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## NEWS BRIEFS

Latest gadget from the land where petrol is off the ration - America's three-wheeled Californian whizzer.

It weighs nine hundred weights and costs round about £250. When you get tired of driving, you pull up at the roadside and play taking the car to pieces.

Almost everything comes off - - and if there's a piece left over when putting it all together again - well, maybe you didn't need it anyway. The Californian shows up best on the big highways where it can top 116 miles an hour.

Picking up local colour for the next letter home, G.I.'s head out on a trip with Jap fishermen in the river near Tokyo. First lesson is net casting.

The Japs are experts, but the catch they take is nothing to shout about. They did a better job when they were thieving other people's money. Rich treasure troves have been captured in the big-clean-up in Tokyo. Remember the get-rich-quick-boys who used to sell phoney gold bricks before the war? This is what the real thing looks like. The Mikado's personal fortune was another fabulous find.

Back from Germany to report to the Senate's Military Affairs Committee comes General Eisenhower. One member of the committee asked the General as a military man and a diplomat "Do you think there is any chance of effectuating a lasting world peace?" And got a characteristic answer from General Ike.

### SPEECH

In Berlin at the unveiling of the Soviet War Memorial, Marshal Zhukov listens as a Russian double V.G. opens the ceremony. Built in the Tiergarten, the memorial is in the British Sector and a big Allied parade pays tribute to the Red Army's dead.

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First of its kind to be set up in Berlin, the Russian Memorial is designed to last; a permanent reminder of a hard won victory.

Japan's once great naval base at Kure, a scrap-yard of forgotten ships. After a series of defeats at sea, the Jap Fleet crawled back to its home base. Allied bombers located it and blasted it into heaps of twisted metal.

Even Warships that survived are to be scuttled - after being used as targets for atomic bomb tests. Yes, another atom bomb has yet to be used.