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Italy Is Trying To Get Out Of War

REPUDIATES BROADCAST

Statements Regarding Victor Emmanuel and Badoglio Were Unauthorized

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 28—President Franklin D. Roosevelt announced last night that a broadcast describing Victor Emmanuel of Italy as a "moron" and Marshal Pietro Badoglio as a Fascist had been made without authorization and should not have been made. The broadcast was put out by the Office of War Information.

POUNDING AT MUNDA

Allied Effort to Drive Japanese Off Solomon Islands Continues

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, July 28—Another heavy raid has been made on the Japanese stronghold of Munda in the Solomon Islands, air attack by planes synchronizing with further pressure by American land forces which are but 1 1/2 miles from the air base.

On the other end of the South Pacific war theatre, Allied bombing planes delivered another heavy air attack on Salamaua, New Guinea, dropping 123 tons of bombs to cause heavy damage.

RENOUNCE FASCISM

New Government of Italy Repudiates Mussolini's Political Doctrine

ROME, July 28—The Italian radio in an English language broadcast yesterday, announced that the new government of Italy had rejected Fascism as "an obstacle to the war effort."

RED ARMY MOVES ON

Further Advance Made by Russians Against Nazis in Orel Section

MOSCOW, July 28—The Red Army has pushed ahead another two to four miles in advance on the Orel front against stiff German resistance. In the direction of the Bryansk railway line an important hill has been taken.

LIZZIE HAD SMALL NIP

Back Alley Conviviality Has Police Court Sequel

Appearing in police court, charged with drunkenness, is almost routine with Lizzie Jones a native woman. The cause of her latest remission was a soldier with half a bottle of rum who appeared out of, and vanished into nowhere, after giving her "a small drink." According to Mrs. Jones this nameless son of Mars accosted her on Second Avenue last night and asked her if she wanted a drink. Righteously she replied that she did not drink "on the street." However, it transpired, a dark alleyway was a fitting enough place, and there she took a small snort of rum.

She was unable to shed any light on the identity of her benefactor nor where he got that rare and precious thing called rum.

"I was told that there was no rum at the vendors," commented Magistrate Vance, before passing the usual sentence of \$25 or seven days.

ITALIANS COLLAPSE

Americans Making Way on Sicily—British Canadians Meet Resistance

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS SICILY, July 28—United States forces, pushing rapidly across northern Sicily against crumbling Italian defences, have Cefalu, 38 miles east of Palermo and 90 miles from Messina. They are now moving on toward San Stefano.

The British and Canadian forces are still encountering stiff resistance from the Germans to the east but are making gradual headway.

Heavy Allied bombing of enemy objectives on northern Sicily and southern Italy continues.

Prisoners taken by the Allies in the Sicilian campaign are reported to include hundreds if not thousands of conscripts from subjected countries. These surrender readily to the Allies once they have the opportunity. Among the latest to be taken was a group of three hundred Poles.

NEW ENGINE TAKEN OVER

C.N.R. President Accepts Delivery of First of New Order

MONTREAL, July 28—R. C. Vaughan, chairman and president, Canadian National Railways, yesterday took over locomotive 6235 as the first of 30 on order for the National system and required for wartime traffic. The others will follow as quickly as they can be delivered by the Montreal locomotive works and as each one is received it will immediately go into service.

These new engines are up to date examples of the northern type developed by Canadian National engineers and especially adapted to system requirements. They are dual purpose locomotives, being available for both freight and passenger service.

A wartime substitution is that the bells of these new locomotives are of steel plate, made at the Canadian National Railways Montreal shops. Previously engine bells were cast of bronze but war priorities made that metal scarce and the railwaymen produced a bell made of steel plate instead.

The 30 new locomotives follow closely the principles of the original 6200's with modifications suggested after service which has proven the soundness of the design. The new lot have the sand boxes and the steam dome combined to suggest streamlining. The total weight of engine and tender in working order is 677,890 pounds. The overall length is 94 feet, 9 3/4 inches.

The engine taken over yesterday will be broken in by hauling a light tonnage freight load to Brockville, Ontario, and, when the engine is in smooth running order, it will be carrying heavy wartime freight.

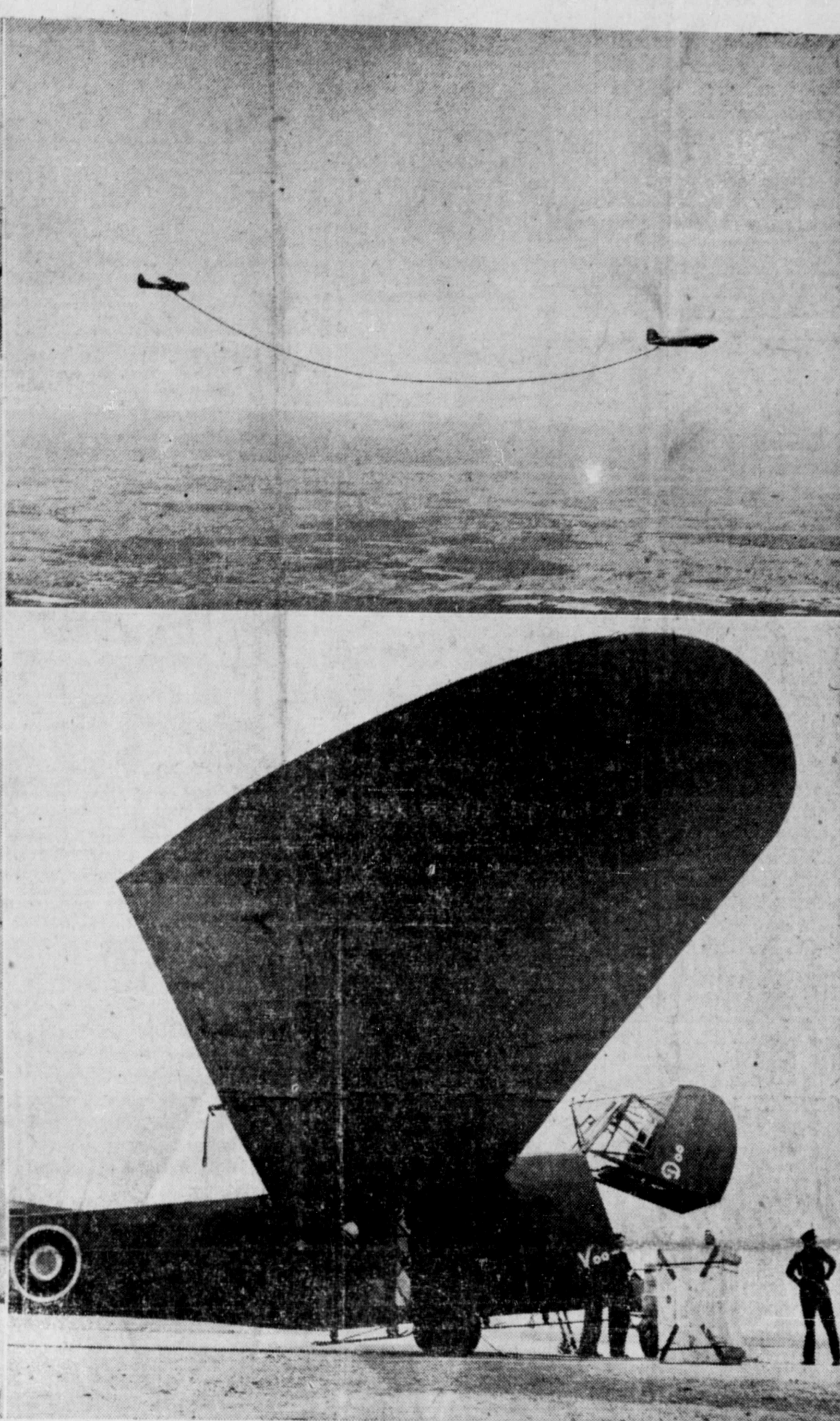
Bob Kelsey Wins His Commission

Local Boy, Now Pilot Officer, Headed His Class at Air Training School in Manitoba

Robert Kelsey, who passed first in his examinations at Souris, Manitoba, training centre of the Royal Canadian Air Force, and was awarded his commission as a pilot officer, arrived home on last night's train to spend leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. George Kelsey.



CHIEF PILOTS:
S-Ldr. R. G. Seys, D.F.C., Montreal.
S-Ldr. F. M. Gobeil, R.C.A.F., Ottawa.
Flt-Lieut. W. S. Longhurst, Montreal.
Flt-Lieut. C. W. H. Thomson, New Zealand.



Glider From Canada to England

TOP: Glider and transport that made first dual 3,200-mile transatlantic flight from Canada to England. Tow rope is made of 100 yards of nylon, cost \$400. LOWER: Glider being loaded prior to flight with war material and a ton of vaccine for Soviet Russia. R.A.F. Transport Command made record-setting flight.

MUSSO IS IN HIDING

Mystery Prevails as to Exact Whereabouts of Il Duce

LONDON, July 28—Mystery continues as to the exact whereabouts of the deposed Italian Premier, Benito Mussolini.

One report is that Il Duce has arrived in Spain and another is that he is in Switzerland.

If Mussolini is still in Italy his whereabouts are being kept deeply secret.

Halibut Sales

American
Elene, 50,000, 17.5 and 16, Bqoth and Pacific.
Lituya, 34,000, 17.5 and 16, Royal and Storage.
June, 32,000, 17.5 and 16, Atlin.

Canadian
Zapora, 45,000, 18.2 and 16, Storage.

Kiska Is Hit Again

UNITED STATES ALASKA COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, July 28—There have been nineteen American bombing attacks on Kiska, Japanese base in the Aleutians, during the first two days of this week, making the total sixty for July to date.

Bulletins

CIANO IN TURKEY
ROME—Count Ciano, son-in-law of deposed Premier Benito Mussolini, may become the new Italian minister to Turkey in succession to Rafeale Guariglia who becomes foreign minister to the new Italian cabinet of Premier Pietro Badoglio.

ITALY AND AXIS
MADRID—The view is expressed here that Italy will continue on the side of the Axis providing Germany gives adequate assistance in the defence of central and southern Italy against Allied invasion.

ENDORSED BY CHINA
CHUNGKING—The Chinese government endorses the demands of Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain and President Franklin D. Roosevelt of the United States for unconditional surrender of Italy as the basis of peace with that nation. China also favors the punishment of Benito Mussolini as an "arch criminal."

HAMBURG BOMBED AGAIN
LONDON—For the fourth successive night Hamburg was subjected to a heavy bombing attack which was officially described as "concentrated and effective." Extensive fires were started and casualties were high. The Ruhr was also attacked during the night. Eight bombers, including two Canadian, failed to return.

TRAFFIC AWAY UP

Further Increase Shown by TransCanada Air Lines

WINNIPEG, July 28—During the first six months of the current year, air mail carried by TransCanada Air Lines was more than doubled as compared with the corresponding period in 1942, more than three times as much express was carried, and the number of passengers increased by more than 17,000.

Figures made public today by O. T. Larson, vice-president, give the mail load this year as 1,732,227 pounds, as compared with 864,095 pounds; air express as 332,212 pounds; as against 107,834 pounds; 64,747 passengers, as compared with 47,650.

In the month of June, 12,616 passengers were carried, an increase of 2,299 over June a year ago; 309,109 pounds of mail, an increase of 135,005 pounds; 71,623 pounds of express, an increase of 44,217 pounds.

No Lifting of Rationing Yet

Stocks of Coffee and Tea in Canada Not Sufficient to Permit of This
OTTAWA, July 28—An official of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board said today that stocks of tea, coffee and spices in Canada are not sufficient to allow for a lifting of rationing for some time at least.

Col. Ralston On Britain Visit

Canadian Defence Minister in Old Country to Get Information Regarding Sicilian Campaign

LONDON, July 28—Col. J. L. Ralston, Canadian minister of national defence, has arrived in Britain to visit the troops here and take up matters in connection with the participation of Canadians in the Sicilian invasion. Accompanied by his personal assistant, Col. H. A. Reide, the minister was met by Lieut. General Kenneth Stuart, chief of staff of the Canadian Army.

Baseball Scores

National League
Boston 6, Cincinnati 2.
New York 5, Pittsburgh 8.
Philadelphia 2-2, St. Louis 6-5.
American League
Cleveland 4, New York 4 (13 innings).
St. Louis 8, Philadelphia 4.
Chicago 6, Washington 5.
Coast League
Sacramento 4, San Francisco 3.
Oakland 1, Seattle 8.
Hollywood 4, Portland 1.
International League
Buffalo 2-3, Newark 4-4.
Toronto 2, Jersey City 4.
Syracuse 3-2, Rochester 7-6.
Montreal 2-1, Baltimore 3-4.
American Association
Louisville 0-4, Kansas City 4-3.
Columbus 4-4, St. Paul 2-3.
Indianapolis 3-3, Milwaukee 0-4.
Toledo 5, Minneapolis 4.

HIT HARD AT KISKA

Japanese Air Base on Aleutian Island is Ripped Up in Air Attacks

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 28—American and Canadian bombing planes continue to whittle away at the Japanese established base at Kiska in the Aleutian Islands. Deep craters have been torn up in the newly completed air field and runway. Forty-one separate air attacks have been made so far this month on Kiska.

Germans To North Italy

NEW YORK, July 28—German troops are reported moving through Brenner Pass to take up defence positions north of the Po River in Italy's northern provinces of Venetia, Lombardy and Piedmont, advances reaching the Associated Press from European capitals said today.

MOVING OF PRISONERS

Great Numbers of Axis Captives From Mediterranean to Britain

AT A BRITISH PORT, July 28—The greatest mass movement of war prisoners, including thousands of Germans and Italians from North Africa, ever undertaken by boat has been accomplished without hitch despite Axis efforts to sink ships carrying their own soldiers out of the Mediterranean war zone.

TEACHERS AND WORK

Selective Service Regulations In Regard to Them Explained

"The general intention of Selective Service Regulations, as applying to teachers," according to E. V. Whiting, manager of the local Employment and Selective Service Office, "is to retain teachers at their profession during the school year, and to make the best possible use of their services during vacation."

Mr. Whiting said that there might be some misunderstanding among teachers as to their status under Selective Service Civilian Regulations. He explained this status in this way:

By Order in Council of June 17, 1943, teachers were brought under Selective Service. Previously they had been exempt in so far as employment at their profession is concerned. Now a teacher must continue at the teaching profession during the school year and can only leave to take their other full-time employment, except in the agricultural industry, under permit from Selective Service. It is not the intention to authorize teachers to leave the profession, where their services as teachers are needed. Teachers may still join the armed forces without permit or they may engage at part-time employment during the school year so long as it does not interfere with their teaching hours. During vacations teachers are encouraged to take other high priority work but, generally speaking and apart from employment in agriculture, teachers must secure Selective Service permits before entering employment. Teachers will not require permits to engage at work in their own profession.

PEACE TALK WIDESPREAD

Unconfirmed Reports Continue of Italy Dropping Out of Fight

NEGOTIATIONS START
MADRID, July 28—British and American legations to the Vatican, according to a report received here today, have asked their governments for instructions as to their attitude in regard to immediate peace with Italy. This report was received following an earlier one that the Italian government was endeavouring to establish peace negotiations with the Allies through the Vatican. One of the principal difficulties in regard to peace negotiations appears to be the question as to the fate of German divisions still in Sicily and southern Italy. The situation in Italy among the civilian population is gradually deteriorating. In Milan the armed forces have been called in to quell riots arising from demonstrations for peace. The Badoglio government has officially dissolved the Fascist party.

LONDON, July 28—Without confirmation, rumors of negotiations for an Italian-Allied armistice circulate in neutral capitals and in London. Swiss newspaper dispatches indicate that Italian factions, long subordinate to Fascism's yoke, and these include liberals who seek an immediate end to the war, are seeking a voice in the development of new national policy.

Indicating that there might be peace overtures through Turkey, a report from Ankara said that Rafeale Guariglia, new Italian foreign minister, conferred at sea with Turkish foreign minister Numan Menemencioğlu aboard an Italian embassy launch.

At the same time a report from Berne quoted information from Rome that Prime Minister Badoglio was discussing armistice conditions with the Allies. There was no confirmation.

In Italy there are widespread but unconfirmed reports of peace moves which would remove Italy from the war as an Axis partner against the Allies. The new government of Marshal Pietro Badoglio is said to be already discussing terms. Pope Pius is reported to be making every effort to promote peace negotiations between Italy and the Allies.

Elects For Jury Trial

Mary Martin is Released on \$5,000 Bail Till Supreme Court Sits

Following her committal for trial in city police court this morning on a charge of attempting to commit an abortion, Mary Martin, a local woman, later appeared before Judge W. E. Fisher in County Court and elected to have a jury trial. She was released on \$5,000 bail pending the sitting of the Supreme Court of Assizes in September.

Sentence Reserved

Stanley Unsworth, employed at the local dry dock, appeared in city police court yesterday charged with retaining stolen property and was remanded for sentence. According to evidence, Unsworth had in his possession a small electric generator plant stolen from a railway car standing on a siding near the dry dock.

BIG WAR BUILDING
The Pentagon building in Washington housing War Department offices occupies a square mile.