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## WAR BULLETINS

LONDON-(AP)-A sharp cut in shipping losses from
German sea and air attacks and indications that the Axis
will feel in 1942 the weight of bomb assaults overshadow-
ing the destructive air offensives of 1941 gave Britons new
confidence today.
To begin the new year, the ministry of information re-
ported that the German submarine fleet had been hard hit
and that the German high command "is faceed with diffi-
culties in manning U-boats and adequate training of their
crews."
TOKYO-(AP) - In the new year's broadcast Premier TOKYO-(AP)-In the new year's broadcast Premier
General Hideki Tooo of Japan asserted that "it is only a
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## Everybody's Job

That's a question that millions of Americans all over the country are asking today. We who are behind the farflung battle lines of freedom-how can we help? The answer isn't hard to find. Not all of us can fly a
bomber or operate a tank, but there are many other ways in which we can-and must- aid our country.
in which we can-and must- aid our country. For one thing, we can all work harder at our jobs than
ever before and in that way help increase America's pro-
duction efficiency. We can be more careful and cut down duction efficiency. We can be more careful and cut down
accidents. We can build up our health and our endurance against difficult days that are bound to come. We can avoid waste both at work and at home and help to conserve
materials that Uncle Sam needs now more than ever before.
Our plants and factories have long had well organized methods of salvaging such materials. One company saves enough aluminum to build ten two-engine bombers every month from machine shop left-overs alone. Another gets
$75,000,000$ pounds of non-ferrous scrap metal every year $75,000,000$ pounds of non-ferrous scrap metal every year
from parts of its equipment that have outlived their usefulness. Now it's up to us-every one of us-to work out salvage campaigns in our own
we can that our country needs.
Many of the articles we have been accustomed to buy won't be available any more. Industry will have to cut
down on many products to speed the output of weapons. down on many products to speed the output of weapons.
Tnstead of blaming our industrial system for those shortwe can accept them cheerfully, keep up our morale
realize that metals and materials that in peace-time uld use, are now building up the best Army, Navy nrce in the world.

When the aggressors attacking America chose a war of machines, they turned right down our alley. For America's
industrial combination of men, management, machines and resources makes it the greatest mass production nation in
the world. In that fact lies our strength and our victory. the world. In that fact lies our strength and our victory,
What is the present status of our industry? It's got to be expanded, of course, and expanded rapidly to meet the
needs of war production. But what have we got to go on needs of war production. But what have we got to go on
at the present time? A survey of facts shows that we've got a lot.
Modern war burns up huge quantities of oil. America's production of crude oil today is $4,100,000$ barrels, and our capacity is $4,750,000$ barrels. And we're well on our way
to producing $5,000,000$ gallons of 100 to producing $5,000,000$ gallons of 100 octane aviation
gas every day-enough to "keep 'em flying" at the rate of 50,000 planes at a time
a year and that, together with Canadian production puts us ahead of the Axis and the Axis-controlled countries in can produce about twice as much steel as the entire Avis controlled European continent.
Our airplane industry has expanded at such a rate that many is ses have been completed in 18 months than Ger-fi-g previous years.
We are building
combined and through faster than any two Axis nations turning out 25 per cent more ships this year than was
Facts like these give us plenty of reason for confidence and courage. The battle of assembly lines has started well for us. It's far from finished. Under our vast new victory
program many more factories must be built, more weapons program prodiced.
Well, we've built factories in the last year, and we've
produced weal to do so. We're well on our way, and no combination of alien enemies can stop us now.
No Speed Limits
Approximately $83,325,000$ man-years-that's the esti-
mated time it would take to do all the work that will be required under our new $\$ 150,000,000,000$ victory program. A figure like that brings home the immensity of the job
we have before us. It's going to take more work than we've we have before us. It's going to take more work than we've
ever done before on a similar job, and more men and women working on defense production.
Big as it is, we can do it. For years many American companies have carried on industrial training programs, help $p_{r}$ ing young men and women to learn trades. From them America's defenses. In addition to training skilled workers, industry is women can be used on them. And through industrial health programs it is protecting the health of employees. There
are many ways of speeding up the job that we must do, are many ways of speeding up the job that w
and industry is using them to the fullest extent.
Tokyo has been ordering blackouts. If they'll just be patient we'l furnish a permanent one.

There are $60,000,000$ conversations held over
U. S. every day. No wonder the line is busy!

HOW YOU CAN"KEEP EM FLYING:"P


The Big Parade---Of Axis Captives in Libya


## -Cranium

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Dorothy Jean King Honored At Party

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High School Group Is Entertained By Two Girls
ments were served.
Later in the evening, the group
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## Coming:

 11-day Baphist WMU will have an1- ed extive meeting Friday at he educational nuilding Friday a
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nill open at 10 occlock in in the morning. A covered-dish luncheon men and served. All committee chair-
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to attend. The soldiers dance will be held in
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men in uniform and girls invited

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## BUNCH VEGETABLES




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|  | give me a ten-year contract to manage this store as I see fit." | "Oh, don't take that attitude, |
|  | Andy was aghast. "A ten-year |  |
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|  | "Yes. I didn't intend to push it just yet but you've called my |  |
|  | hand. You see there's, the small matter of a will. The will your father left," |  |
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|  | matter of a, will. The will your father left," The will? What does Mr. Her- |  |
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|  | thought frantically. /I happen to know what that |  |
|  | will contains," Mr. Herrick was saying. "I happen to know that it disinherits you, leaves every- |  |
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|  | thing to charity!" <br> Carol stifled a gasp. If Mr |  |
|  | Carol stifled a gasp. If Mr.Herrick had read the will he was |  |
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|  | distorting the facts. <br> "It-what?" That was genuine |  |
|  | surprise in Andy's voice. <br> "It suggests that you aren't |  |
|  | capable of running the store, Andy. It orders the stock sold and |  |
|  |  | Andy give in now? Woutd he let <br> Mr. Herrick have his way after <br> the stand he had taken such a |
|  | the doors closed for good." <br> "How do you know that?" An- |  |
| AS the wLl? | dy demanded. <br> "I know the will has been found, |  |
|  |  | Mr. Herrick have had taken such a short time ago? The stand hisfather would approve and which |
|  | "Found? You mean my father's will has been found and not re- |  |
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|  | corded? Do you realize that is aeriminal offense?"Found! Carol's thoughts echoed. |  |
|  |  | rick urged. "You'll have to give me a little |
|  | Then it wasn't Andy at all who | time," Carol heard Andy say. Her |
|  | It must have been Mr. Herrick | heart sank. He was weakening. "I'll let you know by Saturday." |
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|  | Ane store in a ma ner worthy of | Saturday! Delay meant he was seriously considering it. Whenhe should have knocked Mr. Herrick down |
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| mockery. "If saving the cost of renairs is your idea of making | to reply' "I don't admit anyone is with- | "Well, Ill draw up a contract," Mr. Herrick said confidently. |
|  | holding it. I only say that a con- tract for me would be, shall we |  |
|  | say, a satisfactory reward for myfailure to let the will turn up? |  |
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| ds | "That's blackmail!" Andy accused him. |  |
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| you were pretty smart to take credit for them. Well, Carol got |  |  |
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| mys |  | strong by removing temptation. If he were saved, he would have to save himself |
|  | record for 1940" <br> "In the inventory record?" "Yes. Your father was a stickler | o save himself. <br> Now, more than ever, she was urning with the desire to find |
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| $\mathrm{A}^{\mathrm{N}}$ ominous silence followed this | for exactness, Andy. He put the will where you would be certain | the will herself, show up the whole miserable scheme and revel in the part she would have to tal |
|  | to find it. Only someone else happened to look there first. For- |  |
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NEA Service Stafe Writer

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