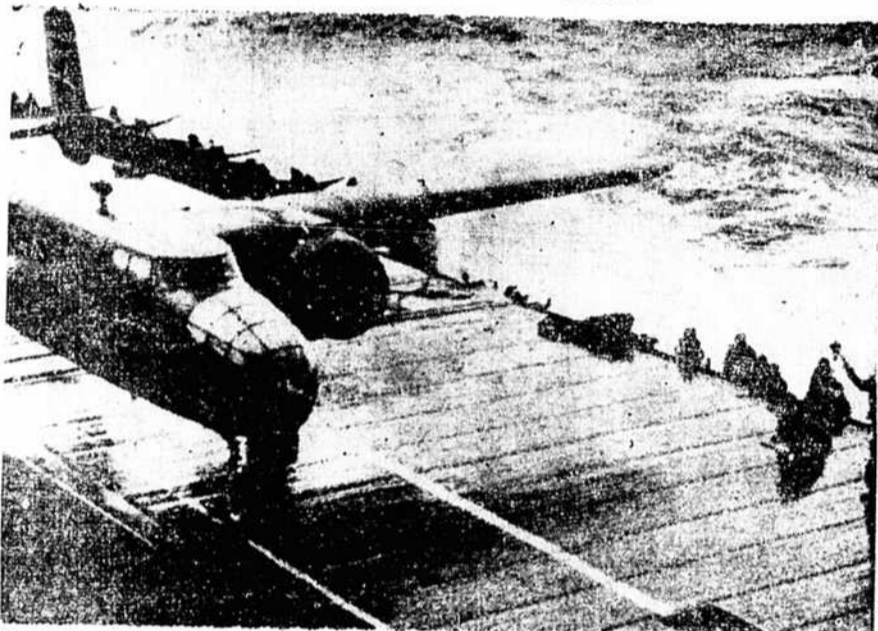


FDR RECEIVES BOMBER MODEL



Inspecting the Douglas Aircraft Company plant at Tulsa, Okla., President Roosevelt receives a model of an A-21 dive bomber from Oil Smallwood, representing the workers at the plant. This was the President's second major tour of the nation's war plants. (International Soundphoto.)

ON THE DECK OF "SHANGRI-LA"



Taking off for Tokyo, the pilot of a B-25 of Doolittle's raiders gets the all-clear signal from the starter on the flight deck of the U. S. S. Hornet. Planes devastated Japan's industrial, military and industrial centers. U. S. Navy Photo. (International Soundphoto.)

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

ALL OF our daily habits are being disrupted by the war and there is no prospect that the situation is going to improve. Even if peace were declared tomorrow...

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through this column.

troops would still have to be sent abroad in order to replace those who have taken their turn at service. In medical schools we believe that practically all doctors being graduated from medical schools will be inducted into service up to at least 1950.

I sit in on the discussions of the house committee of a small hospital and it is astonishing how many problems come up which apparently can't be anticipated, and there is no good reason to believe that the situation will be bettered within the next two or three years.

Change in Eating Habits

One feature in the change in eating habits is the amount of eating that is done outside the home. In 1929 there was an average of \$175,000,000 a month spent on sales in restaurants and eating and drinking places. In October, 1942, there was \$592,000,000 spent. These changes are due to the population groups which have moved into war industry centers and have not found proper facilities for living quarters, parents working away from home, increased unemployment in large cities and towns.

Not only this, but the amount of food which is being served in these places is increasing. In 1929 dollar sales in eating and drinking places were less than 20 per cent of the total retail sales of food stores. Now they are running around 36 per cent.

Problems in Restaurants

All of these things being problems, restaurant hygiene is a pre-emptive and often it is difficult to enforce the sanitary regulations, which should be imposed upon all food workers. Sanitary officials now have to visit restaurants at night.

An extremely important sanitary precaution which could be instituted is the use of paper cups, paper plates and other utensils as possible. With the exception of the inspection of restaurant workers, the washing of plates...

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clendening Friday-817 calories

BREAKFAST

1 universal vitamin pill; 4 steamed prunes - 200 calories; 1 slice toast (no butter) - 100 calories; 1 cup coffee (no cream or sugar).

LUNCH

Stuffed egg salad (1 egg, 1/2 head lettuce, mineral oil dressing) - 125 calories; 1 whole-wheat cracker - 22 calories; 1 glass skimmed milk - 100 calories.

DINNER

Average helping of any baked, broiled or boiled fish (no sauce) - 100 calories; 1/2 cup poached egg - 50 calories; 20 calories; 1/2 cup lemon tea - 120 calories.

Afternoon helping of any baked, broiled or boiled fish (no sauce) - 100 calories; 1/2 cup poached egg - 50 calories; 20 calories; 1/2 cup lemon tea - 120 calories.

Fish Washing

The technique required by the Bureau of Standards for the washing of fish in a restaurant is quite strict. It cannot be left to a Tokyo worker for the reason that when combinations of infections from the water and the digestive tract are very likely to occur unless the temperature of the water and other factors are carefully observed. Already we have reports from some cities that such infections have occurred from neglect of this method. A great deal of it can be prevented by the use of paper cups and utensils.

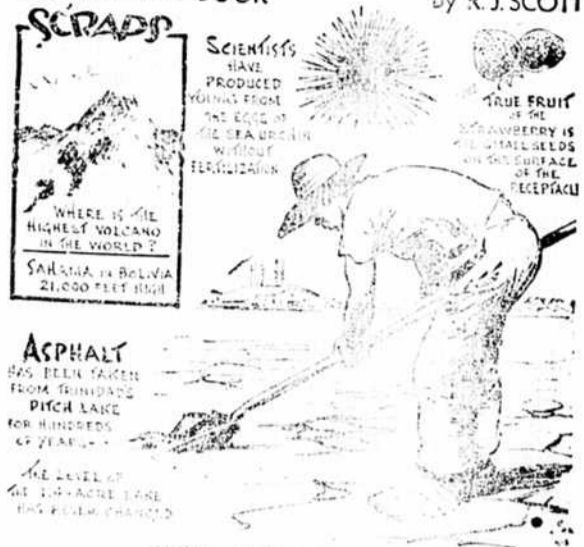
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. M.: Could a temperature of 100 in a child of nine years be caused by a nervous condition, or does the child have to be a physical condition to present for it? Is it dangerous to allow a child running the temperature to go ahead with normal activities?

A.: I would regard this as sufficiently serious to require a careful physical examination. It should not be explained away by the comforting thought that it is due to nervousness. I believe a temperature of 100 and an X-ray of the chest should be done in order to rule out tuberculosis positively. I probably don't have the child's exact history in normal conditions.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



THIMBLE THEATRE - Starring Popeye

"A Corny Dreamer!"



BLONDIE - (Registered U. S. Patent Office) Zombie Lingo!

By Chic Young



THE GUMPS - DISHONEST CONFESSION

By PAUL ROBINSON



The BLIND MAN'S SECRET by RICHARD D. HOUGHTON

CHAPTER THIRTY
CLEMANTINE recoiled as from a physical blow when Agatha announced that there was a microphone concealed in the closet.
"Where in the world?" she asked, as though the word "microphone" might be audible to the concealed listener, even from out in the hall.
"I don't know who you mean by 'they,' child. I wouldn't be surprised if it is the police."

(To Be Continued)