

Airplane Deals Under Review

WASHINGTON, (P)-A wartime government official's private diary notation that aircraft experts wanted to "undertake to eat" all planes produced by Henry J. Kaiser held top billing for today's opening of public hearings by a Senate

war investigating subcommittee. The committee called Merrill C. Meigs, former deputy director of the War Production Board's aircraft division, as its first witness. Chairman Ferguson (R-Mich) and the long-pending inquiry is

simed at finding out why the gov-ernment spent \$40,000,000 on contracts with Kaiser and Howard Hughes for planes not yet in use by the armed services.

Meigs, in testimony taken at earlier secret hearings, is said to have reported a strong belief within the WPB that Kaiser's plan for a super cargo plane was not practical as a wartime venture.

Citing estimates that it would take 52 months to build such a plane, Meigs added that Kaiser had created such a public demand for action to offset then-prevalent submarine sinkings it finally was decided to let him and Hughes have a try at It.

Consulting a diary he kept in that period, Meigs recorded the following observation after a conversation with Donald Douglas, aircraft 'builder:

"I have never seen Kaiser, but all the people who know anything about aircraft say they all want to undertake to eat all the airplanes he ever will build."

Hughes, millionaire movie producer and flier, also was disclosed to have told the committee in earlier testimony that, as he remembered it, the Douglas, Consolidated and Martin aircraft companies had declined to go along with Kaiser. Hughes then joined the wartime ship builder in construction of a huge cargo flying boat under a contract signed Nov. 16, 1942. Ferguson has charged that

"White House pressure" was exerted to force award of the con-tract over the opposition of the both plants. Army and Navy.

chief of the Navy's bureau of aeronautics, has been summoned to tes- age wage of \$1.1414 an hour. tify on that service's views. Kaiser of the story tomorrow.

Meantime, it was revealed that Miller Milling Co. the committee received secret ses-

Kansas City for Mother of Harry S. Truman, Who Succumbed to Heart Ailment as He Flew to Her Bedside

GRANDVIEW, Mo., (AP)-Mrs. mother of the nation's president, Martha Ellen Truman, daughter will be buried this afternoon on of a Missouri pioneer farmer and a shaded knoll in Kansas City, where she was born 94 years ago.

Grandview.

tial plane

oaks.

The ceremony will be simple

Only three or four cars will be

tery from the little cottage on

dusty, unpaved Feland Avenue in

It was in Grandview the Presi-

dent spent 12 days away from the

world's highest office in May be-

cause his mother had a sinking

spell; there he was bound Satur-

day when word of her heart's fail-

ure overtook him in the Presiden-

Forest Hill Cemetery made

ready grave 8 in block 43, lot 85.

In the same lot rests John Ander-

son Truman, the President's fath-

er. The location is the top of a

rolling hill, under maples, elms and

there Nov. 4, 1914.

John Truman was buried

The business establishments near

The pall bearers were easily de-

Truman, Fred L. Truman, Harry

A. Truman and Gilbert Truman.

The nephews are Maj. Gen. Ralph

E. Truman of Kansas City and

Murray T. Colgan who lives near

Kansas City. The surviving daugh-

move in Mrs. Truman's long life

was set forth with dates and

places. it began: "Martha Ellen

Truman, born Martha Ellen Young,

Nov. 25, 1852, on Parrish Fam,

Truman as Reporter

Truman written by the President

last May 17 as he flew to Grand-

view to be with his critically ill

Martha Ellen Young, Nov. 25, 1852,

"Martha Ellen Truman, born

and private, as the mother and her devoted son, Harry S. Truman, had agreed. Services beginning at 4 p. m., EST, in Mrs. Truman's furnished living room were for the family alone. in Mrs. Truman's cortege on its 17-mile trip to Forest Hill Ceme-



MRS. MARTHA TRUMAN

Flour Production Tenth of Normal

BUFFALO, (P)-Approximately house.

400 grain processors struck today On the door of the cream-colorat three more of Buffalo's six prin- | ed frame dweling was a wreath of cipal flour mills in walkouts that purple and white. Inside, at the will reduce production in this mill- foot of a simple, silvery casket, ing center to one tenth of its 10,- was a single great cluster of red roses. In the open casket, where 000,000 pound daily capacity. Already struck by local 21021 of the AFL Flour Mill Workers yesterday, lay Martha Truman in Em are the Washburn Crosby division her favorite blue dress, which she of General Mills, Inc., worlds bought last February to wear on largest flour mill, and the Pills- a visit to Harry in the White bury Flour mill Company's Buffalo House.

That trip was never made, because a fall, Feb. 13, fractured Principal issue in the dispute is her hip and led to the heart strain Adm. John H. Towers, former the union's demand for a 15 per which brought about her death. On an earlier visit, for Mother's cent boost over the present aver-Day, 1945, she had captured the Today's action involves the Stannation's fancy by exclaiming "fidwill get his chance to tell his side dard Milling Comany, Internation- dlesticks!" at the fuss made about al Milling Company and Russell her

said he was "tired." He hadn't

NEW YORK-(A)-Interest in tomorrow's primary election centered today on party leadership races, the only contest for a Legislative nomination having gone by the boards over the weekend.

Eugene P. Connolly, New York County secretary of the American Labor Party, announced Saturday that William T. Andrews, Harlem Democrat, had withdrawn as a candidate for the ALP nomination in Manhattan's 23rd Senatorial district, the only one of the five legislative districts with a vacancy n which a contest was scheduled. Chief Judge John T. Loughran of the Court of Appeals ruled, however, that Andrews' name would remain on the ballot. The other candidate for the ALP designation is Raymond C. Ingersoll.

Peter Moraites and Joseph Zaretski seek the Republican and Democratic nominations, respectively, in the 23rd. The vacancy resulted when Sen. Alex. A. Falk, Democrat, resigned to accept appointment to the state Civil Service Commission.

Of the Legislative races, three are outside and two are in New York city. In addition to the 23rd, a vacancy exists in the Sixth Assembly District in Kings County, where Robert J. Crews, Republican, resigned to become Secretary to a state Supreme Court Justice. Most discussed of the party leadership contests are three in which the rivals are candidates supported by Rep. Vito Marcantonio of the ALP and others supported by Frank J. Sampson, who became leader of Tammany Hall with backing of Mayor O'Dwyer. Election of the three Democratic county committeemen could have a bearing on Marcantonio's reelec

tion plans, since to get the Democratic nomination for Congress he would need the consent of the County Committee, under the Wilson-Pakula law.

Police Put Guard At Hospital Bed

the coming political wars. MAPLEWOOD, N. J. (P)-Police Although Senator Kem (R-Mo) posted a guard today at the hospitold a reporter he will not reach tal bed of a 76-year-old retired a decision until later, a Republican leader who declined to be jeweler who, they said, told them he had attempted to wipe out his quoted by name said it is his judgment that the issue will not be entire family because a new apartment developement was "fencing revived when Congress meets in" the 2½-story frame dwelling again in January. he had spent 30 years in beautify-

the man, Frederick F. Dieter, had

Of Coal and Oil **Areas Reported**

BATAVIA, Java, (A)-Dutch military headquarters announced today sweeping new successes in eastern Sumatra, reporting the capture virtually intact of vital coal and oil regions more than 100 miles from the jumping off point of Dutch troops at Palembang.

The advances were announced as the Netherlands navy ordered the Java ports of Cheribon, Probolinggo and Banjoewangi opened im-mediately to normal trade in an effort to get great stores of captured raw materials moving to world markets.

In two communiques, the Dutch announced that they had captured the rich Sumatra oilfield town of Batoeradja, 80 miles southwest of Palembang, said the important Boekit Assam coal mines, 20 miles to the southwest.

Batoeradja was seized intact without resistance, the announcement said, and it asserted that the occupation of the shell and Stan dard Vacuum oil holdings there was being consolidated. The attitude of the remaining oilfield personnel "seems favorable," the bulletin added.

The Dutch said they had cap tured large quantities of arms in the south Sumatra operations, but said the retreating Indonesians had burned several villages to the ground on the road to Sekajoe, some 62 miles northwest of Palem bang.

AP

Formr Rep. Andrew J. May

of Kentucky leaves Washington's

federal court after he is sen-

tenced to a term of from eight

months to two years in prison

after conviction on war fraud

charges. He is followed by his son, Jack.

WASHINGTON, (A)-Republi-

can congressional leaders marked

off the Kansas City vote fraud

charges today as a court matter

and something to talk about in

Vote Fraud Case

Dead for a Time

Midway on the southwest coast of Sumatra, near Padang, a small Dutch amphibious force was reported to have captured a republican battery on Bankoed Bay which had been harassing Dutch shipping.

The columns which seized the Boekit Assam mines also swept through the twin towns of Moerara Enim and Lahat, situated respectively 90 and 100 miles south-

west of Palembang, thus virtually slicing off a large segment of eastern Sumatra. In western Java, steel-helmeted Dutch troops thrust methodically

south of Pengalengan, 18 miles south of Bandoeng and only 20 miles from the south coast of the island. An Indonesian communique is

sued in Jogjakarta today reported that the Dutch had brought para-

Kem had sought senate approv-al of a resolution calling for a in Java last Friday in an effort ing. Police Capt. Howard Dowd said special investigation of attorney to capture Lamadjang, a small general Clark's handling of the village 20 miles south of Bandoeng igned a statement that he had charges of vote buying and other but declared the paratroopers had been wiped out. Yesterday the Dutch reached the "purge" primary in the fifth Missouth coast at Palaboehanratoe souri district. 78 miles farther west. Should they In the race, President Truman drive through the last 20 miles supported Enos A. Axtell, who from Pengalengan to the south won over incumbent Rep. Robert coast another huge area of west C. Slaughter. Axtell, however, Java would be isolated from the lost to Albert Reeves, Jr., a Re-Indonesian republic. publican, in the November elec-In the north coast of Java the Dutch consolidated their hold on The charges of Kem and Senator the port of Tegal, 40 air miles Ferguson (R-Mich) that Clark east of Cheribon, the fall of which "whitewashed" the investigation was announced Sunday.

The Truman sorrow, though more than a family affair, was Wage Boost for sheltered from the curious by Secret Service men and state and **Textile Workers** local police who blockaded roads for two blocks around the frame

New Bedford-Fall River, Mass., were caused by automobiles and

cents, and lift average hourly

Rieve said he expected the same pattern to be followed in negotia-England, New York, New Jersey in Herkimer County.

Racketeer Dies in

NEW YORK, (P)-Police investi-

gating the slaving of Alfred Lof-

fredo, 34, whose body bearing six

bullet wounds was found last

today they believed it was "a re-

slain elsewhere and his

a "small-time racketeer."

No Sale, Says

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larm, however, was her discovery

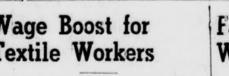
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Revenge Killing

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The President, meeting an old and Pennsylvania, where contracts Two persons were killed and the committee received secret ses-sion testimony from John Meyer, local 21021's business agent, mem-local 21021's business agent, memalso expire Aug. 1 The new contract was approved tempting to land on Irondequoit made the energetic 6 a. m. walk by a policy committee of cotton- bay, Rochester, flipped over and that is usual when he stays at the rayon locals yesterday and was sank. summer White House in Indepen-



BOSTON, (A)-A new contract providing a 5-cents an hour general wage increase and five paid holidays was ready for ratification today by 30,000 members of the the weekend took a toll of ten. CIO Textile Workers Union in the

Emil Rieve, general president of the union, said the new agreement, which would replace one expiring next Friday, would increase workers' pay envelopes by \$3,000,000. annually, raise the minimum hourly wage in 32 mills from 83 to 88

earnings to \$1.07.

year-old Anne Straw, daughter of a New Hampshire banker. Fatal Accidents of Week-End Are Ten

Police drag Little Squam Lake near Holderness, N. H., as an in-

ALBANY -(A)- Five persons were killed in three airplane crashes as fatal accidents upstate over Of the ten deaths, only two

two were caused by drowning.

Two men lost their lives in the crash of a monoplane in a meadow near the home of one of the victims, near Utica. Gerald Tannar, 33, was found in the pilot's seat and Wilson Dodge, 33, of Frankfort, another occupant of the plane, died an hour after in

Utica hospital. State Police said the plane, renttions now underway with other ed from an airplane service, skimcotton-rayon weaving mills in New med a tree top near Tanner's home



med "down somebody's throat" a General Mills and Pillsbury. reconnaissance plane contract given Hughes after he and Kaiser dropped their association.

Meyer was questioned by Ferguson at a June 3 hearing as to why he had entertained Roosevelt, son of the late president. Meyer, reported out of the coun-

try, is being sought by the com- ply. mittee for testimony at Wednesday's hearing. State Department help in locating him has been asked. And William P. Rogers, committee counsel has threatened to summon Hughes to explain "Meyer's whereabouts and his unavailability" if the employe does not appear by midweek.

Hughes Statement

LOS ANGELES, —Howard Hughes, in a signed article ap-pearing in the Los Angeles Examiner today and copyright by the newspaper, made his first public statement regarding a Senate committee investigation of government plane contracts awarded to him and Henry J. Kaiser.

The Hughes artices was in the form of an open letter addressed to Sen. Owen Brewster (R-Me), vestigating Committee.

'You know, Senator, if you hadn't gone too far overboard, I might have been willing to take a certain shellacking in this publicity spree of yours," said Hughes in one part of his letter.

"Yes, I might have been willing to sit back and take a certain amount of abuse, simply because I am only a private citizen while you are a senator with all sorts of rights and powers to subpoena me, make me drop my work, and travel 2,500 miles back there to Washington and otherwise cause me no end of inconvenience.

"So I sat back and let you do the talking for five days. But one thing you said, which just appeared in the papers, sort of stuck in my mind. "You said that I asked you to

send someone out here to check through my books. Now, you know, that statement is true. I did make that request because I have nothing to hide and I have done nothing I am ashamed of.

"I am sorry if certain men are embarrassed because they have been entertained by me, but if they are embarrassed, that's because they are in politics, and politics is a strange game.

"However, I am not a politician. I am just an ordinary citizen. I entertain whomever please. There is no law against it.

"I worked pretty hard for what money I have, and I didn't make it from the government—and I didn't make it from airplanes. "All in all, in my transactions pick, Cavender said,

with the government I have made no profit whatsoever.

"Furthermore. I and my companies have paid taxes to the government totaling \$25,000,000. And I have paid salaries to employes totaling \$300,000,000.

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publicity man for Hughes' enter- bers of the AFL grain elevator prises, disputing contentions that employes union will respect new Elliott Roosevelt might have ram- picket lines today as they have at dence, 25 miles away, now occu-The strike is expected to stall pied by the presidential family. Grandview held an official "day

feed grain production within a week since that industry depends of mourning." The community of 1200 had put out its flags, lowered upon flour mill by-products. The Buffalo mills produce 10 to half-staff. per cent of the nations flour and United States sole source of supthe Truman cottage arranged to virtually are the northeastern close shop.

The union has rejected a manided-her four grandsons, and two nephews. The grandsons, chilagement offer of a 12-cent hourly increase. dren of J. Vivian Truman, who farms near Grandview, are J. C. Bauer said negotiations would

resumed tomorrow.

More Immigrants

ter is Miss Mary Jane Truman, HAIFA, (AP)-British naval forcwho lived with her mother. Mr. Truman wrote his own brief es escorted into Haifa harbor toobituary of his mother, White day two small wooden vessels jammed with approximately 1,100 House spokesmen revealed. It was uncertified Jewish immigrants and penned from memory last May 17, as the President was anxiously immediately transferred most of them to waiting British ships for flying to her side. He did it to help the newspapermen if she died. deportation to Cyprus. Every child, every death, every

Both refugee ships were sponsored by Haganah, Jewish underground organization, in a new comchairman of the Senate War In- paign to smash the British blockade barring Jewish immigration to the Holy Land.

now 36th and Prospect, Kansas Their arrival followed by little City, Mo.," and went on to tell more than a week the interception the story in less than 250 words. of the 7,000-ton steamer President Warfield, whose 4,500 Jewish passengers are now aboard three Brit-GRANDVIEW, (P)-Here is the brief biography of Mrs. Martha E.

ish ships en route back to their point of departure in southern France.

The first ship to arrive was the 300-ton motor-powered caique "Return to Zion"-originally-named the Luciana-loaded with 396 immigrants whom a Jewish source said had come from a north Afri-can port. The vessel carried a Prospect, Kansas City, Mo. Pasign reading "Haganah Ship" and

flew the Zion flag. The second ship to arrive was

'The 14 Heroes of Ez Zib''. **Tells Police He**

Stabbed His-Wife

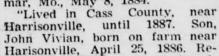
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ported.

rents, Solomon Young and Harriet Louisa Young (Gregg). Came to the farm one mile north of Grandthe three-masted schooner Bruno of view in 1868. Married John Ander-Rome, which had been re-named son Truman, Dec. 28, 1884. Lived

mother:

in Lamar, Mo., four years after marriage. Son, Harry, born in Lamar, Mo., May 8, 1884.



turned to farm north of Grandview, 1887. Daughter, Mary Jane, MOINES-(AP) - About born there August 12, 1889. John eight hours after the nude and Truman bought house on South battered body of his wife was Chrysler Street in Independence, found on the floor of their apart-December, 1890. Family lived at ment, Farris E. Cook, 27, last night walked into Police head- that address until March, 1896. Bought house at 909 West Waldo, quarters and said he had killed her Independence. Lived there until Detective Lt. P. D. Cavender re-1903. Traded for house in Park

Avenue, Kansas City, and lived The woman, Mrs. Vera Margaret there until 1905. Returned to farm Cook, 33-year-old waitress, had north of Grandview after six been beaten and stabbed three months' residence in Clinton, Mo., times in the chest with an ice late in 1905. Lived on farm until Cavender said Cook told of stay six years ago when she moved to Grandview. John Truman passed ing with his wife's body for 181/ away Nov., 1914. hours, leaving a note, and then

walking the streets until he went "Survived by two sons and daughter, six grandchildren, and to the police last night. The note read, "I have killed the three great grandchildren-four woman I dearly loved," Cavender sons and daughter of J. V. Truman, and one daughter of Harry.'

Charles Amalfi, 38, and Frank referred to local unions for ratification, which the union president Mathias, 14, both of Rochester, were killed and William Ernst. 38, owner and pilot of the, plane

and Charles Amalfi, 10, son of one of the victims, were injured. Ernst and young Amalfi were rescued by two men who went to the spot in a speedboat. Charles W. White, of Church-

ville, 60-year-old flying farmer, was killed when his single-engine had defied tear gas shens in his plane crashed in a wooded swamnight in a Brooklyn street, said py area in the town of Sweedan four miles from his farm. State Police said the crash apparently old man."

occurred in a thunderstorm. William T. Whalen, deputy Other fatalities: chief inspector of Brooklyn detec Albany--Mrs. Mary Lasch, 47, tives, said Loffredo evidently was frowned when boat capsized in Na

body sau Lake. dumped from an automobile in Rochester--George F. Foster, a street in the Bath Beach section. 42, Tonawanda, run over by a Whalen identified the victim as truck

Hamburg--James J. Doherty, 19, auto turned over. Trumansburg--Richard J. Reynolds, 6, drowned when playing in

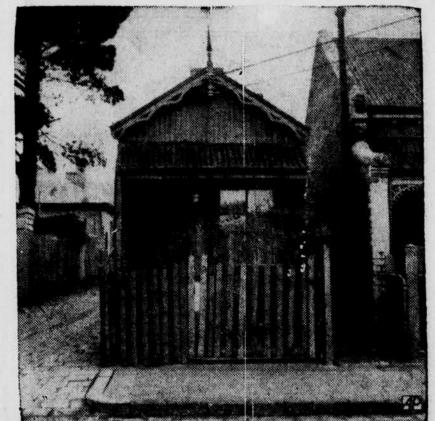
Taughannock creek. Buffalo--August Scheu, 74, hanged by belt on fishing bag, looped

CHICAGO, (AP)-When Marian around neck, when he slipped in Ochsner, 16, a cashier at a stand climbing a fence. near the hippopotomus den at Brockfield Zoo came to work Fri-

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING day and rang up the "no sale" button on the register, she screamed. Some of the zoo attendants NEW YORK (A)-Burglars who took a 300-pound safe and a large looked to see if any of the "hipcash register from Louis Goldolfo's bakery and hauled them three miles across Brooklyn to crack The cause for Miss Ochsner's a-

them got:

of a maternal, gray mouse and her From the cash register, nothing. five offspring in the cash box.



DOLL HOUSE - Known as "The Doll's House" to residents of Collingwood, suburb of Melbourne, Australia, this home has an eight foot frontage, three rooms, three windows and yard on square front garden. A man and his wife live in it.

shot and killed his son and serious- irregularities which arose as a rely wounded his wife, daughter-in- sult of last year's democratic

law and dog because he was certain his family's privacy and comfort were now at an end and that he didn't want to leave behind anybody I loved."

Dieter suffered bullet wounds in the head and right hand, the first a result of what police said was a suicide attempt and the second the tion.

climax of a 20-minute Sunday morning duel in which his weapon was shot from his grip after he seemed almost certain to be repeated and expanded by Republicellar barricade. Capt. Dowd said can orators busying themselves he came out then from the cellar with the 1948 congressional and shouting, "Don't hurt me. I'm an presidential campaigns.

Dowd said the son, Frederick persons and a federal grand jury Jr., 50, was found dead in his bed under the prodding of a special prosecutor appointed by Clark rewith a bullet through the head. The son's wife, Mary, 47, was also turned indictments against five. in bed, bleeding from a bullet wound in the neck. The wife of the elder Dieter, Lena, 66, was found **Plane Accident** slumped over a windowsill where she had been screaming for help after she was struck by two bul-

Threatens Three Dowd said Dieter's signed statement told how he had brooded ov-

er the construction of a 130-unit garden-type apartment project next to his home, believing that the new dwellings would ruin the house and garden that he had nur-

tured for three decades.

India to Press Indonesian Case

NEW DELHI-(AP)-Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, vice-president of the Indian interim government, announced today that India would press Indonesia's case before the United Nations, probably presenting it tomorrow morning, and expected the support of certain other powers.

At the same time Nehru an-nounced that India "almost immediately" would bar Dutch aircraft from landing on Indian airfields, and flying over India.

India's goal is to bring thefastest possible end to the fighting and assure that justice is done, Nehru said at a news conference.

"We are not at war with Dutch government," he said, "and we do not intend to be at war with the Dutch government or any other government."

India, Nehru said, will not send arms to Indonesia because such declaring war" upon the Dutch.

AWARD FOR MARSHALL

NEW YORK-(A)-For his proposal for economic reconstruction in Europe, Secretary of State Marshall will receive the 1947 Freedom House award at a dinner here Oct. 19

Freedom House, an organization of citizens dedicated to peace, announced the award yesterday. Citations will be awarded to Dunkirk, N. Y. and Norwalk, Conn., for their efforts to make the individual aware "of his responsibili-. FE Co ties to the world community."

A broadcast Republican Army communique heard here said Tegal had fallen ony after stiff fighting and reported the town had been put to the torch. The Dutch, how-

A state grand jury indicted 71 ever, asserted that Republican forces, after slight initial resistance, "threw away their uniforms and weapons and cheered the oncoming Netherlands troops."

BOSTON, (AP)-Ten greater Bos-

Pine Williams, federal narcotics

supervisor who led the roundup

after a six-week investigation

said the arrests were made or

warrants obtained in Federal

Court Saturday after sales of

drugs allegedly were made to fed-

eral agents as concealed officers

Williams, who reported more

than \$2,500 worth of drugs seized

in the arrests, said the men bought

cocaine in New York for \$350 an

ounce, diluted it with milk and sugar and sold it for \$9,000 an

Among those arrested was James M. Rogers, 37, who Wil-

liams described as the "marihuant

Detective Michael O'Brien, in

charge of the Boston police nar-

cotic squad, said one of the men arrested, Robert Reddick, 32, was

wanted in Auburn, N. Y., for vio-

filmed the proceedings.

Ten Arrested in **Narcotics** Case

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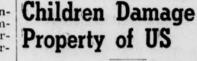
lation of parole.

Five Years for

MILFORD, Conn., (AP)-Three upstate New Yorkers were reston men, including nine Negroes, cued from the rough waters of faced arraignment before a U.S. Long Island Sound last night after commissioner today following their arrest Sunday on narcotic a seaplane landing-accident. They were Anson Collins, 21, of charges by federal and Boston au-

Mechanicville; John Hayes, a pilot employed by Collins' father, and Charles Jones, 53, of Round Lake. Collins was flying here for the opening of classes today at Milford Preparatory School, where he is a student.

Hayes attempted to bring the plane down about 600 feet off the Milford breakwater. A wave caught the craft and it bounced into the air, lost a wing pontoon and dipped back into the water The three men clung to the part ly submerged craft until boats reached them.



PORTLAND-(AP)-Five children aged 8 to 14 years were scheduled for appearance before juvenile officers today after, Army authorities reported, they entered an Arthe mory and damaged 12' military

vehicles by driving them like "dod gem" cars in an amusement park Col. Elliott C. Goodwin, U. S. property and disbursing officer for Maine, said four jeeps were put out Killing Preacher an act would be "tantamount to of commission and eight other vehicles damaged at the Stevens Street Armory. He estimated dam-

age at \$1,500. Police said the youngsters en tered the armory through a window and apparently wheeled around the vehicles. Fenders, head-

lights and bumpers were smashed in collisions.

TREASURY REPORT WASHINGTON-(A)-The postion of the treasury July 24. Receipts, \$98,990,690.79; expenditures, \$73,417,338.33; balance, \$2,965,793,-983.63; debt, \$258.837,527,641.62;

a flashlight. decrease, \$9,897,813.23.

Ernest Amie, 28-year-old Negro broom salesman, was sentenced to five years imprisonment last night by a circuit court jury which convicted him of second degree murder for the fatal shooting of a Ne-

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., (A)-Blind

gro preacher. Holding his white cane uprigh between his knees, Amie told the jury of 12 white men that he had no recollection of the number of times he fired a revolver at the Rev. Calvin Eugene Williams who, he added, had threatened him with

lets.

From the safe, \$5 in pennies.