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WESTERN AIRLINER MISSING

WORST MENACE IN AMERICA IS INDIFFERENCE

State Commander of
Legion Says in
Talk Here

ON GOVERNMENT

"The greatest menace in America today is not the force of subversive elements," declared Leonard Applequist of Aurora, state commander of the American Legion and head of the state caravan which stopped here last evening at the city hall for a public meeting at the beginning of a tour of key posts of Illinois.

"Men and women have been too busy scrambling after the almighty dollar to give proper thought to their obligations and responsibilities as citizens," Commander Applequist asserted. "These elements destroyed the civilizations of Egypt, Greece and Rome and they are at work today in America. They may, in turn, destroy us unless the citizenry can be made to see government as something a part of itself and belonging to it."

The speaker explained that the Legion is trying to make the youth of America see this through organizing the boys' state activity and attempting to teach these future citizens that government is what they make it.

Learn Government

Boys' state is a summer encampment of boys who are taught in a practical manner the machinery and mechanics of American self-government by actually organizing a mythical 49th American state complete in every detail of popular representative rule. It was originated by the Illinois American Legion three years ago and has proved so successful that during 1937 eight states adopted the activity.

Applequist said he envisioned in the near future a chain of such camps from coast to coast, training the boys of America in the principles of good government and enabling them to gain an intelligent understanding of the manner in which democracy operates to safeguard through them the liberty and freedom treasured by citizens of the United States.

The state commander reviewed all phases of the Legion's Americanism campaign and its 1938 program to illustrate that his organization is working in the interests of the people as a whole, rather than just for its own membership. He stressed the importance of service.

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Fails to Raise \$30, Sentenced to Jail

For failing to produce \$30 by 4 p. m. yesterday in a non-support case, Ralph Stiles was found in contempt of court by County Judge H. Beckers and was ordered to serve 30 days in the county jail. Stiles had been ordered several weeks ago to pay for care of his dependent children, Raymond and Louise. He failed to comply with the court order satisfactorily.

Stokowski and Garbo to Deny Themselves Visitors in Italy

Ravenna, Italy, March 2—(UP)—Leopold Stokowski posted a sign today on the gate of the villa Cimbrone, where he and Greta Garbo are staying, reading "no visitors until further notice."

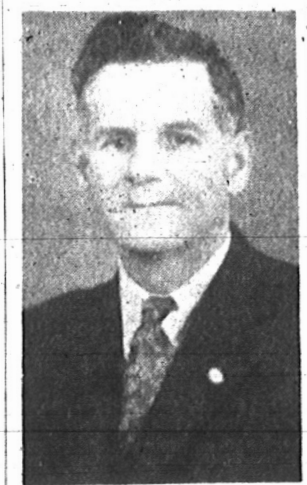
With growing irritation the famous musician sought privacy from villagers and newspapermen who thronged to the villa to catch a glimpse of "Donna Misteriosa" (the mystery woman), who was definitely identified as the movie actress.

The white haired orchestra conductor and the tall blonde woman had aroused the curiosity of natives for days by their strolls from their villa overlooking the Bay of Naples.

It was taken for granted that the long standing rumors of their love were true and many believed that they soon would be married. But the Swedish consul at Naples told the United Press that he doubted the imminent possibility of marriage.

"If the news is true," Consul Richter said, "Garbo, who is a Swedish citizen, would have notified the consulate, which according to law must publish the news in foreign newspapers."

Southern California Menaced By Floods



Good Business

"Kankakee is a good business town," I have always found it that way," said John Krueger, real estate and insurance agent, 995 South Elm avenue.

He proved that by coming home first recently in a national insurance contest sponsored by the state farm insurance companies. The contest was for new business only and ran for a period of five months. He received the grand prize for his efforts at the company's national convention last week in Chicago. The Bloomington Pantagraph last week ran an eight-page special edition on the convention and carried pictures of Krueger and other leading agents on its front page.

A native of this city, John has spent his entire life in the county and has an intimate knowledge of both farm and city life.

He began writing insurance on a part time basis in 1923 and has been at it full time the past 10 years. He expresses optimism for the continued growth and prosperity of his home town.

Missing Radium is Found in Ash Heap

Chicago, March 2—(AP)—The hunt for 50 milligrams of radium worth \$125,000 which was lost at a suburban Oak Park hospital appeared today to have just started although searches know where it is.

The tiny needles which held the radium in a da platinum tube encasing them apparently were reduced to bits in the hospital incinerator.

With the aid of an electrocroscope, searchers discovered the presence of radium and a platinum tube in a village dump. They scraped up 26 bushels of ashes and carried them to the hospital basement.

Experts said the nearest refineries were in New York or Philadelphia and the cost of extracting the radium might be greater than the price of a fresh supply.

Hospital officials weren't perturbed. The ashes and radium now belong to an insurance company.

NO TRACE OF MISSING HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER

Marion, Ill., March 2—(AP)—Authorities reported today they had found no trace of Arno Bratten, missing former high school principal, after searching the mine shaft of the abandoned Paulton mine.

Bratten's bloodstained automobile was found Feb. 21 at Carbondale.

Stokowski told friends he chose Ravenna for a vacation in order to compose "like Wagner." The famous German once occupied the villa Cimbrone.

Stokowski came to the Caruso hotel early today to accept a transoceanic telephone call from Philadelphia where he became famous as conductor of the symphony orchestra there. The correspondent accosted him and asked about his plans and Miss Garbo's plans.

"I never talk about personal things," he said, "if you want to interview me on music or the cinema, I am at your disposal."

The correspondent asked no questions on those subjects and Stokowski, after receiving his call, returned to the villa Cimbrone.

MANY FAMILIES ABANDON HOMES IN BIG CITIES

Los Angeles Streets
Running Curb-Full
with Water

RED CROSS BUSY

Los Angeles, March 2—(UP)—At least four persons were killed, hundreds of families were driven from their homes, and property was damaged to the extent of perhaps \$1,000,000 in today's record rain storm.

Thousands of acres were inundated. Streets and highways were washed out or buried under landslides. Houses were crushed. Many street intersections in metropolitan Los Angeles were turned into lakes.

The known dead: Mrs. Ruth Randall, 28. Leonard Travis Randall, 6, her son.

An unidentified woman and her baby, in Beverly Glen canyon. Buried under a slide and believed dead.

Fred Wilk, owner of a bungalow court.

Mrs. Randall and her son were buried under a landslide "that crushed their house and the adjoining dwelling."

Los Angeles, Calif., March 2—(AP)—One of the most severe storms in recent years brought dangerous flood conditions to southern California today.

Homes were isolated. The Red Cross worked to remove marooned refugees. Usually dry rivers ran bank full.

City and interurban traffic in many instances was halted, as the streets and highways were transformed into torrents.

Houses were reported to be in a precarious condition in Santa Monica canyon in suburban Los Angeles.

Byron Porter telephoned the Santa Monica Daily Outlook he was in the second story of his home with no way of getting out.

Red Cross Active

More than a hundred families were moved out of the Venice district. The Red Cross was pushing rescue work in some sections of West Los Angeles.

There was two feet of water in the basement of the Santa Monica city hall.

A wide area in Del Rey was inundated and a dangerous condition was reported in the Mar Vista district.

Motorists who were unable to navigate Valley boulevard into the city reported "that some swans from

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Brotherhood Will Give Radio Revue

A radio revue, composed principally of entertainers who have won places on the Morris B. Sachs amateur hour, will be presented at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, March 10 in Kankakee high school auditorium.

The program is under auspices of the brotherhood of the Trinity M. E. church. James S. Hart of Joliet, a favorite of Joliet audiences, will direct the amateurs in the program and act as master of ceremonies, according to announcement by Lee Austin, president of the brotherhood.

Light rain this afternoon and tonight; cooler in north and central portions tonight; Thursday partly cloudy and colder.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS a concerted movement to stimulate used car sales and pave the way for a resumption of automobile manufacturing and employment on a normal basis has been inaugurated by the American automobile industry, and

WHEREAS the business interests of Kankakee have pledged their enthusiastic cooperation in this campaign, and

WHEREAS the "Drive-a-Better-Car" movement will make an important contribution to restoring safety in Kankakee, now:

THEREFORE I hereby proclaim the week of March 6 to 12 National Used Car Exchange week and urge the cooperation of all citizens in insuring its success.

Witness my hand and Seal,
A. F. HATTENBURG
March 2, 1938 Mayor

FEAR DEEPENED FOR SAFETY OF KIDNAP VICTIM

G-Men Begin Active Investigation In- to Abduction

New Rochelle, N. Y., March 2—(AP)—A third kidnap note stipulating the payment of \$60,000 ransom and accompanied by a photograph of the 32-year-old Peter Levine was disclosed here today as investigators hung on the father's decision to make another radio appeal to the abductors.

The note was found Monday. It was learned, in a vacant lot next to the Bethel synagogue of Rabbi Abraham Nowak, after a mysterious telephone call directed him to the spot.

It demanded that the father, Murray Levine, a New York lawyer, make up a package of bank notes in \$10, \$20, \$50 and \$100 denominations and drop the package at the base of a street light pole in East 172nd street, the Bronx, New York City.

On the back, in handwriting identified as Peter's was scrawled the plea:

"Dear dad: Please give these men the money. I have a bad cold. Peter."

New Rochelle, N. Y., March 2—(AP)—Fear deepened today for the safety of missing 12-year-old Peter Levine as G-men began an active investigation into the boy's mysterious disappearance.

Cloaking all developments in secrecy, Murray Levine, New York attorney, refused to disclose whether he had paid a ransom or received direct word of the fate or whereabouts of his son.

Peter disappeared after leaving school last Thursday afternoon.

The New York Daily News said it had learned federal agents were investigating a new ransom note \$30,000 within 48 hours under the threat of death to the boy.

"If this matter isn't taken care of within the time we set," the News

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Student Pilot is Killed in Crash

Chesterfield, Ill., Mar. 2—(AP)—A student pilot was killed when the four-place Fairchild monoplane he was flying crashed in a field one mile west of here today.

He was identified as William Grive of Toronto, by officials of the Parks Air college, East St. Louis.

He was the son of Dr. George W. Grive, of Toronto.

Leo Swofford, a farmer, told authorities the plane plunged to the ground about 150 yards from where he was working. He said it had circled low over the field several times and that once he heard the pilot calling to him "something about East St. Louis."

At the Parks college field it was said Grive was on his first cross-country solo flight to Springfield tomorrow.

Officials said he had about 63 hours solo experience and that "his record was better than average." They explained he probably lost his way and was flying low over Chesterfield in an attempt to sight the name of the town.



Mayor Grets State Legion Caravan Here

Members of the caravan of state officers of the American Legion who visited Kankakee last evening at the beginning of a tour which will take them to 37 posts throughout the state in 29 days are shown above with Mayor Albert F. Hattenburg and Edward Hopper, commander of the local post. Left to right in the front row are Edward Clamage of Chicago, senior vice commander; Mayor Hattenburg, member of the local post; Leonard Applequist of Aurora, state commander; Noel Jeffery of Chicago, assistant manager of Hines hospital. Second row, left to right: Lyle Sorely of Bloomington, organization officer; William C. Mundt of Bloomington, department adjutant; William Hogan of Bloomington, child welfare officer; and Commander Ed Hopper of the Kankakee post.

3 Injured in Spectacular Crashes Here

Three persons suffered minor injuries in two crashes bordering on the spectacular yesterday and this morning.

Mrs. Marguerite Girard of 395 South Main street and Joe Coffman of Kankakee rural route sustained minor hurts when autos in which they were riding collided at the intersection of Hickory and Cannon avenues in West Kankakee at 3:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

According to Deputy Sheriff Walter Bauer, the Girard car struck the rear wheel of the other vehicle driven by Chester McCord of Kankakee rural route, both cars overturned and the Girard auto rolled up against a tree. Coffman, who was in the auto of Homer Jaubert of 119 South Fifth avenue, parked in front of his house.

At 5:05 o'clock this morning, semi-trailer truck of the American Transoceanic company, driven by Ed Stonequist, 21, of Chicago turned over when a load of steel sheet shifted to one side in the trailer as the big truck rounded a corner at Court and Fifth avenues.

Stonequist suffered minor injuries and was treated at St. Mary hospital. The crash dislodged the steel and the truck struck the side of the auto of Homer Jaubert of 119 South Fifth avenue, parked in front of his house.

At 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, no one was hurt when the autos of Francis Kase, 394 South Harrison avenue and Hector Cheffer of 322 South Indiana avenue collided at the intersection of Chicago and Station street.

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Federal Debt Rises to New High Feb. 28

Washington, March 2—(AP)—The federal debt rose to a new record of \$37,632,733,792 on Feb. 28, the daily treasury statement showed today.

The debt increased \$1,208,120,000 in the first eight months of the fiscal year and is now \$3,000,000,000 higher than it was a year ago.

On February 28, the deficit was \$1,053,198,485, compared with \$2,046,015,287 on the same date a year ago. Including the \$250,000,000 new relief appropriation just voted by congress, the deficit is expected to reach \$1,544,345,300 by June 30, the end of the fiscal year.

Receipts for the first eight months of the year totaled \$3,660,284,765, compared with \$2,716,709,242 in the corresponding period of the previous year.

BUSINESS MEN IN BETTER CAR CAMPAIGN HERE

City Organizes For Drive to Last a One Week

Business men of this city, meeting with Mayor A. F. Hattenburg, pledged the city's enthusiastic cooperation in National Used Car Exchange week to be observed nationally beginning next Saturday.

National Used Car Exchange week is a cooperative plan of the automobile dealers, suppliers and allied interests to lift itself out of the present business recession by stimulating used car sales and thus making way for a resumption of new car selling and manufacturing on a normal scale. The program is aimed at reemployment of tens of thousands of workers in the automobile plants and in industries supplying steel, rubber, glass, textiles and other products.

Organization Meeting

The local observance of National Used Car Exchange week will be directed by a committee of prominent men which was organized at a meeting Monday.

A comprehensive program for the local observance was drawn up at the meeting. Mayor Hattenburg said: "Kankakee is 100 per cent back of the program of the automobile industry to show the way out of the present business recession," he added.

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Flogging Victim "is Resting Well"

Baltimore, March 2—(AP)—Clyde Miller, 37-year-old printer, flogged for beating his wife, was "resting all right" today in the city jail hospital.

"There has been no change in his condition since last night," Warden Harry Price said. "His back, welts and lacerated, is being treated."

Miller was given 20 lashes with a cat-o-nine tails, a 9-strand leather whip with a 30-inch wooden handle, after the whipping post, used since 1883 to punish with beatings.

Price declined to say when Miller would leave the hospital for the jail routine he will follow for six months to complete his sentence.

Dwight Man, 60 Years Old, Is A Suicide

Dwight, March 2—(RN Special)—James Carstensen, 60, of 219 East Renfrew street, Dwight, committed suicide at his home yesterday by placing a rope around his neck and hanging from a hinge on an upstairs bedroom door.

Carstensen's body was found at 11:30 o'clock when his wife, who does housework, came home to prepare lunch. She left the house at 7 a. m. and when she arrived home, found a note on the dining room table.

She called a next door neighbor, Nicholas Nelson, and his son Al. They summoned Dr. L. H. Neff who examined the body and said that Carstensen had been dead some time.

At the inquest conducted by Dr. H. L. Shafer of Cornell, Livingston county coroner, a jury returned a verdict of "death by strangulation with suicidal intent brought on by ill health."

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon from St. Peter Danish Lutheran church with the Rev. W. H. Grubb, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. Burial will be in Oak Lawn cemetery.

A native of Denmark, he was born Feb. 22, 1878 and came to America 35 years ago. On Feb. 7, 1914, he married Alma Hansen, who survives with a daughter, Mrs. Alice Johnson of Oak Park, sister, Mrs. Johanna Skov of Riverside and a brother, Joseph of Dwight.

The deceased farmed several years northeast of Dwight on the Scully land, then moved south of Dwight on the Chrisman farm until 10 years ago when he retired because of ill health.

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250 Million Emergency Relief Appropriation Bill is Signed

Washington, March 2—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed the \$250,000,000 emergency relief appropriation bill today to provide supplemental funds for the states. Work Progress Administration up to next June 30.

WPA officials authorized their state administrators to hire 500,000 more relief workers this month, to offset part of the unemployment increase attributed to the business recession.

They acted as congress sent the \$250,000,000 emergency relief appropriation to President Roosevelt.

Aubrey Williams, acting WPA administrator during the convalescence of Harry Hopkins, estimated that the March increases would pull up local enrollments from 15 to 25 per

cent, depending on state needs. Without the new money, available as soon as the Roosevelt signed the measure, WPA rolls would have been curtailed by 500,000 between now and July 1, Williams said, instead of being increased.

Thus WPA rolls, which reached 2,000,000 in February, will be open to 1,000,000 more persons than had been contemplated last year when congress allotted \$1,500,000,000 for the twelve months.

Williams said he expected large industrial centers to furnish heavy demands for a slice of the new relief money, but added:

"There is no part of the country that is not affected in some real degree."

BELIEVED TO HAVE CRASHED IN MOUNTAINS

Ship Enroute From
San Francisco to
Los Angeles

NINE ON BOARD

BULLETIN
San Francisco, March 2—(AP)—T.W.A. officials said today a report that their missing skyliner had been found, badly damaged, near Fresno, had proven incorrect.

The officials said the report evidently originated in Fresno, where a truck driver was said to have telephoned another air line that he had seen a damaged plane.

A statement from United Air lines said "our office in Fresno said no such rumor originated in that office and they do not know where it started."

"We have no report on the missing plane."

At Oakland, Herb Kraft, pilot of the first UAL plane through from Southern California today, reported he had not seen any trace of the missing plane.

Fresno, Calif., March 2—(AP)—Trapped by a sudden, violent storm, a TWA airliner was believed today to have crashed with its nine occupants in the mountains east of Fresno.

The Transcontinental and Western Air transport had not been heard from since 9:38 o'clock last night (11:28 p. m. CST) when Pilot John Gray reported he was flying blind and preparing to make an emergency landing at Fresno.

Driving rain hindered the search but Jack Schneider, Fresno commercial aviation, finally got a searching plane aloft.

Ground parties trudged through the wild Huntington lake area east of Fresno, the apparent route the lost plane took in efforts to escape the storm's fury.

Bound from San Francisco to Los Angeles, the plane was caught in a sudden rain and wind storm as it flew over the Tehachapi mountains about 8:30 p. m. Ice formed on the wings. Rain fell in torrents. Static interfered with radio.

Trying to Dodge Storm

During the next hour the plane seemingly wandered in the air over San Joaquin valley, apparently trying to dodge the storm and keep on the radio beacon.

A report that a plane was seen flying low through heavy rain in the high Sierra Nevada, 45 miles northwest of Fresno brought TWA officials hurrying to Fresno from Los Angeles and San Francisco to direct a search of the area by ground.

All planes on the coast were grounded by the continuing wind and rain. Led by three officials from San Francisco, searching parties were formed to trek into the

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Mission Groups of City Meet Friday

A world day of prayer for missions will be observed here on Friday at the First Presbyterian church by missionary groups from all evangelical churches in Kankakee.

The Rev. Lauren S. Hanna, who has been engaged in missionary work in Siam, will be the speaker. At the afternoon session in the auditorium beginning at 1:45 o'clock.

A luncheon will be served at noon at which reports of the various missionary societies will be heard. An invitation is extended to all women interested in the missionary field to attend.

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Former Soviet Leaders Go On Trial: Treason Charged With Spying on Behalf of 4 Nations DEATH PENALTY

Moscow, March 2.—(AP)—A defendant who desperately protested his innocence of treason charges against him today interjected a dramatic note into the opening of the trial of four former Soviet leaders. N. N. Krestinsky, former assistant commissar of foreign affairs, confessed to the Soviet Union and to the Russian Republics of the 1917-1920 period.

The indictment also quoted at length from an alleged confessor in the plot to overthrow the Soviet government, who had entered into a treasonable plot with General Ivan Seid, German consul in Moscow, to overthrow the Soviet government.

But Krestinsky repudiated this confession and said that he had been accused of treason by the Soviet government. He said that he had been accused of treason by the Soviet government.

Joseph E. Davies, retiring United States ambassador, watched from a bench as Krestinsky, first Soviet confessor, told the court that he had been accused of treason by the Soviet government.

Chief of the defendants were Alexis I. Rykoff, former premier of Russia, and four other former Soviet officials who were accused of treason.

Body of Italy's Warrior-Poet is Ready for Burial

Gardone Riviera, Italy, March 2.—(AP)—The body of Gabriele D'Annunzio, Italian aviator and poet, was ready for burial today.

German Clergyman is Sent to Fortress for Seven Months

Berlin, March 2.—(AP)—The Rev. Martin Niemöller, for five years a prisoner of the German government, was sentenced today to seven months in a fortress.

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Brief Local News

ATTEND REPUBLICAN MEETING
Mrs. Elizabeth Mann, Kankakee county chairman, Mrs. Victor McCracken, Mrs. Helen McCracken, attended the meeting in Springfield today.

PARENTS OF SON
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bice of 468 South East avenue are parents of a son born Tuesday at St. Mary's hospital.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING
Father and son night will be observed at the meeting of the Central Christian church tomorrow.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
A son was born Tuesday at St. Mary's hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnston of Monroeville.

RESUMES TEACHING
Miss Ruth Rieck has resumed her duties as teacher at the Washington school after a seven week absence due to illness.

BAPTIST SON
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Davies, baptist Sunday at St. Rose church.

TALKS ON PILGRIMAGE
Joseph Wazeka, chairman of the Pilgrimage committee, will speak at the church tomorrow.

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Mrs. VanDiepen, 86, of Monmome, Dies

Mrs. Margaret Van Diepen, 86, died at the home of her son, Ray, 421 North Walnut street in Monmome at 10:30 a. m. today.

Mrs. VanDiepen was born Aug. 26, 1851, at Monmome, Ill. She was married in 1870 to Cornelius J. VanDiepen, who died in 1900.

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BRITAIN WILL INCREASE HER AERIAL FORCE

New Defensive Measures to Cost Over a Half Billion

WAIT APPROVAL

London, March 2.—(AP)—Tossing more fuel into the roaring rearmament furnace, Britain will spend more than a half billion dollars on her air force in the year beginning April 1.

Air estimates announced today totaled \$111,502,000, or \$537,510,000—allowing for purchase of planes, construction, maintenance, borrowed money, interests, etc.

Technically the figure was put at \$73,500,000, of \$367,500,000, as against \$56,500,000, or \$282,500,000 last year. This total is the estimate for specific and apparent expenses on the air force.

World's Best? The larger figure, however, taking in interest charges, etc., shows the real measure of British spending to make the British air force the world's best.

The figures, released by coincidence on the heels of German field Marshal Goring's boastful assertion yesterday that the German air force would be "awful in action" if war should come, included

expenditures for the fleet air arm, planes attached to the naval fleet.

The indication of Britain's feverish rearming came from Viscount Swinton, secretary of state for air in a memorandum accompanying estimates that the number of persons employed in the aircraft industry had increased from 30,000 in 1935 to a present 90,000. This did not include persons employed in the production of armaments or other equipment.

Parliamentary approval of the estimates was recorded largely as a technicality, although they will furnish grounds for parliamentary debate.

Army and navy estimates are forthcoming tomorrow and Friday, respectively.

Premier Chamberlain was expected to sum up the whole rearmament picture—with Britain's peace jeopardized both in the Orient and in Europe—in tonight's white paper.

The remora, a bird of the British Isles, builds a jagged nest of cotton and steel wire. The structure is woven so finely that it resembles felt.

JAPANESE FEAR INTERNATIONAL SPYING SYSTEM

Populace Is Warned to Guard Its Talk with Foreigners

Tokyo, March 2.—Japan's perennial spy scare has extended to

the dinner table with published warnings for Japanese to watch what they tell foreigners between morsels of saki.

The influential Tokyo newspaper, Nichi Nichi, declared in a prominently displayed article that Japan was honeycombed by an international spy network using a powerful new weapon—food.

Foreigners said Nichi Nichi invite Japanese to dinner and then worm weights information from them.

"It has been found that many a proud notable has been nearly tricked into disclosing state secrets under the impression he merely was indulging in a social conversation," Nichi Nichi announced.

The foreign office was said to have "definite information" on a number of cases and the government was described as ready to deal

vigorously with anyone "found dancing in the network of espionage."

In War Areas

Shanghai, March 2.—(AP)—Eight Japanese columns were almost within reach today of the more than 500 miles of the Lunghai railway which stretches across central China.

Japanese troops renewed their offensive against the vital east-west line after their forces had routed Chinese in southern Shansi province and pushed on toward mountainous strongholds of the Chinese red army to the west.

Reports from the battlefronts along the Lunghai corridor separating Japanese-conquered portions of north China and the Yangtze river valley told of consistent Japanese gains.

Thus far, Japanese estimated, Chinese defending the Lunghai area

have suffered 50,000 casualties, including 10,000 killed.

Both Chinese and Japanese were said to have ordered all troops to move away from the foreign-owned property to prevent losses to foreigners through Japanese bombardment of Chinese concentrations.

Mobilization Bill Debate

Tokyo, March 2.—(AP)—Japan's ever-present fear of air raids on her closely-packed cities in the "next war" figured heavily today in executive parliamentary debate over the government's drastic national mobilization bill.

Defending the measure which parliament members have attacked as dictatorial and Fascistic, Minister General Isamu Yokoyama declared: "In the next war Japan will suf-

fer air raids. It is quite possible that the diet (parliament) could not be convened because of destruction of railroad and highways following an enemy raid."

The general said that because of this danger, the law was necessary as an emergency instrument through which the nation instantly could be placed on a war footing.

In general, the bill would give the government wide control powers over Japan's business life, even to the extent that it could "expropriate" subjects of the empire and cause them to be engaged in a general mobilization of business.

Only a week ago Chinese planes bombarded the Japanese island of Formosa and on the next day air attacks were launched in Japan proper, warning of the approach of raiders who did not appear.

COUPLE TO WED ON \$70 INCOME

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 25.—(UP)—John Terry O'Connell, 21, blind student at the University of California and Betty Scott, 18, his fiancee and teacher, have worked out a budget whereby they will marry as soon as their joint earnings reach \$70 a month. They hope to be able to finance their marriage before waiting for graduation.

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Fast Colors **69c**

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P. Durand 92 130 139

E. Byron 195 156 115

Pertrand 174 188 140

Vellentini 132 133 180

Handicap 40 40 40

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U. T. C.—

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Proegier 112 168 125

Petraneck 182 137 124

Muritzen 153 173 164

Hawker 148 148 148

Totals 712 777 700

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Paulissen 89 137 98

Pontious 180 169 187

Lagonardino 145 133 147

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