

HER DELIVERS TRIPLETS UNASSISTED—First one, then two, then three arrivals gave dy Bougor, 48, a farm hand, a busy time, but when a doctor arrived he told Freddy "well." The Bougors, who reside near St. Albans, Vt., have eight other children: Helen, 11; Teresa, Eugene, 8; Kenneth, 7; Geraldine, 5; Henry, 4; Josephine, 2, and Rosabelle, one. Josephine was delivered by Mrs. Bougor unassisted. Some Father's day, we'd say!

Trucks Move Into Chicago Ready Control Trucking Industry

—(AP)— Military police Chicago today apparently to enforce government Chicago's trucking industry of which was expanded right to forestall the possibility of a drivers' strike. hundred MP's from Camp Leitch, and a thousand from Camp Skokie, Ill., encamped in a park on the lakeside edge of Chicago's downtown loop. Large numbers of trucks reportedly were staying off the streets awaiting military protection. A fleet of 1,700 trucking lines under government orders, by Ellis T. Longenecker, defense transportation

troubleshooter who also was federal manager of truck lines seized last August in Minneapolis.

Order to Return
Striking bus drivers and mechanics in eight southern states were ordered by the war labor board yesterday to return to their jobs by Monday. In telegrams to tri-state company officials and union officials, the eighth regional WLB at Dallas, Tex., said unless full operations were resumed by Monday, the case would be certified to the national WLB for action.

In New York, most city buses continued to run at a "slowdown" pace in what officials of local 100, transport workers union said was a protest against overwork and what the New York Omnibus corporation termed a "defiant attempt to exact coercion on the management." Thousands waiting sweltered in the city's hottest day of the year.

A strike of an estimated 2,000 United Mine Workers of America employes closed the Diamond Alkali Co., of Fairport, Ohio, for a second day today.

Enters Second Day
In Seneca Falls, N. Y., a walkout of maintenance and production employes of the Seneca Falls machinery company plant also entered its second day.

Three plants of the Great Lakes Steel corporation in Detroit were closed last night after walkouts made some 7,500 workers idle.

A spokesman for Carnegie-Illinois Steel corporation in Pittsburgh said yesterday that representatives of striking workers whose walkout Wednesday resulted in the idleness of 8,000 have voted to return to their jobs.

In Scranton, Pa., 400 employes of the Transit company voted last night to end their strike shortly before the midnight deadline set by President Truman for ODT seizure of the system. The work stoppage, the president said yesterday, was threatening to impede the war effort. The dispute involved pay rates and operating schedules.

ELECTED HISTORIAN
Chicago—(AP)—Lois Mueller of

Former County Youth Killed On Okinawa

Pvt. Anthony Bushway, 19, a former resident of Route 2, Milladore, was killed in action June 2 on Okinawa, according to a war department telegram received Thursday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bushway, who now reside in Sheboygan Falls, Wis.

Private Bushway, a former student at the Wood County Agricultural school, was serving with the first marine division.

He was born at Claremont, N. H., September 8, 1925. Prior to his entry into the marines March 31, 1944, he was employed at Haven, Wis. He received his training at San Diego, Calif., before going overseas.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a brother, Pfc. James Bushway, serving overseas with the paratroops in the south Pacific, and three sisters, Cecelia, Mary Anne, and Mildred, all at home.

Britain Declines French 5-Power Parley Proposal

Paris—(AP)—Authoritative quarters said today Britain had formally declined France's proposal for a five-power conference on Middle East problems.

British Ambassador Alfred Duff Cooper saw Georges Bidault, French minister of foreign affairs, at noon.

Official quarters declined to disclose details of the British note, pending further study.

The British position since General De Gaulle proposed an enlarged conference has been that the Levant problem could be solved

a carrier and three battleships, were said to be nearing Balikpapan, Borneo's major oil refinery center. The report coincided with an Allied announcement that Australian troops had seized all initial objectives of their second Borneo invasion, begun only last Saturday, with the capture of their third airfield on Brunei bay.

A great increase in American naval forces around Okinawa, Tokyo said, "may point to an enemy scheme to launch fresh operations against the Japanese homeland."

With less than 10,000 mostly second rate Japanese troops left on Okinawa, the "final phase" of the ground campaign on this naval air base island will be over in less than a week, said Lt. Gen. Sim Bolivar Buckner, Jr., whose American army troops narrowed the Japanese hold to eight square miles. **Bombard Truk**

Naval bombardment of Truk, Tokyo said, was carried out yesterday by two cruisers and four destroyers in conjunction with a carrier attack which reached its third successive day today. The Japanese offered no explanation for the attack, presumably by British forces, on the once mighty Nippon base in the Caroline islands. Today's reports listed 14 Japanese coastal vessels and schooners sunk and six wrecked on the ways—mostly in Shanghai waters by air raiders.

While hundreds of American warships, loaded cargo vessels and landing craft are pouring into Okinawa waters, Tokyo said, U. S. naval patrols have been extended within 200 miles of Japan.

To meet this threat Japan were reported converting the nearest island, Kyushu, "into a large fortress . . . at amazing speed."

Break Onto Plain
After months of tortuous campaigning through northern Philippine mountains, the U. S. 37th infantry broke out onto the broad plains of Cagayan valley in a mile advance in 24 hours. Ten towns were liberated in the valley where the climactic battles of Luzon island are expected. All other U. S. divisions in the Philippines made small advances.

Chinese reported fighting around four towns on the approaches to the Canton-Hong Kong area. Chinese based U. S. air forces strafed enemy troop columns, knocked out 19 locomotives and 17 river boats. British artillery and mortars helped speed the Nipponese retreat from Burma.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced bombing attacks on Balikpapan is 500 miles south and slightly east of Brunei, on the opposite coast, and 400 miles below invading Tarakan.

MacArthur's headquarters closed only 1,447 of 18,000 American

Chris Hagen 77; Dies Tuesday

Chris Hagen, 77, died at her home, 1757 Seventeenth avenue south, last evening following a 3-day illness. She had been a resident of the community for 51 years. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday afternoon at the Moravian church with the Rev. W. Schwager officiating. Burial will take place in Forest Hill cemetery.

Mr. Hagen, the former Mathilda Hagen, was born in Sandsvar, Norway, November 1, 1867, and came to this community in 1913 carrying Chris Hagen here. His first wife, Mary, died in 1913 and John died in 1933.

His survivors are a son, Hans Hagen, and four daughters, Mrs. Rasmussen, Minneapolis; Mrs. Flugstad, Milwaukee; Mrs. Ronholm and Mrs. Nels Juselius, both of Wisconsin Rapids; a daughter, Hans Hostvedt, Port Edwards and brother and sister in law; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services today is at the Baker mortuary.