ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS IN MASS PRODUCTION



Scores of Bofors 40 MM. anti-aircraft gun mounts and carrigaes roll along to final assembly at the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company plant. It was just a year ago that Firestone received the first English and Swedish blue-prints for this effective weapon against air raids.

Whiskers for Defense

Only one safety razor blade a week!
So orders the WPB. And bravely the men of America prepare to incur the noble scars of the Battle of the Bathroom, where the blood will flow from the chin nicked with the worn blade, the blade the little woman has used to scrape chewing gum off the kitchen linoleum, or the blade junior snitched to finish his model airplane.

Less resolute men (or braver men?) may give up shaving and face their fellows and gal friends sporting the kingly van dyke, the commoner spade beard, the ancient beaver, and all manner of beards. It will be the duty of the nation's women to encourage the luxuriant production of chin foliage, however it may appall them.

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Steel for offense comes first, nowadays—leaving only whiskers for defense.

Relatively Few Women Aiding **Civilian Defense**

BERKELEY. — Contrary to what might be expected, American cities are at the present time training a relatively small percentage of women for civilian defense tasks, it is reported in a survey of organization of American city government in wartime, made by the Bureau, of Public Administration of the University of California. The Bureau sent out questionnaires to 1,100 cities of the University of California. The Bureau sent out questionnaires to 1,100 cities of the University of California. The Bureau sent out questionnaires to 1,100 cities of the University of California willian protection activities."

Winner of the bicycle donated by the Torance Kiwanis Club neonaction with a fund-rafaction of 10,000 or more, and received answers from approximately half of these. "In February of this year," the report states, "cities had trained or were training six directions of the secretic protection activities."

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"In each of these six activies, however, a few cities were raining women for each of the vilian protection tasks involved. Ville it is difficult to make a ase for this great male preominance in the air raid war-

RETURN HOME and Mrs. Speneer Greene on, Vernon Mervin, re-isunday from Salem, Ore, they visited relatives and

den service or fire watching or spotting, tradition supports the use of men as auxiliary police and firemen. Nevertheless, six per cent of the cities were as-signing some women as auxil-iary police, and two per cent were training, them for auxiliary fire duties. "Viewing the nation's war in-dustry and military recruiting programs as a whole, we must of necessity look forward to an increasing role for women in ci-vilian protection activities."

TC INDIANA
Mmes. Hazel Frauhiger and
Mildred Bower left Tuesday evening for an indefinite visit at
Fort Wayne, Indiana.

TAXES ADD TO GAS COST
Taxes add 44 per cent to the
annual cost of gasoline in the
United States.

The aid of school children as volunteer firemen in Dallas helped cut the fire rate 50 per ccnt the first ten months of 1941, as compared with the same period-in 1940.

Retail trade in the United States totalled 53.6 billion dol-lars in 1941, an all-time high.

Mexico's silver and gold mines, still being worked, were old when Cortez arrived in the country in 1519.





Floor lamps, table lamps, bed lamps, dressing-table lamps—all are going to be scarce. Immediate curtailment of production of all portable lamps has been ordered, and the use of metals in their manufacture is drastically limited. Flashights will be wearing new-style cases, too, because all the usual metals, like chromium and nickel, have been prohibited for this use.

ally limited. Flashlights will be wearing new-style cases, too, because all the usual metals, like chromium, and nickel, have been prohibited for this use. Overworked plastics will probably come to the rescue.

From now on, your grocer may not sell you as much tea as you ask for. The country's entire tea supply is being restricted and grocers have been asked to distribute their supplies evenly among their customers so hoarders won't get more than their share. Tea packers themselves are prohibited from selling more than 50 per cent of what they did in 1941. And to help the grocer in limiting sales, the government is also regulating the size of packages for retail sale. You won't be able to buy more than quarter-pound packages, or 50 individual-size tea balls.

Do you have a 16-millimeter motion plotture sound projector? If it's a 1939, 1940 or 1941 model, your government wants Cubuy it. Production of new projectors is being cut because of the aluminum required in their manufacture, and the machines are in high demand for quick teaching of both the armed forces and defense workers. If you have a projector you are willing to sell, write, giving the model and the price you ask, to M. D. Moore, Electrical Appliances and Consumers' Durable Goods Branch, War Production Board, Washington, D. C.

In the hubbub over the curtailment of wool for men's suits and women's coats, you may not baye noted that after April 5 no new blankets can be made of 100 per cent wool. Eighty per cent is the limit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bever and

AT CRESTLINE
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bever and
daughter, Joyce, accompanied by
the Frank Browns and their
granddaughter, Naomi, are
spending the week at Crestline.

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Lift up the hearts of your family with a celebration they'll not forget. For example, plan a real feast for Easter dinner! You can do it at sayings—if you shop at A&P! Set your table with a succulent ham . . . tender young chickens . . . dewy-fresh vegetables . . . beaming-clean oggetation of the control of the con

cents a pound for pork chops, it's your own corner butchers sliced ham, 73 cents; salt pork, ago ceiling prices are higher than this, who is to blame. Two weeks 30 cents who is to blame. Two weeks 30 cents, who ham, 40 cents, ago ceiling prices were put on wholesale pork products. If prices are higher than this, prices are exorbitant, it is because the retailer is doing prices are exorbitant, it is because the retailer is doing prices are exorbitant, it is because the retailer is doing prices are exorbitant, it is because the retailer is doing prices are higher than this, ago with the prices are exorbitant, it is because the retailer is doing prices are higher than this, in necessary, to the Office and his share of compliments, had his share of c

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