

Vandenberg Pledges To Support Charter

German Prisoners of War Build Camp for Workers

Young Afrika Korps Contingent Advance Guard for Larger Group

A German prisoner of war group, numbering about 40, this week laid the groundwork for another prisoner group scheduled to arrive here July 6 to work in the Marshfield and Loyal canning factories.

The group, scheduled to leave today, arrived in Marshfield Wednesday noon and immediately started work on a compound which will house the work contingent scheduled to arrive here later.

A six-acre tract on the Golden State property at the rear of the local canning company was fenced in with snow fence and barbed wire. The prisoners built two guards' houses, one sentry house, shower baths, and latrines, which will be the only buildings for the prisoners of war. The rest of the living quarters including mess and sleeping facilities will be in tents, it was explained.

Advance Guard

With the prisoners, comprising the advance guard, were about 16 guards, nine trucks and jeeps, all under the command of Captain Koppa.

From Wednesday until today, the prisoners were housed in the canning company's warehouse. The men did their own cooking in the rear of the warehouse.

The prisoner group, it was explained yesterday, were members of the Afrika Korps, captured in Africa about two years ago. Most of them are young and many of them speak English. The group observed yesterday wore blue jeans which had a white letter P painted over the hip pocket. Most of them wore no shirts and were sun-burned a berry brown. All appeared in very good physical condition, and were obedient, doing their work without comment.

Fraternizing Banned

Regarding the prisoners of war to come, the public is warned that there is to be no fraternizing between the Germans and civilians. Prisoners are to be confined to the compound, except during such times as they shall be at work or



Lt. Russell W. Dickof

1ST LT. DICKOF LOST IN ACTION

Radio and Radar Operator Was Serving in South Pacific Area

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Dickof, 1005 S. Cherry street, received a telegram last night from the War Department informing that their son, First Lt. Russell W. Dickof, 26, is missing in action in the Pacific Ocean area.

The radio and radar operator on a B-29 bomber, reported lost since June 1, was transferred to the South Pacific in May of this year from India, where he had

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RAPIDS FIRM BUYS POINT PAPER MILL

GOP LAWMAKER ENDORSES PLAN

Move Underway to Limit Authority of Stettinius As Delegate

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BY JACK BELL

Washington—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) told his colleagues today they must accept the United Nations charter as a brave experiment or cheat the world of "its only collective chance" for peace.

In a vigorous endorsement of the San Francisco conference agreement for formation of an international organization, the chairman of the Republican senatorial conference called the pledges hewn out there "a new emancipation proclamation for the world."

Before the tall Michigan Senator took the floor, Senator Taft of Ohio, chairman of the Republican steering committee, said he and others are thinking of trying to write into the ratification resolution limitations on the authority Edward R. Stettinius Jr., will wield as American delegate on the proposed world security council.

Speaking from a prepared manuscript, Vandenberg said he would support the charter "in the deep conviction that the alternative is physical and moral chaos in many weary places of the earth."

Holds Great Promise

"I shall do it because there must be no default in our stippled purpose to outlaw aggression so far as lies within our human power," he declared. "I shall do it because this plan, regardless of infirmities, holds great promise that the United Nations may collaborate for peace as effectively as they have made common cause for war.

"I shall do it because peace must not be cheated out of its only collective chance... I doubt if there could ever be another or better start."

Vandenberg, who helped draft the charter as an American delegate, said the pacific settlement