

COUNTY SELLS TOY STORES \$425,000

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OFF ON TRAINING CRUISE—View of the starboard gun galleries of the USS Franklin D. Roosevelt as the new 45,000-ton vessel made its first train-

Predicted Attack Time

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Capt. Elio W. Zacharias testified today he predicted to Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel in March, 1941, that if the Japanese decided to fight the United States they would begin the war with an attack against the fleet on a Sunday morning.

Boyle Relates Far East Drama

HONG KONG. — (AP) — Stout, friendly Chester Bennett, American hero of Hong Kong, could have saved his life in 1942 by going home on a Japanese repatriation vessel. But there were captives that held him.

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Harriman Delays Chungking Departure

CHUNGKING. — (AP) — Ambassador W. Averell Harriman, United States envoy to Russia, delayed his departure from Chungking today after a long conference with Gen. Marshall, Ambassador to China, and a banquet at Chiang Kai-shek's Presidential villa.

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VISITORS FROM FAR NORTH — Yelma Brown, (left) four years old, and Jack Brown, 2 1/2. Eskimo children from Nome, Alaska, take a look at familiar weather in Chicago while en route to New York City with their father, mother and baby brother to appear in sportsman's shows.

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Fair and not quite so cold today and tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy and warmer.
Temperature at 10:30 today 61 High and low last 24 hours 67-52
Sunset today 5:42
Business tomorrow 5:30-5:45