

# Sanford Theater News for the Coming Week



Leif Erickson does his best to break up the romance between Florence Rice and Alexander D'Arcy in "THE BLONDE FROM SINGAPORE," which will be shown next Tuesday at the Ritz as part of a double program.



Claudette Colbert proves herself a match for Brian Aherne and Ray Milland in "SKYLARK," new screen sensation, coming to the Ritz Theater tomorrow and Monday. Binnie Barnes, Walter Abel, Mona Barie and Grant Mitchell are also in the cast.

## PROGRAM FOR WEEK OF DEC. 28TH

Sunday, Monday—"SKYLARK" with Claudette Colbert, Ray Milland, Brian Aherne, Binnie Barnes and Walter Abel. Also—"FLICKER MEMORIES," Pete Smith specialty, Paramount cartoon and Metro News of the Day.

Tuesday, Bargain Day—Double Program—"FATHER TAKES A WIFE" with Gloria Swanson and Adolphe Menjou. Also—"THE BLONDE FROM SINGAPORE" with Florence Rice, Leif Erickson and Gordon Jones.

Wednesday, Thursday—"THE BIRTH OF THE BLUES" with Bing Crosby, Mary Martin, "Rocheater," Brian Donley, Carolyn Lee and J. Carol Nash. Also—Cartoon, "INFORMATION PLEASE" and Universal News.

Friday, Saturday—"SIERRA SUE" with Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette, Fay McKenzie and Frank Thomas. Also—"DOWN IN SAN DIEGO" with Bonita Granville, Dan Dailey, Jr., Leo Gorcey and Henry O'Neill. Also—Chapter 3, "JUNGLE GIRL" serial.

MIDNIGHT SHOW, New Year's Eve, Wed., Dec. 31st, 11:30 P. M. Special Screen Show.



Bing Crosby, Mary Martin, Brian Donley and Carolyn Lee in a bit of syncopation in a scene from "BIRTH OF THE BLUES," newest screen musical sensation! This big hit, in which Eddie (Rocheater) Anderson heads an enormous supporting cast, will be shown next Wednesday and Thursday at the Ritz.

## THIS WEEK'S CASTS

SKYLARK	Claudette Colbert	Ray Milland	Brian Aherne	Binnie Barnes	Walter Abel
THE BLONDE FROM SINGAPORE	Florence Rice	Leif Erickson	Gordon Jones	Walter Abel	Grant Mitchell
THE BIRTH OF THE BLUES	Bing Crosby	Mary Martin	Brian Donley	Carolyn Lee	J. Carol Nash
SIERRA SUE	Gene Autry	Smiley Burnette	Fay McKenzie	Frank Thomas	Robert Homans
FATHER TAKES A WIFE	Gloria Swanson	Adolphe Menjou	John Howard	Florence Rice	Helen Broderick



The Marines have the situation well in hand in this scene from "DOWN IN SAN DIEGO," one of the season's entertainment triumphs coming to the Ritz next Friday and Saturday. Ray McDonald, Bonita Granville, Henry O'Neill and Leo Gorcey have the leading roles.



Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette are ganged by a band of badlands bandits in "SIERRA SUE," newest adventure of these ridin', romancin', roguish Smiley Burnette, Fay McKenzie and Frank Thomas have the other important parts in the picture, coming next Friday and Saturday to the local Ritz.



Gloria Swanson decides that being a happy wife is much better than being a good actress. Adolphe Menjou heartily agrees in "FATHER TAKES A WIFE." John Howard, Florence Rice, Desi Arnaz and Helen Broderick also appear in this comedy, showing next Tuesday at the Ritz.

## Seminole County School News

### Program Opens Drive For Sale Of Bonds And Stamps At High School

Beginning a drive for the sale of United States defense bonds and stamps sponsored by the Seminole High Students Council, a program was given Monday, Dec. 16 over the intercommunication system by the students of the Sanford High School. Olla D. King and Mrs. Lucy Smith had charge of the program.

The program opened with a song, "Any Bonds Today?", which was sung by a group from the Glee Club composed of Mildred Gibson, Ann Wiggins, Shirley Cameron, Lucy Ward, Herman Middleton, Orien Farrell, Edward White, Gladys Pippin, Nancy Dighton, and Dorothy Lyons. Miss Dorothy Sanford accompanied the group.

This selection by the Glee Club members was followed by a speech given by Edward Marshall, a senior, on the Bill of Rights. He stated that the Bill of Rights is the wall against the establishment of a dictatorship like that of Nazi Germany or Fascist Italy in this country. He said, "sacrifices are not to be made next year, next month, or next week—but now."

A skit, entitled "Our Bill of Rights" was presented after Edward's speech. Those taking part were as follows:

Mother, Nancy Dighton; Son Bill, Emmet Herndon; Father, Earl Jeter, Jr.; Policeman, Jimmy Ricker; Teacher, Angela Melachi; Mr. Murphy, Defense Worker, Bill Branson; Lawyer, Mack Cleveland, Jr.; Farmer, Edgar Biggers; Newspaper Editor, David Gatchel.

After the skit, Judge James G. Sharon stated that the sale of defense bonds and stamps are necessary for the preservation of the Bill of Rights.

The program was closed by the singing of "My Country 'Tis of Thee" by the Glee Club members.

### Tri-Hi-Y Girls Make Plans For Football Banquet

By Lois Caldwell

Members of the Tri-Hi-Y Club met at Sanford High School Monday night to induct Joyce Steele into the club.

After her induction services were rendered by Earline Kelly, a business meeting was held. The Tri-Hi-Y girls have been planning to give the football banquet sometime in January. Joyce Steele was appointed as the hostess for this year's annual banquet.

**LONE PLANE RAIDS ENGLAND**

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP)—A single German plane paid a Christmas visit to the east coast of Britain, dropping incendiary bombs which caused neither damage nor casualties, the London radio said.

### LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that we are engaged in business at Longwood, Fla., under the fictitious name Evergreen Fern Co. and that we intend to register said name pursuant to the terms of the "Fictitious Name Statute" (Chapter 3052 Laws of Florida) with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Seminole County, Florida.

S. A. ROBINSON  
BUILDER—ROBINSON  
Dec. 15, 1941.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE IN THE COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, SEMINOLE COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA.**

In re the Estate of EDWARD B. ROURKE, Deceased.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that James R. Rowland, Jr., filed his final report as Executor of the estate of Edward B. Rourke, deceased, that he filed his petition for final discharge, and that he will apply to the Honorable H. W. Ware, County Judge of Seminole County, Florida, on the 11th day of January 1942, for approval of same and for final discharge as Executor of the estate of Edward B. Rourke, deceased, on the 12th day of December 1941.

JAMES R. ROWLAND, JR.,  
Executor of the estate of Edward B. Rourke, deceased.

**NOTICE**

The Regular annual meeting of the shareholders of the Sanford Atlantic National Bank will be held at the banking house in Sanford, Florida, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1942, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

A. J. BELL,  
Cashier

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**LOT 10 ORANGE PARK ADDITION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 3 PAGE 66A SEMINOLE COUNTY RECORDS.**

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## R. A. F. Drops Bombs On Axis Libyan Armies

### Young Nazi Soldiers Flee From Counter-Attack As Russians Continue Offensive

## Panic Spreads Among Germans

### Increasing Pressure Is Put On African Foes By English

LONDON, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Aviation observers today estimated losses in the campaign against Russia have reduced the German air force to about 65 percent of its peak strength.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Eight enemy ships totaling 15,455 tons, oil tankers, ammunition stores and a quilling-wood industrial plant were destroyed in a British raid on the strait islands of Vega, 100 miles north of Bergen, Norway. It was officially announced today.

The British have pushed forward in Libya, striking from the south at the retreating main Axis force in the Agedabia area and bombing Axis troops from the air in the Bardia sector.

The Soviet Information Bureau said 32 towns and villages have been recaptured in the area in the last ten days.

In Cairo, units of the R.A.F. with the aid of five French bombers have struck fresh blows at the Axis Helwan in Libya.

## Local Red Cross Gets Appeal From National Chairman

Mrs. F. B. Roush, chairman of the local chapter of American Red Cross, received an appeal recently from national headquarters in Washington urging the fulfillment of the country's war fund goals.

The national chairman's latest remarks are as follows: "The coming of Pearl Harbor, Hiroshima and the invasion of the Philippines, Madagascar, Attu in the Aleutians and Pacific have dramatically brought home to us the realization of this war."

Red Cross is presently needed to help meet these great needs of our country.

Seal Sales Now Total Over \$300

## Nazis Stalled In Russia



This photo from Germany contains the following admission: "A German motorized unit stalled by snow on the eastern front."

Not only are the famed Nazi panzers stalled on that front, but they are reported in retreat on all sectors but the Crimea.

## Plans Made For Formation Of Commodity Allocations Board

Plans for the formation of a Commodity Allocation Board for Seminole County have been made by O. P. Herndon, chairman of the Industry and Material Resources Committee, and J. L. Ingley, chairman of the Seminole County Council.

## Citizens Appear To Be Interested In Trade School

Number Of Inquiries Received Said To Be Satisfactory

"Very satisfactory" was the term used today by Ed Higgins, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, to describe the number of inquiries he has received from local citizens who desire to attend the government trade school.

Mr. Higgins said that the school is expected to open in the next few weeks. He said that the school will be held in the City Hall building.

## Hens To Sit Down To Government Work

NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 29.—(Special)—The chickens, geese and ducks of Florida's 2,454,000 hens and roosters of 1940 are going on a health farm routine next year.

They've got to do for a nation at war. Some of them have to grow big and tender and a lot of them will have to stump out eggs on a production basis—16,000,000 dozen of them in 1942.

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## U. S., Russia, Britain United Against Axis

### Military, Diplomatic Plan Mapped By Roosevelt-Churchill And By Eden-Stalin

The major powers fighting the Axis—the United States, Britain and Russia—have been united in a common military and diplomatic program aimed at the final destruction of Hitlerism, it was disclosed today as the British foreign office announced in a statement that the Foreign Secretary Eden had been conferring in Moscow for two weeks with Soviet Premier Stalin.

Eden and Stalin reached full agreement on all questions relating to conduct of the war, the statement said. Furthermore, as they talked they kept in constant touch with the White House in Washington, where President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill were similarly laying war plans with complete understanding and agreement.

Thus through the two conferences, the three big powers, and indirectly the smaller nations fighting the Axis, were linked together on a single aim, described by the London foreign office as "the utter defeat of Hitlerite Germany."

In addition, questions of post-war policy aimed at maintaining peace and security were discussed at Moscow, as they have been in Washington.

Nothing, the office said, identified the London office in Moscow regarding whether Russia would go to war with Japan. Unofficially, however, it was stated that the British government has no intention of doing so.

## Slovak Citizens At Slavia Show Loyalty To U. S.

SLAVIA, Dec. 29.—(Special)—Slovak citizens here reaffirmed their loyalty to the United States at a meeting yesterday, and sent the following wire to President Franklin D. Roosevelt:

"With the most sincere approval of our country's war in self-defense and in defense of democratic institutions against the hordes of Hitler and Japan, we, the eighty-eight members of the Slovak National Alliance of America, having assembled at a 'protest meeting' this afternoon, the 28th day of December, 1941, at Slavia, Fla., wish to assure you that Americans of Slovak descent are firmly united with all other loyal Americans behind your enlightened leadership."

The impudent slander cast upon the Slovak race when the traitorous Nazi government of Germany on Oct. 16, 1941, made us into a 'protest meeting' of the Slovak National Alliance of America."

Missouri Plans To Outwater Fordham

EDGEWATER PARK, Miss., Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Less Don Pastorek's say high hopes that the Missouri Tigers will stop Fordham's attack in the Sugar Bowl New Year's day—as he is depending upon a vicious counter-offensive for victory.

"We don't know too much about Fordham," said the friendly coach of the Midwesterners, who have established a training camp here behind the warm Gulf waters.

"But we do know they have an attack that is likely to score any time. They're no doubt more sure than we'll just have to score more than they do."

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## American Soldiers Hold Lines Against Reinforced Japanese

### Torpedoed Freighter Makes Port — One Dead



The United States freighter Absaroka, 5,698 tons, lumberladen ship threw off tons, limps into port, victim of a torpedo attack some of her cargo when hit and made port by a Japanese submarine six miles off the California coast. One crew member was killed.

## Conservation Of Food Studied By Extension Clubs

Home Demonstration Clubs and 4-H Clubs in Seminole County are studying the conservation of food this year. Mrs. Ouida Wilson, county agent, said this morning, adding that the clubs are studying the conservation of food in the clubs' portions of the National Defense program.

The extension clubs for girls in the county, 4-H Clubs, are mapped out for them according to projects and each club has a written record of her work in each particular field.

The following officers for the first half of the year of the County Senior Council will also serve with Mrs. Wilson during the second half of the year: Mrs. Fred Forward, president; Mrs. R. A. Goodwood, vice-president; Mrs. L. E. Hammond, secretary; and Mrs. J. E. Hammond, treasurer.

## U. S. Gets Control Of Nazi Ship Odenwald

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Possession of the 5,000-ton German freighter Odenwald by the United States was guaranteed Sunday in a court order approving the regulation of the vessel by the U. S. maritimes commission.

The Odenwald was seized by the U. S. Customs in Puerto Rico on Nov. 18 and her crew members were stopped in their attempt to scuttle her.

At the time of her seizure, the Odenwald was reported to be flying the American flag and to have had the stars and stripes painted on her side.

To improve the flavor of fish, put a pinch of salt in when boiling.

Malta Bombed

VALLETTA, Malta, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—A succession of aerial attacks on this British naval base within the past 24 hours resulted in the death of a few civilians, injuries to others, and a slight damage.

Buffalo Dawn Siren

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—A seven-year-old daughter born to Mrs. Jacob Lingerman during a test blackout in Buffalo Friday night was named Sunday. The name—Dawn Siren.

## U. S. Men Gain Ground As Enemy Forces Are Being Augmented

### Nipponese Claim China Victories

### Tokyo Parachutists Drop On Dutch Island Of Sumatra

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—The Navy reported today that United States submarines had sunk two more enemy ships in the Far East and that a United States destroyer had suffered slight damage and minor casualties from Japanese planes.

American and Filipino forces grimly held their lines on the island of Luzon in the Philippines and even bettered them at one point today against ever-mounting Japanese numbers.

The Japanese widened and intensified their offensive in the reaches of the vast pacific battle ground in the Singapore sector.

The Japanese reported landing parachutists near Medan on the east coast Dutch island of Sumatra and the Nipponese also are said to have captured Tjebbe, the communications and training center in the Patak Strait, 230 miles north of Singapore on the Malayan peninsula, and captured Kuching the capital of Sarawak on the British side of the island of Borneo.

Japanes planes raided the U. S. island fortress of Corregidor at the entrance to Manila Bay for two hours today. A number of raiders here reported shot down and the Far East headquarters of the U. S. Army announced there was no material change on the north or south fronts today.

General Douglas MacArthur's shortened his Philippine defense lines north of Manila, the War Department reported in a communique which said the Japanese invaders had been heavily reinforced.

General MacArthur has consolidated the majority of his troops in the Pampanga province, north of Manila, and considerably south of the Lingayen Gulf coast where the original major invasion thrust started.

Reporting that American and Philippine troops are in high spirits and are stubbornly resisting against heavy Japanese attacks, "Losses have been heavy on both sides."

Early today Filipino police, the only defenders left, rushed through the bomb-ravaged and burning city of Manila, hunting for Japanese parachutists who were reported swooping down in an attempt to prepare the way for invading armies.

The second day of savage, unopposed air assaults had left Manila an inferno of burning churches, homes and office buildings. Many persons lay dead in debris.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Transfers of stock in the New York Stock Exchange in 1941 reached the lowest level since 1918.

Only about 166,000,000 shares changed hands, compared with 207,536,059 in 1940, its lowest year since 1921.

LONG AND SHORT

CAMP WALTERS, Tex., Dec. 29.—(A.P.)—Private Edward Vogel of Marion, O., found two letters in his mail. One was 22 feet long; the other tiny Ohio sales tax stamps.

LOCAL WEATHER

FLORIDA—Generally fair with some clouds in the north and west portions and the south and interior extreme north-west portion.

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**BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY**

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 THE LIVING ESSENCE. WE  
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 OF US AND LIVE ON A MORE  
 SPIRITUAL PLANE: While we  
 look not at the things that are  
 seen, but at the things that are  
 not seen; for the things that are  
 seen are temporal, but the things  
 that are not seen are eternal.—11  
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**Lines in a Letter From England, 1941**

(From The Christian Science Monitor)  
 "We waked home in the dark-  
 ness,  
 through the dark city, in the  
 dark streets,  
 and we made a discovery, as a  
 child makes one;  
 we could see through the dark-  
 ness  
 near like the cat that  
 followed.  
 And we made another: the night  
 was blue,  
 blue as the eyes of a child,  
 with a light like a star,  
 softly dominating  
 the whole vast darkness,  
 we were led through the night  
 to our beds."  
 "We heard Beethoven on Wed-  
 nesday evening,  
 and, when there is time, we  
 will hear Bach again."  
 "The rain fell during the night,  
 but softly, like the wash  
 of waves,  
 then the wind, like a great  
 steam locomotive,  
 the earth. And the land  
 was a sea of mountains."  
 "I read your poem again while  
 working last night,  
 and this morning I made a song  
 of it."  
**JOSEPH JOEL KEITH.**

The Japs bombed Manila though it was an "open" unarmad city. What did they expect of the Japs?

We'll bet the Germans would like to have known which boat Winston Churchill planned to take to this country.

The Answer: Well, have you had much experience with sailors? Well, yes, gods and gods.—Wall St. Journal.

Some merchants claim a better Christmas business this year than last; others say it was not quite so good. And that's just about the way it was.

Senator Earnest Overstreet who recently seemed to be so much of Senator Pepper's mind, has announced he is a candidate for congressional re-election.

Seminole County residents will get to vote for two congressmen next Fall, their own congressmen from the 13th district, and the congressman at large.

Lashed by a storm of us were going to have to leave in walk all day again. Even if the old automobile had not the "brakes," we wouldn't be able to get away.

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**Spread Of Typhus**

The war-ridden countries of eastern and southeastern Europe are fertile soil for typhus epidemics like those of the World War and post-war years, which took a toll of at least 2,500,000 lives in Russia alone, according to the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

From the facts that are available for a few countries, the company says, "the signs are ominous, although the total number of typhus cases is as yet relatively small—still in the hundreds or thousands where records exist, as compared with the huge figures, running into the millions, of the last war and post-war period."

How many lives were lost from typhus in the last war will never be accurately known, the Metropolitan explains, "because of the utter breakdown of whatever health and statistical services existed in the countries through which this disease swept." It is known, however, that in 1915, an epidemic in Serbia took hundreds of thousands of lives, and that eventually the disease spread like wildfire through many parts of eastern Europe.

"There are grave fears that the frightful losses of life from typhus will be repeated in the present war," the company warns. "One after another the areas through which the disease swept a generation ago have now been drawn into the conflict, and many of the conditions which prepared the way for the spread of the disease then are being duplicated."

Many cases of typhus have occurred this year in areas of Poland annexed by Germany which formerly were almost entirely free from the disease, the Metropolitan says. "The number of cases in this region," it is explained, "rose tenfold in 1940 above the numbers for 1938 and 1939 and, as of the latest date in 1941, the number has again trebled over the figure for 1940. Some cases have appeared in Germany itself and in other areas seized by her in 1938-1939."

It is also said that in other parts of Poland, where even in peace time cases are found regularly, indications are that typhus has increased greatly, although current statistics are not available. This situation is "likely" to be repeated in invaded sections of Russia.

**Free Lunches**

Remember when you used to walk to school with a little wicker lunch basket filled with sandwiches, fruit and cake? Remember the dozens of little boys and girls who used to stand around and watch while the rest of you ate? Well those days are gone forever and in their place have developed the school lunch rooms with free lunches for all children unable to pay for their own.

"More than 5,000,000 school children over the country are getting free lunches this winter through operation of the School Lunch program of the federal department of agriculture," says the Florida Grower. "Lunched they eat in a month total more than 68,000,000 pounds of food—dairy products, eggs, cereals, fruits, vegetables, meat, and fish. Retail value of these is more than \$4,000,000 a month."

"The program is accomplishing two major objectives. Through larger purchases by the Surplus Marketing Administration, assistance is given farmers in marketing their problem. And while increasing food consumption and enlarging the market for farm products, the serious problem of child malnutrition is being solved also."

"America's search for a new army of physically fit young men has startlingly shown that a high percentage of rejections is traceable to physical defects from malnutrition during childhood. If other and better ways to prevent this are not developed, school lunches should remain as a permanent institution in our national life."

"This program presents a most interesting picture—millions of children being supplied, at least at lunch time every school day, foods needed to build stronger bodies. About one-third of the children who need this service come from low-income, non-relief families. Certain areas or the agricultural South furnish the greatest problem. Give these youngsters complete health and gain good citizens."

**Not Free — No Thanks**

J. Newton Lummus, Jr., Dade County tax assessor, whose ability has caused him to become known throughout the State, was offered the City Managership of Miami.

He wasn't so keenly enthusiastic over the offer, but finally said he'd accept the \$15,000 a year job if the City Commissioners would give him a free rein for 16 months so he could give the municipal machine a badly needed streamlining.

The Commissioners thought over his stipulation, decided they couldn't grant it. If the Commissioners don't give their City Manager more freedom, whoever finally is chosen will not succeed, the Miami Herald concludes, expressing regret that Mr. Lummus was not given the job.—Lakeland Ledger.

**British Destroyers Write Epic Record In Campaign In Africa**

By LARRY ALLEN  
ALEXANDRIA, Dec. 20.—(AP)—British destroyers of the Mediterranean fleet, braving Nazi air attacks and navigating in pitch darkness through a graveyard of sunken ships, wrote an epic record of war service during the Admiralty of Tripoli in the Libyan fortress which all air attacks.

Thousands of tons of war supplies were landed at Tripoli from April 15 until the German attack was repulsed. The record of the British destroyers in the campaign was a masterpiece of seamanship and courage.

San Francisco, Dec. 20.—(AP)—It was announced today by the U. S. Navy that the USS "Albatross" (AS-10) was the first of a new class of fleet oceanographic survey ships to be commissioned.

**"RED CAP"**



**600 DEAD AT RANGOON**

NEW DELHI, India, Dec. 20.—Six hundred civilian casualties resulted from the first Japanese raid on Rangoon in Burma last Tuesday, it was reported by informed quarters Sunday.



Capt. Olaf Ekstrom

C. P. Photographs  
Taken at San Francisco with thirteen survivors from the U. S. oil tanker *Montebello*, Capt. Olaf Ekstrom confirmed that his ship had been torpedoed by a Japanese submarine. Six other survivors rowed ashore in a small boat. The men said their lifelines had been fired on by the submarine after they abandoned the tanker.

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Before the war the United States imported more than a million dollars worth of cloves and vanilla beans from Madagascar every year.

Although the great bulwark of Mohammedanism can be found among the 40,000,000 Arabic-speaking peoples living from Morocco to Iran, the faith has an estimated 250,000,000 followers.

The annual number of pneumonia cases in the United States is about 500,000. Before introduction of sulfanilamide, about 100,000 were fatal.

To keep the "pop" in popcorn, place it in a tightly closed container to retain moisture which promotes popping.

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# Social And Personal Activities

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## Social Calendar

**TUESDAY**  
The installation of officers of the Little House Chapter, O. E. S. will take place in the Masonic Hall at 8:00 P. M. with Mrs. Glenn E. McKay, past grand matron of the grand chapter of Florida, as the installing officer. The public is invited to attend.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Girl Scouts are invited to meet at the Little House at 8:00 o'clock for a "Shimshim" party. Each scout is asked to bring two sticks of wood, nose bags for supper and breakfast, cot and blanket roll.

**FRIDAY**  
The first regular meeting of the Sons and Daughters of the Territory of Florida will be held at the home of Mr. and J. G. Sharon, 920 Magnolia Avenue at 8:00 P. M. It is expected that there will be a full attendance at the first meeting of the year.

## Revival Services To Continue This Week

The revival services being conducted at the corner of Celery and Sanford Avenues will continue through the week, the evangelist, Patrick Henry Williams, announced this morning.

The subject this evening will be, "The World's Greatest Prayer Meeting and Not a Christian in It." On Tuesday night the subject will be, "Seven Story Christmas."

On Wednesday night, New Year's Eve, a watch night service will be held beginning at 7:30 o'clock and sandwiches and coffee will be served from

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## Fraternity Stages Its Annual Dance

The Oikada Country Club was the scene on Saturday night of the annual Tuleba Dance of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. A large crowd from the city attended the event. The Misses Mary Higgins, Betty Wathen, Mary Martha Buerick, Erma Doudney, Elizabeth Lettler, Marjorie Coburn, Doris Hall, Elizabeth Oyster, Mary Higgins, Elizabeth Wathen, and Mrs. and Mrs. George A. Speer.

## Holiday Party Given By Misses Higgins

The Misses Dorothy Higgins and Mary Higgins, students at the University of Georgia in Athens, home for the holidays, held an Open House at their home on Magnolia Avenue last night. Striking arrangements of poinsettias and palms formed the background for the lighted red candles which burned on the mantel in the living room. A period table stood before an arrangement of poinsettias and palms among which burned red tapers. The decoration was extended to the stairway landing.

Centering a lace covered table was a red punch bowl, behind which was placed clusters of large silver bells with red lights burning within.

Assisting the hostesses in serving were the Misses Dorothy Mitchell, Carlin Palmer and Elizabeth Lettler. About 75 guests attended the party.

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## Personals

Bob McDonald of Basley, Ga. is the guest of Leroy Cooper.

Mrs. C. E. Stonecipher has as her guest her daughter, Mrs. Eddie Stout of Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Ouida Wilson has as her guests, Mrs. C. A. Montoya and daughters, Carmen and Eleanor of West Palm Beach.

Miss Doris McCall of Cobbtown, Ga. is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. McCall, during the holidays.

Gene Linder and Gene Lawrence have returned from Moultrie and Peter Mero, who spent a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Fred R. Wilson left on Friday for Chicago, Ill. to visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchen.

Miss Irene Richter has returned to her home in Jacksonville after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richter.

Robert McCall, student at Brewton-Parker Junior College in Mount Vernon, Ga., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wight and grandchildren, Susan Kirtley and Peter Mero, have gone for the holidays to attend the wedding of Miss Carrie Wight.

L. H. Swain left Saturday for his home in Beckley, W. Va., after spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Swain at the Hotel Mayfair.

Miss Laura Mae Brown of Montreat College, Montreat, N. C. is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. G. H. Brown, at her home on Park Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Black and son, Harry, of Huntersville, N. C. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Fite at their home on Celery Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kelly and son, Fred arrived yesterday from Richmond, Va. to visit with Mrs. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Williams, until after New Year's.

Miss Antonette Hayes has arrived from Hopewell, Va. where she is teaching school, to visit through the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Graham had as their weekend guests, Miss Nuechie Chuliano of Orlando, Corporal Charles Leavitt of Ft. Benning, Ga., and Robert Cox of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Strange have returned from Hawthorne after spending Christmas with Mr. Strange's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strange.

Lieut. Julian Adams was the overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Adams, enroute to Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., from Avon Park where he ferried a plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gustavson left yesterday for their home in Ft. Benning, Ga., after spending Christmas with their parents. They were accompanied by Sgt. Philip M. Vickery and Robert Bunkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Huddleston have arrived from Valdosta, Ga. to visit with Mr. Huddleston's mother, Mrs. W. G. Ross and Mr. Ross in Sanford and with Mrs. Huddleston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and daughter, LeVern, are expected to arrive today from Gadsden, Ala., to visit with Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. M. E. Messinger and brother, Verne Messinger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stealy and son, Jerry Harlan, have returned to Panama after spending several days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stealy. They were accompanied by Hugh Boyd who will visit with them.

## Miss Hayes Becomes Bride Of Ralph Dean

In a simple candlelight ceremony Miss Derieux Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayes, became the bride of Ralph Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dean of Tampa, at 5:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents on West Seventeenth Street.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. D. Brownlee, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, in the presence of relatives and close friends of the couple. The living room was effectively decorated with quantities of white gaidolol and tuberoses. The mantel, which the vows were exchanged, was banked with ferns intermingled with gladioli and tuberoses. On each side stood seven branched candelabra holding lighted white tapers.

Attending her sister as maid-of-honor, Miss Gwendolyn Hayes wore a navy blue triple sheer dress and a corsage of sweetheart roses and blue delphinium. St. Clair White served Mr. Dean as best man.

The bride chose for her wedding a beige crepe dress featuring a three tiered scalloped skirt embroidered in brown, and worn with brown accessories. She carried a white prayer book showered with white camellias and tuberoses tied with white satin ribbons. For traveling she wore a white camellia corsage.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a short wedding trip after which they will be at home to their friends at the Hotel Mayfair until after the first of the year when they plan to move into the Sanlanta Apartments.

Mrs. Dean attended the local schools, graduating from Seminole High School with the class of 1939, after which she attended Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va. For the past two months she has been employed by Chase and Company.

Mr. Dean attended school in Sanford when quite young, later attending the Porter Military Academy in Charleston, S. C. where he was graduated with a lieutenant's commission. He is at present employed by the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad in Sanford.

## Key Club Will Have New Year's Dance

The Key Club of Seminole High School is sponsoring an informal dance on New Year's Eve in the City Hall beginning at 9:30 o'clock and lasting until 1:30 o'clock. The dance was previously announced to be held in the Armory.

It is reported that a large crowd of high school and college students will be present and a good time is promised all who attend the gala affair.

Members of the Key Club include William Earle, John Bolson, Walter Anderson, Harold Balfour, Russell Young, Billy Hollybush, Karl Schultz, Paul Hickson, Kenneth Hernon, Charles Park, Warren Daniels, Mack Cleveland, Jr., Harry Lee, Jr., David Gistebel, Taylor Brown, Junior Brown, Lambert Palmer, Stuart Quarterman, Earl Jeter, Edward Marshall, Richard Meriwether and Delphin Hasty.

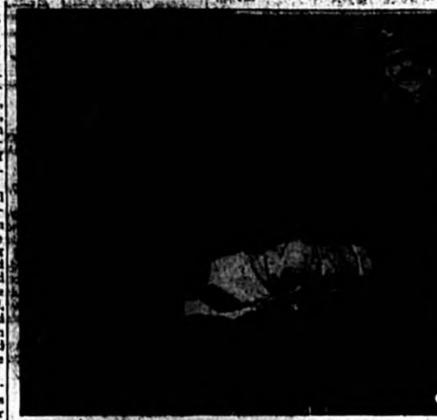
## Two Local Cadets Are Entertained At Dance

Mrs. J. L. Ingley and Mrs. G. D. Workman entertained with a dance Friday night in the Valdes Hotel for their sons, Jimmie, a cadet at Suwannee Military Academy in Suwannee, Tenn., and Jerry, a cadet at Columbia Military Academy in Columbia, Tenn.

The ballroom was decorated in Christmas colors of green and red with Brazilian pepper and poinsettias being used in the lobby of the hotel was placed a lace covered table from which punch and cookies were served by the hostesses throughout the evening.

About 75 young people enjoyed dancing to music furnished by a nickelodeon.

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Mrs. Ned Harris (left) and Mrs. Wales Latham, president of Bundles for Britain, heads Capt. E. Mackay at LaGuardia Field, New York, a bound volume containing the personal greetings of more than 20,000 Americans to Queen Elizabeth and also \$16,000 to help provide comforts for the hapless children of Britain.

## RADIO NEWS

**WBBO**  
Tonight's Programs  
6:00 Edwin C. Hill  
6:10 Grayhound Gus  
6:20 Diner Music  
6:30 Lam and Abner  
6:45 World Today  
7:00 The Lone Ranger  
7:30 Blaudie  
8:00 Vox Pop  
8:30 Make Mine S. H.  
8:45 Music Room  
8:55 Elmer Davis and the News  
9:00 Lux Radio Theater  
10:00 Orson Welles  
10:20 Sports Reporter  
10:45 News of the World  
11:00 Harry James' Orchestra  
11:30 Dance Orchestra  
12:00 Linton Wells  
12:05 Sign Off

**Tomorrow's Program**  
6:30 Norman Beasley and His Florida Cowboys  
7:00 Breakfast Brevities  
7:45 UP News  
8:00 The World Today  
8:15 Breakfast Rendezvous  
8:45 Virginia  
9:00 Morning Devotions  
9:15 Symphonette  
9:30 Tune Time  
9:45 UP News  
10:00 Marmel  
10:05 Black and White Notes  
10:15 Myrt and Marge  
10:30 Stepmother  
10:45 Woman of Courage  
11:00 Mary Lee Taylor  
11:15 At Home with Sally Martin  
11:30 The Esquires  
11:45 UP News  
11:55 Temperature bulletin.  
12:00 Kate Smith Speaks  
12:15 Walks Time  
12:30 Dance Time  
12:45 Our Gal Sunday  
1:00 Dixie Farm Club  
1:20 Bridge School of the Air  
1:45 Road of Life  
2:00 Young Dr. Malone  
2:15 Laver Jordan  
2:30 The Goldbergs  
5:45 Scattergood Balms



Mrs. Reba Feldman inspects soldiers legging in the quartermaster depot at Philadelphia, after army authorities allowed her to "take up where Jackie left off." Jackie is her 18-year-old son who was killed in the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. Eugene F. Krum, in charge of inspection, is shown with her.

## Duke Is Rated Over Unawed Oregon State

DURHAM, N. C. Dec. 23—(AP)—Now that the sweater has replaced the corset, it may be contended that figures don't lie unless they happen to be figures on past performances of football teams.

Nevertheless, admitting that the conclusion may be as phoney as a Japanese smile, the comparative statistics show that Duke will have a decided edge over Oregon State when the teams meet here New Year's Day before an overflow crowd of 55,000 in the transplanted Rose Bowl.

Unawed by statistics, Coach Lon Stiner put his 31 man Oregon State squad through a tough workout—and announced that he was pleased with the condition of his men.

## Average Citizen Can Not Buy Auto Tires

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23—(AP)—All the nation's average motorists—including even traveling salesmen, taxi drivers and residents of isolated rural areas lacking other transportation—will be prohibited from buying new automobile tires, under eligibility requirements established yesterday for the government's new tire rationing program.

The regulations, issued by Price Administrator Leon Henderson for the guidance of local tire rationing boards which begin operating Jan. 5, bar issuance of tire purchase certificates except to owners of motor vehicles which fall within seven sharply defined classifications, covering essential services for health, safety and industrial and commercial operations.

Simultaneously, Henderson urged the millions of motorists who will be unable to buy new tires to stop unnecessary driving

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## R. A. F. Drops Bombs On Axis Libyan Armies

### Young Nazi Soldiers Flee From Counter-Attack As Russians Continue Offensive

## Panic Spreads Among Germans

### Increasing Pressure Is Put On African Front By English

LONDON, Dec. 28.—(A.P.)—A British bomber force today estimated to be the largest ever, has been reported to have been sent to the African front.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—(A.P.)—The British have today reported that they have captured a German tank and a quick machine gun in a British raid on the small island of Vagsoy, 100 miles north of Bergen, Norway, it was officially announced today.

The raid was carried out over the weekend by a mysterious commando force of British Army, which has been reported to have been taken from the home front of the R.A.F.

The British have pushed forward in Libya, striking from the south at the retreating main Axis force in the Agheida area and a bombing raid on the German troops in the Bardia sector.

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of their arms and equipment. The British have captured a German tank and a quick machine gun in a British raid on the small island of Vagsoy, 100 miles north of Bergen, Norway, it was officially announced today.

Panic was said to have spread and untrained reinforcements from the transport and clerical sections of the German army were reported to have been rushed into the beach in a desperate effort to stem the rout.

The Soviet Information Bureau said 232 towns and villages have been captured in the area in the last few days.

In Cairo, units of the R.A.F. with the aid of Free French bombers have struck fresh blows at the Axis Hell in Libya.

## Local Red Cross Gets Appeal From National Chairman

Mrs. F. B. Roussell, chairman of the local Red Cross, received an appeal recently from national headquarters in Washington urging the fulfillment of the country's war fund quota, she said today.

The national chairman's letter was dramatically brought home to us by the arrival of the stars and stripes.

"Red Cross men are on every front. Funds are urgently needed to help them from their own pockets. The Christmas season is a time to help them."

"Only all the help we can give will help them. It is possible in time to see it in the Red Cross. It is a people's movement."

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## Nazis Stalled In Russia



This photo from Germany contains the following admission: "A German motorized unit stalled by snow on the eastern front. Not only are the famed Nazi panzers reported stalled on that front, but they are reported in retreat on all sectors but the Crimea."

## Plans Made For Formation Of Commodity Allocations Board

Plans for the formation of a Commodity Allocation Board for Seminole County have been made by G. P. Herndon, chairman of the Industry and Material Resources Committee, and J. L. Ingle, chairman of the Seminole County Council, today announced the nomination, subject to confirmation, of three local citizens to the State Defense Council and the Office of Price Administration in Washington to serve on this board for Seminole County. Two alternate members also were nominated. The names of the men nominated will not be disclosed until they are approved, Mr. Ingle stated.

## Citizens Appear To Be Interested In Trade School

Number Of Inquiries Received Said To Be Satisfactory

"Very satisfactory" was the term used today by Ed Higgins, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, in regard to the number of inquiries received regarding the proposed trade school to be located here.

Robert Dolly, federal representative, is expected some time this week. Mr. Higgins stated, if sufficient number of students have made application, the school is expected to be established here.

Mr. Dolly will go over the matter with the Chamber of Commerce and City officials. The City will donate building space for the enterprise.

Men in Sanford and vicinity between the ages of 18 and 35 are eligible to attend the school and are urged to get their applications to the Chamber of Commerce office at the City Hall immediately.

The courses will consist of electrical welding, radio transmission, ship carpentry or boat building, auto mechanics and auto mechanics. Day and night classes will be conducted.

The number of inquiries received regarding the defense training school is very satisfactory," Mr. Higgins declared, "and the people seem to be anxious to obtain this training."

## Hens To Sit Down To Government Work

NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 29.—(Special)—The chicks, grandchicks and great-grandchicks of Florida's 2,484,000 hens and roosters of 1940 are going on a health farm routine next year. They'll get vitamins, sunlight, "activated" feeds, cod liver extract and practically everything but castor oil.

They've got to do for a nation at war. Some of them have to grow big and tender and a lot of them will have to pump out eggs for a production of 100-150,000 chicks of them in 1942.

That's the task the government has assigned Florida hens with the pointed suggestion they sit down and go to work. At the same time, Florida poultrymen are being urged to increase this year's flock of 2,571,000 broilers, fryers, roasters and fowl to 4,173,000 birds next year.

Start Brazil nuts in covered containers in a dark place in the cupboard.

## Seal Sales Now Total Over \$800

Christmas seal sales in Seminole County total \$804.64, according to E. L. Ingle, chairman of the Seal Sales Committee, today. He said that approximately 150 letters containing seals have remained unsold and will be returned to the post office.

## U. S., Russia, Britain United Against Axis

### Military, Diplomatic Plan Mapped By Roosevelt-Churchill And By Eden-Stalin

The major powers fighting the Axis—the United States, Britain and Russia—have been united in a common military and diplomatic program aimed at the final destruction of Hitlerism, it was disclosed today as the British foreign office announced in a historic statement that Foreign Secretary Eden had been conferring in Moscow for two weeks with Soviet Premier Stalin.

Eden and Stalin reached full agreement on all questions relating to conduct of the war, the statement said. Furthermore, as they talked they kept in constant touch with the White House in Washington, where President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill were similarly laying war plans with complete understanding and agreement.

Linked in One Great Aim

Thus through the two conferences, the three big powers, and indirectly the smaller nations fighting the Axis, were linked together on a single aim, described by the London foreign office as the utter defeat of Hitlerite Germany.

In addition, questions of post-war policy aimed at maintaining peace and security were discussed at Moscow, as they have been in Washington.

Nothing was said in the British foreign office statement identifying in one released in Moscow regarding whether Russia would go to war with Japan. Unofficial observers have posed this question, weighing both the advantages and disadvantages of Russia's remaining normally neutral in the Pacific, ever since Japan declared war on the United States and Britain.

## Slovak Citizens At Slavia Show Loyalty To U. S.

SLAVIA, Dec. 29.—(Special)—Slovak citizens here reaffirmed their loyalty to the United States at a meeting yesterday, and sent the following note to President Franklin D. Roosevelt:

"With the most sincere approval of our country's war in self-defense, we, the citizens of Slavia, wish to assure you that Americans of Slovak descent are firmly united with all other loyal Americans behind your enlightened leadership.

"The impudent slander cast upon the Slovak race when the traitorous Nazi government of war on our beloved United States, makes us the more resolved that America will be victorious.

"Eighty-ninth Assembly of the Slovak National Alliance of America (signed) George Jakubek, Sr., President; Ferdinand Duda, Secretary.

## Missouri Plans To Outscore Fordham

EDGEWATER PARK, Miss., Dec. 29.—(AP)—Louis Don Faurot hasn't any high hopes that his Missouri Tigers can stop Fordham's attack in the Sugar Bowl New Year's day—so he is depending upon a vicious counter-offensive for victory.

"We don't know too much about Fordham," said the friendly coach of the Missouri Tigers, who have established a training camp here beside the warm Gulf waters.

"But we do know they have an attack that is likely to score any time. They'll no doubt score 27-0. We'll just have to score more than they."

As Fordham has its best offensive team since Jim Crowley had been in charge, and Missouri had the country's most successful ground attack the past season, Don's idea about the completion of the game seemed sound enough.

## Colin Kelly Died Near Home Field

WITH THE U. S. ARMY IN CENTRAL LUZON, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Field artillery officers of the U. S. Army told the story today of how Capt. Colin P. Kelly, Jr., met his death after being wounded and taken to the Japanese battleship Yamato.

## American Soldiers Hold Lines Against Reinforced Japanese

### Torpedoed Freighter Makes Port — One Dead



The United States freighter Absaroka, 5,000-ton, fornic coast. The lumberladen ship threw off tons, limps into port, victim of a torpedo attack some of her cargo when hit and made port with by a Japanese submarine six miles off the Gulf her decks awash. One crew member was killed.

## Conservation Of Equipment Help At Airport Start Seven-Day Week

All equipment workers at the new Sanford A.A. airport started seven-day work duty yesterday. Project Supervisor Ralph Lubinski stated yesterday, and the three large LeTourneau drag dozers are being operated 24 hours a day.

Workers are working at full speed, and one runway is near completion. The difficulty in light, and the grounds prohibit 24-hour duty for every department, but grades continue work through the night.

West grounds have not hampered any of the work, Mr. Lubinski said, and only when it is actually coming to any time lost. Mr. Lubinski stated the work is coming along fine, but he did not predict when the project would be completed.

## New Organist In At Orange City Hotel

Ken Davis is now filling an engagement at the New Orange City Hotel Ballroom, the manager of the hotel stated today. During the evening hours in the ballroom his programs will include the popular swing numbers of the present day. One of his unique accomplishments is that of playing a duet, manipulating the keys of the Hammond electric organ with his left hand, the bass tones with his feet on the floor keys and the piano notes with the right hand, producing perfect music on both the Hammond organ and the piano at the same time. Mr. Davis is also an outstanding pianist.

A special New Year's Eve dinner will be served from 6:00 P. M. until 8:00 P. M. Reservations at the reserved table space will then be placed in order and the two combinations of dance band music will strike up promptly at 9:30 o'clock.

## Tire Rationing May Bring Back Horses

East St. Louis Ill. Dec. 29.—(AP)—Old Dobbin is threatening a comeback as a result of tire rationing and the prospect has horse and mule dealers smiling.

Officials of Sparta Company, conductors of one of the nation's largest horse and mule auctions at the national stockyards, report a marked increase in inquiries about the horse situation since the tire rationing announcement.

A plentiful supply of animals is reported on hand.

## U. S. Gets Control Of Nazi Ship Odenwald

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Dec. 29.—(AP)—possession of the 600-ton German freighter Odenwald by the United States was guaranteed Sunday in a court order approving the requisition of the vessel by the U. S. maritime commission. Its cargo of raw rubber and submarine tires will go to the Defense Supply Commission.

The Odenwald was seized by the U. S. Cruiser Omaha in South Atlantic waters on Nov. 16 and her crew members were stopped in their attempt to scuttle her.

At the time of her seizure, the Odenwald was reported to be flying the American flag and to have had the stars and stripes painted on her sides.

To improve the flavor of fudge, put a pinch of salt in when beating.

U.S. Men Gain Ground At One Point Enemy Forces Are Being Augmented

## Nipponese Claim China Victories

### Tokyo Parachutists Drop On Dutch Island Of Sumatra

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The Navy reported today United States submarines had sunk two more enemy ships in the Far East and that a United States destroyer had suffered slight damage and minor casualties from Japanese planes.

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