

Council President Urges Speedy Reconversion

Little Steel Rule Bent, Not Broken

WASHINGTON (FP)—Here are the highlights of the new reconversion policies touching labor as announced by Pres. Harry S. Truman Aug. 16:

LITTLE STEEL

The presidential order bends, but does not break the formula. Under his authorization, the Natl. War Labor Board is now given power to approve voluntary wage increases if no price relief is sought by the employer.

Wage increases requiring price relief must continue to be passed upon by the board. But the unions may offer evidence to show the profit condition of the employer and the effect of the cost of living on the worker, none of which were permitted under the old ruling.

CONFERENCE

Truman will call a joint labor-management conference in Washington soon after Congress reconvenes Sept. 5. He hopes to offer a proposal for the peaceful settlement of disputes without resort to strikes or lockouts. Pending agreement on some plan, the WLB is continued temporarily and the president asks labor and management to continue their no-strike, no-lockout pledge and to continue to comply, voluntarily, with WLB directives.

Letter Swings Workers Away From Union

Though the union lost in an election June 11 at Wohler's Corp. to determine whether the UAW-CIO would represent the employees, the union will have another chance.

A recent ruling of the NLRB threw out the election because of illegal interference from management, said George Nadar, international representative.

The company, just before the election, sent a letter to each employee which had asked:

Don't you feel that the fair

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Company Cut Wages, But Workers Kept No-Strike Pledge—Would You?



—Federated Pictures

"We Kept Our No-Strike Pledge—Would You?" reads a sign carried by these pickets, members of United Farm Equipment and Metal Workers, CIO, International Harvester Co. employees picket War Labor Board offices in Chicago to protest the board's failure to take action against company wage-cutting policies.

Timekeepers Still Waiting For Election

A letter of protest at government delay in announcing an NLRB election for Oldsmobile timekeepers was written this week by UAW-CIO Intl. Rep. Lyle Stone of Lansing to Frank Bowen, regional director of the National Labor Relations Board.

It was pointed out that the petition requesting collective bargaining and a union for the timekeepers had been filed May 2. Nearly two months later, June 25, a hearing was held in Lansing to determine who would be classed as timekeepers.

Nothing further has been heard from the government. Meanwhile timekeepers nearly every day ask members of the organizing committee why there is no election.

It is recalled that when the timekeepers previously petitioned the NLRB a year elapsed

Lansing Enters Drive Against Fascist Spain

Lansing labor this week began cooperation with a national campaign to break diplomatic and commercial relations with Franco's fascist Spain, said R. E. Richardson, president of Olds Local 652, who heads the local drive for membership in the American Committee for Spanish Freedom.

Richardson said he was in direct contact with the committee's New York offices at 55 West 42nd street. He said Lansing union members and others would be asked to sign a petition urging passage in Congress of House Resolution 312, intro-

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before the election, during which time a third of the time-keeping personnel had been replaced, which, along with loss of interest due to the long delay, lost the election by a small margin.

To Present Many Prizes On Labor Day

Arrangements are progressing rapidly for a huge Labor Day celebration in Lansing with a big parade of colorful floats, bands, etc., a dance, dozens of prizes and free gifts and other features, said Clyde Perkins, president of the CIO Council.

One feature will be the selection of a Labor Day queen. The dance, planned as a gala affair, will be at the Armory.

Among prizes to be given to lucky ticket holders are the following:

- One Shetland pony
- One \$100 bond
- One \$50 bond
- Two \$25 bonds
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- One \$25 credit for men
- One \$50 credit for women
- One \$25 credit for women

Door prizes at the dance are to be two \$25 war bonds and two or more bundle prizes.

Each local or parts of locals (buildings, departments, units, etc.) are requested to stage an initial contest for a Labor Day Queen, such queen to be chosen at the rate of 10c per vote; such funds collected to be the property of the local or as decided by the local.

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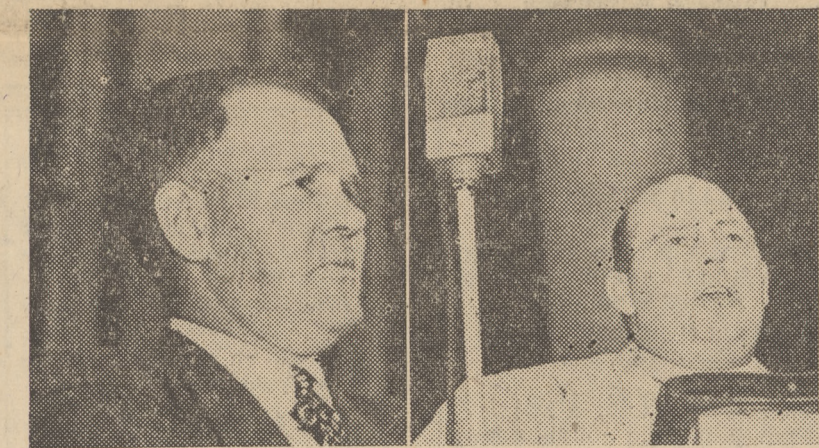
Conventions For Labor Predicted

Among the interesting possibilities arising from Victory over Japan is that both the AFL and CIO will hold their war-postponed conventions before December.

Although official comment for publication was lacking, one high source in CIO said of the convention outlook that "it is a prospect we certainly shall consider."

In addition to other matters, reconversion, wage policies, unemployment and social security problems have gained new significance since V-J day. Broad programs such as these generally call for convention sanction.

They Voiced Lansing's Protest At Slash In Take-Home Pay



Shown above as they were telling a Lansing rally on the Capitol lawn August 12 that the "Little Steel" formula must be broken and take-home pay increased if workers were to survive on 40 hours a week take-home pay at less than pre-war rates after war-time income taxes are deducted are, top, George F. Addes, secretary-treasurer of the UAW-CIO; lower left, Don Falor, sub-regional director in Lansing, and right, Lyle "Rocky" Stone, international representative in Lansing. Though the meeting did not draw a huge crowd, it was part of a nation-wide campaign of similar meetings on the same day, which added up to a gigantic protest in Washington and was instrumental in obtaining immediate modification of the "Little Steel" formula when the war ended.

Atkinson in Texas

Robert Atkinson, former vice-president of Olds Local 652, is now stationed at Sheppard Field, Texas, where he is classified as radio operator mechanic and gunner.

Auxiliary No. 76

Next meeting of the Olds Local Auxiliary No. 76 will be Sept. 6, it is announced.

— BUY WAR BONDS —

Calls Upon Government For Action

By CLYDE E. PERKINS
President Lansing CIO Council

With the ending of the war and all its miseries and misunderstandings, it is the hope of the writer that along with military peace we shall also have industrial and economic peace.

However, the outlook is not bright on a national scale and in our own community of Lansing the possibility of social problems as a result of job dislocation is not a matter to be lightly dismissed.

The real question then is, "Where are those laid off going to get their income from to maintain their homes and families?"

In Lansing I believe, it will be possible to absorb possibly 25 or 30 per cent of these people. However, the continuance of that program necessarily is subject to the opening up of jobs for the other 70 or 75 per cent.

If the leaders of this nation will even at this late date make speedy plans for reconversion and continually place responsibility for the national welfare of workers on the shoulders of our government, the national picture

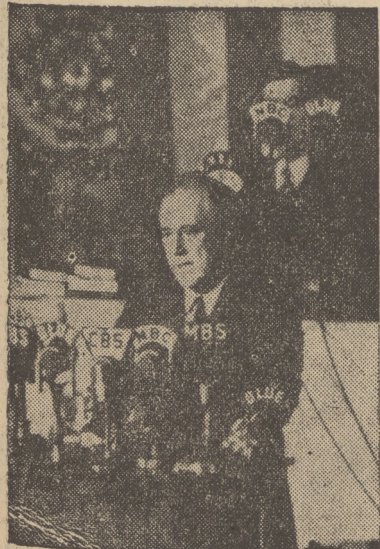
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Lansing Man Reelected To National Post

A Lansing man, James A. Bowden, of Olds Local 652, was elected president of the National Skilled Trades Council of the UAW-CIO for the second consecutive year at a meeting in Toronto, Aug. 3, by delegates from affiliated councils in the United States and Canada.

Bowden is a past president of the Michigan Skilled Trades Council and has served two years on the GM staff of the UAW-CIO. In the Olds local he also has a record of labor activity which includes having been chairman of the top bargaining committee.

News Photo Highlights In The Fall Of A Greedy, Anti-Labor Military Empire — Japan



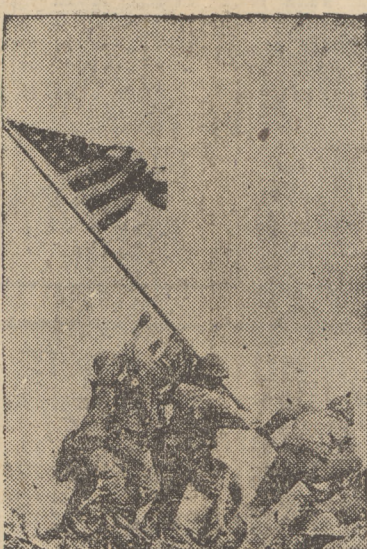
Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, swept the U. S. into war. On Dec. 8 declaration of war was signed. Here, in State of the Union address to 78th Congress, the late President Roosevelt pledges that the Axis powers will be crushed.



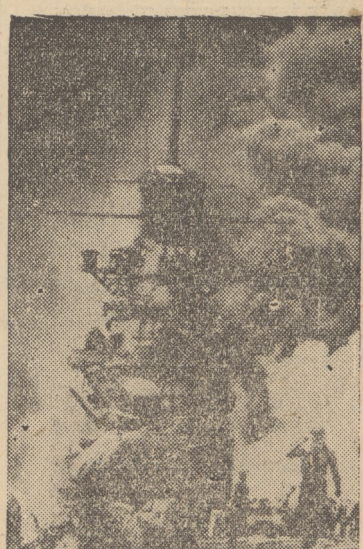
Americans fought back hard but Japanese had planned carefully and they had pretty much their own way in the first phase of the Pacific war. Symbol of early American defeats is the death march from Corregidor. Hands raised, U. S. prisoners are herded by Japanese over many miles to prison camps.



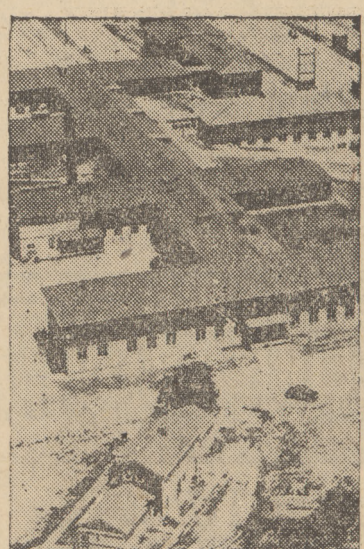
The Burma road — lifeline of China and vital in the battle of supplies. Japanese threw Allied troops out of Burma and completed isolation of Chinese. A new road had to be built by Chinese and Americans through miles of jungle. It was slow work but the Burma route was reopened.



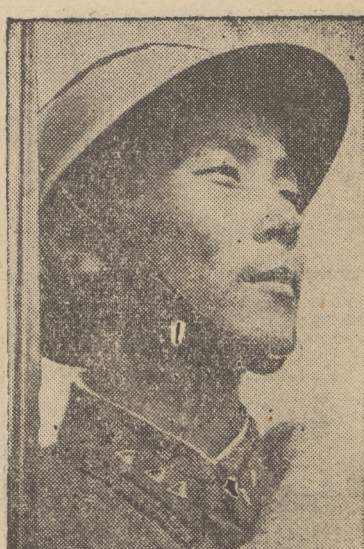
The way to victory was hard but winning of Guadalcanal, New Guinea, the Philippines spelled defeat for Japan. The island jumping which disorganized and drove back Japan, is climaxed by the flag raising at Iwo Jima.



The imperial fleet was wiped out. To combat U. S. sea power, Japanese organized attacks of suicide bombers like the one above. Crew of USS Bunker Hill fights to control flames where suicide plane crashed into flight deck.



Steady raids of B-29s were battering Japan's war industries. The empire was tottering. A surprise weapon, the atomic bomb, destroyed 60 per cent of the industrial city of Hiroshima — and Japanese morale. Above, the plant at Oak Ridge, Tenn., where part of secret bomb project is located.



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Two days after the Hiroshima attack a second atomic bomb struck Japan. Russia declared war. Soviet soldiers like the one above, a Korean in the Far Eastern army, made tremendous gains in enemy-held Manchuria. Faced with certain defeat, Japan surrendered.

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Conquer Unemployment Or Be Destroyed—Reed

By H. DEAN REED
Lansing PAC Director

Many of us woke up Wednesday morning August 15th, with a hangover and found we had no jobs. Our government had cancelled most of its war contracts. It is estimated that we will have 13,000,000 unemployed. If we have that amount of unemployed for any length of time, it will be an absolute disgrace to this country.

Re-employment, as everyone knows, is our main problem. Our failure to provide an adequate post war program brings

us to a crisis fully as important as that which faced us at the time of Pearl Harbor. We are on the threshold of economic chaos simply because our congressmen wanted a vacation

and did not take care of such emergency measures as adequate unemployment compensation, reconversion, full employment, Fair Employment Practices Committee, anti-poll tax bill and a 65 cent minimum wage bill.

The United States has never solved the problem of unemployment; whether we will now, God only knows. I for one, and every other American, sincerely hope that we will.

We will have a partial boom due to civilian buying. Practically every family needs new washing machines, refrigerators, automobiles, radios and many other articles, but we have to have jobs. We have to conquer unemployment or it will destroy us.

Peace Holiday Stops Labor News

The welcome two-day holiday celebrating the war's end last week closed the Campus Press, East Lansing, where the Lansing Labor News is printed and prevented publishing a paper last Thursday.

Distribution to very many readers would have been impossible anyway, since mailing plates were not yet ready and the factories had closed, preventing handing them out at the gates.

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Senate Finds Wages Too Low

10 Million Underpaid In America

By IRVING RICHTER
Intl. Leg. Rep. UAW-CIO

A recent Senate report entitled "Substandard Wages" blows sky-high the widespread propaganda about high wages. The report was prepared by a sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Education and Labor.

2,000,000 GETTING UNDER 40c AN HOUR

Here are some of the facts it brings to light. More than 2,000,000 workers—not counting domestics or professional workers—are earning less than 40 cents an hour.

Actually, as I have learned from my own field investigations for the U. S. Department of Labor, this estimate understates the number working for less than 40 cents an hour. It does NOT include, for example, those employed by firms who are violating the 40 cent minimum wage, and who falsify

their books to conceal such violations.

OVER A THIRD OF WORKERS UNDER 65c

All official government wage statistics are based on wage records submitted by employers. No employer will submit wage figures to admit a violation of the Federal law. BUT EVEN THE OFFICIAL AVAILABLE FIGURES SHOW THAT 10 MILLION, OR MORE THAN ONE-THIRD OF ALL WORKERS, RECEIVE LESS THAN SIXTY-FIVE CENTS AN HOUR.

Such earnings, according to the report, are insufficient "to provide adequate sustenance". The report cites the cost of living budget prepared by the Heller Committee (University of California) which estimates the cost of living at a "health and decency standard" for a family of four at \$2,964. This would require earnings of \$1.42 an hour.

SURVEY SHOWED 78c MINIMUM NEEDED

Actually the 10 million workers who are earning less than 65 cents an hour are living below an EMERGENCY LEVEL, ac-

cording to a recent survey of the Textile Workers Union of America, verified by the U. S. Bureau of Statistics, which showed that in the early part of 1944 an emergency level of living required the equivalent of 78 cents an hour.

The human element in such sweat-shop wages is shown by quotations in the report from various workers who earn less than 65 cents an hour. Said one woman employed in an Indiana canning factory at 50 cents an hour, "My oldest son, 15, just had an appendix operation. It was urgent. We did not have money to pay for it. The doctor was kind enough to say he would go ahead and do it and let us pay it out later. The cost was \$180. We are still paying on that."

CAN INCREASE WAGES WITHOUT RAISING PRICES

The Senators signing the report represent both parties and are from all sections of the country. They include:

Claude Pepper (D. Fla.)
Elbert D. Thomas (D. Utah)
James M. Tunnell (D. Dela.)
Robert M. LaFollette, Jr. (Prog. Wis.)

George D. Aiken (R. Vt.)

The Senators unanimously recommend that the Congress instruct the War Labor Board to consider as substandard any hourly wage rate below 65 cents an hour. They show very clearly that profits would permit raising these 10 million workers to 65 cents an hour without any rise in prices.

They recommend amending the Fair Labor Standards Act to raise the minimum wage. (Senator Pepper and others have since introduced a bill to raise the minimum wage to 65 cents from the present 40 cents.)

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treatment you have received from the present management indicates your own ability to handle your own affairs?"

This unfairly implied that the workers, sitting in their own union meetings would not be handling their own affairs if organized.

A majority had signed up before the election, Nadar said, but were apparently fooled by the misleading statement in the letter. He said another election will be requested.

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Polk Company Guarantees An Annual Wage

DETROIT (FP) — What is believed to be the first contract of its kind is the newly signed guaranteed annual wage pack between the Detroit local of the Intl. Typographical Union (AFL) and the R. L. Polk Co., directory publishers in Detroit. It was approved by the union

at its August membership meeting.

The contract guarantees 50 weeks of work at 40 hours a week during the year at the scale. The base rate for the day shift is \$1.61 an hour, for the night shift \$1.69 and for the lobster shift \$1.77, according to V. Pres. K. A. Hull of the union.

It applies to all members with five years seniority at the plant. Most of the employees have at least five years, Hull says. Taking Jan. 1 as the date all but two qualify for the guaranteed year of work. There are now about 80 employed in Polk's composing room.

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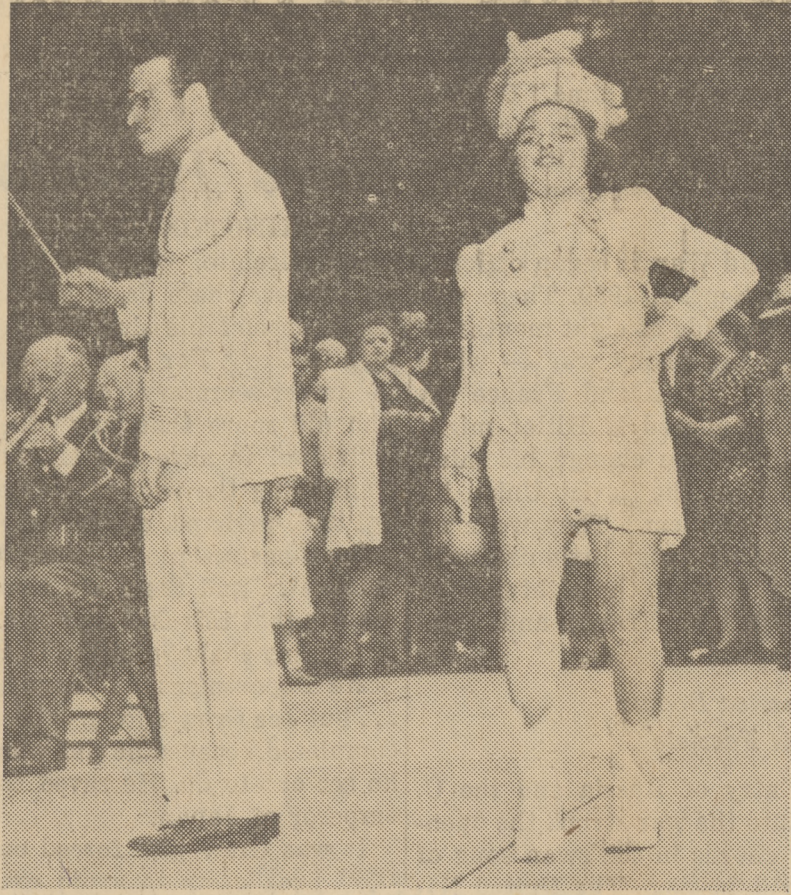
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duced by John M. Coffee (D-Wash.) which reads as follows:

RESOLVED, That we the people of the United States, acting through our elected representatives in the House of Representatives in Washington, urge it upon the President of the United States to preserve our victory over Axis fascism in Europe by immediately breaking all diplomatic and commercial relations with the present Fascist Government of Spain and maintaining the democratic policy of nonrecognition until our earliest European allies of this war, the people of Spain, have once again availed themselves of their God-given right to establish in Spain a friendly government of the people.

Snappy Flint Band Majorette Struts



Norma Jean struts her stuff with the Flint CIO band, while Harold Kennedy, director, waves a baton at the crack musical group, which entertained the crowd at the CIO "Break Little Steel" rally on the Capitol lawn August 12. The band, organized five years ago, numbers 36 musicians, all members of the CIO in Flint. The crowd lingered long after the program to hear the band play.

Here's Unique Prediction of Big Prosperity

WASHINGTON (LPA) — The "United States News", published by ultra-conservative David Lawrence, recently carried a prediction that had government and labor economists laughing out loud.

"At \$120 billion of national income," said the paper, "there will not be 60,000,000 jobs. There will be several million unemployed. Yet, for all but the unemployed, there will be prosperity..."

The logic is fascinating, said one economist. "There'll be jobs except for the jobless, food except for the hungry, homes except for the homeless, clothes except for the naked. The idea that there will be prosperity for everyone save several million unemployed should put to rest any doubts about whether we'll have a healthy economy. Everyone knows that apples are nutritious and with millions of unemployed selling apples on the street corners, how can we help but become a healthy nation?"

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can be much brighter than the dismal outlook of the present.

You who maintain jobs during the bad periods should dispel the thought that your responsibility to those out of work has ended. Your voices must be heard just as emphatically as theirs that "jobs should be provided for all."

Let's be realists rather than individualists and bring the realization of the four freedoms to all workers in the nation.

Give a helping hand and voice to the pleas of your leaders and unfortunate co-workers. Workers can help every day and in many ways to bring jobs to all who wish to work.

This country of ours can be the provider of wealth for a few or prosperity and health for all. Which it shall be will in no small manner be determined by the actual voice and action of those working and those who are unfortunate enough no to wonder, "after this, what?"

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank you as labor friends at Olds and the government girls, Bldg. 75, for your kind sympathies and flowers sent to my husband during his recent sickness and death.

Mrs. Charles E. Perkins



By George R. Nader

Lansing, as every typical American city, has had nothing on its mind but the fact that the war is over, the boys are starting to come back and the world (we hope) will have peace again. No one can deny it is the greatest, the best news, anyone could hope for. It's the news.

In joining my fellow Americans in giving thanks to the Almighty, I hope and pray that it hasn't all been in vain, that the blood and human torture that was incurred will result in a victory for all the people, that the workers of America, whose record on the home front is unparalleled and whose contribution to the fighting front is well known to all of us will win a victory of full employment and a decent standard of living.

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I didn't hear the good news until 10:00 p. m., having been in a meeting, but the town was crazy with joy, and a peaceful typical American celebration was held. It's our hope that this war will end all wars, that humans will raise families for a future world, instead of future gun fodder.

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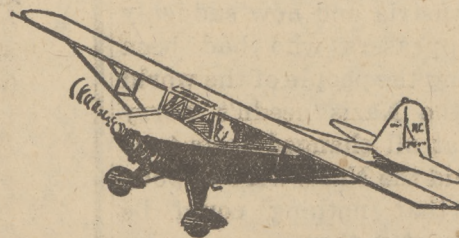
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PRIZES

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Those queens in conformity with the above will be judged in an elimination contest at the dance Labor Day except that the basis of votes shall be 5c per vote and the finances from this collection will be the property of the Lansing CIO Council.

The Entertainment Committee is meeting to decide the award for the winning queen.

A \$25 cash award will be given the Local Union or Unit thereof of having the best band or bands.

A \$25 cash award will be

given the Local Union or Unit also having the best float in the parade. This may be in conjunction with the company or otherwise.

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The the people of the world, the war brought grimness and unforgettable horror. A bleeding Chinese baby cries beside a bombed railroad. An aged French woman searches hopelessly through the ruins of her home. The dead are piled high in a German concentration camp. An American soldier, weary to death, rests and gives thanks that he is alive. (Federated pictures, with soldier photo from Yank).

The Bilbonic Plague in Congress



—Federated Pictures

What kind of a Congress do we have that takes a vacation amidst unfinished labor economy bills and leaves the country on the verge of peacetime unemployment and wage-cut chaos? Well, here is what one member, Senator Theodore Bilbo (D, Miss.) is like — and we hope there aren't more like him.

Joséphine Piccolo, Brooklyn, N. Y., Italian-American girl, is shown above reading an insulting letter from Senator Bilbo addressing her as "My Dear Dago" for protesting his filibuster against FEPC. On her desk is a picture of her three brothers in uniform. One was killed in action. Along with other indignant workers, Miss Piccolo is demanding impeachment of the poll-taxer.

An American soldier, former member of the National Maritime Union, CIO, wrote Senator Bilbo a criticism of his reply to Miss Piccolo when he read about it. Below is shown a facsimile of the answer the Senator sent the soldier.

SENATOR THEODORE BILBO, MISSISSIPPI
OFFICE OF THE SENATOR, U. S. SENATE, WASHINGTON, D. C.
DEAR MISS PICCOLO:
YOUR LETTER OF JULY 19, 1945, HAS JUST BEEN RECEIVED AND I AM SORRY TO HEAR THAT YOUR THREE BROTHERS WERE KILLED IN ACTION. I AM SURE THAT YOU ARE A VERY BRAVE GIRL AND I AM SURE THAT YOU ARE A VERY BRAVE GIRL AND I AM SURE THAT YOU ARE A VERY BRAVE GIRL.

United States Senate
COMMITTEE ON THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
July 23, 1945

Pvt. S. Levine, 35836321
Medical Detachment, Brooke Conv. Hospital
Fort Ben Houston, Texas

Dear Senator—

Your letter of July 19 has just been received and I confess to you that I took time to read the asinine contents of your letter. From your scribbles I get a strong suspicion that you are a "Bovary inmate" from the slum sections of New York City and that you are what is commonly called a "very common" "Wike". Therefore, you do not deserve nor do you merit Senatorial attention.

But you make such an ugly threat until I think I will just try your hand and call you what I think you are—just a sorry, puny, insignificant, uncultured, unrefined, dirty, pusillanimous, timorous, communistic braying jackass. If this does not fit you or does not paint your true picture, then let me know and I will finish the job because I promise you I can do better word painting. I am sure if you want to give publicity to this letter the public generally will recognize your photograph.

But really, I am sorry for you and I suggest that you submit to treatment of just even a second-class psychiatrist.

Yours with much sympathy,

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Jap Surrender Ends 14-Year Bloody March of Fascism

Started With Invasion of China in 1931

The guns are silenced at last in a world at peace for the first time in more than a decade.

Fascism has met its bloody end in the tiny islands of Japan, from which just 14 years ago Japanese war lords sent troops plundering into Manchuria as the first experimental move in fascism's plan for world conquest.

In the era between those two fateful dates fascism encircled the globe and swept humanity into the most terrible war in history. The cost of the war in lives and suffering and destruction is perhaps too great for the human mind to grasp, but one simple point has now been pounded home with all the force of an atomic bomb.

Fascism anywhere in the world is a menace to all the world. It can only be wiped out through the joint action of all peace-loving nations, united in bedrock friendship.

Fascism A Joke—And Good Business

This simple point sounds like a platitude today, but it was a great joke just a few years back to the bored diplomats in the League of Nations who listened indifferently to the cries for help from the victims of aggression.

Japan invaded China — with the help of American businessmen who eagerly sold her scrap iron and supplies. In Germany the Nazis came into power — with the boast Tomorrow the World! on their lips — but the leaders of other nations heard only their cunning promise to fight the real enemy, bolshevism. Ethiopia fell to Mussolini's booted blackshirts and then the Axis was ready for its first important rehearsal of World War II — Spain.

Democracy Loses Fight in Spain

And here a strange phrase was coined. Premature anti-fascists. They were the exiles from Germany and Italy who came to fight fascism into a foreign land, they were the American boys in the Abraham Lincoln brigade, they were the aviators and technicians and tank experts from the Soviet Union, they were most of all the brave Spanish people who starved and bled and fought their way through a war against all the might of the new streamlined Axis machine.

Maxim Litvinoff of the Soviet Union warned in the League of Nations that there was still time to halt the Nazis through collective security but the appeasers were too busy working out the details of a game they called non-intervention to listen. Hitler marched into Austria and now suddenly the appeasers who had been assuring the people of the world that the Nazis needn't worry them at all changed their tune and said the Nazis were so powerful that nothing could be done to stop them.

"Peace In Our Time" Explodes

Czechoslovakia was sold out next in a meeting at Munich. A cheap price, the appeasers thought, when Hitler assured them that his ambitions lay only in the east, in the direction of Russia. Neville Chamberlain flew back to England and spoke

of "peace in our time." But the peace exploded in his face just a year later when Hitler's panzer forces drove deep into Poland.

World War II began officially on Sept. 1, 1939. There was an interlude of eight months or so — the phony war — while Great Britain and France sat and wondered if Hitler might still perhaps change his mind and fight the Soviet Union instead of them. They woke up out of that cosy little dream in May 1940 into the nightmare of the fall of France and Dunkerque.

America Doooms Axis Fascists

Entry of Russia and the U. S. into the war struck the opening chords in the swan song of world fascism. The United Nations were born and groped their way through many misunderstandings and sharp conflicts to the high point of the signing of the charter at San Francisco. The rotten facade of German and Italian fascism crumbled before the might of the Allied armies. A few months later the last stronghold of fascism, Japan, followed her Axis partners down to defeat.

The shameful episodes of Spain and Munich have been vindicated but the end of the war has washed away only the topsoil of fascism. The world is full of hungry, uprooted people. They now look to the United Nations to carry over into the peace the hard lessons they learned in war.

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Grew has resigned because of old age . . . and there are some reports that this is a sign of an impending shakeup in the U. S. State Department. It may be . . . but Joe Grew's job has been completed because he did what he set out to do. He saved the emperor of Japan.

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Detroit Labor Day Celebration Planned

DETROIT (FP)—Labor day plans of the Greater Detroit & Wayne County CIO Council include the customary afternoon parade down Woodward and a mass meetin gin Cadillac sq., with awards to the local unions making the best showing for attendance, appearance and floats, Council Education Director Sam Sweet announces.

the industrialists, but Hirohito was a word that was strictly banned by OWI — on State Department orders.

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