

# ALASKA SALVAGE PLANS DRAFTED

OTTAWA, Canada, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The Canadian and United States governments were attempting today to work out arrangements for salvage of equipment used by American engineers in construction of the Alaska Highway.

Reports that valuable equipment used on the highway was being destroyed prompted a demand in the Canadian House of Commons for a government investigation, which disclosed that United States Army Engineers were closing about 150 construction camps along the highway and that they had specific instructions from the United States government to salvage any usable material.

### Commons Told of Destruction

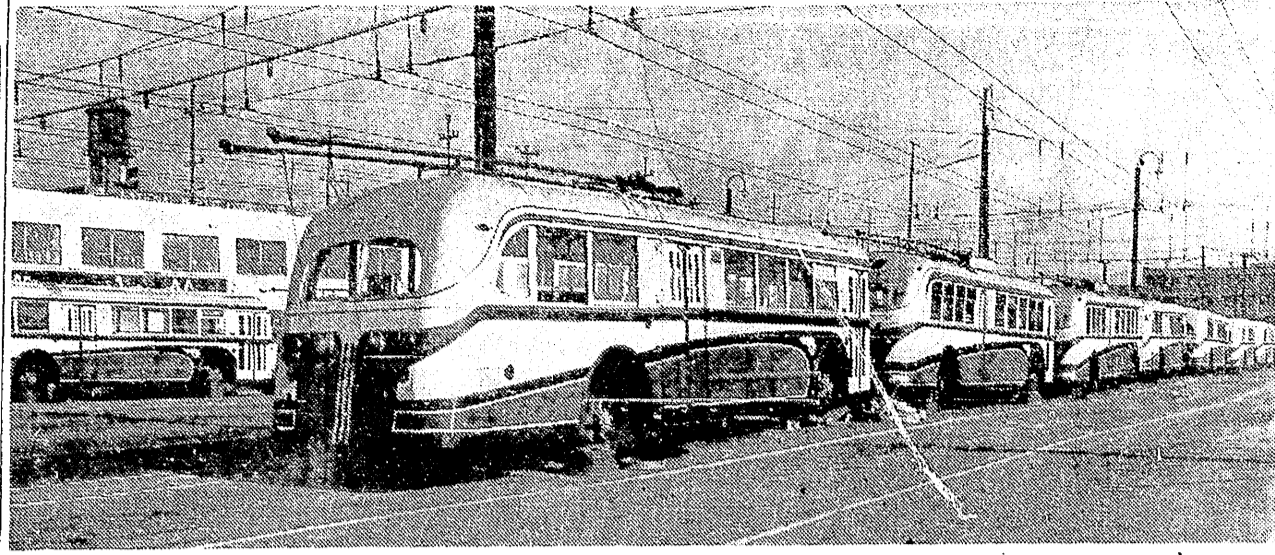
Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King has told Commons, however, that such things as blankets and perishable foodstuffs were being destroyed.

King said it might be possible to reach an agreement under which the Canadian government would sell the equipment and turn the proceeds of the sales over to the United States after deducting expenses incurred. Under the law the equipment could not be sold in Canada by the United States government until customs duties have been paid.

### Bulldozers Sold

Some bulldozers and other equipment already have been made available to the Canadian government, Mackenzie King said. The prime minister also told Commons that an investigation disclosed there was no evidence to support reports that the United States Federal Bureau of Investigation planned to take action against Canadians in the Peace River district who assertedly had gone to equipment dumps at a camp there and removed some materials. He said the F. B. I. would have no part in taking such action against Canadians.

# TENTH OF TROLLEY COACHES IDLE



Almost one-tenth of the Seattle Transit System's fleet of trackless trolley coaches stood useless in their barns today, their tires wheels perched on wooden blocks. Transit officials hoped new regulations governing issuance of large truck and bus tires to priority users, effective today, would release some tires. Use of available tires has been held up because tire-rationing certificates could not be obtained. Shown here are part of the 41 tireless coaches lined up in the Atlantic Street and Jefferson Park barns this forenoon.

# LIVING COSTS IN SEATTLE DECLINE

With food prices down six-tenths of 1 per cent, over-all living costs in Seattle declined one-tenth of 1 per cent during the 30-day period ending June 15. William A. Bledsoe, regional director of the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, said today. "This decline," Bledsoe said, "reverses the trend of previous months and represents a level of living costs in Seattle well below the peak reached in May, 1943. The latest change... brings living costs here to a point 28.4 per cent above August, 1939, when the European war started."

# No Jet-Propulsion On Roads for Briton

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—British inventors are considering the possibility of adapting jet propulsion to road transport as well as aircraft, Deputy Prime Minister Clement R. Attlee told Commons today. Frederick S. Cocks, Broxtowe Laborite, immediately protested: "Is the speaker aware there is no general desire to have vehicles careening about the country with red-hot tails?"

# Strikes

(Continued From Page One) very which Jeff Craig, international representative of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, United Retail & Wholesale Union Employees, called a lockout resulting from failure of the company to pay overtime to supervisors working on inventory. The company declined comment.

# Issue on Production Rates

In another Detroit dispute, 7,000 workers were idle and five plants of the General Motors Chevrolet Gear & Axle Division were virtually closed. This case involved complaints by spokesmen for Local 235 of the C. I. O. United Automobile Workers that employees could not meet new production rates.

# Additional Strikes

Other cases and the number idle included: Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, Marion, Ind., 1,100; American Can Company, Jersey City, N. J., 950; John Harsco Foundry, Cleveland, 700; Ball Bros. Company, Muncie, Ind., 500; four furniture companies in Chicago, 247; Federal Mogul Company, San Francisco, 100; Knoxville Mining Company, Galesburg, Ill., 80; Radio Station KSTP, Minneapolis, 16.

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# National Diet Survey Discloses

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# Texas Rangers' Dispute

Four Texas Rangers have returned to their posts at Odessa, Tex., from Stanolind Oil & Gas Company's North Cowden field, where union representatives of the Oil Workers' International Union local, affiliated with the Congress of Industrial Organizations, say they await further War Labor Board directives in the Stanolind work stoppage. Headed by Capt. Ernest Best of San Angelo, the Rangers went home yesterday after having been on duty at the field, 18 miles northwest of here in Ector County, since Saturday. Union representatives said a group of Stanolind workers, requested to return to work by the W. L. B., were unable to resume their duties because of a "hindrance on the part of the company."

# MOTHER-TO-BE HELD IN THEFT

An expectant mother, wife of a service man stationed in the Pacific area, was held without charge in the city jail today after being accused of shoplifting baby clothes twice in the same department store yesterday afternoon. The woman, 33 years old, was halted by store employees as she attempted to leave with baby clothes valued at about \$40. But when the woman wept and explained her condition, they released her.

# P-47 Flyer Killed

BRUNING, Neb., Aug. 1.—(AP)—Second Lieut. Thomas L. Clark, son of Dr. T. L. Clark of Bow and Arrow Ranch, Sunburst, Mont., was killed yesterday when his P-47 Thunderbolt fighter from the Bruning Air Base crashed in a cornfield five miles east of Alexandria, Neb.

# Comdr. Frisbie Speaker

Comdr. Charles Frisbie, U. S. N. R., recently returned from Alaska, Fairbanks, Alaska, for withholding tax for quarters in 1943 and 1944 for a total of \$6,357.04, and against Consolidated Coal Mines, Inc., and Cedar Mountain Mines, 1401 Hoge Building, Seattle, for withholding tax for the quarter ending March 31, 1944, for \$2,524.80.

# Hemlock Trees over 600 Years Old

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# VITAL SHORTAGES TO PROLONG WAR

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(UP)—Shortages in 320 vital categories of war material are threatening to delay victory and increase the toll of lives which victory will cost, Lieut. Gen. Brehon Somervell, commander of the Army Service Forces, said today.

In 90 of these categories, Somervell told a press conference, supplies on hand constitute less than 50 per cent of minimum requirements. Allied battle successes and the increased tempo of advances toward Berlin and Tokyo have stepped up the requirements for weapons, ammunition and transport, while actual production has declined, he said.

He said peak production for the Army Service Forces was reached in November, 1943, amounting to \$2,122,000,000. Production in June fell to \$1,852,000,000. If requirements are to be met, Somervell said production amounting to \$2,308,000,000 must be reached in October.

Somervell said, the shortages mainly to problems of manpower. In some particular categories shortages of facilities also were responsible. He said the raw materials position generally was satisfactory.

Even as Somervell met reporters, spokesmen for the Army, Navy, War Manpower Commission and War Production Board canvassed the problem of material and manpower shortages with War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes.

# Addict Gets Chance To Rehabilitate Self

Described by the government as a source of trouble to his family, Donald Gordon McGregor, who pleaded guilty today to forging prescriptions to obtain narcotics, was given an opportunity to rehabilitate himself at the United States Public Health Hospital in Lexington, Ky. Learning McGregor has been an addict "off and on" for ten years, United States District Judge Lloyd L. Black sentenced him to the hospital for 15 months and added a five-year probation.

McGregor, 32 years old, married and the father of a 3-month-old baby, has been working as a railroad car checker.

# French Patrol Aids Capture Of Nazi Point

By HELEN KIRKPATRICK Chicago Daily News Foreign Service CAEN, July 24. — (Delayed) — How a French resistance patrol in cooperation with a Canadian army unit, reduced a German strong point in the Caen suburb of Faubourg de Vaucelles and permitted Canadians to take the town is described in a report made available today.

This report rests in the files of the French Forces of the Interior. It was submitted in correct military fashion by the French naval lieutenant who led the patrol. With him in the mission were an army lieutenant and two enlisted men, members of the French resistance.

The French patrol crossed the Orne River at a ford and made their way through streets held by Germans to a house which was barricaded strongly and surrounded by mines. They signaled from there to the Canadians below them and across the river. The Canadians shelled the minefield and made a path through it along which half of the French patrol crawled up to the house while the others went around to the back.

Those in front threw grenades into the house while those in the back rushed in. Canadians swarmed up the hill, captured this high point of the ruined town, and the advance was on.

# Tax-Lien Notices, Discharges Filed

TACOMA, Aug. 1.—Two notices of tax lien under existing internal revenue laws and two certificates of discharge of tax liens were filed in Tacoma's Federal Court yesterday in internal revenue proceedings.

Discharges were for George and Agnes Nelson, 231 Summit Ave. N., Seattle, for income tax in 1933 and 1934, totaling \$4,027.07. Nelson is a contractor.

Tax liens were filed by Collector Clark Squire against Ray Clehran, Fairbanks, Alaska, for withholding tax for quarters in 1943 and 1944 for a total of \$6,357.04, and against Consolidated Coal Mines, Inc., and Cedar Mountain Mines, 1401 Hoge Building, Seattle, for withholding tax for the quarter ending March 31, 1944, for \$2,524.80.

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# LULU FAIRBANKS WINS HIGH HONOR

Miss Lulu M. Fairbanks, associate editor of The Alaska Weekly, was cited by the National Federation of Press Women as one of four newspaper women in the country who have contributed to the cause of internationalism and are recognized internationally. It was announced today. The federation just closed its annual three-day conference in Evanston, Ill.

Miss Fairbanks also was given first place for the best children's story and first place for "advertising promotion." Sharing the award with her are Alice C. Weltz, Washington, D. C.; Louise M. Henely, Grinnell, Iowa; and Margaret March Mount, Milwaukee.

# WELFARE DEPT. HAS MANY OFFERS

Telephones of the children's division of the King County Welfare Department were "swamped" with offers today as a result of an article in The Times yesterday, regarding foster homes for 40 children, it was reported by L. L. Hegland, department administrator.

At least 25 offers were telephoned to the children's division in three hours this forenoon, Hegland reported, and five persons called at the office to say they were willing to open their homes to one or more of the youngsters. Since any home must be investigated and licensed before the department can place children in it, none of the offers could be accepted immediately.

The 40 children, ranging from 1 to 16 years old, are only temporarily homeless, due to wartime conditions, and are not eligible for adoption.

# Miss Schmoie, Hirabayashi Wed in Spokane

SPOKANE, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Miss Esther Schmoie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schmoie of Seattle, and Gordon K. Hirabayashi, Japanese-American youth who gained nationwide attention by filing a test suit challenging government evacuation orders, were married Saturday, they disclosed today.

The father of the attractive white girl and S. Hirabayashi of Weiser, Idaho, the bridegroom's father, sat side by side as the couple stepped quietly into the Lidge-wood Evangelical Church for the first Quaker wedding to be solemnized in Spokane.

Frederick Elkington, a Seattle overseer of the University Friends Meeting, of which the bride and bridegroom are members, read the Statement of Friends. The couple made their vows and exchanged rings.

Both attended the University of Washington. Hirabayashi carried his test suit unsuccessfully to the United States Supreme Court, and last month was arrested here on a charge of failing to fill out and return a Selective Service questionnaire. He is at liberty under bond of \$1,000. He will appear before a Seattle judge at an unspecified future date.

After a brief wedding trip the Hirabayashis will make their home here.

# F. R. Names 9 For New General Ranks

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Two brigadier generals, Robert Tryon Frederick, San Francisco, and Jens Anderson Doe, Chicago, were nominated today by President Roosevelt for promotion to major general.

Seven colonels nominated for promotion to rank of Brigadier general, and their usual home addresses: Gerald Joseph Higgins, Buhl, Idaho; Maurice Wiley Daniel, New Albany, Ind.; James Alward Van Fleet, Coytesville, N. J.; George Arthur Taylor, Portland, Or.; Charles D. W. Canham, Kolo, Miss.; Hugh F. T. Hoffman, Fort Smith, Ark., and John Huston Church, Frederick, Md.

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# High-Tension Wire Kills Man, Knocks Out 1

Neil Dameron of Maywood was electrocuted and another man severely injured yesterday when the boom of a steam shovel touched a high-tension wire near Maywood, southeastern King County.

The steam shovel was being moved by a tractor driven by Lloyd McKinley, with Dameron in the steam shovel cab. When the boom struck the wire, Dameron was instantly killed and McKinley was knocked unconscious.

J. F. Collins, bookkeeper for the Canyon Logging Company, by which the two men were employed, said telephone facilities and power connections were disrupted.

Collins said an estimated 110,000 volts was being carried by the line that was touched. He said there was a blinding flash of arcing electricity.

Funeral services for Dameron are being arranged at the Stokes Funeral Home.

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