

FDR - APRIL 12

ATOMIC BOMBS

V-E DAY

1945
SURRENDER
WAR

Germany attacks north of...
The German attack...
The American forces...
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The American forces...

French reach Oder river...
The first army strikes near...
The British advance north...
The German army...
The American Third Army...
The French forces also...
The German army...
The American forces...

U.S. cavalry enters Manila...
The first army gains control...
The American forces...
The German attack...
The American forces...
The German attack...
The American forces...

British Second Army...
The British Second Army...
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General MacArthur orders arrest...
The General MacArthur orders...
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President Roosevelt dies at...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...
The President Roosevelt dies...

President Truman names Robert H...
The President Truman names...
The President Truman names...
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Philippine Islands...
The Philippine Islands...
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RUSSIA DECLARES WAR ON JAPAN
and begins offensive operations in Manchuria.

SECOND ATOMIC BOMB DROPPED ON NAGASAKI, JAPAN, raising one-third of city. Total deaths 10,000. This bomb was more powerful than the one dropped on Hiroshima.

JAPAN OFFERS UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER, provided Emperor Hirohito is left in power.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE 105 MILES INTO MANCHURIA.

TRUMAN REPLIES TO JAPANESE PEACE OFFER that Hirohito will be retained temporarily.

RUSSIAN ARMIES CONTINUE ADVANCE, reaching 125 miles into Manchuria.

JAPAN SURRENDERS UNCONDITIONALLY. Emperor Hirohito addresses to accept terms of surrender. President Truman announces capitulation of Japan at 10:08 p.m.

GENERAL MACARTHUR IS APPOINTED SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS in the Pacific. He is to make all arrangements for surrender details, and to set up military government.

TRUMAN'S CABINET FORMED, headed by Prince Naruhiko Higashikuni. Japanese commanders of Truk, Iwo, Yap and Jaluit negotiate to lay down arms.

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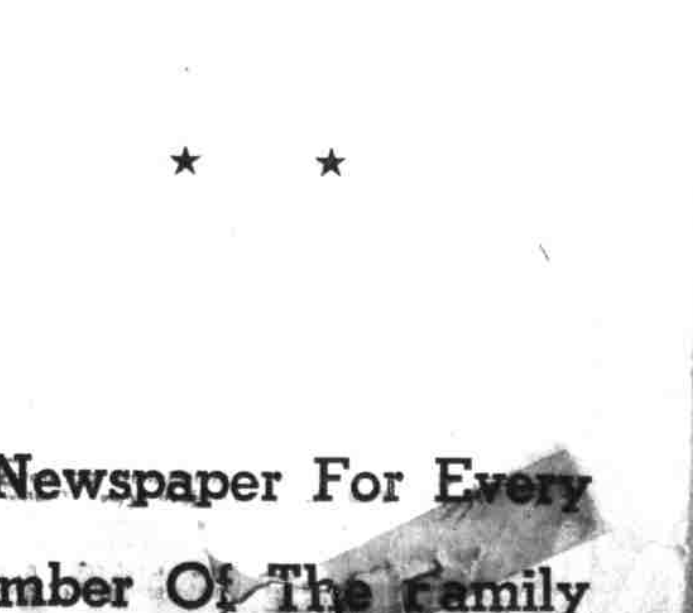
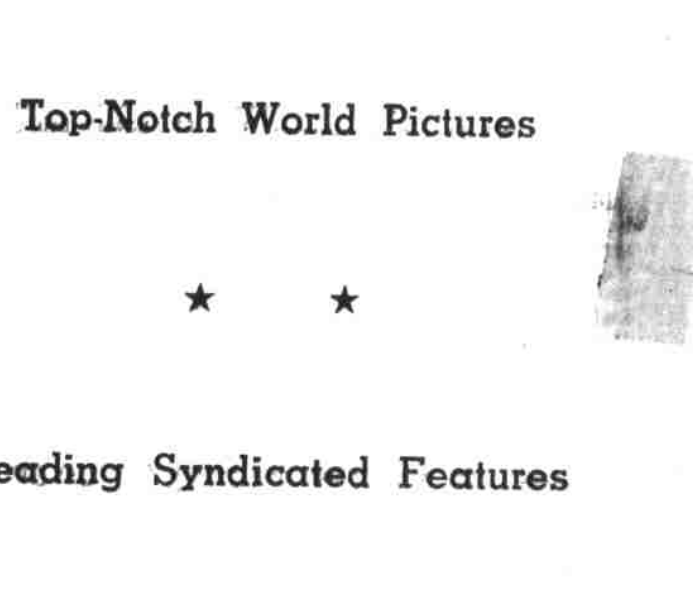
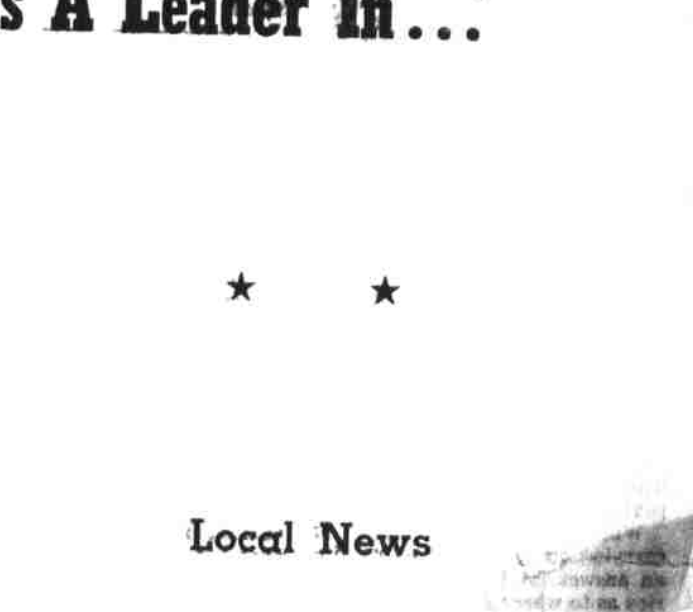
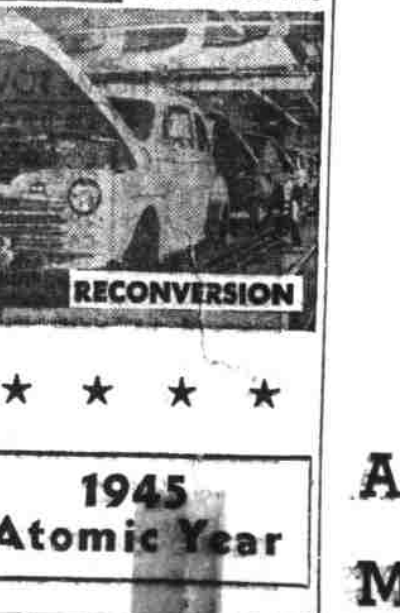
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