

BY DANIEL DELUCY

BERLIN—The "Grass grows green as the rain falls in Berlin," but this is a capital of dread hated.

"On the tenth anniversary of the bloodiest conflict in human history, which Adolf Hitler started and lost, people are trying fearfully to guess when the next great break will come."

The Russians are just tapering off their Summer military maneuvers, written the paper, while the Americans start a mock campaign with 110,000 troops in the "east."

Germany, where the bloody carnage was spawned, today is a land divided.

This correspondent arrived in Europe in April ten years ago, when hopeful souls still believed in our future.

CITIES RUINED . . .

For the best six years millions were fought with the most destructive weapons the world has ever known. Cities were ruined over four ports and two inland cities. The continent and elsewhere in Europe lay in ruins.

watched a German army march through Slovakia to the Polish frontier while Hitler's Prussian General Joachim von Ribbentrop, was packing up to go Moscow.

When Hitler's infamy was launched, I headed for Poland through the thick forest of Carpathian Mountains. I had seen the trucks and gas bombers. I got acquainted with them in a Polish city called Lwow.

I saw how they killed the Jews. I took the sword shall perish by the sword. But many more innocent are slain.

I saw Polish women and children flee to the streets of Lwow when all the defense that city had against Nazi air attack was in its few machine guns.

TERRIBLE TOLL

In the last terrible year, the holocaust spread over a land, an estimated total of 22-24 million people perished. Another 34,000,000 were wounded and maimed.

One day has happened to Poland, divided once by Hitler and Stalin, who have taken it apart.

Now this came to Hungary to the Soviet flag.

World War II was supposed to end in a mud crumb to crush German militarism. But the lovely Moscow, the German army of at least 100,000 troops strong—has arisen out of the Elbe under Soviet sponsorship. It bears the alias, "People's Police."

And western European governments politicians speculate not too correctly that the day after tomorrow Germans again will bear arms.

GENERALS LEFT

Two German generals were hanged at Nuremberg, but there were plenty of other German officers and generals still around to serve either side in the next war.

In the few decades since 1939 to 1946—allies have continually rebuffed allies in the back.

The most logical unfinished chapter is Yugoslavia. Little more than a decade ago, German propagandists were describing Tito as the enlightened leader of Socialistism in the Balkans.

ADOLF HITLER . . . He plunged world into war ten years ago.

sign a friendship pact. Now Hungary is a base for Cominform military concentrations which "are in a mud crumb to crush Yugoslavia."

In Berlin you can feel the cold steel of the next war although the crimson banners in the Soviet Union proclaim today as "PEACE DAY."

PROPAGANDA AND FACTS . . .

Communist propaganda screams that Russia is the defender of peace. In the same breath, however, it claims the Red conquest of China and the prospective doom of Tito.

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Nous Deutschland, official newspaper of the Socialist Unity (Communist) Party, said:

"We are all witnesses to preparations for a third World War on German soil."

That peace bells are rung, mumble raps will be taken off the guns in Western Europe.

Newspapers of Western Germany chorused: "We don't want another war. The independent Frankfurt newspaper Abendpost, however, it claims the Red conquest of China and the prospective doom of Tito.

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Allies entered into military operations in Europe only when it had become obvious that the Soviet Union would not take the decisive defeat of Hitler Germany."

REACTION ELSEWHERE

This was the reaction in some countries.

Budapest-Hungary's Communist Party Chairman Szabad Nep wrote: "It is a tragedy for the world from Fascism" and also an opportunity for the East to Orient with its Muschurian campaigns." The paper accused "imperialist" who were working against Russia.

Prague—The Czech press charged the United States, Britain and France were to blame for the outbreak of the war. It nourished that mad dog Hitler, who later turned and bit his masters.

Warsaw - Silent processions were held in the city square. Victory Square last night to pay homage at the tomb of the nation's fallen soldiers. There was not a public holiday—the people were at work.

In that alighted struggle the Soviet Army ground down the main forces of Hitler's Germany which had the resources of all occupied Europe."

But in the Western

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VAUGHAN TO STAY ON AS TRUMAN'S AIDE

Highway Group Explains Policy

day it had no intention of spending up to \$20,000,000 of secondary road bond money for the purchase of road-building equipment.

75-Cent Minimum
By JOHN CHADWICK

The commission has expressed the opinion the court would not furnish an advisory opinion on the issue but that he would make further inquiries.

The commission voted to reject bids in a market selling for 20 cents a pound.

The Senate voted for it yesterday. The House did so earlier. All

homeless, verified figures from the National Rural Police showed.

Victims still were being pushed from shattered buildings when the

and 50 missing, most of them torn from moorings in Tokyo and Nagasaki Bays.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS

ment At: Truman and the news conference about the Senate investigation of Vaughan's activities.

The other members of the

opinion. He said that a test case could be instituted in other cases to determine legality of using bond funds to buy road equipment.

Another project in Davidson County was held in temporarily single bid received on the project was to high.

The principal issue to be settled concerns employees covered by the law. The bill would require 100,000 employees to be covered.

But the big danger was to come when the Tama River and other

in Kanagawa Prefecture, which embraces Yokohama and the hard when the Tama River and other

damaged houses but most: 120 rising flood waters.

Leaning against an old coral fence, Phelan, 87, Moffin, Mr. Truman, declined comment.

A reporter asked whether he thought Truman had got a "fair deal" from the committee.

Legion Asks Immigration Curbs

Legion's 31st national convention demanded today that the United States "curtail as far as possible any further immigration of unemployment problems."

Under the proposal, town and city councils would confer with industrial and civic leaders and pool their resources to help veterans find jobs.

Only a scattering of the veterans save votes against Nicholas' demand for World War II veterans at this time.

The measure wasn't just what Democratic leaders wanted. They said "victory" for a part of President Truman's program.

Vaughan, in be-ribboned Sumner uniform, was standing behind the President at the meeting with congressmen.

begin balloting to choose a new national commander, major item at the final session of the four-day convention.

1. Calling on the Secretary of Labor to act to restore the field staff of the Veterans Employment

Four candidates, all World War II vets, are in the race for the \$15,000-a-year commander's job now held by Perry Brown of Newport.

Some 22,000,000 workers are covered by the law, but Sen. Pepper (D-Ia.), floor manager of the

PARIS—(AP)—Europe's top Marshall Plan officials declared today that more than \$5,000,000,000 in American aid has failed so far

stated only that there needs to be additional allocations.

The Sney-Marjolin report continued:

...The President made the comment

Furthermore, he said, the retention "not only encourages other

"Particularly, the U.S. should adhere to the laws now in force applying to displaced persons rather than stand in the employment of physically handicapped veterans."

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cus held by 44 state delegations shows George N. Craig, 40-year-old Brazil Ind., attorney leading James Green, 33, of Omaha, Neb.

The report, to be sent to U. S. Marshall Plan authorities, was one whose "treasury" it would conviction that the fundamentals of this very early date and that, as asked for comment on the anniversary, Mr. Truman said he was hoping there would be that of the forces of democratic nations.

"I just think it is inexorable," the Wisconsin Senator declared, adding that it should create a "big

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minutes also won convention backing of a resolution under which area seminars would be set up at Birmingham, Ala., Indianapolis, and Louisville. The Legionnaires howled down with boisterous cheers of "no seminars, no seminars, no seminars."

applicants for U. S. citizenship be required to swear to bear arms for the U. S., whenever the necessity arises.

Once Over Lightly
BY WALTER SEIDENHAUER

"Vanderbilt gave us a perfect description of Mrs. Thompson," Michigan state police was en route here by plane today. With the Georgia officers, he will go to Jefferson, Ga., where Vander-

European morality: "I was on a vacation. I was not on a crusade to clean up Europe, or any thing else."

They don't have any suicides in Russia, if a fellow wants to

