800 pounders. Several small lots of high good to choice 1000 to 1200 steers rose to \$25.

A load of high grade 1100-pound steers sold at \$24, while bulk of medium and good yearlings and lightweight steers moved at \$22.50 to \$23.50.

Common and medium steers brought from \$19 to \$22.50 prices, while two loads of good heifers sold at \$23.50. Other small loads of medium and good heifers dropped to \$22 and \$23 prices.

Cow prices rose 50 cents. Good beef bulls sold at \$17.50 to \$18, as young good heifers kinds rose to prices from \$18.50 to \$19. Bulk of commons sold at \$16.50 to \$17.50. Canners and cutters moved at \$14.50 to \$16.50.

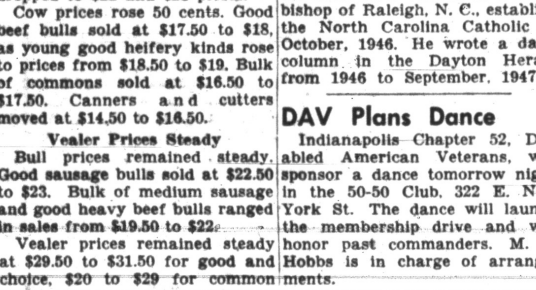
**Year's Prices Steady**

Bull prices remained steady. Good sausage bulls sold at \$22.50 to \$23. Bulk of medium sausage and good heavy beef bulls ranged in sales from \$19.50 to \$22.

Vealer prices remained steady at \$29.50 to \$31.50 for good and choice, \$20 to \$29 for commons.

**What's Happening to American Youth?**

**Will Television Keep Them Home?**



Stay-at-homes: With television in the middle of the picture of growing up, experts expect it to "bring the children back into the home," reversing a 20th century American trend.

## Experts Envision Reverse in Trend

This is the last of four exclusive dispatches on what's happening to America's youth, based on the findings of the nation's top psychologists, child welfare workers and educators.

By DOUGLAS LARSEN  
NEA Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21—Television is destined to revolutionize the business of growing up in America.

That's the opinion of America's leading educators, child psychologists and children's specialists, who almost unanimously agree that the growth of television will bring remarkable improvements in the mass education, training and entertainment of youth.

"Educators are determined not to let the advantages that television could bring slip through their fingers the way they missed out on developing radio as an educational medium," says Leonard W. Mayo, vice president of Western Reserve University and president of the Child Welfare League of America. He adds:

"We have in television a limited new instrument for improving all phases of youth development from cradle to maturity.

Bring Them Home

"It can solve the country's lack of educational and cultural facilities and reverse the 20th century American trend of children spending more and more time out of the home. I'll bring the children back into the home."

Western Reserve, and many other leading colleges and universities and scores of state and local boards of education have extensive video projects under way aimed at developing the best techniques for teaching and finding constructive entertainment for children of all ages.

Included are plans for programs which demonstrate child care to new mothers, give art lessons, show how to sew and cook, teach children manual and artistic

# U Coeds to Learn How to Get Jobs

Careers Conference Scheduled Thursday

Times State Service  
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Feb. 21—Indiana University coeds will learn how to pick a job and "land" it Thursday at a Careers Conference for Women Students.

Representatives of 10 different fields will give the pros and cons of their professions. Sidney Edlund, president of Sidney Edlund & Co., New York, management counselors, will be the main evening speaker.

Other speakers include: Elizabeth Evans, WIRE, Indianapolis, radio; Mrs. Robert Masters, Terre Haute Community Theater, dramatics; Mrs. Mary Holsinger, Weinberg, Indianapolis News, journalism; Doris Seward, associate director, Student Activities Bureau, University of Minnesota, education personnel; Florence Phelps, employment director, Wolf-Dessauer, Ft. Wayne, business personnel; Mrs. Susan Karstrom, art director, Science Research Associates, Chicago, commercial art, and Frances Henry, editor, "What's New in Home Economics," Chicago.

Mrs. Sally Leonard Fulkerson, formerly dress designer for Forest City Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, textiles and fashions; Mrs. Louise Gaines, employment manager, and Marian Schult, assistant buyer, L. S. Ayres & Co., Indianapolis, merchandising; Mary Houk, IU Division of Social Service, Indianapolis, social service; Eleanor Bly, chairman of speech department, Central High School, Muncie; Mrs. William R. Barnes, Winchester Elementary Schools, and Mrs. Morrison Weinland, Beech Grove High School, Indianapolis, education.

Ruth Beaty, Union City, is chairman. Other members of the steering committee are Beth Richman, Indianapolis; Phyllis J. Mahoney, Gary; Martha McCutcheon, Union City, and Vada Smith, Gary.

**To Deum Chapter To Hear Columnist**

Dale Francis, columnist and radio conductor, will speak at a dinner meeting of the Indianapolis chapter of Te Deum International at 6:30 p. m. Thursday in Knights of Columbus auditorium.

Mr. Francis, now a graduate student in political science at University of Notre Dame, helped the Most Rev. Vincent S. Waters, bishop of Raleigh, N. C., establish the North Carolina Catholic in October, 1946. He wrote a daily column in the Dayton Herald from 1946 to September, 1947.

**Hoosier Woman Dies at Age 101**

EVANSVILLE, Feb. 21—Mrs. Mary F. Williams, Vanderburgh County's oldest resident, died Friday in her home after two weeks' illness. On March 18 she would have been 101.

A lifelong Hoosier, Mrs. Williams was born on a farm eight miles east of Princeton. Her late husband, G. B. Williams, was one of the first students at Indiana University.

On her 100th birthday last year, Mrs. Williams received a congratulatory telegram from President Truman and an orchid from Tom Breneman, radio comedian who since has died.

Mrs. Williams is survived by two half-sisters, two half-brothers, two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

**DAV Plans Dance**

Indianapolis Chapter 52, Disabled American Veterans, will sponsor a dance tomorrow night in the 50-50 Club, 322 E. New York St. The dance will launch the membership drive and will honor past commanders. M. E. Hobbs is in charge of arrangements.

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