

'Phone Calls Halt As F. R. Speaks

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24.—(AP)—The Municipal Electrical Bureau and the police switchboard, through which all emergency and official information calls in the nation's third largest city must pass, reported that not a single telephone call was received last night during President Roosevelt's broadcast address.

Telephone company officials said private calls dropped to "almost nothing" during the same period. The Dutch Reformed Ring of Faure Smith, a group of 10 congregations, placed a ban on roughed red lips and nails at a conference held in Trompsburg, South Africa. Racing, drinking, cards, gambling, lotteries and dancing also were condemned.

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ALL BALI LOST, DUTCH REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24.—(UP)—Melbourne radio today quoted the governor general of The Netherlands East Indies that Bali "should be considered as being completely in the hands of the Japanese," according to a broadcast recorded here.

By Associated Press. BATAVIA, N. E. I., Feb. 24.—Urged by the governor-general of The Netherlands East Indies to face the foe with "faith and an iron will," the Allied defenders of Java neared the zero hour today in the battle for this last bulwark blocking the Japanese from the vital United Nations supply lines in the Indian Ocean.

There was no new official word on the situation in Southern Sumatra and in Bali where the invaders have wrested their latest footholds directly west and east of this island citadel. A brief Indies High Command communique reported only fresh aerial blows at Java, the heaviest of which was aimed at military objectives around Bandoeng, Dutch army headquarters.

Three low-flying formations of enemy bombers, apparently without fighter escort, were greeted by blasting barrage of anti-aircraft fire from Dutch guns and new British-made cannon, which gave the Japanese an explosive welcome. At least one bomber was shot down and others were damaged.

One other bomber was listed as "probably" shot down last night near Malang, in Eastern Java. Batavia, the capital, was bombed for the first time Sunday. It was permitted to be disclosed today, but little damage was done. Two previous raids on the Batavia area had been directed mainly at outlying airports.

The governor-general, A. W. L. Tjarda van Starkenborgh Stachouwer, reiterated an appeal for reinforcements, saying in a broadcast declaration that "additions to our equipment would still be welcome." Stachouwer urged the men of the N. E. I. armed forces and civilians, particularly in Java, to stand firm in the "hard fight that is ahead of us."

"We will fight with all the power in us," the governor added. The representative of Queen Wilhelmina in the Orient, whose five-year term as head man of the East Indies was extended indefinitely last September because of the Japanese danger, told the beleaguered islanders that there is on Java a strong army with an air force and that the Dutch fleet fights on "the offensive principle."

Proof that the Belgians can take it was found at Brussels, Belgium, where the Germans having seized all horses, a farmer pulling his own cart wore a placard on his chest reading: "Since the birth of the 'New Order' I have become a horse."

Dublin's population has increased from 290,638 to 532,800 since 1901

'LEGAL HOLIDAY'



On the ninth floor of the County-City Building today there was a "legal holiday," declared by County Commissioner Archie E. Phelps, a sponsor of the candidacy of J. D. (Dan) Hunt for mayor. Here Elna Parker, a switchboard operator, points to the sign proclaiming the holiday.

'Sub's' Attack on Oil Field First Shot at U. S. Mainland

By Associated Press. SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Feb. 24.—An enemy submarine fired its reply to President Roosevelt's war address in the very middle of his chat last night—25 shells badly aimed toward an oil field and refinery near Goleta, seven miles north of here.

Witnesses said the shells, presumably of the shrapnel type, exploded large volumes of dirt from beaches and pastures, frightened horses into screaming madly—but hit only one well. The pumping plant and derrick of that well were damaged. However, no fires were started. No one was killed or injured.

It was the first attack upon United States soil in this war, although Japanese submarines off the Pacific Coast and German submarines off the Atlantic Coast have sunk some ships and damaged others. Once before, in the First World War, a German submarine disguised as a freighter shelled the mainland in an attack on a tug and a string of barges off Orleans, Mass. Only casualty was a helmsman, who lost part of a hand. One of the shells whistled 3 miles inland to the Tecolote Ranch, where it exploded. Another cleared the highway and burst in foothills. Others fell short, on the beach.

The coast was blacked out at 8 p. m. from Goleta 25 miles south to Carpinteria. Radar only was allowed in the remainder of Southern California. The all-clear was given at 12:12 a. m. Several flares were sighted just off the coast during the blackout.

The Los Angeles district press-relations office of the 11th Naval District made public the following account of the shelling, obtained from S. W. Borden, superintendent of the Bankline Oil Company at Ellwood, near Goleta:

"At 7:10 p. m. one large submarine came to the surface about one mile off shore and fired approximately 25 shells from a deck gun. One direct hit reached one well, causing minor damage to the pumping unit and derrick. "There were several close misses on a crude-oil storage tank and a gasoline plant. Apparently no damage was caused by these shells. A complete survey of the grounds has not been made and there may have been superficial damage. Whatever other damage is disclosed will not be extensive. "No fires were started as a result of the firing. No tanks were hit. From fragments of shell found and marks on the ground it is believed a 4- or 5-inch gun was used. The firing was done leisurely, apparently only one gun being used. It required about 25 minutes to fire the shells. "The War Department communique said two 5-inch guns were fired."

Submarine Big G. O. Brown, an oil worker off duty, said the submarine was only a mile offshore and "so big I thought it might be a destroyer or cruiser. I have seen many submarines and this was larger than any of those in the United States Navy that I have seen."

At midnight, shortly before the "all-clear" sounded, the Ventura sheriff's office arrested four Japanese and an Italian. Sergt. Leslie Williams said the Italian and two Japanese were driving about the city, despite a ban on traffic in blackouts. He said they were armed. The two other Japanese were questioned because they had been near Goleta about the time of the attack. They said they were driving from San Luis Obispo to Los Angeles, where they were produce merchants, and knew nothing of the shelling.

Astoria Blacks Out Without Incident ASTORIA, Or., Feb. 24.—(UP)—The Oregon coast received an order of alert last night and this town at the mouth of the Columbia River blacked out.

The alert followed by several hours the submarine shelling near Santa Barbara. After 45 minutes without incident the "all-clear" was sounded.

Second Interceptor Command headquarters in Seattle said the blackout was not ordered, but Neil Morfart, head of the defense coun-

AGED AND INFIRM ALIENS TO STAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 24.—(AP)—A last-minute order to permit aged and bed-ridden enemy aliens to remain in prohibited zones was issued today, less than 38 hours before the midnight deadline set for the evacuation of 8,000 aliens from strategic zones.

Wallace Howland, assistant alien coordinator for the Far West, announced that Lieut. Gen. J. L. DeWitt, western defense commander, had approved three exceptions to the evacuation order. Hereafter there were no exemptions for any reason.

Those who will be permitted to remain are persons in hospitals or approved sanitariums; aliens producing doctors' certificates showing it would endanger their lives to be moved; and elderly persons who can produce reasonable evidence they are more than 75 years old.

The order was issued as a continual stream of enemy aliens, mostly Italians, trekked into the U. S. attorney's office seeking permits to travel or permits to work in restricted zones during the curfew hours of 9 p. m. to 6 a. m. The curfew regulations, covering nearly a fourth of California, go into effect tonight.

Forty-six military zones throughout the West are to be completely evacuated of Japanese, German and Italian nationals. In the curfew areas, some extending inland as far as Sacramento—100 miles—all aliens must be in their homes by 9 p. m. unless they obtain special permits for night work.

Move Japs Quickly, Calif. Solon Urges

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—(AP)—Representative Elliott, Democrat, California, told the House today that "we must move the Japanese in this country into a concentration camp somewhere, some place, and do it damn quickly."

Elliott referred to the submarine which attempted to shell an oil refinery on the West Coast last night, and shouted:

"Don't kid yourselves and don't let someone tell you there are good Japs. Perhaps, one out of 1,000 ... Here his time expired. Representative Leland M. Ford, Republican, California, said that newspaper accounts told how signals were made from the hills and said: "All Japs should be removed from areas where they can signal the submarines."

Japanese Are Ready to Obey Moving Order

The Japanese community in Seattle is prepared to "obey orders" if its evacuation is required, but, if evacuated, the Japanese would prefer to be moved inland by "communities" in order not to disturb their normal ways of living. James Y. Sakamoto, Japanese-American leader, said here today.

"We want to remain here and not leave other Americans to fight for our homes," Sakamoto said, "but if we are to be evacuated, we will obey orders."

"It would be best if we could be moved by communities, so that wherever we go we can operate gardens, build factories or perform any tasks as a unit."

In case of evacuation, Sakamoto said, the Japanese would ask for competent custodians to give suitable care of property left behind.

ARMY HALTS POWER STRIKE

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24.—(AP)—At the demand of the War Department, 350 maintenance and construction employees of the Union Electric Company of Missouri returned to work today after a brief sit-down strike at three generating plants of the utility.

The Army's demand, relayed through the Washington representative of the A. F. of L. Operating Engineers' Union, proposed arbitration of the dispute with the company over two nonunion employees at the plant at Venice, Ill. The strike also affected the St. Louis County Gas Company—an affiliate of the \$250,000,000 utility. None of the operating engineers joined the 350 strikers, and power production was not affected.

F. R.'s Report Cuts Losses At Pearl Harbor

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's report on Pearl Harbor last night indicated American losses considerably lower than the previous official totals. Here is the comparison:

Table comparing ship losses: F.D.R. report vs. Previous official totals. Categories include Ships lost, Men killed, Men wounded.

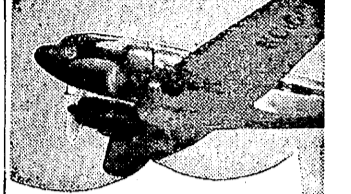
Secretary Knox's report had said that the Navy lost the battleship Arizona, the target ship Utah, the destroyers Cassin, Downes and Shaw and the minesweeper Oglaia. This last was reduced by one when the Shaw was reclaimed and reached the West Coast under her own power for repairs.

The President did not indicate which two of the remaining five vessels might also be restored to service.

Paper for Yanks In Java Makes Bow

BANDOENG, N. E. I., Feb. 24.—(AP)—"Ten Shun" an English-language newspaper for United States and British troops in the Dutch East Indies, made its appearance here today. Its first editorial cited the gallant stand of Gen. Douglas MacArthur and his men on the Batjan Peninsula as an example for the forces defending the Indies.

A xylophone consisting of carefully tuned pieces of rock has been constructed by a Connecticut scientist.



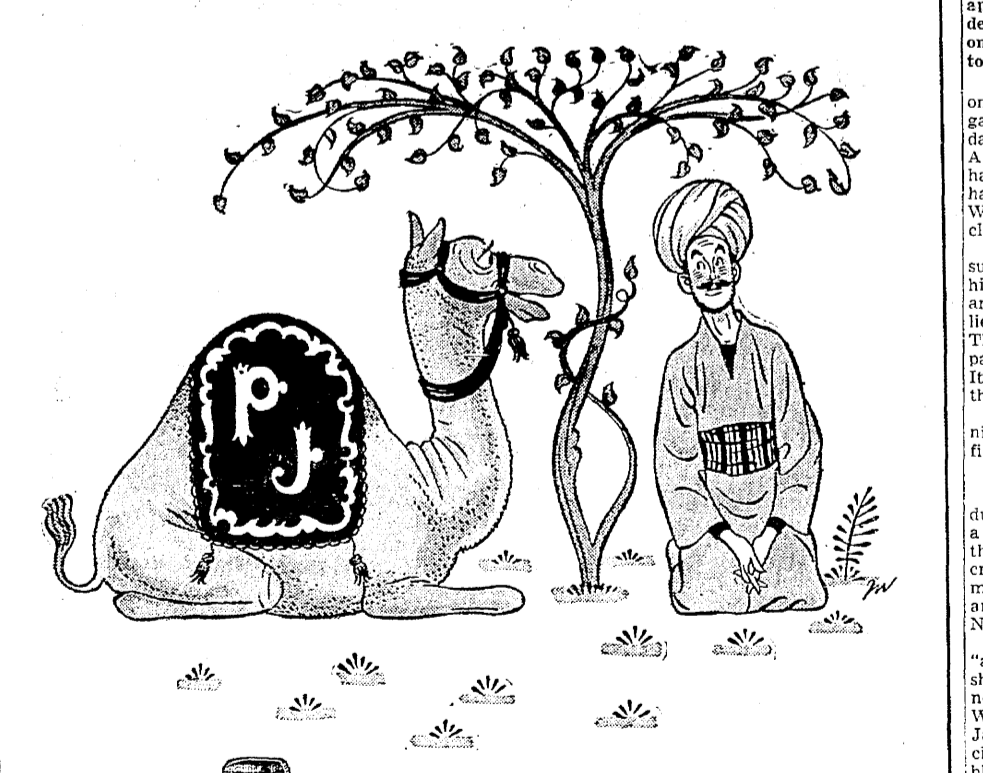
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