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### Chose Best Time . . .

Evidently the Japanese chose the best possible time for declaring war against the British and Americans, a time when every possible effort was being made to strengthen the defences of Russia against Germany. It seems very likely that the world, with the exception of Japan, did not know the extent to which this aid was being extended and the extent to which the forces in the Pacific had been weakened. When most people feel that Britain should have been doing more to strengthen the defences of Russia, it is possible they were doing to much. At any rate we may be sure that if the British lose Hong Kong and Singapore it will be only a temporary setback. It is curious why the British are telling Japan she is winning at both Singapore and Hong Kong. It may be for the purpose of softening the blow when it falls or it may be to keep Japan's attention rivetted on those points.

## Using Our Ammunition . . .

For years past protests have been made against the selling of scrap iron and pig iron to Japan by Canada and the United States. During that time Japan was building her navy, increasing her reserves of ammunition and artillery, all of which are being used today against our own men.

Possibly the reasons which induced this traffic to continue were sufficiently important to insure its continuance. At any rate it went on in spite of the protests of many people, particularly of the workers. If it was a policy of appeasement it has proved just as disastrous as was the appeasement of Munich.

## Will Win But Not Easily . . .

While we all believe that Britain and the United States will win this Battle of the Pacific it will not be won easily. It will be like many former British wars and is likely to last a long time. We shall lose many lives that should not have been lost. There will be much unnecessary suffering. However, we shall win in the long run if we all make up our minds that it must be done and we are ready to do it.

## China Is Singing . . .

We are told that the Chinese people, whether they work or fight, sing while they do it. It is nothing new. In fact it is a very old habit of theirs. Whenever the Chinese people get together in large numbers they sing. Today when they gather in large numbers to the north of Hong Kong to complete the task of driving the Japanese people out of their country they sing. Huge choruses of thousands of men are being specially trained today to help celebrate the driving out of the Japanese, possibly the last lap of the present great struggle.

PATRIOTISM COMES FIRST. A GIFT OF WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES OR STAMPS WILL START SOMEBODY

## NEWS ITEMS

in many cases.

a brilliant educator.

One hundred and twelve students at Skien High School have been "fired" and the so-called Department of Education has decreed that they are forever barred from further studies at High Schools or Universities.

Six marine officers at Horten and Major Haneborg Hansen and Captain Riise, Oslo, have been ar-

Mrs. Ravn, has been sentenced 1cy. to six months in jail by a German court. She lost her husband, flyer Dag Ravn, during the invasion and her brother was in February sentenced to death by the Ger-

At Laksevagg, Bergen, where a large submarine base is under construction by the Germans, thirty families have been forced to give up their homes and an additional twenty - seven families have recently been told to vacate their houses to give room for the German workers.

Karsten Wang and Ivar Due-

sund, sentenced to death, were immediately shot at the now famous concentration camp at Ulven in the present of all the interned Norwegians there.

A German soldier, serving at There are regular arrivals of Bergenhus, had just returned from which is known to have happened heir whereabouts. This created a

#### AXIS DON'T LIKE IT

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 17: (P-Both German and Italian newspaper editors have criticized as "anti-European and speculative" a statement of Foreign Minister Christian E. Gunther that Sweden is determined to pursue a "calm, traditional, peaceful, 'cold - bloodedly selfish' Swedish" neutral pol- Advertise in the Dally News.

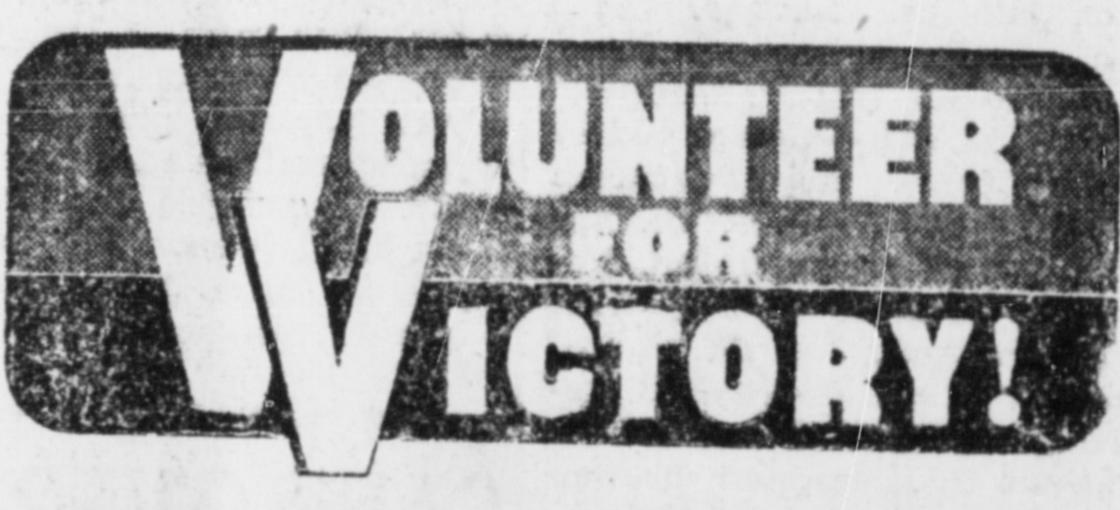
# Twenty-Five

December 17, 1916. train-loads of wounded soldiers a leave in Germany. He told the Alexander Millar, former bank from Finland. Paper bandages is other German soldiers about con- manager at Grand Forks and the only first-aid they have ditions as he found them in his brother of Mrs. W. E. Burritt of Among the wounded there always homeland. He could not locate his this city, has been shot dead at is a strong fear that those badly family, nor could the authorities Seattle where he had a difference hurt will be done away with give him any information as to with a man over a real estate deal.

lot of restlessness among all of S. J. Castleman and R. R. Hedthem concerning their families, ley of Vancouver, have come north Professor at Sydneshougen High The soldier who informed them as to visit the Ikeda mine on Queen School, Bergen, has been sen- to this was immediately shot. This Charlotte Islands in which they tenced to death and shot. He was created still more restlessness and are interested. The Ikeda has it resulted in a fight. Several of been shipping copper ore steadily the other soldiers were also shot. to the Anyox smelter.

> A. E. McMaster, former Grand Trunk Pacific Railway agent at Prince Rupert and more recently For Fim: divisional freight agent at Edmonton, has been appointed secretary for the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in British Columbia and will make his headquarters at Vancouver.

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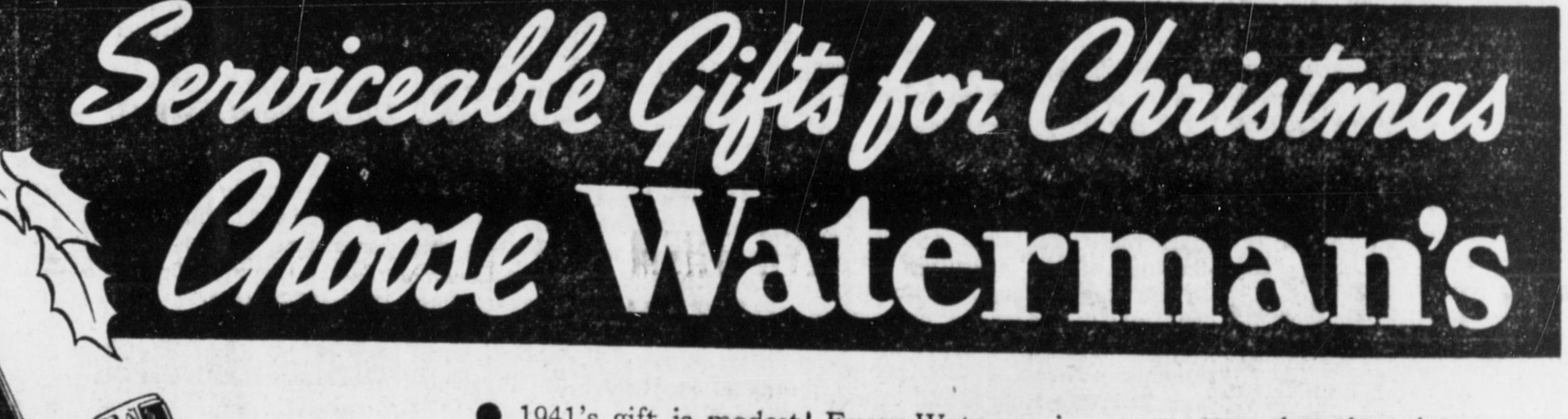
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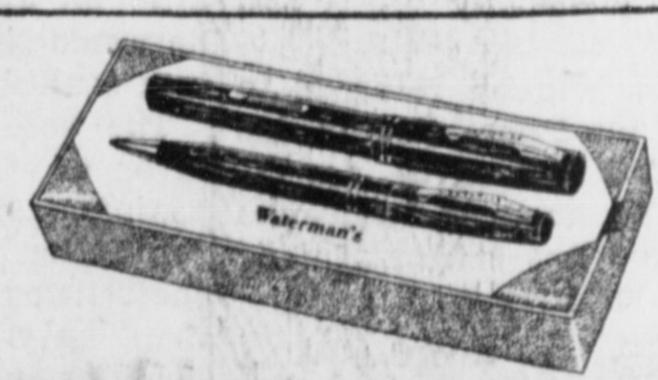


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