March

April

September

November

4-Round the world flight of the Globesters ends in Washington. Flight
covered 23:79 miles in 149 hours,
44 minutes, including 33 hours 21
minutes ground time
17-Most popular songs, according to
Billboard magazine are: "Till the
End of Time";
Atchison, Topeka
Trail"; "If I Loved You."

DEATHS

-Charles W Bryan, brother of Wil-liam Jennings Bryan, and three-times governor of Nebraska, in Lincoln, Neb.

February

March

April 5 Alfr

May

August

September 16—John McCorn 61, in Dublis

November

ATOMIC BOMB

March

10-James Rafferty wins Columbia mile
in K. of C. meet in New York,
beats Gunder Haegs

16-Melio Bettina and Jim.ny Bivins,
heavweights, get a draw in 10round fight in New York.

3-Joe Baksi gets decision over Lou
Nova in 10-round heavyweight fight
in New York

31-One Word of the Word of the NCAA
swimming championship at Ann Arbor Milc C.

won by Welby Van Horn.
6—Folty Helbs, Saston Braves right
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Hambletonion Stake, nation's lead-ing trotting horse race, won by Titan Hanover, driven by Harry Pownall, at Goshen, N. Y. Michigan State college wins men's Lational AAU swimming champion-

Fational Adv swimming championships.

Ships. Robert Feller, released from navy, rejoins Cleveland Indians and wins first game.

Green Bay Packers, professional football team, defeat collegiate All-Stars in annual game at Chicago. 19 to 7.

December

1—Army beats Navy 32-13.

10—Washington Redskins win eastern professional football title by defeating New York Giants, 17-0.

13-Big league baseline coast league refused major league status.

DISASTERS

September

October

November

March

November

December

swimming bor, Mich. April

and "feesh" not only because they go together in phonetics, but because they have a logical association on the table.

Dixi-Cola



THE WAR

I—U. S. Third army attacks north of Bastogne against German's Belgium salient. In France the Germans at-tack U. S. Seventh, American forces made a small gain in Italy. In the zon and Negros islands in the Phil-loppies.

ippines.

German bulge in Belgium compressed by new Allied gains,
Forces under General MacArthur
invade Luzon, in Philippines.

Warsaw, Polish capital, falls to Russtage.

February

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3-First U. S. cavalry enters Manila
6-Mantla falls to U. S. forces.
10-U. S. First army gains control of
main Roer river dam.
U. S. superfortresses raid Japan
from Guam base, hitting Tokyo district in daylight.
Three meeting at
Valta, Russia, announced.
3-Budapest, Hungarian capital, falls
to Russians.
10-Tapa
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Chinese take Chaling, important tronghold in Hunan province.

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I. S. Tenth army invades Okinawa. ienna, capital of Austria, capitu-ates to Ukrainian armies of Russian

forces.
Leipzig, fifth city of Germany, falls to U. S. First army.
U. S. Seventh army takes Nuremberg, Nazi "shrine" city.
Berlin encircled by first two Russian

s. en falls to British Second army. ans capture Stettin, important

cially by President.

Benito Mussolini, former Italian premier, is executed by Italian partisans near Dongo, Italy.

U. S. Seventh army enters Munich,
birthplace of Nazi party.

Venice and Milan, major Italian
cities, fail to U. S. Fith army,
Russian flag files over German

ay

Premier Stalin of Russia in May day

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the collapse of Hitlerite Germany is a matter of the immediate future."

-A million German soldiers, sailors and airmen in Italy and part of Austria surrender, under unconditional terms signed April 29 at Escilin capitulates to Russian armies under Marshals Zhukov and Konev.

under Marshals Zhukov and Koney.
Allied combined forces invade Borneo.
German forces in northwest Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark,
Helgoland and the Frisian islands
surrender unconditionally to British
Leman and State of State of State of State
400,000 men, surrenders to U. S.
General Devers. In the north Russians take Swinemuende, and two
into the state of State of State
Czechoslovakia and Austria, taking
Pilsen and Karlsbad.
German high command representaJodi, meet Allied officers to arrange
surrender details at Reims, France.
UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER OF
GERMANY ORMANING WAR IN
EUROPE AT 11:01 CENTRAL EUROPEAN TIME (6:01 EWT.)
- U. S. war and navy secretairs release news of Japa that they are of
slight military importance.
- Tokoy hit by 4,000 tons of incendiary
- Toky on the they are of

All resistance on Okinawa ends atter-bitter 82-day struggle, during which 90,401 Japs were killed, 4,000 cap-tured. American losses were 11,260 killed, 33,769 wounded. —All of island of Luzon, largest of Philippines, is liberated.

NTIRE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS
IBERATED, AND CAMPAIGN VIRUALLY OVER, GENERAL MACRTHUR ANNOUNCES.
S. Third fleet battleships shell
onshu island bases, only 275 miles
orth of Tokyo. This is first direct
val attack on home islands of
span.

paval attack on home Islands of Labor party wins British election. -U.S. destroyer force of Third fleet shells Shimizu, aluminum production center on Honshu island, Japan. U.S. Twentieth air force drops leaf-lets on 12 Japanese cities, warning them that they were marked for de-struction.

ture ends.
ATOMIC BOMB USED FOR FIRST
TIME IN WAR; LEVELS four square
miles of Hiroshima, Japan, kills 50,
666 Japs. NEW ERA IN WARFARE

8-RUSSIA DECLARES WAR ON JA-PAN and begins offensive operations

in Manchuria.

9-SECOND ATOMIC BOMB DROPPED
ON NAGASAKI, JAPAN, razing onethird of city. Total killed 10,000,
This bomb was more powerful than
one that blasted Hiroshima.

10-JAPAN OFFERS TO SURBEDER,
power. power. Russians advance 105 miles into Man-

uria. esident Truman replies to Japanese ace offer that Hirohito will be re-ned temporarily.

declaration. Planta declaration of Japan nounces capitulation of Japan 7, p. m. General MacArthur is appointed supreme commander for the Allied powpreme commander for the Allied powers of the surrender details, and to set up military government.

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New Japanese cabinet formed, head-ed by Prince Naruhiko Higashi-Kuni.

Japanese commanders of Truk, Rota, Yap and Jaiut negotiate to lay down arms.

General Yamashita Philippines, General Yamashita pares to quit. st of U. S. occupation troops land

28—First of U. S. occupation troops and in Japan. Japan. Jonathan Wainwright and 35 other high-ranking officers of American, British and Dutch armies who had been prisoners of Japs at Mukden, China, are flown to Chung-king. 31—General MacArthur establishes head-quarters at New Grand hotel in Yoko-hama.

1-Main force of U. S. Eighth army lands at Yokohama and spreads out annes at Vokohama and spreads out in surrounding area.
British forces land at Hong Kong.
2-JAPANESE SURRENDER TERMS OFFICIALLY SIGNED on U.S. Battering the strength of the surrounding the su

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nanese imperial staff ordered disved by General MacArthur.
rmer Jap premier Hideki Tojo atnpts suicide by shooting, but fails
i is saved by American medical

Gen. George Patton removed as military governor of Bavaria.
 Japanese cabinet resigns.
 Pierre Laval condemned to death as a traitor.
 French Communists win largest

a traitor, nch Communists win largest aber of seats in Assembly, kun Quisling, Norwegian collab-tionist, executed as traitor, nese Central government and anmunist forces clash.

November 1-British government plans to "na-tionalize" civil airlines, radio and

tionalize civil airlines, radio and cable systems.

2—Arabian Nationalists call general strike, and riot in Syria, Lebanon. Express control of the syria con

December

3—General MacArthur orders arrest of 19 prominent Japanese as war crime to the prominent Japanese as war crime to the prominent of t

cities.

13—British and French sign pact on Syria and the Levant.

16—Prince Fumimaro Konoye, of Japan's royal family, committed suicide rath-

3—Congress reconvenes. Sam Rayburn is re-elected speaker of the house.

3—President Rossevent electivers message convents and the second reconstruction of the reconstruction of

February 19—All places of entertainment are or-dered closed at midnight by War Mobilization Director Byrnes, to save light and fuel.

March

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1-Henry A. Wallace is confirmed as secretary of commerce by senate, 56 to 32.

7-William Davis is appointed director of economic stabilization by the President, to succeed Fred Vinson.

18-Nine army officers are railing and senate of the president of the president of the president of the property of the president of the

12--PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT DIES at Warm Springs, Ga., of cerebral hemorrhage.
Viên President Harry S. Truma takes oath of office as President. He asks cabinet members to continue to serve.

asks causers.

Serve.

Fresident Truman addresses a joint session of congress, saying that "we must carry on as Roosevelt would want us to do."

Senate extends draft for one year, the addresses.

24—Senate extends drait to with amendments.
25—United Nations conference opens at San Francisco with 46 nations represented.
27—War of production Board revokes 40 controls over Industry, affecting a variety of consumer goods. May

President asks for reductions in federal budget, totaling 80 mil dollars. Various war agencie

sident officially announces surren-of Germany. Nation celebrates March

der of Germany. Nation celebrates Quietly, on manufacture of farm machanism services of the manufacture of farm machanism littled on most items by War Production Board, Only 19 of the previous 98 articles now limited. — Most of striking coal miners retunded to the services of the servi

July

ark, N. J.
Penicillin made available to public,
beginning Aug. 1.
House passes senate bill on Bretton
Woods international money accord.
-Senate ratifies United Nations char-

FDR-APRIL 12

ugust

Addition of 158,000 barrels a day of high test gasoline to national quota practically doubles supply to civilians, petroleum administration days—president Truman signs United Nations charter, making U. S. first nation of accept famous document in till

14-Official presidential proclamation announces end of war with Japan.

War manpower controls are lifted entrely. WMC announces.

15-General wMC announces.

16-Army and nay procurement departments cancel orders for munitions, ships and supplies for 16 billion dollars. Ritotus peace cellettic departments cancel orders for munition, ships and supplies for 16 billion dollars. Ritotus peace cellettic departments of the process of the second September

2-Mrs, Sarah Cooke, of Boston, defeats Miss Pauline Betz, Los Angeles, for women's national tennis title, at Forest Hills, N. Y.

3-Sgt. Frank Parker wins men's amateur national tennis title at Forest Park, N. Y.

31-Chicago Cube clinch national league pennan tubs clinch national league pennan tubs defeating St. Louis.

September

2—President in radio address on official V-day praises armed forces.
Cial V-day praises armed forces.
Carbonization, taxes and budget are among great problems faced.
6—President's message to congress contains 21 points, deslived to a speed to congress contains 21 points, deslived to a speed to contain 21 points, deslived to a speed to the contains 21 points, deslived to a speed to the contains 21 points, deslived to a speed to the contains 21 points, deslived to the speed to the contains 21 points, deslived to the speed to the contains 21 points, deslived to the contains 21 points, deslived to the contains 21 points, deslived to the contains 22 president Trums at the store to the comb will not soon be divulged, a sature.
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he assures.

Strikes spread, favlouse strikes spread, favlous service industries.

Round-the-world air service initiaties.

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October
3-President Truman asks for creation of commission to control atomic bomb.
23-Radio system to replace wires announced by Western Union Telegraph

nounced by Western Union telegasus.

73—President Truman recommends "subpresident Truman recommends "substantially higher was considered to the stantially higher was considered to the stantially higher was cannot expect the same "take-home pay" as during wartime,

30—Rationing of shoes ended.

November Senate passes bill reducing income tax levies, and repealing excess profits tax and automobile use tax.
 Labor-management conference opens

profits tax sum of the profits of th

December

2—President Truman's aid asked in housing shortage crisis.
3—Grand champions in fat cattle of the control of the control of the tive time at Chicago by Karl Hoff-man and Robert Storz of Ida Grove, Iowa.

gressional campaign.

Sugar rationing will have to extend to 1947, declares Earl Wilson, which of sugar branch, U. S. D. President Truman ass. Dr. price and the sugar branch u. S. Dr. price and reinstatement of priority system on building materials.

—President Truman laid down U. S. policy in China as Gen. George C. Marshall departs for Far East.

SPORTS

January

1-Southern California U. wins annual
Rose Bowl game, defeating Tennessee, 25-0. Other scores, Duke 20,
Alabama 26, Miami 25, and 16, and 16 February

13—Byron Nelson wins New Orleans
Open golf tournament after playoff
of the with Jus McSpaden.
24—New Akhletic club retains
team title in National AAU track
and field meet.

ORGANIZE CORPORATION

Snowstorm, accompanied by violent wind, leaves 33 dead in path across the northeastern states.
 Passenger train rams troop train in Chicago. More than a hundred sailors injured.

PANORAMA

Seven billion dollars' worth of liquor was swallowed in the United States during 1944, not counting bootleg, the department of com-merce reports, an 18 per cent in-crease over 1943.

November
10-John Thomar, U. S. senator from
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110-John Holman, D. C., at 71.
21—Gen. Alexander Patch Jr., former
commander of the Seventh army,
tonio, Tex. He was 5th, at £an Antonio, Tex. He bria County, Pennsylvania, de-ceased:

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Everything has its origin, and its mists beyond the origin. That's why America's first democracy of peoples . . . the Six Nations of the Iroquois . . . always give veneration in its councils to the fires and misty origins of the pre-dawn peoples. Sagely they said: "nehkogahgis-da-yen-duk;" which means "other council fires were here before ours."

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tion on the table.

In New Hampshire there is a place in the river between Kittery and Portsmouth which is virtually impossible to maneuver in a skiff, dinghy or rowboat. A tide-rip, which, because it has defied so many rowers in the past, gives this colloquial name to the place: "Row and Be Damned Bend."

New England barometer: If bright sparks of glowing soot stream across the bottom of your stove lid when you life it, the "soldiers are marching. It means a storm. fore ours."

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Down East they still "bend on"
a clean shirt, or "clew up" a window shade... both heritages from
the brincy days when Yankee
"buckos" drove a hard bargain
with the sea by "bending on" 'or
"clewing up" the square sails of
their clipper ships. It's TRUE what they say about

MAC RETURNS "Hoeing cora" has never been an actuality in the broader sense of American farming practice. It is a left over from Indian practice in New England, where, because of the rocky soil, corn was always planed in hills, and, consequently "hoed." New Englanders followed the same practice and even today corn in many sections of the north Atlantic seaboard is still planted in hills in combination with climbing types of beans. NEW PRESIDENT

ng types of beans.

That, incidentally, is said by some to be the origin of the word, succotash. With beans and corn n planted combination, it was only one step further to the cooking pot ... and the still popular dish is grown as succotash. known as succotash

As for corn, there is an old cus tom still in practice . . . that a man finding a red ear of corn at a husking party has a right to kiss all of the girls present.

all of the girls present.

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The French name for the Niagara River . . . Le Riviere aux Chevaux . . is sometimes mistakenly interpreted as an indication that horses were known to the Indians of the north. This is wrong. The French referred to buffalo, from which the key city of the Niagaga region takes its name.

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will a derby hat hold?
Safety engineers have been experimenting to find out how much carbon monoxide leaks into a close do motor car.
They claim the amount of exhaust gas a derby hat will hold, if free in a closed car, will, after

half an hour's driving, produce symptoms sufficient to decrease a driver's efficiency at the wheel, symptoms sufficient to decrease a driver's efficiency at the wheel.

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