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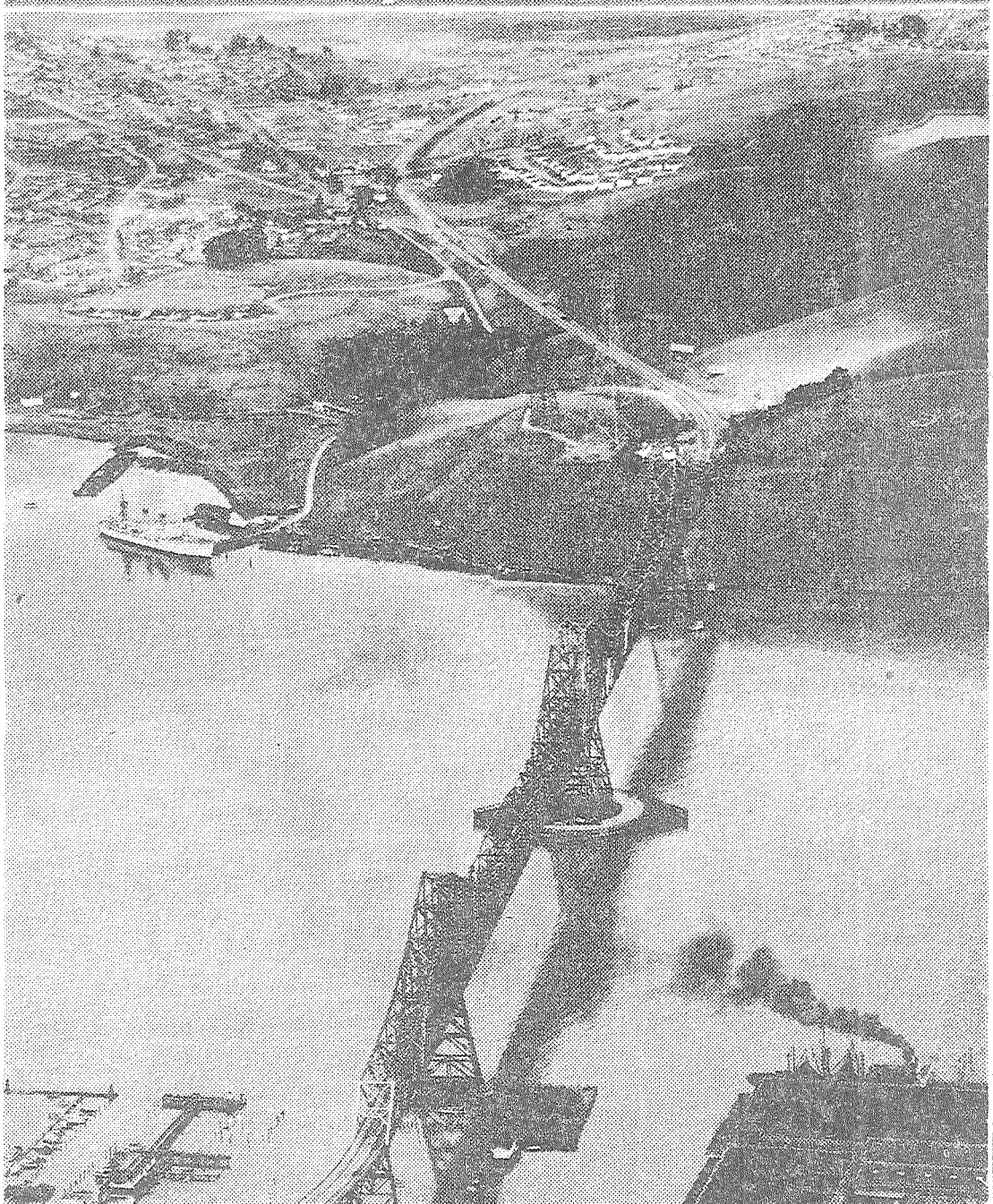
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The Vallejo-Mare Island Area



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VALLEJO NEXT STOP—This is Carquinez Strait where the northern arm of the Bay narrows between Contra Costa and Solano counties and is spanned by the great State-owned bridge. Gold seekers sailed past this spot on their way to the gold fields. Today the sugar ships tie up at the docks of the California-Hawaiian

Sugar Co., lower right, and other ships crawl under the bridge en route to Stockton's inland port. In the clump of trees on the opposite shore is the California Maritime Academy and a road leads down to the wharf where the Golden Bear, its training ship, is moored. Over the hill lie the outskirts of Vallejo, to the left, Carquinez

Heights, a wartime housing project. In the upper middle are the gleaming new white houses of a subdivision, Stephan Manor. At the far side of the bridge is one of the giant towers built by the Pacific Gas & Electric Co., to hold the new power lines which soon will cross the strait. (For a full page airphoto report on the Vallejo area, see Page 10.)

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