

## Women Pray Against Bill In Capitol Plaza

Throng Is Dispersed  
Following Demonstration  
Aimed at  
British Aid Measure

## Willkie Is Scored By G.O.P. Members

Vandenberg, Nye,  
Clark Lead Attack  
In Senate Chamber

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The House of Representatives today approved a bill authorizing the president to provide the military forces of Great Britain with military equipment.

The bill passed by a vote of 261 to 147.

The measure was introduced by Senator Charles McNary, Oregon.

The bill authorizes the president to provide the military forces of Great Britain with military equipment to the extent of \$100,000,000 per annum.

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## Dates Are Announced For Florida Badminton Tournament Scheduled To Be Held In Sanford Next May

Herndon Elected  
Head Of Library  
Housing Group

## General Sanford's Effects Offered By His Daughter

General Sanford's effects, including his personal belongings and military equipment, are to be sold to the public by his daughter, Mrs. J. P. Sanford.

The sale is to be held in Sanford, Florida, next year.

The effects include a sword, a pair of pistols, and a military uniform.

The sale is expected to attract a large crowd of collectors and historians.

## Arctic Blasts Sweep Across Eastern Area

Possible Snow Forecast  
For Alabama  
And Georgia Tonight  
As Mercury Drops

Arctic blasts which swept the eastern United States today brought freezing temperatures to most of the region.

The mercury is expected to drop to its lowest point tonight.

A possible snow forecast is in effect for Alabama and Georgia tonight.

The weather is expected to be bitterly cold throughout the day.

## War Fever Mounts Sharply In Far East And In Balkans; Aussies Land In Singapore

Thousands Of Troops,  
Bombing Planes  
Re-Inforce British  
Far Eastern Bastion

SINGAPORE, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The fighting strength of Britain's Singapore base has been reinforced by thousands of Australian troops and other units.

The Australian troops landed in Singapore today.

The reinforcement is part of the British plan to hold Singapore as a bastion in the Far East.

The British also re-inforced their Far Eastern bastion with thousands of troops and bombing planes.

FROM WAR ZONE TO SAFETY  
Mrs. Joan Holcomb (left) and Mrs. Audie Powell pose with a life-aver as they arrive at the New York New York Hotel and Casino in New York City on Wednesday, Feb. 18, 1941. In use as a troop transport, she was used to rescue Mrs. Joan Holcomb from the sea off the coast of France.



## Ben Hogan Keeps Win

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Ben Hogan held his lead in the New Orleans Golf Open today, finishing with a 64 on Sunday to lead the tournament.

Hogan's victory is his second in the tournament.

The tournament is being held in New Orleans, Louisiana.

## Windy, Fast Florida Skyrocket Playoffs Scores

CORAL GABLES, Fla. (AP)—The Florida State League playoffs were held today in Coral Gables, Florida.

The games were played in windy and fast conditions.

The scores of the games were as follows:

- Game 1: Team A vs. Team B, Score 5-3.
- Game 2: Team C vs. Team D, Score 4-2.



Earl Anecell, favorite baseball memory of Goslin in Simple Pop Fly Over Second Base

MIAMI BEACH, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Earl Anecell was the star of the Simple Pop Fly Over Second Base game today.

Anecell's hit was a key moment in the game.

The game was held in Miami Beach, Florida.

## Lawton Little Watches Players In Winter Circuit

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Lawton Little is watching the winter baseball circuit in New Orleans.

Little is a well-known baseball player.

The winter circuit is a popular event in New Orleans.

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## Gun Club Gets Re-Launch For Making Bullets

A re-launch meeting for the Gun Club was held today.

The club is focused on making bullets.

The meeting was held in Sanford, Florida.

## Drivers Warned To Use '41 Auto Tags

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 18.—(AP)—Drivers are warned to use their 1941 auto tags.

The warning is from the Florida Department of Transportation.

The tags are required for all vehicles on the road.

## NYA Builds Beaches For City Parkways

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The National Youth Administration is building beaches for city parkways.

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## Florida Bar Meets Tomorrow

TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The Florida Bar meets tomorrow.

The meeting is for the annual conference.

The conference will discuss legal issues and the state of the profession.

## Market News

Grayhound Results:  
Tampa, Fla. 2-1  
St. Petersburg, Fla. 1-0  
Gainesville, Fla. 1-0  
Ocala, Fla. 1-0  
Highway, Fla. 1-0

## Market News

Wheat, 1.15  
Corn, .65  
Soybeans, 1.80  
Cotton, 1.20  
Sugar, 1.50  
Rice, 1.00

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Cattle, 1.20  
Hogs, 1.00  
Poultry, 1.50  
Butter, 1.20  
Eggs, 1.00

Have you heard the one about the TRAVELING SALESMAN?

Book 'Whisper'

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Continuation of news articles from the left column, including 'Market News' and 'Lawton Little Watches Players'.

## Ladies' Gym Class Changes Meeting Place To Armory

Ladies' gym classes which have been held at the recreation building on the lake front will be held at the Armory starting tomorrow.

The change is due to the completion of the recreation building.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—(AP)—The Army will be a million strong in two weeks.

The increase is due to the mobilization of reservists.

The Army is preparing for a larger role in the war effort.

## Final Court Session To Be Held Tomorrow

The final court session for the year will be held tomorrow.

The session will be held in the state capital.

The court will hear several cases.

## City News Briefs

A list of brief news items from the Sanford area.

- Local business news.
- Community events.
- Local sports news.

## America Is Wasteful Says Melville Johnson

STONINGTON, Conn. (AP)—America is wasteful, says Melville Johnson.

Johnson is a prominent American businessman.

He has criticized the American economy for its inefficiency.

## Stetson Glee Club Is To Appear At Kiwani Minstrel

The Stetson Glee Club is to appear at the Kiwani Minstrel.

The performance will be held in Sanford, Florida.

The club is excited about the opportunity.

## Agreement Looms In ASCAP Controversy

An agreement is being reached in the ASCAP controversy.

The controversy involves the American Society of Composers, Authors and Music Publishers.

The agreement would resolve the dispute.

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## New Battleship To Be Ready May 15

A new battleship will be ready by May 15.

The ship is being built at a shipyard in the United States.

The ship will be the largest battleship ever built.

## LOCAL WEATHER

A forecast of the local weather for the next few days.

Expect cloudy skies with occasional showers.

Temperatures will be in the mid-50s to low 60s.

## Convictions Confirmed

Convictions were confirmed in a recent court case.

The case involved a violation of the law.

The court found the defendant guilty.

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## Italians Are Reported In Desperate Drives Disregarding Lives

Italians are reported to be in desperate drives, disregarding lives.

The reports are from the front lines.

The Italian forces are pushing forward despite heavy casualties.

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BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY

DO NOT PUT YOUR SEAT ABOVE HUMANITY: Beloved, do not love one another for love is of God...

Root and Sock (From Trails): Roots in these rocks apart, Looking the age-old locks...

Through breasts of men who who ploughed: The earth where now they sleep...

Out H. P. Baya says he didn't sign as draft director: They just stepped on my and he quit...

The Garden: Note of last Sunday's Times Union talks about what he and his family...

Mark Bennett whose interest in roses is only surpassed by his interest in Hitler: brings us in...

Mr. Jimmy Walker is suing his wife for a divorce: Now that he is back in politics...

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Mistreatment Of Animals

Relegation of animals into the background as beasts of burden by the universal adoption of mechanical means of transportation has, we feel, caused the public to be unmindful of the welfare of the relatively few remaining horses and mules...

These two examples of inhumanity might be multiplied many times over, but we just don't know, but in any case we feel that there is sufficient evidence at hand for the public to demand action...

If sufficient laws are not on the books, then animal lovers should get together and see to it that laws are enacted, but if present statutes are adequate, and we believe they are...

The love of animals is one of the finest instincts among civilized peoples and it is a sad commentary on our public spiritedness when we allow sick dumb beasts to be driven about our streets.

Vice In Camp

In its editorial comment on a recent article in the American Magazine about vice conditions near Army camps, the Miami Herald declares the report by the magazine should be asuring to parents, wives, sisters and sweethearts of American youth in the national army in training.

Calling attention to the fact that the report "does not gloss over facts," the paper says, "It faces them and discusses them. It admits that the professional charmer has tried to set up her ancient and dishonorable profession. But it notes that on many fronts, civilian and military, the Army is striking."

"Nothing is being left to chance. Everything is being done to lift the moral tone and health of the Army to a point never achieved before. This campaign of Uncle Sam's is the most intelligent and comprehensive drive of its kind ever carried on by our Army in war or peace."

"The survey reveals that for every boy in khaki encountered at miserable dives, a hundred others are playing football, lawing, going to the movies, dancing with their girlfriends or engaged in some other wholesome activity."

"The intelligent youth is not going to have his moral standards changed by Army life. But temptations do exist. It is not easy to drive the prostitute out of business. No country nor age has ever been able to bring that about."

"Every family with a son in the Army expects that Uncle Sam will use his long arm to protect him from the wiles of insidious vice. The survey of The American Magazine ought to allay most of the fears about vice conditions near Army camps."

"The Army owes it to the nation to fight it bitterly and unceasingly."

THE WHITE GUFFS



Illustration by [Artist Name]

Your Income Tax

NO. 19 DEDUCTION FOR BAD DEBTS: Bad debts constitute a considerable item in the returns of many taxpayers and may be treated in one of two ways...

Orange Pickers Contest Slated At Avon Park

AVON PARK, Feb. 19. (Special) - An All-Florida Championship Orange Pickers Contest will be held at Avon Park, Saturday, Mar. 23, as a feature of the annual Chamber of Commerce-American Legion Spring carnival...

Sims Named Head Of Southern Program

LAKELAND, Feb. 19. (Special) - Appointment of 120 county co-chairmen and Harrie G. Sims, editor of the Lakeland Ledger, as state chairman to direct district chairmen...

THE SANFORD FORUM

February 18, 1941

Editor, Sanford Herald, Sanford, Fla.

Dear Mr. Dean: Being an old citizen of Central Florida, I desire to express my thanks through the valued columns of your valuable Herald...

Respectfully, H. M. FAYWORTH

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Editor, The Sanford Herald, Sanford, Fla.

Dear Mr. Dean: Members of the Sembrala County Tuberculosis and Health Association wish to express their appreciation of the publicity you so generously gave us during our Christmas Seal campaign...

Respectfully yours, MRS. J. L. THURLEY

Chairman

The Editor of the Herald:

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Bank Holiday Notice

SATURDAY, February 23rd, Washington's Birthday, being a legal holiday, the undersigned banks will not be open for business on that day.

All orders for pay rolls, currency, etc., should be made on Friday, February 22nd.

The Sanford Herald

A total of 9,056 head of cattle was sold by the Kistimnee Live Stock Auction during the calendar year of 1940 for the sum of \$100,213. This gave an average of \$11.75 per head and \$5,838 per sale for the 32 sale days.

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# News Of The World In Pictures



At the naval air station at Lakeland, N. J., Marines practice massed parachute landings. Men carry two crates, one regular on their backs, one emergency on their chests, as shown, right. Top, leatherbacks slip from their plane into space. Bottom, they touch the ground. After training, they discard emergency chute.



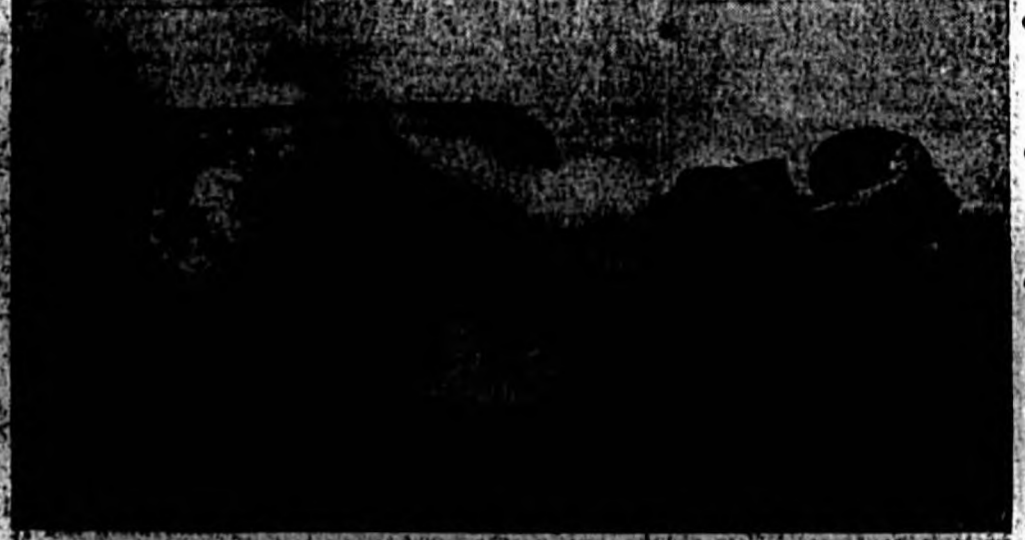
Carole Lombard

According to reports from Hollywood, there will soon be a hit-visibility at the nearby ranch of Clark Gable and Carole Lombard. Both previously married, neither has ever had any children before.



Thurman Arnold

Assistant U. S. Attorney General Thurman Arnold told the Federal Reserve Committee in Washington that the government has been charged excessively and unreasonably prices for essential war materials as a result of agreements between domestic and foreign monopolies and collusive bidding on Army and Navy contracts. He said serious shortages have resulted and suggested an expanded anti-trust enforcement program.



A large trailer truck, driven by Steve Waldorf, of Newark, N. J., has flipped over after fatal crash with car in which Michael J. Gayle, Baltimore, N. C., was killed, his two daughters, and John J. Maloney were driving. The crash occurred at Summit, Delaware. White, Gay, F. J. Gayle and Maloney were killed, the two women seriously injured.



Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt greets the Grand Duchess of Luxembourg and her husband, Prince Felix, as they arrive at the White House in Washington for a three-day visit. With the royal couple was their 17-year-old son, Jean, hereditary Grand Duke of the little country now occupied by Germany.



New outdoor uniforms for the American Red Cross in Europe. The uniforms are made of khaki and are designed for use in the field. They are made of a heavy material and are designed to be comfortable and practical.



Two young Americans, who were the winners of the contest for the title of Miss America, are shown in the photograph. They are standing on a stage and are wearing their contest uniforms. The contest was held in New York City and was won by the two young women.



Back in the days of the old days, the people of the world were much more interested in the things of the world than they are now. The people of the world were much more interested in the things of the world than they are now.



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Market Report

SANFORD FARMERS' MARKET Market Report of Sales up to 12:00 P.M., February 18, 1941.

Dan Dunn—Secret Operative 48



ETTA KETT



THE LONE RANGER



Passeau, Once Workhorse Of Phillies Is Now Effective Pitcher For Cubs

LUCEDALE, Miss., Feb. 19.—(P)—When Jimmy Wilson calls his Chicago Cubs together at Catalina he'll be pleased to find among them Claude Passeau, one of his old workhorses at Philadelphia who has blossomed into one of baseball's most effective pitchers.

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Good Whop Man
For Industry

Defense Commission
Price Hawk Likes
To Put Up A Scrap

By JACK STINEBT
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19. (AP)
If the Administration had
searched through all its million-
employee force to crack
the whip over industry and keep
the price of defense materials
down, it is doubtful if it could
have found anyone who puts more
"heat" into the job than Leon Hen-
derson.
It isn't that Henderson enjoys
tailoring legitimate business.
He's too good an economist to feel
that way about it. But he does
love to see a man in a new job.
And in the third place he probably
has thought, talked and written
more sense on the activities of
controlled prices than any other
government worker in the six
years that he has been around
Washington.
It was a scrap that led to Hen-
derson's first government job. He
was going along his own quiet
way as professor of mechanical
economics at Carnegie Institute of
Technology when Gen. Hugh
Johnson called him into an NYA
conference.
If the general expected any
kind of pedantry to be shown, he
was disappointed. Henderson was
exposed in various times and
professional reverses he got the
surprise of his life. In phrases al-
most as salty as the general's,
Henderson created a new way of
looking at the economic situation.
When the dust of
battle had settled, Johnson hired
him.
That was only one of a long
series of "federal" jobs Henderson
has had. He later became
economic advisor to WPA. He was
named a member of the tempo-
rary national economic committee
that investigated monopolies. He
worked for the Senate committee
on monopolies. Even now, in addition
to his job as price hawk of the
defense commission, he is a mem-
ber of the "War Relocation Ad-
visory Commission" and "only
one of the few members from the
defense price-hawk group.
Through it all he has never lost sight
of the economic principle that the
government should not be in the
business of making money.
Henderson is a 37-year-old
pounder, taller than most of his
kind, with a hat, a mustache and
a friendly smile. One of his eyes
is missing, and he has a
fine-looking nose.
He practices his profession in
private, in government, in
1927, he accepted the position
and a good many other
things, but he was never
just as he predicted it would
be. "I'm a Democrat," he
said, "and I'm a Democrat,"
said Harry Hopkins, then secretary of
commerce.
As the Defense Commission's
price hawk, he tried to get
out to threaten industry. He
said they pulled prices down, but
that it was the government's
job to get the prices down. He
said that the government should
be like a Dutchman, that
there were about three hundred
more of them than there were
and before the west was
settled.

Hints to Gardeners
This is the best time to plant
flowers and shrubs.
Planting should be done
before the ground is frozen.
The soil should be well
drained.
The plants should be
watered regularly.
The soil should be kept
moist.
The plants should be
fertilized.

FOUNDERS
The founders of the
American people
were the men who
built the nation.

Change in
Legislation

NEW YORK, Feb. 19. (AP)
A bill to amend the
Federal Reserve Act
was introduced today
by Rep. Charles McNary,
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Notice

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I, Thomas G. ...
of the State of Florida,
do hereby certify that
the following is a true
and correct copy of
the original as the
same appears in the
files of the State
Department.

Palatka Ravine Gardens

Millions of Blooms
The incredible, colorful beauty of
Palatka Ravine Gardens in the center
provides a most unexpected pleasure to
the world.
How often with friends, the
family, or alone, do you
enjoy the beauty of the
Palatka Ravine Gardens?
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Palatka Ravine Gardens?

Do you have to
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at night?

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The answer is no.
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American News
In Britain

LONDON, Feb. 19. (AP)
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## Hillman Says "Strikes Don't Slow Defense"

Production Aide Tells  
Committee Lockouts  
Are Rare Exception  
And No Law Needed

## House Approves Fortifying Guam

Okeys Bill Authorizing  
Expansion Of  
Naval Air Bases

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—Sidney J. Hillman, associate chief of defense production told the House Judiciary committee today that "strikes are the rare exception in defense industry and no additional legislation is necessary to deal with them."

He asserted statistics showed that "delays due to strikes constituted one percent of the time actually worked."

The House Wednesday approved a bill authorizing expansion of naval air bases at the Alameda and in the continental United States, was passed by a vote of 377 to 10.

Mr. Okey, chairman of the committee, said that if Japan took offense it would be a "serious matter."

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## Lockheed Factory Rushes Planes For R.A.F.



Lockheed Hudson bombers being built for British, some of them already bearing the R. A. F. insignia, cover almost every foot of space in this section of the Lockheed Aircraft factory in Burbank, Calif., and represent plenty of future headaches for Germany. The twin-engine bombers, capable of 280 m.p.h., have wing high praise from English pilots. Ships in right background are Lodestars, U. S. passenger planes.

## Washington Day Programs Will Be Featured At Schools With Pupils Giving Plays, Skits And Readings

Washington Day programs will be held at the Sanford Grammar School and the South Side Primary School tomorrow morning, with students of both schools giving plays, skits, and readings pertaining to the life of the "Father of Our Country."

A play entitled "Happy Birthdays" will be presented by a group of students of the Grammar school. Members of the group are: Andrew, Bill, Charlie, Edna, Irma, Marjorie, Mary, Josephine, Jeanne, and Virginia.

A reading will be given by Patricia Rath, "Washington and the Hatchet." Len Swain will play the "Florida State" song. Nancy Williams and Joan Swingle will give a "Washington" recitation. Myra Ann Southward will play a piano solo and Helen Babcock will play a violin solo.

A pantomime skit will be acted by Dwight Swanson and Larry Loring with Simon Dingfelder reading the parts.

Mrs. Gertrude Page is in charge of the program at the Grammar school. The third grade of the South Side Primary will present the Washington program scheduled for tomorrow morning. "A Dream of Washington" presented by the students dressed in costumes of that period will be the main feature of the program. The play will be followed by a musical danced by eight boys and girls.

Several patriotic songs, "God Bless America," "America the Beautiful," and "America" will be sung by all of the students at the assembly. George Sims will give a reading, "When Washington Was a Boy," read by John Williams entitled "When Washington Was a Lad."

A group of students will present a Washington skit, a story spelled out with cards held by the group. Betty Cook will read "Girls in Washington's Time" and the program will close with the Salute to the Flag.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20—(AP)—The wide use of trench coats, in lieu of complete uniforms, is predicted by the American National Association's magazine, *Hygiene*, predicted Wednesday.

The trend, however, which is to be continued among wounded soldiers, has been largely prevented in the present war by the fact that it was reported.

APPLIES FOR CERTIFICATE  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—The War Department announced today that it had received applications for certificates which would permit it to use the advantage of the National Defense Act of 1940, and to suspend a portion of the provisions of the act.

## Pacific Fleet Will Be Sent Latest Planes

Marshall Gives Information  
To Committee After Calling  
Situation Serious

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff is reported to have told the Senate military affairs committee that the United States intends to reinforce the Pacific fleet immediately with an unspecified number of the latest type of army and navy fighting planes.

He described the situation in the Pacific as serious. He is reported to have told the committee that aid to Britain could be provided up by passage of the British aid bill.

Meanwhile from Shanghai came information that Japanese troop transports are reported—without confirmation—moving southward from Formosa, and Japan proper in a move which Shanghai sources interpreted as Tokyo's answer to the arrival of thousands of Australian soldiers at Singapore.

British operational military notes in Singapore and elsewhere in southeast Asia are part of a joint British-American plan to "strangle Japan," and will be countered with "appropriate measures," Japanese spokesmen said today.

In broad outline, as the Japanese see the rapidly unfolding Far East picture, the "Anglo-American bloc" is seeking to block these ends: 1. To "gain the initiative" in East Asia and stifle Japan's plan to create a "greater East Asia co-prosperity sphere" before it is too late. 2. To bolster the Chinese Nationalist government in Chungking so that it will intensify its "war of resistance" against Japan.

3. To "block" negotiations in Moscow for a Russo-Japanese accord. The negotiations, the Japanese admit will be influenced unfavorably by developments in East Asia.

4. To prevent the Japanese from gaining the initiative in the Pacific. The Japanese are reported to have been in position to invade the vital China area and the Gulf of Siam from the Bay of Bengal.

In British and American quarters the developments at Singapore, where thousands of British soldiers have been landed during the past 36 hours, were hailed as a "master stroke" in the face of which the Japanese advance into southeast Asia will be slowed up and possibly stopped.

Admiral Nomura, the new Japanese ambassador, said at his first capital press conference Wednesday that he does not see any possibility of a war between the United States and Japan but he admitted that relations "are not quite so good" as he had believed on leaving Tokyo.

Speaking through an embassy interpreter, the former Japanese foreign minister affirmed that Japan will live up to its commitments under the triple-alliance with Germany and Italy but he said he could not conceive of war with the United States developing as a result of that pact.

"We signed the treaty in order to preserve the peace of the Pacific," the admiral said. He had been asked whether Japan's obligations to the Axis powers would require her to declare war on the United States. If this country warned on Germany, he said, "I do not believe the United States will declare war on Germany. Hence, I do not expect the situation can arise."

Side-stepping questions on Japanese attitude toward American conversion of Guam and Samoa into advance naval outposts, he said there were obvious American territories and that the United States could do as it liked with them.

Naturally Japan does not like to see powerful air or naval bases in neighboring waters, especially belonging to a great power like the United States, he said. He said that Japan had no intention of declaring war on the United States.

## Stalled By West Coast Storm



These autos, some of them hub-deep in mud, were caught in the grip of a storm that stalled in the western part of Los Angeles. Overnight, the city became virtually a lake as the terrific rain at first swept the area.

## Volusia County Commissioners Complete Resolutions Necessary For Presenting Brief On Road 44

Appearing before the Volusia County Commissioners at Deland this morning, Edward Higgins was successful in seeking a resolution from that body recommending the completion and improvement of State Road 44 connecting Sanford with the East Coast. The Chamber of Commerce secretary said today.

Five miles of the road from Sanford to Mims runs through Volusia County and the approval of the commissioners of that county completes resolutions necessary for the brief to be presented to the State Road Department Feb. 27, by Senator E. F. Householder, Mr. Higgins advised.

Seminole and Howard County commissioners have already passed resolutions in favor of the road and since the resolution has been obtained from Volusia County the brief will be complete.

The project asked for the paving of the road from Mims to the Titusville bridge on the St. Johns River and the furthering of the engineering work on the road from the Titusville bridge to the Geneva bridge and on to Sanford.

Completion of the road will connect Sanford directly with the East Coast and below the road from the Geneva bridge to Sanford and State Road Four on the East Coast.

## 1036 Airplanes Are Finished In January

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—William S. Knudsen, director of the office of production management, said yesterday that during January 1036 airplanes were delivered by United States manufacturers. Of this total 957 went to the United States Army and Navy and to the British forces.

Knudsen told a press conference he expected the rate of production to pick up a little next summer.

Beginning the fourth day of debate on the measure in the Senate, Reynolds described it as a "bill for the defense of the British Empire at the expense of the lives of American men and at the expense of the American taxpayer."

CUBAN LOAN WAITS  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—(AP)—Jose J. Fernandez, loan administrator said today, conclusion of negotiations for a loan to Cuba awaited approval by the Cuban congress of some necessary legislation.

OFFICERS HUNT NOBLES  
NAPLES, Feb. 20—(AP)—Collier county officers Wednesday hunted two men who were reported to have stolen \$27,000 in jewelry Tuesday from the room of two Ohio women at the Naples hotel here.

Lord Bessborough had more talk with the British cabinet today. He said that the cabinet had decided to support the British government in its war against Germany.

## South African Troops Slash Into Ethiopia

Capture Fascist Garrison  
While Other  
Forces Are Locked  
In Heavy Fighting

## R.A.F. Bombers Hit Invasion Bases

Nazis Release Bomb  
Cargo On London,  
Plymouth, Portland

British South African troops slashing into Italian-conquered Ethiopia were today reported to have captured the Fascist garrison at Meza along with 600 prisoners, while other British forces were locked in heavy fighting with Italians on the Somaliland front.

The Italian high command said the British had made "repeated counter attacks" in an attempt to recapture the Juba River, in Somaliland.

In the battle of Britain, R. A. F. bombers raked the "invasion routes" of West and Calais on the North Sea coast, while German raiders, strewn their cargoes of death and destruction on London, Plymouth, Portland and Swansea.

Japan renewed its efforts to capture New Guinea in the Orient. British Japanese news agencies reported that Japan's Vice Premier, Chui-chi Chai, told the Australian government today that the Japanese had captured the island of New Guinea. Nevertheless, British residents of Thailand, Siam were officially advised to leave as thousands of Australian troops marched the defense of northern Malaya, bordering on Thailand, and Japanese submarines were reported to be in the Gulf of Siam.

The director of Naval Intelligence in London said that the German navy had been ordered to leave the Albanian coast that appeared to be threatened.

## Camp Blanding Gives Birth To New Town

STARK, Feb. 20—(Special)—A new city has arisen at the gates to Camp Blanding, which is a combination of a Georgia town, a Florida town, and a camp. The town is named Stark and is a thriving, nondescript community spread along state road 14 just outside the gates of the camp. As yet unnamed, it is growing so fast that it soon will deserve an official title. The Gospel Meeting House of A. B. Strunkland, the only native left in the town, is a landmark. Stark, while nearby a towering ferris wheel goes round and round.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20—(AP)—The mounting crisis in the Far East had bullish repercussions again today in Wall Street commodity markets which depend for their existence primarily on the Dutch East Indies, British Malaya and Japan.

Rubber, Straits tin and raw silk were bid up to sharply higher prices on flurries of speculative buying based on fears movements from primary sources would be blocked if real trouble flared in the Pacific.

FIRE HALTED  
OCALA, Feb. 20—(AP)—About 200 men, working in shifts day and night since Monday, have halted a fire which swept over 700 to 800 acres in the northeast corner of the Ocala national forest.

LABOR SUPPLY ADEQUATE  
TALLAHASSEE, Feb. 20—(AP)—The industrial commission reported Wednesday that "the general labor supply throughout the state appears adequate" although national defense projects continued to provide employment for thousands.

LOCAL WEATHER  
Florida—cloudy, occasional light rain in the north, possibly few scattered showers in the south before tonight and Friday. Slightly cooler in the central portion of the state. A cold front in the Gulf of Mexico will bring a heavy rain in the afternoon.

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