JAPANESE DIET **COMPLETES WORK**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25 .-(AP)-The reconvened session of the Japanese diet was reported by Radio Tokyo Sunday to have wound up its one week of work and to have scheduled closing ceremonies for Monday.

Premier Kuniaki Koiso appeared before the House of Peers and "clarified the resolute attitude of the government to carry out forceful measures without delay." This came on the heels of the premier's order for formation of a people's volunteer army in which the entire populace will be enlisted in anti-invasion and other war work.

Tokyo said the diet during the week "carried on serious debate with regard to taking the indispensable steps toward strengthening the domestic front for the decisive battle in view of the new phase of the war created by the fall of Iwo Jima."

The Japanese radio also reported that the entire cabinet met wi's Koiso Sunday in special session to talk over "current problems."

RADIO WMFD Wilmington

1400 KC MONDAY, MARCH 26 7:30—"Family Altar." 7:45—"Musical Clock"

8:00-News with Martin Agronsky. 8:15-"Musical Clock" 8:30—Correspondents Around the World 8:45—Rosa Rio 9:00—The Breakfast Club with Don Mc-

Neill. 10:00-My True Story 10:25-Aunt Jemima Show. 10:30—"Let's Dance" 10:45—The Listening Post 11:00—Breakfast in Hollywood — Ton Brenamen 11:30-Gil Martyn, News

11:45-Jack Berch and His Boys 11:35—Jack Berch and his Boys
12:30—Glamour Manor
12:30—Farm and Home Makers
1:00—Baukhage Talking—Whites'.
1:15—Musical Interlude.
1:25—News — Wilmington Star-News

1:30—The Vagabonds. 1:45—Piano Playhouse. 2:00—John B. Kennedy—News. 2:10—Sthel and Albert.
2:30—Sunny Side of the Street.
2:45—Yours Alone.
3:10—Songs by Morton Downey.
3:13—Ladies Be Seated.

3:30-Appointment with Life. 4:00-Time Views the News. 4:15-Church of God. 4:30-Reports from Abroad. 4:30—Reports from Abroad.
4:45—Hop Harrigan.
5:00—Terry and the Pirates.
5:15—Dick Tracy.
5:30—Lone Ranger—Merita.
6:00—Kiernan's News Corner.
6:15—Musical Interlude.

6:25—News — Wilmington Star-News. 6:30—Ten, Two Four Time. 6:45—Unfinished Business— Red Cross Program. 7:00—Headline Editions.

7:15—Raymond Gram Swing—News. 7:30—Social Security Program. 7:35-Let's Dance. 7:35—Let's Dance.
8:00—Ted Malone—Top of the Evening.
8:15—Johnson Jubilee Singers.
8:30—Blind Date.
9:00—The Jerry Wayne Show.
9:30—Victory Parade of Spotlight Bands

10:30-Armed Forces Playwriting Contest

OVER THE NETWORKS

MONDAY, MARCH 26
Eastern War Time P. M.
Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

5:45—Front Page Farrell Serial — nbc Wilderness Road, Serial Drama — cbs Capt. Midnight, a Sketch — blu-east Hop Harrigan in Repeat — other blu Tom Mix Serial Series — mbs-basic 6:00—News Report for 15 Mins. — nbc Quincy Howe and News Time — cbs Walter Kiernan and News — blu-east Repeat of the Terry Serial — blu-west Chick Carter, Detective Repeat — mbs 6:15—America's Serenade; Sports — nbc 6:15-America's Serenade: Sports - nbe 6:15—America's Serenade; Sports — noc Lyn Murray Chorus, Orchestra — cbs Repeat from Dick Tracy — blu-west Serial Superman's Repeat — mbs-west 6:30—Sally Moore in Songs Show — cbs Repeat of Jack Armstrong — blu-west House of Mystery Repeat — mbs-west 6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc 6:45—Lowell Thomas & Newscast—nbc
World News and Commentary — cbs
Peggy Mann and Songs — blu-basic
Capt. Midnight in Repeat — blu-west
Repeat of Tom Mix Serial — mbs-west
7:00—Como's Supper Club — nbc-basic
Jack Kirkwood's Radio Show — cbs
War Correspondents Broadcast — blu
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Comments — mbs
7:15—War News from the World — nbc
Hedda Hopper from Hollywood — cbs Hedda Hopper from Hollywood — Raymond Gram Swing Comment — Mutual Musical, Short Concert — n Mutual Musical, Short Concert — mbs
7:30—Carolyn Gilbert and Songs — nbc
Bob Hawk & Quiz Show — cbs-basic
Dancing Music Half Hour — other cbs
Lone Ranger's Drama of West — blu
Bulldog Drummond Adventures — mbs
7:45—Kaltenborn and Comment — nbc 3:00—Cavalcade of America Play Vox Pop by Parks and Warren 'Ted Malone's Overseas Show Cecil Brown's News Comment — 8:15—Lum and Abner Serial Skit — Curt Massey's Broadcast Time — Burns and Allen Comedy Show Blind Date and Arlene Francis Sherlock Holmes & Dr. Watson — mbs 8:55—Five Minutes News Period — cbs 9:00—Voorhees Concert & Guest — nbc

9:00—Voornees Contert & Guest — hoteled CBS Radio Theater, Hr. Drama — cbs Jerry Wayne and Music Show — —blu Gabriel Heatter and Comment — mbs 9:15—Dramas from Real Life — —mbs 9:30—Information Please, a Quiz — nbc Spotlight Bands, Guest Orches. — blu Martin of Worship, a Concert — mbs Spotlight Bands, Guest Orches. — blu
Music of Worship, a Concert — mbs
9:55—Five Minutes Story Teller — blu
10:00—Contented Concert Orches. — nbc
Screen Gulld Players & Guest — cbs
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra — blu
Anita Ellis Sings Her Songs Anita Ellis Sings Her Songs — miss 10:15—Paul Schubert in Comment — mbs 10:30—Doc. I. Q. and Quiz Series — nbc The Johnny Morgan Show — cbs-east Bob Hawk Quiz Repeat — other cbs Armed Forces Play Contest — blu Half Hour for Dance Music — mbs 1200—1200—125 Minutes — mbs-basic

-News for 15 Minutes - nbc-basic The Supper Club Repeat - nbc-west News; Variety, Dance 2 h.—cbs & blu Newsred; Dance Orches., 2 h — mbs 11:15—Variety and News to 1 a.m. — nbc

MOST MINERAL SPRINGS Budapest, Hungary, is said to contain more mineral springs and health baths than any other city in the world, there being more than 40 famous flows of therapeutic value located there.

CONTAINS MORE THAN OTHERS Coffee contains more substances than any other beverage. It contains water, sugar, casein, gum, fat, oil mineral water, wood and caffeine, the latter a drug com- of President Roosevelt, conferred posed and nitrogen, carbon, hydro-yesterday with Italian Foreign and water. Minister Alcide deGasperi.

TWINS ... AND MORE TWINS



with his two sets of twins and 21-year-old wife who says she's "expecting" again, and wouldn't mind a third twin addition to her family. The children in daddy's lap are Michael and Margaret, 16 months old. In back are Kathleen and Lawrence, three years of age.

Peace Comes To Germany In American-Held Areas

By WADE WERNER

Supply trucks, jeeps, tanks and truckload. ambulances rolling forward through In towns relatively untouched ward defeat.

One of the most striking fea- relaxation and relief. tures is the number of prisoners moving rearward. The jeep in ever, where the war was still too which Pvt. Paul Poisson of Flint, recent, traces still too gruesomely traveled toward the front passed strain. Roads cluttered with the 3,000 of Hitler's soldiers standing wreckage of German transport, dejectedly in an open field-with- the torn carcasses of horses, dead out barbed wire-quietly awaiting German soldiers in fields and the next move to the rear.

From there on to the bridgehead, wind of wrath that passed. it almost seemed as through there Americans on the road winding progress. through picturesque mountains,

pass begrimed, dust covered, close rect traffic. packed in open trucks.

| children were out trying to catch ON THE U. S. THIRD ARMY a glimpse of a remembered face, BRIDGEHEAD, March 25. —(P)— and tossing cigarets, fruit, cookies and other small gifts toward each

newly conquered German terri- by bombing or artillery, the phetory toward this new outpost of nomenally mild spring weather American occupation pass a 100- heightened the impression the war mile-long panorama of war's af- was over and peace really was termath and German reactions to- here. The dominant expression on civilian faces in such towns was

There were other places, how Mich., and this correspondent evident, for relaxation of the long ditches told the story of the whirl-

But in many peaceful fields far

9:55—Coronet Story Teller.
10:00—Guy Lombardo and His Royal
Canadians.
10:30—Armed Forces Playwriting Contest

Coronet Story Teller.

Valleys and streams. I counted armbands—civilian police appointing 60 prisoners, in a few hours.

Coronal civilians matched that At many intersections along the German civilians watched them were helping American MP's di-

Old women and children dominat-In every village, women and ed the German scene everywhere.

into icy water until he revived.

dreds of cases."

6. Slice

9. Skill

horseback

day (abbr.)

21. Tastes

24. Onions

26. Throb

28. Pith

27. Arrived

30. Particle

31. Eastern

33. Extent

35. Cry of a

36. Metal

a pale

42. Still

43. Borders

1. Craze

gifts

37. Pierce with

40. Girl's name

DOWN

2. Charitable

3. Beverage

4. Remnant

41. Destroyed

29. Government

Issue (abbr.)

state (abbr.)

slightly

22. Hastened

Indian

20. Officer of the 22. A chapter of 33. Falsehood

the Koran 34. Insect

Dubourg said cancer was given

15,000 Believed Murdered In Concentration Stockade

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER

NATZWEILER, Alsace, France, March 25.—(AP)—Until France's liberation by the Allies Heinrich Himmler's Gestapo added Twentieth Century efficiency to medieval torture methods at the Struthof concentration camp atop a Vosges mountain peak just above

this village, French officials said Statistics found by the French when they overtook Struthof showed 19,103 persons of various nationalities were domiciled in 15 barracks on August 20, 1944. Their compound was surrounded by electrically charged barbed wire so

that only one person, a Russian, ever escaped. Dr. Alain Dubourg, a French sanitation officer now in charge of the health of the present inmates, consisting chiefly of French collaborationists, estimated that blu from October, 1941 some 15,000

persons had been cremated. French officials give this account: Russian and Poles were hanged from two gallows within sight of all inmates. Inmates of other na

tionalities if condemned to death were either gassed or shot through the neck.

Bodies were hauled to the ground floor, in the center of which was the cremation oven.

The Gestapo did a flourishing business with ashes-selling them in two types of urns to relatives. Earthern urns were cheaper than

In another section of the barracks was the lethal chamber. Condemned victims were placed in there 32 at one execution.

The Gestapo offered premiums to the young SS men who did the killing. For each they received six extra cigarets, one pint of schapps and 60 grams of sausage. After killing 10 they were given a twoday furlough.

The torture chamber resembled those of the Spanish Inquisition, except the modern tile bathtub ir one corner which enabled the Gestapo to throw a tortured person

FLYNN MEETS ITALIAN ROME, March 25 .- (AP)-Edward Flynn, personal representative RYUKYU INVASION **FEARED BY TOKYO**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.-(P)-Radio Tokyo predicted Sunday that American forces "will shortly try to land" in the Ryukyu Islands, between the Japanese homeland and Formosa.

Tokyo asserted that "our air force units stationed on Kyushu and Formosa have maintained their unshatterable fighting strength.'

The U.S. Pacific Fleet officially nnounced Saturday that American warships shelled Ryukyu coastines while carrier planes blasted the islands last Friday and Saturday, Japanese time. Philippine based bombers have been hitting Formosa army and navy air bases daily for many weeks.

Benedictine Priest Dies After Working 40 Years On Christian Dictionary

LONDON, March 25. - (AP) For more than 40 years the Rev. Henri le Clercq, a Benedictine priest, pored over ancient manuscripts in the British museum reading room compiling a diction-

say I will never live to write the end, but I reply 'I have a contract with the Bon Dieu to let me write finish to volume Z.' '

Friday, shortly after his publish-Paris had acknowledged receipt of the last pages of the monumental work.

With One Dead, Six Lost

OTTAWA, March 25. - (AP) -The Canadian corvette Trentonian has been torpedoed and sunk with one officer killed and six ratings listed as missing, Navy Minister Angus Macdonald announced tonight. There were 95 survivors. The corvette, the tenth lost by

were more German soldiers than ther on, spring plowing was in did not give the location nor the

cently was a canopy placed over Omar Khayyam's tomb at Nishapur. India, although he has been dead since 1123. Admirers in other countries sought this recogni-

ter is said to be in Ruebeland, a little village in the Hartz mountains. The theater is located in as the cause of death "in hun- a cave 600 feet underground.

The broadcast, beamed to Germany and recorded by the FCC, specifically named Okinawa as a possible landing point. It boasted that landing forces would "indeed experience the ferocity of the forces manning our inner defense lines." Tokyo added that a Ryukyu invasion would be met by Japanese air forces based in China, Formosa and on Kyushu island, southernmost of the main Japanese

ary of Christian archeology.
Once he told friends: "They

The French scholar, 76, died

Father le Clercq's efforts had been recognized by the French Legion of Honor and the British

Canadian Corvette Sunk

Canada since the war started, was on daylight convoy duty and sank in 14 minutes. The announcement time of the sinking. The corvette

Not until comparatively re-

UNDERGROUND THEATER

The world's most unusual thea-

The biggest execution day appears to have been September 2, 1944. That night 392 bodies were before seeding for better stands and larger yields.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES-THIS FOOD, IS SOME-





WASH TUBBS-

TVE ASKED H. OTTO DEGREE,
THE ART SLEUTH, TO
EXAMINE THIS PAINTING.
HE CAN TELL IF IT'S A
GENUINE ABELANDO BY

USED





GASOLINE ALLEY-







POSTWAR RECONVERSION

By ELLIOTT and McARDLE

DR. BOBBS-





AND A JUGFUL OF



THE GUMPS-

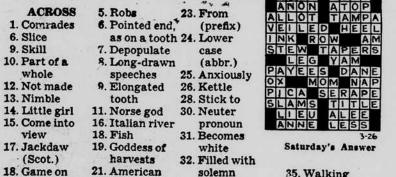


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DAILY CROSSWORD LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE



wonder

35. Walking stick 38. Wet earth 39. Swine

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

IPF SFFS ZW FEFLXIPZUQ, IPF QHJLX UTKQPI-QJFIPF.

Saturday's Cryptoquote: TONE ENEMY CAN DO MORE HURT THAN TEN FRIENDS CAN DO GOOD-SWIFT. Distributed by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

WHEN SHE CAUGHT ME DOWN HERE, I TOLD HER I WAS GETTIN WOW! WHAT A CLOSE CALL! READY TO CLEAN OUT TH' F SHE EVER GUESSED I'VE GOT BASEMENT ... THAT FOOLED HER ... THAT COAT O' HERS HID UNDER TH' JUNK IN THAT BARREL "AT LEAST I HOPE IT DID!

THAT ODAH OF BUHNED CLOTH! IT SHOULD'VE GONE LONG AGO! ... UNLESS ... OH! MEHCIFUL HEAVENS! THAT HORRIBLE LITTLE IMP!

OUT OUR WAY-

OUR BOARDING HOUSE ... with ... MAJOR HOOFLE By J R WILLIAMS



