

### AXIS ALIENS TO LOSE CITY JOBS

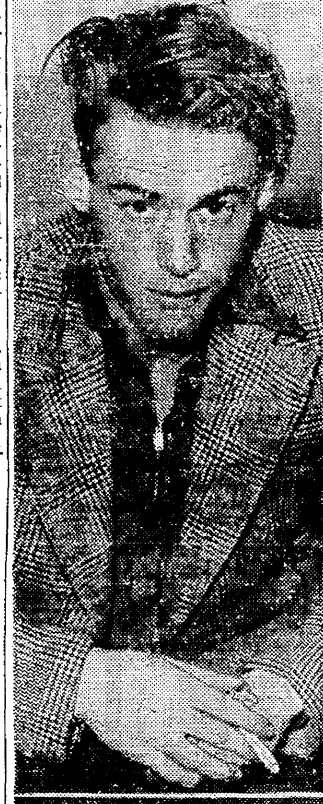
The Municipal Board of Public Works today directed that all Italian, German and Japanese aliens be dropped immediately from the payrolls of contractors doing work for the city.

At today's regular session, Chairman W. C. Morse declared: "Now is the time to get aliens off the payrolls of contractors on city jobs."

A motion was carried unanimously, with Lighting Supt. E. R. Hoffman remarking: "This doesn't need a motion, it needs immediate action."

Morse said the motion referred specifically to Italian, German and Japanese aliens. The board notified contractors to drop aliens.

### Two Deserters Admit Theft Of \$8,000 in Bonds



EARL G. KELLER, JR. KENNETH KILNER. Deserted from Army

Two Army deserters confessed to police yesterday the theft of \$8,000 in defense-savings bonds last Saturday night from the Home Oil Company, 1110 Elliott Ave. They admitted four other burglaries and the theft of an automobile since they arrived here last week.

The burglars gave their names as Earl G. Keller, Jr., 19 years old, and Kenneth Kilner, 20, of Company K, 159th Infantry, San Luis Obispo. They said they had been members of the National Guard in San Francisco and were called into the Army.

### Germany Jails Americans As U. S. Does Nazis

BERLIN, Thursday, Dec. 11.—(Official Radio Received by A. P.)—Germany has arrested United States citizens in Germany equal to the number of German nationals arrested in the United States and if there are further arrests of Germans there an equal number of Americans will be arrested here, an official Nazi spokesman declared today.

The spokesman asserted that German newspaper men detained in the United States had been locked up in filthy prisons but declared that American correspondents held in Berlin have been quartered in a private mansion.

### GARBAGE CREWS RETURN TO JOBS

The Diamond Tank Transport Company, city garbage contractor, said this forenoon full garbage collection could be expected today, after a shutdown on collections yesterday when crews walked off jobs.

Garbage trucks for the central business district began collections at 2:30 and 3 o'clock this morning and all residence district trucks left by 9 o'clock.

Union Orders Return. Strikers were instructed to return to work by the executive board of Local 174, Teamsters' Union, which had no warning of the walkout.

"This or any other strike of a like character has no time or place in our city during our present critical war conditions," said a resolution adopted by the executive board.

"Return to work at your regular shifts and in consideration thereof there will be no discrimination or penalty. But failure to comply will bring expulsion from the local union."

The union warning, with another warning from the Health Department, was posted at all garbage dumps and at the garbage-truck garage.

Dr. Frank M. Carroll, city health commissioner, said many crews quit yesterday without notice or knowledge of union officials. Frank W. Brewster, secretary of the Joint Council of Teamsters, instructed the men to return to work. Dr. Carroll said, and city councilmen and the Board of Public Works issued a warning that drastic steps would be necessary to maintain garbage collection.

Dr. Carroll said the strikers demanded money which they said was promised in a retroactive pay raise from June 15 to October 1, contending they had not received it. Local 174 announced arrangements would be made to satisfy the workers' demands.

### N. A. M. Accepts F. R.'s Bid To Labor Parley

NEW YORK, Thursday, Dec. 11.—(AP)—The National Association of Manufacturers said in a statement last night industry would accept "as a public obligation" an invitation by President Roosevelt to discuss strikes in war industries but suggested such a conference would delay "real solution of the labor problem" by legislation.

The association placed the blame for numerous recent strikes in war plants on "irresponsible minorities" and said the only way to deal with the elements was through legislation.

Conceding the right of labor to seek adjustments of conditions affecting individual employees, the association asserted, nevertheless, that labor had an obligation not to strike in a war emergency, and management had an equal obligation "not to take advantage of labor's relinquishment of the strike weapon to avoid such adjustments."

Three Shots Fired. Keller was captured when deputy sheriffs William Helsten and Al Schroeder fired three pistol shots about 9 o'clock last night as the two youths attempted to burglarize the Williams Potato Chip Company, 1405 Elliott Ave.

Kilner, who escaped, was arrested about 12:35 o'clock this afternoon at First Avenue and Pike Street by Detective Lieuts. C. L. Decker and J. E. Warner.

Bonds Recovered. When arrested, Kilner was holding \$740 worth of defense bonds and Keller \$600. In a written statement to Chief of Detectives Ernest W. Yorin and Detective Capt. Marshall C. Scraftford, the youths said that Keller was alone when he stole the bonds, but had given most of them to Kilner. Keller also said he had taken from the oil company \$160 in cash, which the two spent.

### 6 U. S. Japanese Nazi Almost Fear Violence, Lock Selves In

CLINTON, Mo., Thursday, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Six war-bewildered Japanese ventured outside today after remaining in voluntary, solitary confinement since Sunday—without food.

W. H. Lathrop manager of the hatchery where the six—American-born citizens—are employed, finally convinced them last night they were in no danger.

Lathrop said they feared violence Sunday after news of Japan's attack in the Pacific and had refused to leave their rooms, even for food, or to answer the door or telephone. Lathrop said they would return to work today.

### Nazi Almost Admits Starting War in Balkans

NEW YORK, Thursday, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Berlin's announcer in English, solemnly reading a translation of Hitler's speech today, got his tongue twisted, the National Broadcasting Company reported.

"When the attack..." he stopped and began stammering. "By..." "Against..." Then he started over again.

"When the war with Greece and Yugoslavia began, that war was really nothing compared to the beginning of that larger struggle in which we are still at present engaged."

### TERMS TOO LONG, CONVICTS PLEAD

SPOKANE, Thursday, Dec. 11.—(AP)—Errors in trial, coercion in obtaining pleas of guilty and excessive terms of sentence are charged by four inmates of the state penitentiary who have filed petitions in Federal Court for writs of habeas corpus.

The prisoners are Kenneth Gerard, serving life from King County conviction as a habitual criminal; George D. Latimer and Ernest Diefenbach, serving 20 years from Stevens County for forgery, and John S. Nelson, lifer from Walla Walla, convicted of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

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### Dynamite Found Under Trestle

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Bullock said an explosive expert removed two sticks of dynamite found attached to wires and batteries under the trestle about midnight. The trestle crosses a canal in suburban Miami Shores.

Discovery of the batteries and wires was made after an anonymous telephone tip. Yardmaster J. P. Walsh said all railroad traffic had been stopped pending an investigation.

Policewomen in Bakersfield, Calif., have been ordered to don brass-buttoned uniforms. They will wear a blue-gray military cut coat and skirt, with black trim, and a fatigue cap.

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