

LARGE BRITISH LINER, FIVE OTHER VESSELS SUNK

Reds Admit Withdrawal From Suomussalmi Area

WILMINGTON'S NEW BUS STATION OPENS TODAY



The recently completed \$40,000 union bus terminal, located on the southwestern corner of Second and Walnut streets, will be formally dedicated today.

MITCHELL, G. O. P. LAWMAKERS FIGHT

Says Party 'Trying To Buy Back Negro Vote' With Anti-Lynch Bill

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—(AP)—The House heard its only negro member, Rep. Mitchell (D-III), hotly charge the republican party today with trying to buy back the negro vote with the pending anti-lynching bill.

WEATHER

Table with weather forecasts for various locations including Wilmington, Masonboro Inlet, and Cape Fear river stage.

New Bus Station To Be Formally Opened Today

MANY OFFICIALS HERE Terminal, At Second And Walnut Streets, Built At Cost Of \$40,000

Officials of the three major bus companies operating in this section arrived in Wilmington last night and drafted final plans for the formal dedication and opening of Wilmington's new and modern bus terminal, located at Second and Walnut streets, this morning at 10 o'clock.

Ceremonies marking the official opening of the long-sought station will be staged there with both city officials and bus line heads participating.

ACCORD PRESENTS PROBLEM TO NAZIS

Hitler May Be Forced To Choose Between Italy, Hungary, Russia

BUDAPEST, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Foreign observers tonight asserted that the defensive alliance reported to have been arranged by Hungary and Italy in a week-end conference at Venice probably would compel Germany to make an unwilling choice between continued friendship with these two powers and her accords with Soviet Russia.

ROOSEVELT'S AIMS FOR PEACE TALKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Word that President Roosevelt has both ideas and ideals on restoring peace in the world came today from two conferences at the White House. At the first, Mr. Roosevelt talked with leaders of the Lutheran Seventh Day Adventist, and northern and southern Baptist churches about his designation of Myron Taylor to work with the Vatican for peace.

HOSPITAL PLANS MAY BE ADVANCED

Definite plans for the proposed improvements at James Walker Memorial hospital are expected to be advanced at a meeting of members of the hospital board of managers and city and county commissioners within the next few days.

ARMY Bomber Forced Down Near Raleigh

RALEIGH, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A twin-motored army bomber from Mitchell Field made a forced landing in a small clearing eight miles south of here this afternoon at about 4 o'clock.

AGED INMATE OF NEW YORK MADHOUSE IS WILLING TO BE TRIED FOR MURDER

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 9.—(AP)—A 69-year-old man who spent 25 years in a madhouse after shooting to death his millionaire father, Gen. Hiram Duryea of the famous Civil War Zouaves, said today he was willing to stand trial for murder if freed from the asylum.

Finns Believe Soviet Force Is Exhausted

Defenders Have Claimed Two Divisions Wiped Out Near Frontier

NEW ASSAULT LOOMS Remnants Of 44th Division Reported Roaming Aimlessly Through Cold

MOSCOW, Jan. 10.—(Wednesday) (AP)—An official communique early today admitted the Red army had withdrawn "several kilometers" east of Suomussalmi as a result of severe fighting in that sector on the Finnish eastern front.

GUAM BASE ISSUE REVIVED BY STARK

Admiral Says Navy Has Included Funds For Project In 1940 Budget

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—(AP)—A hot issue of the 1939 congressional session bobbed up today at a hearing on the navy's \$1,300,000,000 expansion program when the chief admiral unexpectedly revived once-rejected plans to make the faraway Pacific island of Guam an "outlying lookout post" for the fleet.

CHAMBERLAIN SAYS NATION Facing Grim Part Of War

ENVIIONS BIG REWARD Proposes Peacetime Federation Of European Or World Countries

LONDON, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain warned Great Britain's people fervently today that they are approaching "a phase of this war much grimmer than anything we have seen yet," but envisaged a reward for their sacrifice in a peacetime federation of European or world nations built upon British-French collaboration.

THE EUROPEAN War Situation

(By The Associated Press) LONDON.—Prime Minister Chamberlain tells Britain of "grimmer" war days ahead, sees victory and peacetime federation built on British-French collaboration; German planes attack eleven ships, sinking three; British liner Dunbar Castle strikes mine and sinks.

Civic Project Suggestion Contest Is Opened Here

The Star-News has issued an invitation to its readers to aid in shaping the newspaper's program of progress for Wilmington and southeastern North Carolina—and to make the project even more interesting, has offered several cash prizes to those offering the suggestions considered best by the Star-News.

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FRENCH DEPUTIES OUST COMMUNISTS

Four Fail To Rise During Tribute To Army By Dean Of The Chamber

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PASSENGERS RESCUED

Several Killed And Many Wounded As Bitter Sea-Air Warfare Resumed

LONDON, Jan. 10.—(Wednesday) (AP)—A terrific mine explosion last night ripped the 10,002-ton British passenger liner Dunbar Castle in two after Nazi warplanes, in an intense invasion of British coastal waters, had bombed or machine-gunned eleven British or neutral ships, sinking at least three.

NEW WAGNER ACT RULING IS GIVEN

Court Holds Law Does Not Compel Employer To Sign Labor Contract

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