

World Report

Navy at Shanghai Moves Out of Danger

Adm. Badger Leaves 'Some Ships' Below Whangpoo for Emergency

Vice Adm. Oscar C. Badger, commander of U. S. Naval Forces in the West Pacific, moved all Naval units of his command out of the mouth of the Whangpoo today after getting word from the U. S. Consulate at Shanghai that no more Americans had applied for Naval evacuation.

Adm. Badger said "some Naval ships" would stay in the Yangtze 35 miles below the mouth of the Whangpoo. They will be prepared to proceed "a reasonable distance" up the Yangtze to meet any privately owned launches which might bring additional persons down from Shanghai.

Increased Communist activity in the Pootung area, the bulge across the Whangpoo River from Shanghai, "makes it unsafe for American Naval vessels to make the run up the Whangpoo or remain at its mouth in the Yangtze," Adm. Badger said.

France

AMERICAN, British and French diplomats at Paris today held their sixth secret session on Western strategy for the council of foreign ministers meeting there Monday.

Soviet Union

THE Communist Party newspaper Pravda printed today a bitter attack against Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia written by P. Zambrovsky, secretary of the Polish Workers Party.

"The Tito clique has accomplished the fact of entering the imperialist camp and the outrageous role this clique fulfills in the interests of Anglo-American imperialism fully coincides with the role of the Trotskyite renegades during their most profound degeneration," Mr. Zambrovsky wrote.

He said Tito's propaganda machine was aiding American imperialism.

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Christen Enters New Trial Plea

Convicted of Slaying Admitted by Lobaugh

COLUMBIA CITY, May 19 (UP)—A man serving a life prison term for a murder which another man confessed and is scheduled to die asked today for a second trial.

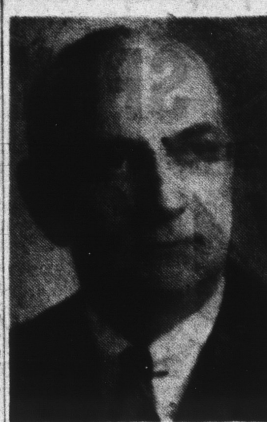
Robert V. Christen, 35, Denver, Colo., a former Ft. Wayne druggist, was convicted on a charge of second degree murder in Whitley Circuit Court and received a mandatory life sentence Mar. 23 for the 1945 killing of Mrs. Dorothea Howard at Ft. Wayne.

Lobaugh Admits Slaying Ralph W. Lobaugh, a Kokomo factory worker, confessed that killing and two others nearly two years ago, and was sentenced to die. But he repudiated his confession and has received six reprieves, the latest to Aug. 25 from Gov. Schricker.

Christen's attorney said several decisions made during the course of his trial here by Judge Lowell L. Peffer, and Judge Peffer's instructions to the jury, were grounds for the new trial. Lobaugh's tangled case is the subject of an investigation by Gov. Schricker, who indicated that he might order another reprieve if the investigation was not completed by Aug. 25.

MILK FOR COLONISTS
The first milk cows for the Plymouth Colony arrived 325 years ago.

Rites Tomorrow



Thomas A. Daily... Burial tomorrow in Crown Hill following services at 1:30 p. m. in Flanner & Buchanan mortuary.

Churubusco Man Named State Fisheries Head

The appointment of Melvin Scott, Churubusco, Ind., as superintendent of state fisheries was announced today by Henry P. Cottingham, director of the fish and game division of the Conservation Department.

Mr. Scott replaces Maurice Lung, Syracuse, who resigned to return to private business. Mr. Scott was a conservation officer from 1937 to 1946 and in January, 1949, he was appointed a captain of conservation officers.

U. S. Students Find Japan Off Limits

Cultural Roadblock Erected by Army

By KEYES BEECH

TOKYO, Japan, May 19—A cultural roadblock erected by the American occupation is preventing the exchange of Japanese and American students and scholars.

Under the present arrangement, Japanese students, artists and professors may go to America. More than 100 have.

But this is a one-way deal, for American students and teachers cannot enter Japan. And there are many who want to come.

It's the Army. The State Department, that stands in the way. McArthur's headquarters decides who will enter Japan and who won't. The Army's yardstick is whether a visitor's presence will contribute to occupation objectives.

Currently, all emphasis is on economic rehabilitation. Consequently, businessmen are welcome. There are more than 1000 foreign traders in Japan. This doesn't include soft-drink salesmen.

There also are 1850 missionaries.

The Army, according to the spokesman, doesn't consider students and professors necessary to the occupation.

AEC Assures Congress Atomic Fellowships Will Be Barred to Reds

Lilienthal Tells Senators Grant Awarded to One Will Be Canceled

Congress was told today that Communist Hans Friesstadt's atomic fellowship will be withdrawn.

It also was assured—by Chairman David E. Lilienthal of the Atomic Energy Commission—that steps have been taken to make certain that public money is not spent to further the education of any other Communists.

These disclosures were made at hearing of a Senate Appropriations Subcommittee which is considering funds to run the commission in the fiscal year starting July 1.

Members demanded and got assurance that none of the requested money will be spent to turn Reds into journeymen nuclear physicists. Henceforth, Mr. Lilienthal revealed, all applicants for atomic fellowships will have to sign an affidavit saying whether they advocate or belong to organizations advocating forceful overthrow of the government.

Subcommittee members expected later to quiz Mr. Lilienthal about a small bit of atomic explosive, Uranium-235, missing from the Argonne National Laboratory at Chicago.

The committee reported that the federal government has added 254 persons to the payroll daily for the past 15 months. This boosted the annual payroll by \$750,000 each day, the report said.

In March alone, it said, more than 6000 persons were added to the payroll, raising the total number of employees to 2,111,257.

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