

Opening Of Red Sea Described As Intervention

Arbitrary Interpretation of International Law Charged By Italian Source

Europe's Monroe Doctrine Cited

Official Fascist Circles Withhold Comment Upon Action

ROME, Apr. 12.—(AP)—Stefani, Italian news agency, said today that President Roosevelt's announcement opening the Red Sea to United States ships was based on "one of his original as well as arbitrary interpretations of international law" evolving from the theory that Egypt is neutral.

Official circles withheld comment. In Berlin, authorized German sources described President Roosevelt's proclamation opening the Red Sea route to the Suez as the "first open intervention in European affairs and a violation of the Monroe Doctrine."

President Roosevelt yesterday created a new agency to combat runaway prices, rising rents, hoarding, profiteering, and other evils which under maintenance of dollar defense spending.

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Mr. Henderson complained that some dealers have taken advantage of a temporary light position, resulting from increased quantities of cadmium as a substitute for zinc and nickel, to "profiteer ruthlessly."

It was not the first time Henderson has cracked down on industry since defense spending began. The New Deal economist pointed no more when he called lumber manufacturers here and demanded that they cut reckless prices. His unit has established maximum prices for machinery, aluminum scrap, zinc, iron and steel scrap and soft coal.

In announcing creation of the new agency, the President told his press conference the move was designed to continue and emphasize protection of the consumer during the current emergency. He said Henderson would retain his HRC post.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE

Jerusalem, Apr. 12.—(AP)—The Holy Land observed this Good Friday with fervent prayers for peace.

LOCAL WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and tomorrow.

Easter Sunrise Service Slated At 5:53 O'clock Sunday Morning

Sunrise Speaker

Just as the sun breaks over the rim of the horizon tomorrow morning at 5:53 o'clock, the annual Easter sunrise service sponsored by the Sanford Ministerial Association will get under way in the bandshell on the lakefront. The complete program was announced today by Dr. J. B. Root, who has charge of arrangements. Dr. Dwight J. Bradley, a son of pioneer missionary parents and now acting director of the Christian Commission on Camp Communities, will be the principal speaker, discussing "A: The Raising of the Sun."

Other events on the program, in the order they will be presented, are:

- 5:53—Prelude, Revellie, Bugle, Emmet Herndon.
- 5:54—Selection, "Holy, Holy, Holy," Seminole High School Orchestra.
- 5:55—Hymn: "My Faith Looks Up To Thee," sung by audience; Leader, Robert Herndon.
- 6:01—Invocation, Rev. L. B. Richardson.
- 6:04—"Wake Thou That Sleepest," anthem by the Methodist Church choir, E. M. Armitage directing.
- 6:12—Scripture lesson, Forest May, student pastor.
- 6:15—Easter address: "At the Raising of the Sun," Dr. Dwight J. Bradley of New York City.
- 6:35—Hymn: "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name," Robert Herndon, leader.
- 6:38—Benediction, Dr. E. D. Brownlee.
- 6:40—"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow," Seminole High School orchestra.

Increasing Limit Of Truck Weights By House Is Seen

Bill Is Expected To Be Brought Before Lawmakers Monday

H. J. Lehman, manager of the Sanford State Farmers Market, said today he understood that a bill to increase the gross weight limits of trucks will be brought up for consideration in the Florida House Monday, and that if it is passed, it will be of "considerable help" to farmers.

One of the greatest and most widely known is held in California on a mountain top near Riverside. People drive up the mountainside the evening before so as to secure good positions to see the sunrise. The Easter service in Colorado is held in the Garden of the Gods.

One of the greatest Easter sunrise services came a few years ago at Miami Beach. The committee in charge had prepared for 500,000 people, and had been notified with the number. But at 5:45 o'clock when the sun rose there were between 10,000 and 20,000 present. The number swelled to 70,000 last Easter.

This year every one in Sanford seems eager to co-operate to make possible a proper observance. (Continued on Page Three)

Miss Cecil Hirt Dies At Farmton

Miss Cecil Yvonne Hirt, a resident of New York City, died at 12:30 o'clock this morning while on a visit at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hirt at Farmton. She had been visiting there the past month.

Survivors include, in addition to her parents, five sisters, Miss Lily Hirt, New York City; Mrs. George Barrows, New York City; Mrs. M. Todd, Mrs. William Nettles, and Mrs. Frank Tart, all of Osteen, and two brothers, George E. Hirt, Osteen, and E. H. Hirt, New York City.

Citrus Shipments Gain Five Percent

WINTER HAVEN, Apr. 12.—(Special)—Shipments of fresh Florida citrus this season exceed last season by more than 5 percent, or 2,600,000 boxes, a comparison prepared by the State Citrus Inspection Bureau showed Friday.

Officials attributed the increased volume to the fact that loadings were curtailed after the January freeze in 1940. Volume of grapefruit and tangerine loadings are greater this season but oranges are off slightly.

'Happy' Is Released By Fernald-Laughton

Somewhat warmer after a heart attack he suffered Tuesday, Thomas A. Hamilton known to almost every Sanford resident as "Happy," escaped from the Fernald-Laughton Reformatory yesterday.

AUTO DEALERS SUE

MIAMI, Apr. 12.—(AP)—E. Russell Fernald, who resigned as county clerk of the County of Seminole, has filed suit against the Miami Automobile Dealers Association.

Legislation To Boost Farmers' Income Urged

Growers Called On To Seek Support For Measure To Raise Parity Payments

WASHINGTON, Apr. 12.—(AP)—Senator Bankhead (D-Ala.) urged farmers today to call on their senators and representatives to support legislation designed to boost farm income.

The Alabama asserted that "strong and active influences" are opposing bills to increase the appropriations for parity payments and to establish a floor under the prices of basic commodities.

He said there was no prospect of an increase in cotton and wheat prices because of the heavy surpluses of both these crops.

Walter P. Reuther, director of the General Motors department of the C. I. O. United Automobile Workers said yesterday the international union had asked an- tion locals for authority to take a strike vote of its 175,000 members in 76 General Motors plants in the nation.

Reuther said the strike action, if and when taken, would not include workers in defense industries.

"This is the first time on any large scale that defense workers would not go on strike," Reuther said.

Reuther declared the General Motors Corporation during five weeks of negotiations "has repeatedly attempted to force deadlocks on questions of union recognition in order to evade negotiations on other points."

In a letter to William S. Knudsen and Sidney Hillman, chiefs of the Office of Production Management in Washington, Reuther said the union was demanding that the powers of an umpire previously appointed to handle grievances be broadened.

Reuther notified the corporation, he told the OPM officials, that the deadline for strike action would be Apr. 20, "which is the end of the 60-day period provided in the U. A. W.-C. I. O. General Motors agreement."

The U. A. W. official expressed a desire to "co-operate with the OPM in making the necessary arrangements for continuing production of all defense work in the event the corporation should make it necessary for the union to strike in order to secure its just demands."

George McRory Pays Call On Legislature

TALLAHASSEE, Apr. 12.—(Special)—Lieut. Col. George W. McRory, assistant chief of staff of the Thirty-First Division, stationed at Camp Blanding, was here yesterday greeting acquaintances in the Florida Legislature. He is a former resident of Sanford.

Colonel McRory was assistant reading clerk of the House in the 1935 session and represented Seminole County in the 1931 session of the Legislature. Colonel McRory's home is here. He arrived Friday on a weekend Easter leave.

Bank Loans Are Near 10-Year Record High

WASHINGTON, Apr. 12.—(AP)—Commercial bank loans are near a 10-year high because of the defense program, the Federal Reserve Board reported yesterday.

The Federal Reserve said 196 of the nation's largest commercial banks had a total of \$574,000,000 in loans for defense purposes at the start of the present calendar year.

Major Struggle Appears In Making In Balkan Conflict; Italian, Nazis Push Ahead

Enemy Resistance Is Crushed In Steady Advance Of Powerful Axis Divisions

ROME, Apr. 12.—(AP)—Italian troops have joined forces with the Germans at Lake Ohrid in southwestern Yugoslavia and are pushing all enemy resistance in a steady advance, Stefani, official Italian news agency, reported today.

The march of the powerful Axis armies is proceeding on all fronts, the agency said.

It was also officially announced here that one of the British generals captured in North Africa by Axis forces in May, Gordon Stewart, World War veteran who commanded British troops in central Norway a year ago.

In Budapest, the Hungarian general staff announced its troops had broken through the fortified Yugoslav line in the triangle between the Danube and the Tisa Rivers in northern Yugoslavia and that the Hungarian march was continuing south.

The break was about 25 miles from Belgrade, the Yugoslav capital.

In Bern, Switzerland, a German radio broadcast was heard which said Premier General Simovic had left Yugoslavia on a "mission" which presumably was taking him to Moscow.

The broadcast added that King Peter is now in Greece, en route to London.

It was recalled that only Thursday the Red Star, organ of the Soviet army, said the Soviet-Yugoslav friendship pact is "all the more valuable under the circumstances because the Soviet Union always fulfills its international pledges."

The broadcast indicated, however, that Russia planned to follow this with material aid to Yugoslavia.

Fire Burns Cabins At Filling Station

Damage estimated at almost \$2,000 was done to a chicken brooder and tourist cabins at the Fire Point Filling Station, located about six miles from Sanford, last night about 8:30 o'clock, Fire Chief Mack Cleveland reported today.

Three cabins adjoining the service station were totally destroyed, Chief Cleveland said, as was the chicken brooder. It is believed the fire started in the brooder, where an oil heater was being used to warm the water for the filling station and cabins are owned by Manuel Carlos.

Aluminum Strike Is Seen By Martin Dies

WASHINGTON, Apr. 12.—(AP)—Representative Dies said Friday that "evidence has just been placed in my possession which shows the Communist Party, during the next few days, will conduct every effort toward bringing about a general strike in the aluminum industry which centers in Cleveland."

"Four leading members of the Communist Party in Ohio are engineering these latest efforts of the Communist Party to tie up an industry which is absolutely vital to the national defense program," the statement said.

Sanford Sportsmen Return From Fishing Expedition To Key West

In a chartered boat. Practically the same fish are to be found near the keys and in the Gulf Stream, Mr. Harper said.

Kingfish, mackerel and snapper were landed for eating, and for sport the men fished for dolphin and barracuda. Mr. Harper said there were plenty of tarpon, but they didn't fish for them. The day they left, though, a 17-pound tarpon was landed on Babie Honda key.

The largest kingfish weighed about 15 pounds, and a big barracuda tipped the scales at 35 pounds, was landed. Amberjack were plentiful at 20 to 25 pounds, while the grouper were mostly of medium size.

Weather was fine for the trip, Mr. Harper said, but though the men had a wonderful time, they considered a week on the boys was long enough.

County Uses 318,735 Gallons Of Gasoline

Seminole County used 318,735 gallons of gasoline and 129,533 gallons of kerosene during the month of February, it was reported today by the inspection bureau of the State Department of Agriculture in Tallahassee.

The larger counties of Volusia and Orange consumed 1,282,258 and 1,642,087 gallons of gasoline respectively during the same month.

A total of 2,134,900 tons of mixed fertilizers was used in this county in February, the report discloses, and 678.00 tons of fertilizer materials were used.

In fertilizer materials, more nitrate of potash and hardwood ashes were consumed than any other item. There were 189 tons of potash used, and 85 tons of nitrate.

City News Briefs

Y. W. Lawton, superintendent of public instruction in Seminole County, returned yesterday from Tallahassee.

J. L. Ingley, executive vice president of the Sanford Atlantic National Bank, is in Hollywood attending the Florida State Bankers convention. He is expected to return Sunday.

Germany Thrust Toward Both Flanks Of Greek And British Defense Lines

Yugoslavia Cut Off From Greece

England's Forces In Africa Make Contact With Enemies

A great struggle in the battle for Greece appeared in the making today—or perhaps already underway—as German troops thrust toward both flanks of the Greco-British defense line across the Hellenic peninsula.

Nazi panzer units knifing southward from Thessaly, Yugoslavians established contact with Greek lines in the Phlorina sector on the western flank of the line.

Other Nazi troops previously had encountered British patrols near Giannitsa, north of the line's eastern anchor.

Yugoslavia meanwhile was cut off entirely from Greece as German units driving westward joined with Italian forces from Albania. Berlin took the view that the posture of the Axis armies sealed the fate of the Yugoslav divisions still fighting in central Serbia.

In the air war, the Luftwaffe again blasted the British coastal regions.

On the African front, the British said their troops had made contact with Italo-German units moving toward Tobruk in Libya, while the victorious troops of the East African campaign were said to be pouring through Egypt to get in line for a battle with the German and Italian forces.

The thrust was carried out in cooperation with a second German offensive coming down on the coast near Tripoli.

Hydrangea Blossoms Shown At Yowell's

Thirteen large white blossoms of a hydrangea plant caused considerable comment today at Yowell's florist shop on First Street, where they were displayed in the ladies' window.

Grown by A. K. Rossetter, Calvary Avenue florist, the flower is considered unusual in having so many blossoms while it is still completely small.

WAS THIS YOU?

Yesterday's identification was H. R. Leung, 495 E. 11th Avenue.

Friday afternoon, you and your husband were eating lunch in Laney's Drug Store. You were wearing a green pullover blouse, a tan skirt, tan hose and black shoes and were carrying a black purse. About 1:45 o'clock, still accompanied by your husband, you were in Emerick's Hardware Store where the male part of your family was trying out a grass cutter. Despite the fact that it handled nicely, friend husband, realizing the strenuous effort that would be necessary in the days to come, were he to purchase said cutter, out-talked Joe Emerick and yourself and you both left sans exerciser. Your husband started talking with a rather stout, dark man, as you walked down the street, first into Alton 5-10-25 Store, then across the street into McCrory's.

Identify yourself at the Herald office before your name appears in this column Monday and receive two free tickets to see "The Bad Man" starring Wallace Berry with Leland Barrymore and Leland Day at the Hix Theatre, next Wednesday and Thursday. A benefit show for the American Legion.

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BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY: FIDELITY IS REWARDED: And the Lord said, Who then is faithful and wise steward, whom his Lord shall make ruler over his household...

TIME THAT WEARS GRANITE THIN: Time that wears granite thin, and suchs Blaunch iron back to rust, And circumvents the work of hands...

What form your beauty shall assume, Transmuted like the rock By time's alchemic enterprise...

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Christ Arose

It was on Easter morning that Christ arose from the dead to give the world bright promise of a better day to come. Two thousand years later as we look about us and see the frightful destruction that is being wrought on every hand...

On the way to work this morning we stopped by the garden wall to look at a rose bush we had previously thrown away. There on an all but dying plant, covered with glistening morning dew and pushing its head high above the other nearby flowers was a gorgeous talkman rose...

Cecil Roberts, the well known English author tells of a recent trip out into the countryside from London. Along the way he noticed a new burial marker on the side of the road and stopped to read the inscription. A traffic policeman told him it had been erected by an old lady in memory of her dog "Peter" lately killed. The inscription read, "There is not enough darkness in all the world to put out the light of one small candle."

As long as there is a faithful dog left in the world to bound across the front yard and bark a joyous welcome to his returning master, as long as there is a curly headed youngster to peek warily over the side of his crib and break forth into smiles that only angels can give, as long as there is a horse to whinny, we need not despair. All the darkness in the world cannot put out the light of one small candle.

There is much to have even yet. There is the refreshing fragrance of the great outdoors on a Spring morning. There is the smell of bacon, oatmeal, and coffee, yes, two cups of coffee, that comes from the kitchen. There is the music of Litz, Strauss and Schubert. There are books, good books which smell with age, and new books which are neither good nor small but which offer a convenient fire escape from the conflagration of realities.

As long as there is courage in the world as well as malice, as long as there is unselfishness as well as greed, as long as there is love and beauty as well as war, there is promise for the future. As long as there are those who are faithful, as well as those who despair, as long as the strong protect the weak and the weak are thankful for their protection, Christ did not live in vain.

Government Costs

While we are reading that British taxes are being boosted to something like 50 percent of the national income and up to 97 percent for the wealthy classes, it is interesting to note a report from the U. S. Department of Commerce to the effect that taxes in this country equalled 20 percent of the national income last year.

Altogether something like \$14,300,000,000 were collected from the citizens of this country by the various federal, state and local tax collecting agencies. This is the equivalent of \$109 for every man, woman, and child in the country, or at the rate of \$410 per family.

In spite of this rather heavy rate of taxation, there were still not enough receipts to keep the country on a pay-as-you-go basis. Not only did the federal government dip into future tax receipts by selling bonds to the tune of billions of dollars but so likewise did many state and local governments.

What taxes will be this year and in the years to come, no man can say. But with federal expenditures more than doubling on account of defense appropriations, it stands to reason that taxes as well as borrowings will be considerably higher while the trend in city and state governments is in the same general direction.

Recently Congress appropriated seven billion dollars as an initial contribution to the embattled democracies of the world. This represents but a small fraction of the total expenditures for this year. But at that it was only three billion dollars less than the combined income of all the farmers in the United States.

The Department of Agriculture announces that farm receipts this year may be expected to reach the huge sum of ten billion dollars, which is a billion above the peak of 1937. Farmers may well wonder just how well off they actually are when they note that it falls over four billion short of paying the cost of government for last year.

Major Struggle Seen In Making In Balkan Battle

(Continued From Page One) The British-Greek fight above Mount Olympus.

A new menace appeared added to the British-Greek position by Italian claims that Fascist troops advancing from Albania had occupied Corfu, Yugoslavia, hardly more than 40 miles northwest of Phlorina and had formed a junction with the Germans.

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quest-down along the shores of the Aegean toward such homes of ancient battle legends as Thermopylae and Marathon—but to breach the country in the west along the Adriatic and Ionian Seas.

Communications of the British expeditionary force—under command of the stout, bald Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, who held the British sector with the hardy veterans of the brilliant Libyan campaign—acknowledged during the day that the German advance had reached a point within 48 miles north of Olympus on the coast. The invader reached and passed Giannitsa (Yannitsa) in that area.

In the west the Germans—handicapped by the violent but apparently disorganized resistance of the surviving Yugoslav partisan forces—drove headlong at Bitola, passing near the Albanian frontier, breaking through upon Saturday. Down upon the long trains of German tanks and supplies British pilots, poured their bombs.

Thus, in the phrase of the

British command, was "contact" made on a new front that may determine whether the British are to preserve a single foothold on the European continent.

There was at the same time a manifestation of growing fear in Ankara that Turkey, Britain's non-belligerent ally, would be drawn in any day. There were widespread reports that a state of siege had been declared in Turkey and that civilian evacuation of the Dardanelles and a large section of European Turkey—well as of Istanbul—had been ordered.

MORE MEASLES: MONTGOMERY, Ala., Apr. 12 (AP)—The Alabama State Health Department said Friday that the number of measles cases reported in the state this year was more than triple that of last year. For the 14 weeks ending last Saturday there were 4,593 cases, compared to 1,941 for the same period in 1940, the department said.

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An Easter Message

After the Crucifixion came the saddest time our world has ever known. The disciples were dejected. Mary's despair knew no bounds. Those who had left all to follow Him were weak, doubtful. The sun sank and hope was gone! How little had they learned of life's lesson! Only as Christ should be lifted up would the grave lose its appalling terror. On the dawn of His birth an Angel Choir had sung of His birth's happiness. On the dawn of His Resurrection the flowers and the birds joined their voices so effectively that a great shout was lifted from its waiting place before a tomb.

From that Easter Morn until the present, that Risen Life has been glowing in the brightness of its appeal and the sweep of its power. Its inspiration has colored the canvas of the artist; it has blossomed in poetry; it has echoed in soul-stirring music. Out of the joy of that Risen Life came the assurance that the grave can not hold our loved ones any longer than it could hold Him. We shall meet them and we shall know them when the years have rolled away. The only followers of Jesus did something about it: WILL YOU?

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U. S. Vessels Awaiting British

Axis Is Free To Attack Ships Having Help For England In African Waters

Convoy Vessels Threatened Also

Statement Refers To Roosevelt's Opening Red Sea Route

ROME, Apr. 14.—(AP)—Virginia Gamba, authoritative Fascist editorialist, notified the United States today that the Axis considers itself free to attack any of the ships bearing aid for the British in African waters.

Referring to President Roosevelt's lifting of the ban on American ships entering the Red Sea, Gamba asserted the "African waters still are engaged by Italy in war. Whatever passes in the money service may be attacked by Italian and Axis forces which are ever present."

He also warned against American ships conveying aid for the British.

British and Japanese forces are now in a neutral position in the Red Sea, which may be as serious as the non-aggression pact between Italy and Germany in 1936 which rendered the German blockade of the Red Sea.

In a similar pact, each agreed to refrain from naval operations in the Red Sea, which was a direct violation of the League of Nations pact in the part of 1936 or earlier.

It is believed that the Axis powers are now in a position to attack any of the ships bearing aid for the British in African waters.

Textile Wages Called Highest In Four Years

Difference In Earnings Of Northern, Southern Workers Cited By Official

WASHINGTON, Apr. 14.—(AP)—A 21-man industrial committee considering an increase in the 32.5 cent an hour minimum wage for cotton textile workers was told today that average wages in the industry are higher than in April, 1937, when the industry was operating at peak production.

N. A. Tolles, Bureau of Labor Statistics economist, estimated that 100,000 wage earners in the North had average hourly earnings of about \$6.7 cents, while the South and southwest's 240,000 received 40 cents, resulting in the greatest differential in four years.

Congress steps into full stride again this week with legislators under dividing pressure for a ban on defense strikes, preparing to act swiftly on legislation authorizing President Roosevelt to purchase foreign ships immobilized in American ports.

Settlement of the Ford Motor Co. strike and other disputes regarding defense production, sharply changed the labor situation while congressional activities were in an Easter holiday lull. There was a general disposition to both sides against acting to prohibit defense strikes unless existing federal conciliation and mediation machinery proved ineffective.

Scouting Program Is Presented At Rotary's Meeting

Troop 5 Was One Of First Organized In State, Club Hears

A Boy Scout program was presented at the regular weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club today under the direction of J. L. Leroy, Scoutmaster, with William Herndon as guest of honor.

Troop 5 was one of the first organized in the state, and its history was presented by Mr. Herndon.

Mr. Herndon, who has been in the state since 1931, was the first Scoutmaster of Troop 5. He described what he thought was the hardest merit badge to earn. He said he had always thought that study was the hardest, but when he had to get up at 3:00 o'clock in the morning and milk five cows he decided dairying was the hardest.

Leroy described some of the camps which the troop has taken, and said that the boys went on three troop camps and four summer camps last summer. These camps, he said, benefit the boys physically and mentally and teach them how to get along in the woods.

Bob Crumley gave a short history of Troop 5 and said that it had enjoyed a tremendous increase in membership during the past five years. He said 26 of its members attended the assembly held in Washington, D. C. It is now helping to organize other troops in this vicinity.

Billy Holliday said that many former members of Troop 5 have continued their activity after they have grown up. Some of them have gone away to other towns and have become scout masters or assistant scout masters while attending college or on duty at army camps.

Mr. Herndon showed the Rotarians some colored motion pictures taken at some of the camps attended by the local scout last summer.

British Forces Hurl Back Nazis In Northern Greece, London Says

Yugoslav Counter-Attack Is Reported Under Way Southeast Of Belgrade

London, Apr. 14.—(AP)—British infantry have met and hurled back the "Adolf Hitler division" in northern Greece, London announced today, while the Yugoslav army reported counter attacking the Nazi blitzkrieg invaders in the mountains 130 miles southeast of captured Belgrade.

It was the same Yugoslav army the German High Command officially listed as "destroyed" last week. Again today a Nazi communiqué asserted: "In Yugoslavia, the mass of enemy forces which opposed the German troops are destroyed."

Countering the Nazi claim, London declared, it had "good reason to believe that the Yugoslavs have captured 'Adolf Hitler's' capital of Albania."

On the North African battlefield, Berlin asserted Axis forces sweeping toward the Suez Canal entered Egypt and captured Saloni just across the Libyan border after Saturday's capture of Bardia.

The British in Cairo said it was likely that the British Army of the Nile—skeltoned by shifting strong forces to Greece—would fall back as far as Matruh, 150 miles east of the Egyptian-Libyan frontier, before making a defensive front.

German mechanized columns, hampered by mud and snow, have

Proposed Seminole County Hospital



Shown above is a front elevation sketch of Seminole County's proposed new hospital, prepared by Elton J. Moughton, architect. The structure will have a capacity of 39 beds, and other modern facilities are also provided. Bonds to pay the County's share of the cost of the project have been issued, and will be offered for sale in about a month.

Offers Rejected For Seminole's Hospital Bonds

Another Sale Will Be Held In About 30 Days, Herndon Says

Two bids were submitted to the Seminole County Board of Commissioners Saturday afternoon for the \$70,000 hospital bond issue, but were rejected because one was under par and the other was received too late. O. P. Herndon, clerk, said today.

The first bid was offered by Atwell and Company and John W. Clarke, Inc., of Miami Beach, for \$68,810. The board was not authorized to accept any bid under par and turned down this bid, Mr. Herndon said. The second bid from E. H. Ahcraft of the Citizens Bank at Titusville, offered par and interest, but was submitted after the 3:00 o'clock deadline.

Another bond sale will be held in about 30 days, Mr. Herndon said, after the issue has been reworked.

That the bonds were not sold should not be taken as an indication that Seminole County's finances are not in good shape, Mr. Herndon pointed out, declaring that this is not a criterion.

"Our general County obligations are now quoted at 107, or 7% over par," Mr. Herndon said, "because the millage that can be levied for general County obligations is not limited by law." The law under which the hospital bonds were issued limits the levy to two mills, and this must cover the maintenance of the hospital, and a sufficient amount to create an interest and sinking fund.

It was pointed out that bonds issued under a limited millage were not as acceptable to purchasers as those issued under a rate that can be increased to meet any contingencies.

Convicts Re-taken After Break That Cost Four Lives

Two Long-Term Convicts Who Shot Their Way Out of the Sing Sing Prison Infirmary in a Seasonal Break Which Cost Four Lives Were Captured a Few Hours Later Today in the Woods across the Hudson River

The convicts, Joseph Blordan and Charles McGala, both under robbery sentences, were cornered by members of admission posse.

The dead were John Hartley, prison guard; John Waters, serving a 10-to-20 year term for robbery, slain in a running fight after he escaped; James Paxon, an Ontario politician; and Mr. Governor Miller, a nurse in the infirmary who died of shock.

Monkey Island Has Easter Egg Hunt



Scenes of the first annual Easter egg hunt that drew a crowd of between six and seven thousand people yesterday afternoon to see the almanic citizens of Monkey Island scramble after hard-boiled eggs hidden around the rocks and trees and scaffolding surrounding the cabin home. The novelty party, arousing interest through advance notice in the local and state papers, brought more persons to the zoo than have ever before visited it since its beginning.

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Serb Capture Of Durazzo Is Seen

Army Of Nile Falls Back To Prepare For Defense Line

New Officers Are Installed By Elks

New officers of the Elks Lodge were installed Friday night at the Elks Club, with visiting brothers from Deland, New Smyrna, Daytona Beach and Orlando attending.

Collier H. Talton of Daytona Beach officiated at the installation, assisted by H. H. Buck, William H. Rozer, Jr., and several others.

Those installed were: Leo Hottel, called the ruler; L. T. Doss, esteemed leading knight; Claude Bus, esteemed loyal knight; Peter Thurston, esteemed leading knight; W. J. Thilpen, secretary; John G. Bender, treasurer; St. Clair Cameron, exalted high water; Tyler; Clifford Hovell, chaplain; J. R. Stuart, inner guard; W. H. Reitz, trustee; Harry Kudell, organist; and alternate representative to the Grand Lodge, Edmund Melach. Refreshments were served following the installation.

Was This You?

Are you a member of the Seminole County Elks Lodge? If so, you are invited to the annual meeting of the Elks Club, which will be held at the Elks Club, 10th Street, Sanford, Florida, on Saturday, April 15, 1941, at 8:00 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Elks Club, 10th Street, Sanford, Florida. The meeting will be held in the Elks Club, 10th Street, Sanford, Florida. The meeting will be held in the Elks Club, 10th Street, Sanford, Florida.

Dr. E. D. ... Is Reported Better

Dr. E. D. ... is reported to be better. He has been in the hospital for some time and is now recovering. He is expected to be discharged in the near future.

Letter Named Head Of Chase & Company

W. A. Letter has been elected president of Chase & Company, succeeding the late S. O. Chase, Sr., who founded the company 57 years ago. It was announced today by Joseph G. Chase, chairman of the board of directors.

Agriculture Group To Attend Meeting

C. E. Dawson, county agricultural agent, J. J. Bolly, chairman of the County Committee of the A.A.A., Dr. R. W. Rappaport, soil chemist, and Orie H. Matlock, performance supervisor of the A.A.A. program expect to attend the 40th annual meeting of the Florida State Horticultural Society to be held at Orlando April 15-17.

Last Rites Are Held For Miss Cecile Hirt

Funeral services for Miss Cecile Yvonne Hirt of New York City, who died Saturday while on a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hirt at Palmton, were held this afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Baptist Church in Osteen with the Rev. S. C. Young officiating. Burial was in the Osteen Cemetery.

Defeated Nations Will Rise, Spokesman State

NEW YORK, Apr. 14.—(AP)—Defeat of seven Nazi-occupied nations, participating in a world broadcast Easter "call of freedom," said last night their conquered countrymen would rise again in a new resurrection of liberty.

London's famous No. 10 Downing Street was first occupied by a German soldier in 1764.

De Valera Calls For Eire Evacuation Plans

DUBLIN, Apr. 14.—(AP)—Premier Eamon De Valera said in a broadcast yesterday that plans for the evacuation of women and children from Eire towns must be completed without delay.

Paroled men in New York's Bronx Zoo are fed twice weekly.

Alaska has 66,000 people spread out over an area of 664,000 square miles.

City News Briefs

Walter T. Dean and Miss Irene S. Houston, 60th of Matland, were issued a marriage license at the Court House Saturday.

Waldo L. Aldrich will give a talk on light bulbs at the meeting of Scout Troop 80 at the Baptist Church annex tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

The regular meeting of Sanford Lodge No. 62, F. & A. M., will be held Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock. C. B. Wisecup, worshipful master, said today. Regular business will be transacted despite the fact that some of the officers will be at the convention in St. Petersburg. Mr. Wisecup added.

F. H. Comp was issued a building permit at the City Hall Saturday to repair a house on Ninth Street and Poplar Avenue at a cost of \$15. Andrew Jarra was issued a permit to build a frame dwelling on Eleventh Street at a cost of \$25. Mrs. Marie Schneider was issued a permit to repair the roof of a building on Elm Avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth Streets at a cost of \$25.

LOCAL WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday except for some showers, and possible showers of the extreme south coast.