

FRANCE AND ITALY SIGN ARMISTICE

Government Urged To Take France's Merchant Marine

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The White House today urged the government to take over the merchant marine of France, which is being used by the Germans to transport troops and supplies to the front.

It is reported that the government is considering the possibility of purchasing the French merchant fleet, which is one of the largest in the world.

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G. O. P. HOPEFUL MEET IN PHILADELPHIA



Portrait of a man, likely a political figure mentioned in the article.

Philadelphia, June 24.—The G. O. P. convention in Philadelphia today opened with a meeting of the executive committee.

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THE CIRCUS WORLD



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HAVE YOU BEEN ENUMERATED?

If not, or if you have any doubt, fill out this blank and mail it to The Sanford Herald or the Hamilton County Chamber of Commerce in order that you may be counted in the census of this county.

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Forays Mark Acceleration In Aerial War

Sanford, June 24.—The aerial war between Germany and Britain is marked by a series of forays which indicate an acceleration in the pace of the conflict.

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Italy To Honor II Duce

Sanford, June 24.—Italy is expected to honor the II Duce, Benito Mussolini, on the occasion of his 50th birthday.

The honor will be paid in the form of a special ceremony in Rome.

The ceremony will be held in the presence of a large number of dignitaries.

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Club Observes Birthdays Of Two Members At Meet

W. A. Laffler Tells Retalians In Havana

Sanford, June 24.—The Rotary Club today observed the birthdays of two of its members at a meeting held in the city hall.

The members who were celebrated were W. A. Laffler and J. H. Smith.

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Endor Curlett, Citrus Grower, Dies Suddenly

Funeral Services To Be Held At Home Wednesday

Sanford, June 24.—Endor Curlett, a prominent citrus grower, died suddenly today at his home in Sanford.

Curlett was 65 years old and had been in poor health for some time.

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Observers Report Shortage of Food In Rural Belgium

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Social And Personal Activities

Social Calendar

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Dance Party To Be Presented At 8:30

The program for the Fall Social Dance Party, which will be presented at 8:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith, 115 West 10th St. The program will include a variety of dances and a social hour.

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Miss Polie Robinson Marries In October

Miss Polie Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ryan S. Robinson of Orlando, became the bride of Paul McKenna Robinson of Tallahassee, Fla., on Saturday, October 10, 1936. The ceremony was held at the First Presbyterian Church in Orlando.

The bride was given away by her father, and the ceremony was officiated by Rev. J. H. Smith. The wedding party included Mrs. Ryan S. Robinson, Mrs. Paul McKenna Robinson, and several other relatives.

MOVIE MUSINGS

CHARLIE HARRISON

A Jacksonville theater manager, who came to Hollywood on a visit, says that the picture "The Great Dictator" is the best he has ever seen. He says that the picture is a masterpiece of comedy and that it is a must-see for everyone.

When the picture was first shown, it was a sensation. The audience was so large that the theater was packed. The picture is a masterpiece of comedy and that it is a must-see for everyone.

Miss Caroline Hill Is Honored At Shower

Miss Caroline Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hill, was honored at a shower given by her friends at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hill, 115 West 10th St. The shower was held on Saturday, October 10, 1936.

The party assembled at the "rushing well" in the rear garden of the Hill home where the showers were directed by a most elegant program. The party was a success and the bride-to-be was very happy.

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MISSIONARY SOCIETY Holds All-Day Meet

Members of the Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held an all-day meeting at the church on Saturday, October 10, 1936. The meeting was held in the church parlors and was attended by a large number of members and friends.

The program included a variety of talks and prayers. The meeting was a success and the members were very happy.

RILEY'S

JUNE 28 THRU JUNE 29, 1936

PREMIUM BACON 3 lbs. 14c
YELLOW SQUASH 2 lbs. 13c
Lge. PINEAPPLES 2 for 13c
Cobbler POTATOES 10 lbs. 19c

7 OZ. TENDER LEAF TEA 34c
ALL 10c NBC CRACKERS 2 for 17c
ASST. JELLO 5c
VELVEETA CHEESE 39c
LGE. P & G SOAP 3 for 19c
LUX TOILET SOAP 59c
7 OZ. KEEBLER SALTIMES 9c
DEL MAIZ NIBLET CORN 2 for 28c
12 OZ. CUDAHY'S TANG 19c
1 LB. PARKAY OLEO 2 for 29c
CORN KIX 2 for 23c
SALAD DRESSING 2 for 25c

PREMIUM BACON lb. 25c
Cottage CHEESE lb. 10c
BAKED HAM lb. 39c
T-BONE STEAKS lb. 39c

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President Signs Tax Measure For Nation's Defense

New Levies Are Expected To Raise \$4,692,500,000 In Five-Year Period

New Ceiling For U. S. Debt Set Roosevelt Blocks U. S. Sale Of Torpedo Boats To England

WASHINGTON, June 25.—(AP)—Roosevelt signed into law today a \$4,692,500,000 tax bill to pay for the huge national defense appropriations of the recent Congressional session.

Dipping into the pockets of an estimated 2,000,000 additional income tax payers for the first time and boosting existing taxes on nearly everything but chewing tobacco, the measure is designed to raise \$4,692,500,000 over 5 years—\$738,596,000 in the fiscal year beginning July 1, and \$994,500,000 in each of following four years.

These officially calculated totals are somewhat lower than the billion-dollar plus figures used in the Congressional measure which also increased the Federal debt limit from 48 to 49 billions.

An old neutrality law enacted during the World War was invoked by President Roosevelt yesterday to halt the projected sale to Great Britain of 20 torpedo boats originally ordered for the Navy.

The Chief Executive ended negotiations which had aroused a storm of Congressional criticism on the strength of an informal agreement to sell the boats to the British as a vessel of war... with any intent or agreement that such vessel shall be delivered to a belligerent nation.

The Navy on June 19 announced that it had canceled the order for the Electric Boat Company to sell to the British the 20 torpedo boats. Later Stephen Early, press secretary at the White House, said the President had approved recommendations of the Navy and Treasury Departments for the transaction.

Keep Destroyers

It was disclosed during the day that the British had failed to make an effort to purchase destroyers here Secretary Edison, in his last press conference before leaving the Navy Department to run for Governor of New Jersey, said the Navy had been swept on by the Navy to sell 111 World War Destroyers, but that same was withheld from the British.

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May Be Candidate



A potential candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency, former President Herbert Hoover (above), will address the GOP national convention at Philadelphia tonight.

G.O.P. s Urge Check Of Drift To Absolutism

Americanism Imperilled By Bureaucracy, Martin Says

PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—(AP)—Joseph P. W. Martin, Massachusetts, took a hard line on the Republican campaign, today and called upon the party to rally against the "stealthy drift toward governmental absolutism."

It was denied that delegates are falling away from Thomas E. Dewey, while Wendell E. Willkie is moving from delegation to delegation in a personal effort to counter the "stop Willkie" talk.

Martin said every ideal of Americanism would be imperilled by those who would make the government and the nation tools to be manipulated by one man at the head of an unelected political bureaucracy.

Young Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota sounded the 1940 Republican keynote to a clamorously applauding national convention last night with an assertion that "the role of government must be that of an aid to private enterprise, and not a substitute for it."

Denouncing what he termed New Deal "failures" as the cause of American problems, both domestic and foreign, he called upon the party to "advance with a decisive and determined step upon four major fronts:

1. The front of national preparedness.

2. The front of fifth column defense.

3. The front of domestic economic welfare.

4. The front of governmental rectitude.

Apples greeted each of these exhortations.

The sadder chapter of the last four years, Stassen pointed out, was that the Roosevelt administration "has turned its political back upon a third term instead of upon the national welfare."

He spoke in an audience which had dropped into Convention Hall for a weekly session, the party debating the devices of a new which favored.

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U. S. Fleet Moves From Hawaii Base

Sizeable Part Is Believed Enroute To Atlantic Following French Surrender

Washington, June 25.—(AP)—The White House refusal to discuss the movements of the Navy today gave weight to the speculation that a sizeable part of the fleet might be on the way to the Atlantic.

Dispatches from Hawaii said several units of the fleet, including an aircraft carrier, had steamed away in the direction of the mainland. Asked whether it meant the Navy was coming through the Panama Canal into Atlantic waters, Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said:

"I asked the President about this this morning and all he said was 'no news.'"

The fleet has been concentrated in Hawaiian waters since completing extensive maneuvers two months ago. Concern over what might happen in the French and British fleet, raised conjectures that it might be moved to the Atlantic.

Meanwhile Senator Pepper of Florida, discussing French armistice terms announced in London, said yesterday he could not "conceive of the folly" of the "United States letting Great Britain and her navy be destroyed."

Pepper said in a statement: "I hope the Navy has made the wisdom of the French armistice and the Versailles treaty the burden of their apology for Hitler's course in the last seven years. We had a chance to digest the Hitler armistice terms now imposed upon the French."

"For sheer studied cruelty and humiliation, they are without a parallel in any armistice terms since the days when the victor put the men to the sword and carried off the enemy's women and cattle."

"The armistice terms of Hitler leave no doubt that his objective is annihilation of every enemy. If he wins Britain, England will be worse crushed than is now dismembered France."

"I cannot conceive of the folly of this nation letting Great Britain and her navy be destroyed by one with Hitler's admitted aim to conquer the world. If we do, her fall will simply be another stone in the monument of remorse which we are now building."

STILL DEFIANT



Defiant Major General Charles de Gaulle, undersecretary of war in the Reynaud and Petain French cabinets, from England appealed to Frenchmen to continue resisting the Germans and Italians. His defiance caused his removal from the French cabinet and dismissal from the army. In London he heads a French committee for continuation of the war.

City Bicycle License Given Tentative Okey

Group Discusses Private Sidewalk Construction Project

All bicycle owners in the City of Sanford must register their vehicles and must pay a license of 50 cents a year, under the provisions of an ordinance which the Commission at the regular meeting in the City Hall last night approved.

At the meeting, Fred R. Wilson, preparing for presentation at the next meeting, the ordinance is designed to give protection to bicycle owners in Sanford and to curb the theft of bicycles. Under the provisions of the ordinance, the serial number of the bicycle would be registered as well as the tag number and would give police something to check on when one is reported stolen.

John L. Galloway appeared before the Commission and requested the group to study the desirability of an ordinance which would require all aliens in the city to register and be fingerprinted. City Attorney Wilson was instructed to investigate the scope of a law enacted by Congress in this connection and to make a report at the next meeting.

The Commissioners discussed at length the feasibility of a WPA project for repair and construction of sidewalks in Sanford with the City sponsoring the project and furnishing tools and the engineering while the WPA would furnish the labor and the individual property owner would furnish the materials.

Under such a project, it would be possible for the owner to get a five-foot sidewalk for about 10 cents a linear foot. Each property owner would buy his own materials and advise the City officials on the amount of work to be done, under the proposed set up. Those who are interested were requested to contact City officials within the next few days in order that a project might be mapped out and submitted to Washington for approval.

With Architect Elton Moughton, the Commission also discussed a WPA project for the construction of a community house in Fort McKain Park, built of palm logs. Mr. Moughton was asked to draw up specifications for such a building to be submitted for consideration at the group's next meeting.

The Commission set the week of July 15 as the time for the vaccination of all dogs in the city. As has been customary in the past, a veterinary will give the inoculation at temporary headquarters in the rear of the Police Station.

Robert Strickland and E. R. Hittler extended their appreciation to the City officials for their cooperation in connection with the kindergarten playground construction which had been completed. The group also discussed the possibility of building a playground in the city.

Scream Bombs Scare Nazis In Air Raids

NEW YORK, June 25.—(AP)—The British are using "scream bombs" in air raids on Germany, a British Broadcasting announcer said last night in an announcement broadcast by NBC.

"Germany has been using the famous scream bombs in their raids on French civilian towns," said the announcer, who added: "We have this same type of bombs which we are now using with the same intimidating effect on the morale of the German people," the announcer, who added, "as the German bombers have told of bombs dropped by the Germans with a terrific noise resulting from a siren-like attachment fitted to them. The noise is almost as terrifying as the explosion."

Myron C. Taylor To Undergo Operation

ROME, June 25.—(AP)—Myron C. Taylor, President Roosevelt's personal envoy to the Vatican who has been seriously ill in Florence, was brought to Rome yesterday for an operation.

He was taken to the private clinic of Prof. Raffaele Bazzucchi, one of Italy's best surgeons. Dr. Allen G. Wilgus, who is a personal friend of Taylor, was here with Mr. Taylor, who operated at the clinic today. The character of the operation was not revealed.

SPENDING REACHES HIGH

WASHINGTON, June 25.—(AP)—Congress has cleaned up all immediate pending legislation, begun a year's program yesterday and indicated how vital new measures are to be passed on the calendar.

With spending nearly at a record high of \$14,500,000,000—more than that of 1939—Congress has indicated its intention to continue at a high rate of expenditure.

Sanford Gets Ground School For Aviation

Higgins Is Advised CAA Will Begin Immediately Class For Fifty Students

A non-college flying school under the auspices of the Civil Aeronautics Authority will be established in Sanford immediately. It will be a private flying specialist for the CAA, advised Edward Higgins, secretary of the Seminole County Chamber of Commerce, today in a telephone conversation.

The establishment of such a school in Sanford is a result of the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion post which is sponsoring the project, and individual citizens who are interested, it was pointed out.

The classes will be held in the Sanford High School and will be open to all business and professional men who are interested in the fundamentals of aviation while the most outstanding of the students who are otherwise qualified are eligible to receive flight training through a scholarship offered by the CAA.

Mr. Nilsson authorized Mr. Higgins to give the school publicity and to receive applications from non-college students for enrollment in the course. This school is limited to a class of 50 for enrollment. Those who do not receive scholarships may make arrangements to obtain a pilot's license with the instructor, although these persons will not receive Federal aid in their flight instructions.

Since the class is limited to 50, those interested should contact A. E. Lee, Jr., chairman of the American Legion Aviation Committee, the Chamber of Commerce, or the Sanford Herald immediately. Mr. Higgins said, and enroll for the class. The enrolees who desire to compete for the flight scholarships must meet the following requirements:

1. They must have attained their 18th but not their 25th birthday on Oct. 1, 1940.
2. They must be citizens of the United States.
3. The must be legal residents of the state in which they enroll and compete for training.
4. They must possess student pilot certificates of commercial pilot grade.
5. They must not be enrolled in an institution of higher learning.

Women may compete for these scholarships. However, regardless of their standing, only one scholarship will be available for women competitors for each unit.

The ground school shall also be open without restriction to those who desire to take the ground school course but who are not desirous of competing for flight scholarships.

An enrollment fee of \$15 will be charged each competitor for the flight scholarships while the fee for the other enrolees will be only \$10, the additional amount to be used to cover the physical examination required by the Commission for the scholarship.

The course includes 24 hours of instruction in meteorology in which a theoretical and practical treatment as applied to the requirements of the pilot for commercial flight, to include: elements of weather, meteorological instruments, heating of the atmosphere, pressure, humidity, cloud types, precipitation, circulation of the atmosphere, cyclones, and anticyclones; all masses as well as the use of instruments and information in the planning of flights.

Also included is a 24 hour course in navigation in piloting by day, reckoning, and use of radio aids; navigation instruments; map reading and other incidental subjects will be discussed.

Primary flight maneuvers, and air regulations and aviation mechanics will also be included in the course.

German And British Air Raiders Strike With Renewed Fury



RAF Bombers Attack Ruhr Sector; Waves Of Nazi Aircraft Bomb England

French Fleet Is In Egyptian Port

5,000,000 Soldiers Obey Cease Firing Order In France

German and British bombing planes struck with renewed fury today as peace stilled the battlefields of vanquished France and a total of some 5,000,000 French, German, and Italian soldiers quietly obeyed the "cease firing" order.

The first definite indication that the powerful French fleet does not intend to surrender—as stipulated in the Franco-German Armistice—came from Alexandria.

Part of the French fleet still remained at the Egyptian port, Britain's main naval base in the Mediterranean.

Concomitantly, Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons that France's Premier Petain had violated the "most solemn assurances" to Britain that the French fleet would never fall into German hands. Churchill did not mention the whereabouts of the French fleet, however, but Viscount Caldecote, dominions secretary, told the House of Lords that Britain would make every effort to relate French naval strength.

The onslaught against France was billed with the terms of the Ass- dictated armistice still officially undisclosed.

Berlin reported that the con-

This exclusive radiotelephoto shows Gen. Charles Huntziger of France signing peace terms giving Germany control of parts of France, including industrial areas. Negotiations were conducted in France's Compiègne forest.

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The first definite indication that the powerful French fleet does not intend to surrender—as stipulated in the Franco-German Armistice—came from Alexandria.

Part of the French fleet still remained at the Egyptian port, Britain's main naval base in the Mediterranean.

Concomitantly, Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons that France's Premier Petain had violated the "most solemn assurances" to Britain that the French fleet would never fall into German hands. Churchill did not mention the whereabouts of the French fleet, however, but Viscount Caldecote, dominions secretary, told the House of Lords that Britain would make every effort to relate French naval strength.

The onslaught against France was billed with the terms of the Ass- dictated armistice still officially undisclosed.

Berlin reported that the con-

Judge Ware Deplores Prevalence Of Illegal Gambling Devices In County

Condemning the apparent disregard for the laws of the State of Florida and the nation and undermining influence in the democratic form of government, County Judge R. W. Ware, in an interview with a Herald reporter today, deplored the prevalence of gambling and gambling devices in this county.

Gambling devices, he said, are flaunted in the faces of the good citizens of this county when they go into a drug store and are confronted by punch boards, and various types of machines, all of which are illegal. He stated that he had been informed that these things are more prevalent in the beer halls and the jook joints of the county and that in many places the old "one armed bandit" has returned to the counter in a smaller form, of such size and shape that it can be readily placed under the counter when the law enforcement officer arrives.

He also took a crack at the rotary racket and declared that this too should be curbed.

"You understand that I am not a law enforcement officer in any sense of the word, I am speaking

German Bombers Raid South Britain Area

LONDON, June 25.—(AP)—German bombers raided a wide area in south Britain early today and air raid warnings shrieked from the channel to the Atlantic—including London itself for the first time since last September.

Searchlights went into action all over greater London but no gunfire was heard immediately.

There were few people on the streets due to the lateness of the hour and these few took shelter without sign of panic.

Ruses and ruses were planned and extinguished all lights. Passengers were directed by police to nearest air raid shelters.

Bombs were reported dropped in south-western and south-western England and first reports were received at the news desks.

Official reports were not available at this time.

Fred R. Wilson Attends Meet For City Attorneys

Two resolutions where they will legally press their claims for municipal taxes and special assessments against lands which have reverted to the State under the provisions of the Murphy Act were passed at a meeting of city attorneys from all over Florida in the San Juan Hotel in Orlando yesterday, according to Fred R. Wilson, local city attorney, who attended.

While Mr. Wilson joined the attorneys from other sections of the state, he pointed out that this is a problem which the City of Sanford foresaw and consequently had brought the State and County certificates on most of the property against which the City has liens for taxes and special assessments.

In ruling on the Murphy Act, which specifies that lands which are tax delinquent shall be turned over to the State and sold, the State Supreme Court held the cities were entitled to their municipal taxes and special assessments, but the mechanism for enforcing the right of collection had to be set up, it was explained by City Attorney W. Wallace Shaffer of Haines City, who introduced the resolutions in order to achieve this purpose.

The lawyers also discussed ways and means of restricting and limiting the liability of municipalities for tort actions, particularly the "nuisance suits" arising from defective streets or sidewalks. A committee will be appointed to report at the annual League meeting in December at West Palm Beach. It was also decided to have a committee to study ways of strengthening the cities' case for sharing in road and bridge taxes levied in various counties.

Mayor Sam Way of Orlando greeted the guests, including the League president, Ernest E. Mason, city attorney of Ponce de Leon; E. P. Owen Jr., of Seaside; League secretary-treasurer, and L. J. Penney of Jacksonville; and Florida Municipal Record business managing editor.

Mrs. Albert Hartz Dies

Friends of Mrs. Albert Hartz, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Marie V. Hartz, of this city, will regret to learn of her death last week in Tampa.

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German Bombers Raid In Hands Of British

The disposition of the French fleet, second largest in the world, and fourth largest in the world, remained a mystery today as armistice terms requiring its delivery to the Germans and Italians went into effect.

Surrender of a large part of the fleet of more than 600,000 tons to the Germans and Italians would give them superiority over Britain in battleships and many other categories.

If French commanders, however, generally answer the summons of Gen. Charles de Gaulle, who announced formation of a national French committee in London to continue the fight, Britain could keep up the blockade against Germany, Italy and practically all Europe.

Authoritative Washington sources said Saturday the bulk of the fleet already had been taken over intact by the British navy.

LOCAL WEATHER

Mostly cloudy with showers this afternoon and night and probably on Wednesday. Not so warm in some parts.