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This 12th day of February, 1946.
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Predicting The Almost Unpredictable In Atomic Bomb Test Is Tricky Task



By ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON, March 9.—(AP)—Predicting the almost unpredictable—just what may happen when an atomic bomb gets a sea trial—today is occupying Army - Navy "phenomenologists."

Their job is as tricky as their name.

All they have to do is figure out, before the Bikini atoll tests, just what phenomena the bomb explosion can generate in the way of blast, heat, pressure, radioactivity, tidal wave, clouds, and possible local thunderstorms.

And the corps, part of the group of 500 scientists who are members of the joint Army-Navy task force conducting the experiments, hastens to disclaim any ability to predict the exact effects of the phenomena on the warship targets.

If that could be done with precision, they explain, there would be no need for a test.

On the basis of what was observed in the only three previous detonations of the atom bomb—all exploded over land—and on deductions drawn from long research, the phenomenologists will make their predictions.

Professor Joseph Hirschfelder, University of Wisconsin physicists, heads the phenomenon forecasters.

Technical director for the task force is Dr. Ralph A. Sawyer, professor of physics at the University of Michigan and, during the war, laboratory director at the naval ordnance proving ground, Dahlgren, Va.

Sawyer looks upon the Bikini experiments as essentially an ordnance proving ground test. He explains that "we aren't testing the bomb itself because we know about that," but trying out a weapon against a new target under new conditions."

The Navy's delegation of experts will include technicians from the bureaus of both ordnance and ships. Ordnance men are interested in the ability of the bomb to transmit shock, pressure and heat through the air and water. The ship experts are concerned with the production of stresses and strains on the ships' hulls and superstructures and machinery.

'Bluebeard' Of Occupied Paris Faces Trial Soon

Dr. Marcel Petiot Charged With At Least 26 Murders During War

PARIS, March 9.—(U.P.)—Dr. Marcel Petiot, sinister "Bluebeard" of occupied Paris, will be brought to trial March 18 charged with at least 26 murders.

Police said Petiot has admitted complicity in 63. He asserted that 30 victims were Germans and the remainder were Gestapo agents and Nazi spies. He said he "eradicated" them in behalf of a secret "fly-tox" underground resistance organization which, he said, he led.

The trial will culminate the most sensational case in modern criminal history. Among the evidence are partly consumed human remains discovered in quicklime in the garden of the doctor's villa in the Rue Lesoeur.

Police have 39 suitcases crammed with clothing, believed to have belinged to the victims. They included shady characters, such as convicted murderers, thieves, and prostitutes known by such picturesque names as "Mo the Boxer," "Francois the Corsican," "Adrien the Basque," "Marseilles Joseph" and "Paulette the Chinawoman."

According to the police, Petiot claimed they all were agents of the German Gestapo.

On March 11, 1944, Jacques Marcais, a resident of the fashionable Rue Lesueur telephoned police that clouds of thick black smoke of an unpleasant odor were belching from the chimney of No. 21.

Police had to break into the house. They found it deserted, with a thick layer of dust covering everything. In the basement they found a furnace with a pile of human remains still burning, and stacked on the floor were two almost complete skeletons as well as skulls, feet and hands.

In the doctor's study they found a tiny window looking out into the yard, where there was a large trench filled with quicklime containing more human remains. Police identified at least 10 bodies—five men and five women.

Petiot had disappeared. Three weeks later, at the village of Courson Les Carrieres outside Paris, police found 39 suitcases hidden in a stable.

The night of Oct. 31, 1944, a swarthy figure in the uniform of the FFI, the French underground army, emerged from a subway station.

Two French Army security officers came out of the shadows and snapped handcuffs on his wrists. Dr. Petiot had been caught.

For 17 months he has been questioned.

Tampa Antique Shop Owner Is Found Slain

TAMPA, Fla., March 9—(AP)—In the bizarre setting of old uniforms, guns and odds and ends of an antique shop and second hand store, Frank Daniels, 52, was found dead today, the hilt of a swastika-embellished dagger protruding from the back of his neck.

His body had tumbled from the blood-smeared bed of his room behind the shop, and scattered on the floor around it were packages of old coins and a few loose pennies.

Detective Inspector W. D. Bush declared it a robbery-murder, and a next door shopkeeper, B. K. Smith, reported that Daniels had about $1,500 in his living quarters.

Paasikivi Is Elected President Of Finland

HELSINKI, March 9 — (AP) — Premier Juho Kusti Paasikivi was elected president of Finland by parliament today to fill out the unexpired term of Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustaf Mannerheim, 79, who resigned in March because of his health.

Paasakivi will take the oath of office Monday. His term runs until March, 1950.

His first official task will be naming a premier who can form a government able to continue the work of fulfilling the Russian-Finnish armistice demands and leading the country back to economic stability.

Ontario Premier Says Russian Aggression Follows Nazi Pattern

TORONTO, Ont., March 9—(AP)—Premier George A. Drew of Ontario asserted today that "Russian aggression is following precisely the same pattern and using the same method as Germany used before the war," and he indicated concern over the ultimate safety of Canada's vital uranium deposits.

"The bare, unvarnished truth is that unless Russian aggression is stopped, we are in the front line," He told a convention of the Credit Granters association of Canada, adding that "one nation and one nation alone threatens the peace of the world."

Canadians, he said "have a particular reason for being greatly concerned with the course of Russian aggression."

TOBACCO EXPORTS TO CONTINUE HIGH

Total During 12 Months Ending June 30 May Reach 400,000,000 Lbs.

RALEIGH, March 9 — (AP)—The disappearance of flue-cured tobacco is continuing at an exceptionally high rate and total exports during the 12-months period ending June 30 may reach as much as 400,000,000 pounds, the State Department of Agriculture said today.

Predicting that exports would "continue high during the next two or three years," agriculture commissioner W. Kerr Scott said the "immediate future for Tar Heel tobacco farmers appears pretty bright."

The state produces about 67 per cent of all flue-cured leaf.

Pointing out that individual farm acreage allotments will be 10 per cent larger this year, Scott said it is the consensus of tobacco experts that the increase in flue-cured acreage for 1946 appears desirable, in view of the low level of stock abroad, and the expected high level of post-war demand by foreign countries.

He warned farmers, however, against "neglecting the proper production and marketing of their tobacco crops." Explaining that despite the favorable outlook for flue-cured tobacco, tobacco specialists believe that prices paid growers have reached their peak.

"We anticipate that price variations between the various grades of tobacco may be wider this year—and a great deal wider the next season," Scott said, explaining that the strong domestic and foreign demands for tobacco at or near ceiling prices—which were in terms of weighted averages—have prevented the normal spread in prices between the various qualities of leaf for the past three years."

"The farmer who grows good tobacco, properly graded, this year and next, will be rewarded for his efforts. This has not been true since 1942," he said.

LOS ANGELES, March 8—(AP)—Mrs. John A. Goodwin, reference librarian for 23 years at the University of California at Los Angeles, has retired. What's she going to do now?

"Catch up on my reading," she announced.

Fair Food Distribution Is Promised By Hoover

Answers CIO And Left Wing Criticism Of His Selection For Job

WASHINGTON, March 9—(U.P.)—Former President Herbert Hoover said tonight he expected American relief food to be distributed to starving peoples abroad "without differential as to race, religion or political belief.

Mr. Hoover thus answered CIO and Left Wing criticism of his selection as honorary chairman of President Truman's famine emergency committee. The CIO women's auxiliary has accused the former President of using food as a "reactionary weapon" in his relief missions to Europe before and after World War I.

That was not the case then and will not be now, Mr. Hoover said in an interview.

He leaves next week on an emergency food mission for President Truman to investigate Europe's needs. His itinerary will not be finally determined until after conferences with officials here during the next few days.

As Mr. Hoover completed plans for his flying mission abroad, the Agriculture department proposed a slogan for the nation's wheat-saving drive: "Reach for a potato instead of more bread."

The former President, with several government food experts, will determine personally the needs of Europe as a basis for scheduling U. S. relief shipments to alleviate hunger. His reports will serve as a guide to the President's new famine emergency committee which Mr. Hoover is honorary chairman.

Meanwhile, the Agriculture department offered the potato as a substitute for wheat and other scarce grains needed for hungry peoples abroad.

Department nutritionists called the potato "sturdy stuff to lean on for food value." They told calories-watchers that "it's the company potatoes keep"—butter, margarine or gravy—that is fattening, not the spud itself.

In a telegram to Anderson, the women's auxiliaries of the CIO criticized the selection of Mr. Hoover as honorary chairman of the emergency food program.

$500 FINE FOR DUMPING GARBAGE IN THE STREET

NEW YORK, March 8.—(AP)—Alfred Fucino, employe of a produce wholesaler, was fined $500 when he pleaded guilty to dumping 72 sacks of rotten vegetables in the middle of the street a block away from the wholesale market.

The usual fine for Sanitary Code violations is $2 or $3, but Magistrate Maurice Simmons said: "I would have imposed a jail sentence if Fucino hadn't been just an employe, but I called his boss in to pay his fine and I believe the surgery of a $500 fine will induce these firms to cut out this practice."

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