

AXIS COMMANDS VAST MANPOWER

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Chicago Daily News Foreign Service MOSCOW, Sept. 24.—Behind the German armies' shattering breakthrough to the edges of the Lower Volga and the Caspian Sea, there are a great many tremendously important facts. Here are a few of them:

The Soviet Union today has been reduced to a population of approximately 110,000,000. It is some 20,000,000 smaller in manpower than the United States. Greater Germany, Slovakia, Hungary, Rumania, Bulgaria, Italy and Finland have a combined population of more than 170,000,000. And Franco's pro-Nazi Spain and the Axis marshal some 192,000,000 of population on Continental Europe—or more than 80,000,000 of manpower reserves above what the Soviet Union possesses today.

The combined populations of Occupied France, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway, Greece, Yugoslavia and Poland total 110,000,000. That is terrific, but still is only a fraction of the story. The Nazis also have subjugated 5,500,000 in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania. And in White Russia, the Ukraine, the Don regions and the North Caucasus, it is now estimated, conservatively, that Germany's war machine has gained domination over another 60,000,000 people. In fact, some estimates exceed the figure of 70,000,000.

Add up these figures and bear witness that from Norway and Europe's Atlantic coastline to the Caspian Sea, the total population of countries and territories occupied by the Axis armies is at least 175,000,000 human beings. Thus, without counting the inhabitants of Germany and her seven Axis satellite partners, Hitler's legions today hold in subjugation as many people as the combined total populations of Great Britain and the United States.

To get the grand total of populations dominated by Hitler's war machine, now is a simple matter. The combined populations of all Nazi-occupied countries and territories, and of Germany and her seven satellite allies amount to no less than 367,000,000 human beings. This is more than one-sixth of the entire human race.

If Germany gets vast quantities of food and oil from her Russian conquests, what will this dominated manpower of 367,000,000 mean? In order to capitalize on Russia's enormous wheat, corn, and vegetable-growing lands, and in order to produce and transport huge amounts of gasoline, how can the Nazis use manpower reserves drawn from 175,000,000 people in occupied countries?

Obviously, only a small percentage of these scores of millions want to work for the Nazis and their eternal enslavement. But all through this winter and next spring and summer, they will be given the choice, "starve or obey." Germany's warlords and conquerors must have crops and oil. The slaves must be mobilized as never before—and they will be.

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Dreiser Calls Self 'Victim Of Four Freedoms'

PORT HURON, Mich., Sept. 24.—(AP)—Theodore Dreiser, American novelist, who was barred from making public speeches or statements in Canada this week because of remarks the Canadian government said were anti-British, described himself here today as "the No. 1 victim of the four freedoms."

Dreiser made this statement to a newsman who encountered him on a street corner shortly before the novelist left for Detroit.

The novelist came here after a scheduled address in Toronto was canceled when he was quoted in a Toronto newspaper as saying that "I would rather see the Germans in England than those damn aristocratic, horse-riding snobs there now."

Asked to comment on the Canadian ban, Dreiser said he had nothing to say. Of newspaper editorials regarding the Canadian episode, the author said, "I don't give a damn about those comments. I've been getting them all my life."

Lens in Spotter's Telescope Stolen

Harry Weingarten, chief observer of the airplane spotters in the Northern Life Towers reported to police yesterday, the lens from telescope used by his spotters had been stolen some time since September 7.

Detectives today were seeking the thief.

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Strolling Around the Town

There are days when The Stroller can't make a dime. Take for example the case of Sgt. Bill Wingate (or Wingett), of Fort Lewis. Max Person, of 4316 Corliss Ave., had written to tell the story of a soldier he had picked up between Tacoma and Buckley. Person reported that the story told him by the soldier was unusual and interesting.

He was fresh from the South, it seems, and his parents had separated when he was very young, and he had come to believe that his mother was dead. Not long ago he received a letter which had been mailed in Canada by a woman whose name was wholly unfamiliar.

He opened the letter, read it, and fell in a faint.

Reviving, he examined the letter again, discovering that it was from his mother, whom for 21 years he had considered dead. She had found him by appealing to Uncle Sam in the belief that if he were still alive, he would be in the armed forces as he was 23 years of age.

Well, the story did interest The Stroller. He called Person, who, after a lapse of a week or two, returned from a trip to Fort Lewis to report that the soldier's name was Bill Wingate and that he was a sergeant.

Eager for still more detail, The Stroller wrote to Fort Lewis. In due time, back came a letter.

His name, the soldier said, was spelled Wingett. He didn't quite get the drift of the query, but he would be glad to help out. If The Stroller had reference to a reunion with his family, he wanted to state that there had been none and never would be one. If, however, The Stroller meant the recent reunion with his mother, brothers and sisters, he would happily furnish the complete story.

The Stroller replied, declaring he was extremely anxious to get the complete story.

The next letter, in its identifying Red Cross envelope which was stamped Camp Stoneman, California.

He had left his home, Sergeant Wingett wrote, 20 years ago, and had seen his mother only once in the last 18 years. The reunion had been extremely happy. He had met people he hadn't seen for 31 years.

"Thirty-one years! The Stroller looked again. That was right. Also, Wingett's home was not in the South, but in Spokane, Wash. Also, Wingett had served in the First World War, and had two grown sons in the service.

The full and complete story of Sgt. Bill Wingate is still a mystery to The Stroller.

These Wingettes—and Wingetts—certainly do get around.

Mrs. Margaret Erickson, 610 Summit Ave. N., believes the people of the Broadway district are the finest in the world. She had to lose \$100 to find it out, she says, but it was worth it.

The money which was in an envelope containing identifying letters, slipped from her hand as she was getting into an automobile a week ago Saturday.

The money was returned promptly to her by Harry A. Shimmin, Edison School instructor, who found it. With the \$15 reward Mrs. Erickson insisted on paying him, Shimmin promised to buy war-savings stamps for his daughter.

A friend of The Stroller's tells this story about his wife (it's really true, although she hates to admit it):

The irate young housewife was trying to get her two children off to school. A third and younger child was yelling for his breakfast. Finally his cereal was ready, and the young housewife shoved a spoonful toward his open mouth.

But he continued to yell. After several seconds had elapsed, the young mother came to her senses. She was shoving food into the teakettle spout!

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Aid Group to Hear Of Chest Campaign

Dr. Minnie Hill, member of the speakers' bureau of the Civilian War Commission, will address the Washington Aid to Dependent Children Unions at 1 o'clock tomorrow in Room 404, Bay Building, First Avenue and University Street. She will describe purposes of the Seattle-King County War Chest and answer questions concerning price control and other phases of the war effort.

Britain is rationing liquid soap.

Photographers' Aid Enlisted In Home-Front Job

A call to all amateur photographers in the Pacific Northwest to mobilize for war work on the home front has been issued by officers of the Washington Council of Camera Clubs, about to open its first convention in Seattle.

At least 200 delegates are expected to attend the convention, which opens Saturday afternoon at the Seattle Art Museum.

A feature will be the first annual salon exhibit at the museum of 40 original prints of the great photographers of the world. This collection is loaned by Don Lovings of Chicago.

Following a banquet at the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, delegates will view a special exhibit of the Seattle Photographic Society in club quarters on Queen Anne Hill. A camera party will follow, with 12 directors in charge of sets that will be photographed by competing artists.

Army, Navy and Red Cross personnel will be on hand to serve as models for the poster-type pictures that will be a feature of wartime photography. The national Red Cross is offering more than \$5,000 in prizes to amateurs in a nation-wide competition.

Trial Set for Jap In Evacuation Case

United States District Judge Lloyd L. Black today set for October 20 the trial of Gordon Hirabayashi, 24-year-old American-born Japanese, and University of Washington student, accused of refusing to obey evacuation orders of the Army.

The student was chairman of a "conscientious objectors' group" when he attended the University. He contends the military order is a denial to American citizens the civil liberties to which they are entitled.

Chamber to Present Sailor Who Saw War

The Seattle Chamber of Commerce will present Chief Pharmacist's Mate Russell P. Daniels at tomorrow's Community Council luncheon. Daniels saw action in several battles in the Pacific. While stationed aboard a destroyer in one battle, he suffered a broken eardrum and now is stationed at the Naval Hospital here.

Peanuts are being produced at a 155 per cent increase over 1941 in the United States, because of their use both for their food and oil.



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Hi-Ho Crackers lb. 19c

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Tomato Soup ... 2/15c

Safe for fine linens—large
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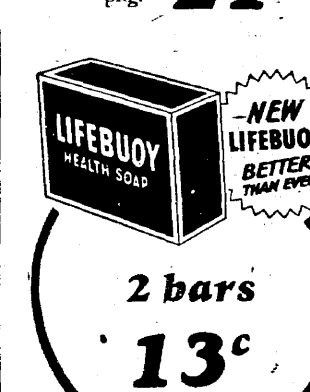
Makes mirrors sparkle—10-oz.
20-Mule Borax, 2/19c

Leaves hands clean and smooth
Boraxo ... tin 14c

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