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## NAVY CROSS FOR 'PT' SKIPPER



IN BOSTON YESTERDAY—Rear Adm. Wilson Brown (left), commandant of the 1st Naval District, presented the Navy Cross to Lieut. Robert B. Kelly, 29 years old, a New York resident, for

heroism in the Philippines last April, when he pressed home a torpedo attack on a Japanese light cruiser with his "PT" boat. All hands of the "PT" boat were wounded or killed.—A. P. wirephoto.

## Suspect



IN SAN FRANCISCO—Police Inspector Frank Ahern said that a man (above) who identified himself as James A. Boyd, 59 years old, made a voluntary statement that he had killed K. Norman Redwood, powerful business agent of the Compressed Air Workers' Union of New York, in 1937. Boyd was being held with no charges against him.—A. P. wirephoto.

## MAE WEST GETS DIVORCE FROM WALLACE



IN LOS ANGELES TODAY—Frank Wallace (left), one-time vaudeville partner of Mae West (right), withdrew his suit for \$1,000 monthly separate maintenance and the court granted Mae a divorce.



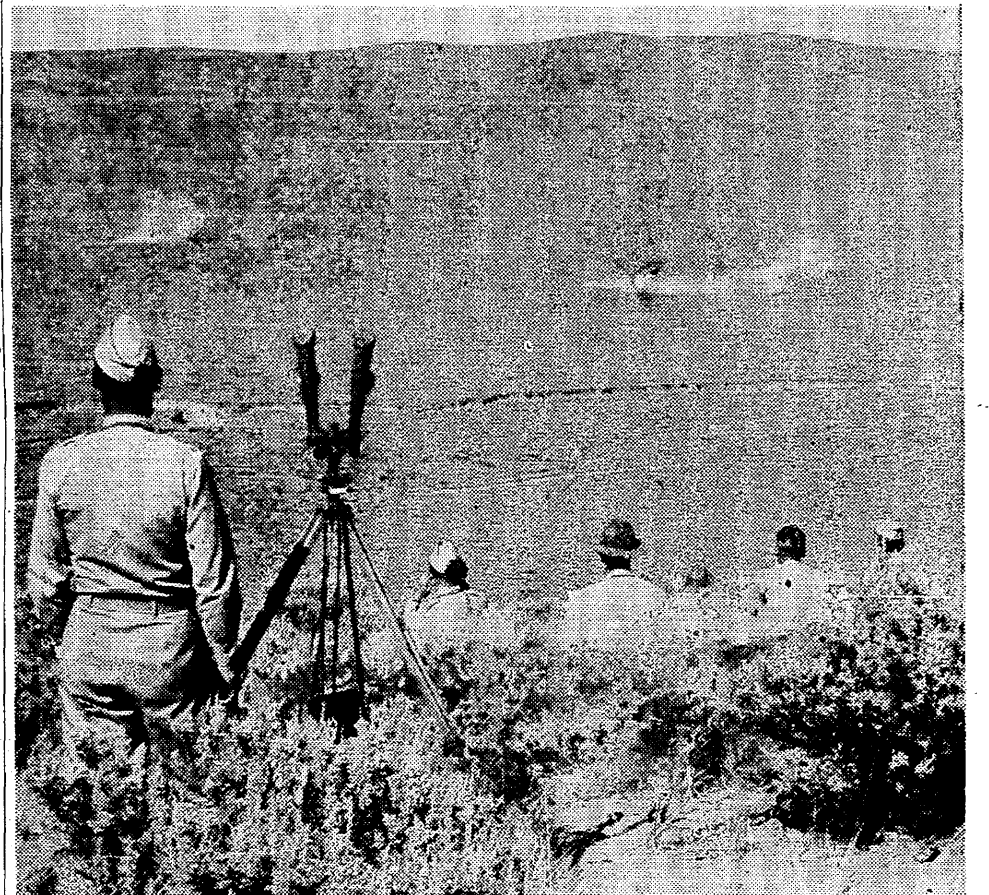
decreed. Miss West's attorney said a minor property settlement had been made with Wallace. In court with Wallace was his present dancing partner, Trixie LaFae.—A. P. wirephoto.

## NETHERLANDS QUEEN REVIEWS U. S. TROOPS



IN FORT DEVENS, MASS., YESTERDAY—Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands, with Maj. Gen. Sherman Miles (right), reviewed United States Army troops on the parade grounds on a visit to New England. The Dutch queen still heads her government, though Holland is now occupied by Nazis.—A. P. wirephoto.

## BIG GUNS BOOM ON DESERT RANGE



On a 200 square mile firing range in Eastern Washington, big 105 and 155-mm. howitzers are blasting away in desert-like atmosphere where the thermometer frequently climbs to the 125-degree mark. Battalions send barrages at a retreating army of bewildered jackrabbits. In this picture, shells burst in the valley while officers study the firing accuracy.

## 'SHOT' FOR W. A. A. C.



IN FORT DES MOINES YESTERDAY—Gladys Marson of Los Angeles was among the first of the W. A. A. C. members to be inoculated for typhoid as training-school induction began. Holding her arm is Col. Thomas E. Harwood and the Army nurse is 2nd Lieut. Theresa E. Seck.—A. P. wirephoto.

## HOUSEWIVES KNIT AND CROCHET, WAIT PATIENTLY FOR SUGAR



Crochet and knitting needles flashed busily this forenoon as Seattle housewives waited outside sugar-rationing boards, where they "checked in" hours ahead of time to be early in line to apply for rationing sugar. Shown here are (left to right): Mrs. Karl Martinson, 2508 N. 60th St.; Mrs. Robert Younger, 1819 N. 55th St.; Mrs. Max Soot, 2216 N. 60th St., and Mrs. Peter VanderHoek, 6103 Meridian Ave.



Three hours before the rationing board opened at North 73rd Street and Aurora Avenue yesterday there were this many men and women sprawled on the lawn or seated on appleboxes and other makeshift chairs waiting for sugar applications to be accepted at 1 o'clock.

## Daughter Is Born To Ethel Merman

NEW YORK, July 21.—(AP)—A daughter was born yesterday at Doctors' Hospital to the former Ethel Merman, stage and screen actress, and Robert D. Leavitt, a former executive of The New York Journal-American. Miss Merman's most recent ap-

## Strong Earthquake Is Felt in Lima, Peru

LIMA, Peru, July 21.—(AP)—A strong earth tremor was felt in Lima today at 4:10 a. m. No damage or casualties were reported.

## Post-War Removal Of Japs Is Urged

SACRAMENTO, July 21.—(AP)—The post-war removal of all Japanese from the United States, a proposal made by the Native Sons of the Golden West, was endorsed by the 6th District of the American Legion. At their convention here, 200

## Russ Rout Convoy Landing

MOSCOW, July 21.—(AP)—A Soviet coastal battery on the Northern Karolinian sector has repulsed a German landing attempt by a convoy of 11 ships, a dispatch from that sector said today.

## Soap Firms Plead Innocent

BOSTON, July 21.—(AP)—Three Procter and Gamble soap companies and eight individuals pleaded innocent in Federal Court yesterday to indictments charging use of the mails to defraud and conspiracy to steal trade secrets from the Lever Brothers Company of Cambridge. The cases all were continued 29 days to allow for filing of special pleas.

## 4 Siamese Kittens Born to Alley Cat

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 21.—(AP)—Brownie, a gray alley cat, gave birth to four kittens joined together. Brownie and her siamese quadruplets are doing quite nicely, thank you, although the kittens have to be fed by bottle.