# HIGHWAYS CLOSED In Hollywood BY HEAVY RAINS NEA Service Staff Correspondent

## Roads Hard Hit; Nine Routes Blocked

RALEIGH, Aug. 13.—(P)—High water in western North Carolina streams today cut off Asheville from the rest of the state except for one route—U. S. 19 and 23 leading from the west.

Highway officials here said trarelers from the east desiring to reach the Buncombe couny capital must take state route 104 near near Micaville.

vance Baise, chief highway engifor the Western par of the state to inspect the damage.

unnel and washed out 70 in two places. A bridge on the same route was said to be under two feet of water near Black Mountain.

Also in the Black Mountain region, a steel bridge on an "important" county road was said to have been out. U. S. 25 near Hendersonville was under water, and nearby. U. S. 64 was washed out, The Canton-Waynesville road was under

At noon Baise was notified that on Route 64 in the Toxaway area. Route 70 at Old Fort was under water at noon and near Ridgecrest a heavy slide also blocked that route. The flood gates at Lake Lure were opened during the morning and the swirling waters were causing heavy erosion on Route 74 but it was still

open to traffic at midday. Baise listed the following routes as closed to traffic before noon: 194 at Newland; 110 near Woodrow; 191 at Mills River, with detour available over route 20; 29 at Elk Shoals near Spruce Pine; 19 sar's Head; 64 between Brevard lead. and Hendersonville; 64 between Toxaway and Cashiers; and 24 at Biltmore.

Baise said worst conditions were reported in Henderson, Transylvania, Avery and Buncombe coun-

The Raleigh weather bureau had no reports of any floods and said scattered showers were forecast for the state generally.

# New French Tribunal

RIOM, France, Aug. 13.—(P) The new supreme court of France received today the Petain government's general indictment of those persons whom it accuses of lead-These were secret preliminary pal figures will be Edouard Daladier, the premier who declared war on Germany, and Maurice Gustave Gamelin, the former generalissi-

Flying time for a bomber between LeHavre, French channel port, and England is 21 minutes. Time from Calais to England is



NEW YORK, N. Y.

BY PAUL HARRISON

HOLLYWOOD - Behind the Western North Carolina about that long conference between screen: Authentic news is lacking Edsel Ford and Louis B. Mayer. know that Metro has been figuring on a film biography of Henry Ford. Hollywood prefers to believe, though, that Mayer was asking whether the Dearborn manufacturer could turn out a thousand Mickey Rooneys.

A suburban theater, long closed ations with a particularly unfortu- making a hurried, unscheduled trip picture is "Opened by Mistake," . . Warning to the Warners: You'd Britain's decision to withdraw her better begin taking precautions now against the double-billing of "Opened by Mistake" with Bette

Marion and the federal highway Davis' new picture, "The Letter:" have lost every franc from his portant sections of the International Vance Barse, shortly after noon long and thrifty saving, and Italneer, left here shortly after noon long and thrifty saving, and ItalSettlement as soon as the British lars of health for the youngster's ians now are enjoying his Holly- leave. for the western part th

rectors and musicians of France zone will be considered. will be refugees in this country. Some are coming here on money and low-pay contracts cabled by of the United States naval forces in shrewd talent agents.

The Marx Brothers' picture, "Go "West," has been hitting production snags, especially in the budget reried about these money troubles that when Harpo took his reg wig gion. The comedians are so worthat when Harpo took his reg wig Now that Paul Muni has been dismissed by Warners, his beards are

out on a picture after being loaned for it by his own studio, and that he'll be sued for about \$175,-000 in damages . . . The western star, Charles Starrett, hopes he horse-opera into heavier drama. He bought Rocklen Stuart's novel, who becomes a tycoon of Great and 23 east of Canton; 276 at Cae- it with his own services as the

I wish the Motion Picture Relief Fund would get that home for indigent movie veterans built and occupied. The old-timers of this business, especially the has-beens of plane which attempted to pass the ing is a problem then also. the silent era, deserve not only security and comfort but also shelter for their self-respect. Not a week points would be annihilated. passes in Hollywood now without the engagement of a flock of old stars and featured players for and felt secure against air attack. some new movie. Their parts may bits Britain scattered AA guns around should be emphasized, however, for \$8 or \$10, but there always are Receives War Charges stories about how these oldsters, broke and discouraged, have been PLANES DOWNED rescued from obscruity and are being given chances for a comeback. It's cruel exploitation.

Casting about: Bob Hope, back from that record-smashing personing France, unprepared, into war. | al appearance swing on which a million fans saw him, is Samuel England, of the 200 bombers which The individual infant or young at two and one-fourth, with a \$156 proceedings, but the charges were Goldwyn's choice as the star in a have been brought down, anti-airreported to cover both civil and re nake of 'Whoopee,' done in 1930 reported to cover both civil and military responsibilities. There are which also will mark Jesse Lasky's seven—all during the month of July.

Clear indications that two principles are conditions. stage tour with Elaine and remains at 20th-Fox for 'Falling Star." . . . "Nice Girl" is the title for Deanna Durbin's flicker in the autumn. Incidentally, her producer, Joe Pasternak, has been conferring with the George Temples and lunching with Shirley. . . . Bette Davis will be loaned to Goldwyn for Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes," but not until next yers.

Mike Curtiz recently got an One big lesson British AA statimpudent communication from a egists have learned is that a de-I won't even open it!"

18-YEAR-OLD GOLFER READING, Pa. -(P)- Maybe a probably the safest city in Eng-

golf champion is born-not made. land from this viewpoint. Johnny Markel, Pennsylvania interscholastic champion for two over the city is covered either with years didn't take any chances on an anti-aircraft gun or a balloon. mere natural ability. He's been The pom-pom, the Swedish Bo practicing since he was 18 months fors, the machine gun, the three-

year at Reading High School, ranks fense. amateur players. Winner of numyouthful Reading shot-maker topped his achievements by winning championship, the youngest winner in the event's 21-year history.

Markel's father, Harry, is pro-fessional at the Berkshire country Johnny won his first title, the

Berks county junior championship, two years ago.

# Washout Causes Train

TOCCOA, Ga., Aug. 13.-(P)-A Pullman car and a baggage car

serted no one was hurt. They said rifles into the air can bring a plane more than 7 inches of rain within down quicker because their fire been listed as supporters of the the last twenty-four hours washed covers a wider area.

Out a culvert.

Keep Out of War raily. These very diverse elements have in common

trosted foods in home basement the world over, their accuracy is might bear worthwhile weight on ockers has been developed by the negligible above 15,000 feet.

ployed in New York state.

## U. S. ADMIRAL IS SHANGHAI-BOUND

#### To Probe Reports Japs To Take Over British Defenses

miral Thomas Charles Hart, commander of the United States Asiatic for remodeling, has resumed oper-fleet, was reported tonight to be nate billing on its marquee. The to Shanghai from Tsingtao in connection with conditions arising from troops from Shanghai.

It was understood he was to investigate reports that the Japanese Maurice Chevalier seems to ship left over the British defense sector in the most im-

... Most of the finest players, di- in which allotment of the British

Hart has been at Tsingtao, North China port, regular summer station the Orient. The admiral will outrank Rear-

Admiral Moriji Takeda, commander our American summers to see a senior officer as soon as the major

BY PAUL MANNING

being cut down to fit John Garfield. NEA Service Staff Correspondent
Paramount bosses are really LONDON—Anti-aircraft defense strong feet later on. mad at Don Ameche, who walked has been a big disappointment in

Prior to the outbreak of hostili- erators, air conditioning, shower ties in September, 1939, many mili- baths, swimmmng pools, public tary experts and army officers pre- parks, escape to the country in the dicted that the A gun, because automobile - all these are hot has found a way to get out of it had made such remarkable weather aids our grandfathers strides in firing accuracy since knew nothing about.

1917, would sweep the skies of The "second summer" was con-

Legends were built up about the weaning had been accomplished Lakes commerce, and is peddling ability of the guns, firing auto- and the menace of contaminated matically, to score direct hits on milk and other foods was ever pretargets traveling more than 200 sent. But now no longer, with miles per hour. Germany officers wrote articles often than before with this health

for military journals in which they impromevent weaning is over by said in all sincerity that any air- the first summer, so artifical feedring of AA guns surrounding Berlin, Hamburg, Essen and other baby food is bacterial cleanliness France circled Paris with anti-safeguard of modern life has been

aircraft batteries, complete with instituted in the Public Health insearchlights and sound detectors, spection of clean milk. I will disthe countryside in September and should be emphasized, however, sold \$150,000 worth of City of Fay-

Eventually German bombers or ideal food. It lacks iron for one roared over Paris and London, Brit-thing and it has been found that ish planes clamly flew over Berlin. properly pureed vegetables in ad-Anti-aircraft fire proved inef-dition to milk make for better nufective.

And thus far in the defense of craft fire has accounted for only especially in hot weather and it is

Despite this record, AA guns will play an increasingly improtant part the same performance is a good a \$3.35 premium. in Britain's defense. For German rule for the human organism pilots, bombing during July with well as the motor of your car when a greater intensity as the invasion the air is hot. of England entered its first stage, know that direct hits on docks, problem of food supply and made factories, and airfields can only be it simple to take the baby or scored by low, diving attacks. youngster along on short summer

Planes, like AA guns, can hit outings. Evaporated milk and what they can see. But both must pureed vegetables can be carried have their target well spotted. One big lesson British AA stat- cool water in a vacuum bottle. stranger, and by registered mail. It fended zone must be literally ring-summer more than any other seabegan with criticism of his direc- ed with guns. Surrounding a city son of the year offers opportunity tion and ended with a request for or air field with a few is no good. for physical development through \$55. Curtiz was furious. He said, A screen of shells, completely cov- exercise. A wash tub full of water 'Next time I read a letter like this, ering an area and exploding up to in the back yard is a private pool 4 15,000-foot altitudes, is the only real for practical purposes and just anti-aircraft defense. London as good as the ocean.

> For every square yard of sky inch, the 3.7 and the 4.5 are the

xious eye at Chicago these days, with the best of Pennsylvania's Of these the multiple-barrel trying to determine whether the pom-pom has proved the most big Keep America Out of War erous invitation tournaments, the effective in actual bastle. Strictly rally may not result in an organiza naval weapon, the pom-pom has ed effort to swing isolationist sentime and again scored direct hits timent to support of Wendell Willthe central Pennsylvania amateur on dive bombers, vulnerable as kie. they roared in a screaming The meeting, at which the names straight dive at a convoy ship.

The meeting, at which the names of Senator Bennett Clark and In Spain and on the Western Charles A. Lindbergh were stellar Front the Swedish Bofers A gun drawing cards, germinated in a loreceived lavish praise. But it still remains a question mark under eign Wars. It was an effort to bring

actual battle in England. RIFLES EFFECTIVE FOR LOW PLANES The machine gun, as in 1917, is verse supporters as the V.F.W.

Derailment At Toccoa still king of the battlefield against Disabled American Veterans, League of American Mothers, against low-flying airplanes it is Daughters of 1812, Illinois Fedineffective. Its cone of fire is too eration of Women's Clubs, Cathosmall.

A battalion of marching soldiers Spanish War Veterans, with disof a Washington-to-Atlanta train is more effective than machine gun tinct cordiality, if not official supwere derailed early today on the fire aginast a hedge-hopping air- port, from Labor's Non-Partisan city outskirts as a result of a plane. It was demonstrated in washout.

League, Father Coughlin, the pain, Finland and the Low Coun-Southern railway officials as- tries that a group of soldiers firing peace and church organizations.

The train was delayed about two 4.5, Big Berthas of the A de-only the feeling that America must fense, toss fragmentation shells to not go to war. But if they could heights of 20,000, 30,000 and 40,000 be persuaded that Willkie fills that Equipment for storing fresh- feet. But like all modern AA guns bill better than Roosevelt, they 3 the political scene.
POLITICAL ANGLE

More than 40 per cent of the workers in the women's and childen's apparel industry are employed in New York state.

Indexemplace in the Pacific ocean yet found is off the island of Mindanao, in the Philippines of Mindanao,

## Britain To Get 1,300 U. S. Planes Monthly By Late 1941

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13. -(P)-| on a smaller number beginning "late Arthur B. Purvis, chief British pur- in 1941." chasing agent, disclosed today that the United States had offered to still in the study stage. He could supply the British with between not predict what eventual arrange 1,300 and 1,400 of the 3,000 planes ments might be made. He likewise monthly they had requested. De- declined to say how many planes livery of the planes, however, would would be delivered under existing SHANGHAI, Aug. 13.-(P)-Ad- not start before "late 1940," he add-

> Purvis said this smaller program Knudsen suggested that they plan program.

tion. I expect to see the time when

that the sight of a little tot with

just a sarong or a pair of shorts as clothing would have been con-

sidered shocking not so long ago.

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In Washington

By BRUCE CATTON

Correspondent

together all elements wanting to

assure non-involvement in the Eu-

ropean war. Included are such di-

lic Daughters of America, United

Some 300 organizations have

WASHINGTON, - Administration

The News Washington

trition.

Medical Care

Purvis said the proposals were

contracts. He said he was here to discuss

the matter with officials and also right, but after all the home bed to introduce Charles Richard Fairer. had been suggested by William S. to introduce Charles Richard Fairey, Knudsen of the defense commission. noted British yachtsman and air-The British wanted the larger plane manufacturer, who has come number starting next January, but here to assist in the purchasing

> denies strentiously any possible political implication of the rally.

"We realize that the people who By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D. attend will be supporting the Keep Food, clothing, bathing, exercise Out of War movement for various and maybe even contradictory rea- the Orange county Young Demoand recreation—these are the pilsecond and third summers. Those before the meeting. "All we want pondent attended as the guest of were the traditionally dangerous to do is to show the extent of this his nephew, the YDC club presi-High water closed U. S. 74 at Bat Cave, near Asheville, and near Glove, near Asheville, near Glove, near A summers, but improvements in our sentiment, not why it exists. We dent. Orange is a strictly rural Common sense has also come to ter of clothing for suummer. In-deed it applies to the older genera-

"As a matter of fact, we sent without much trouble. it will be just as unusual during invitations to the whole national our American summers to see a committee of both parties. Both man with a coat on as to see him pledged anti-war planks. Of course, with an overcoat. And shirts cut I don't know what response we'll low and open at the neck instead get."

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS SEEK PROMINENCE

Grace admits a chance that permanent organization might result from the Chicago meeting, but denies that any such course was planned. A Republican candidate for municipal judge, prominent in the Irish Fellowship Club, Grace secured the services of Avery Brundage as chairman "because I myself don't cut any ice." He has been actively speaking against war involvement round Chicago for many months, feeling strongly that "to get involved in war would destroy democracy and bring in the very things we would be fighting "Iron Men." about an immegrant many planes in any future war. sidered dangerous because then against. After this war there must be one country where democratic principles still survive.'

make capital of the Chicago rally, There is evidence that several POSTPONED

but Grace insisted strongly that existing organizations may try to any such tieups were not intended and would not be permitted.

#### Duplin Refunding Bond and here probably the greatest Issue Sold At Raleigh

RALEIGH, Aug. 13.-(P)-The local government commission today that one of the great advances in etteville municipal building bonds our experience of infant feeding is and \$30,000 City of Burlington street improvement bonds.

> The Fayetteville issue went to R. S. Dickson and company of Charlotte and Raleigh, Harris Trust and Savings Bank of Charlotte, and the Southern Investment company of Charlotte, the first \$114,000 at two

Burlington's bonds were sold to R. S. Dickson and company, the first ments to meet special conditions. \$24,000 for three per cent and the A leaner mixture and less for rest for two and three-fourths, with

Other sales were: Duplin county, \$50,000 refunding road and bridge bonds and \$22,000 refunding school bonds, to Lewis and Hall, Inc., of Greensboro, at three and three-fourth per cent and a \$38 premium.

Cumberland county, \$7,500 revenue anticipation notes, to R. S. Dickpureed vegetables can be carried son and company at two and one-in their original cans, and clean half per cent and a \$1.15 premium.

#### With correct supervision the State A. F. L. Charges Highway Wages 'Low'

DURHAM, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The North Carolina State Federation 3 of Labor adopted a resolution today charging the state highway department with operating under a wage and hour schedule "inferior" to that of industry.

The federation, at today's session of its 34th annual convention here, pledged its incoming administration to seek an adjustment of Markel, now 18 and a senior next guns of England's anti-aircraft de- political leaders are casting an an- highway department wage and hour schedules.

### PEACE-MAKER

BALTIMORE, Aug. 13.-(AP)-A seaman who, witnesses said, attempted to mediate a tavern argument over the preparation of a steak, was shot to death last night.

The dead man was Benjamin Claude Dwyer, 36, of Danville, William J. Mallon, Jr., proprietor of the tavern, was held in connection with the shooting. Police said witnesses described

an argument between Maro Maldonado, New York, a cook aboard Dwyer's vessel, and Mallon, over the cooking of a steak Maldonado had ordered. Dwyer, they said, was shot

when he sought to intervene. The German Reich has 1,000

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RALEIGH, Aug. 13.-Vacation's over and it's back to the daily grind-which after all isn't as bad as it might be. The taking off is fine and the mulling around is all ed mighty good when your reporter of the great Roman Emperors who came back.

Despite repeated efforts to remain strictly aloof from "shop" during the two weeks off, your reporter weakened on numerous occasions and did a bit of political investigating in parts visited.

For instance, while in northern Virginia, there was a meeting of sons," Captain Grace emphasized cratic club. Your Raleigh corresbe allowed to use the meeting for wasn't evident any rip, roaring enthe rescue, especially in the matstated—to demonstrate Keep Out the consensus that the democratic national ticket will win in Virginia James Milton Bannister, Oxford

Then there were several western North Carolina.

In east Tennessee-Gatlingburg, Roosevelt for a third term thus of him for a first term. . .

Republican mountaineer also ICC Grants Petition sprung the story of the dictatorsone which may not be new to all readers of this column, but one which struck your reporter as well above the average.

It seems that the world's dictators were gathered for a discussion of which should be the dictator of all dictators.

"I should," said Joe Stalin, "because mine is the biggest country and my word is law to more peo "No. I should," declared Musso-

lini, "I am the direct descendant to Elizabeth City, N. C. ruled the entire known world. As to pay \$65,000 for the Suffolk ter-their heir I am entitled to be the minals. dictator of all dictators.'

world into a new order . . ."

"I didn't," broke in Roosevelt. 4

Arren G. Ayers, Fairmont

Garland Everett Bell, Washington Thomas Porter Caldwell, Charpolis, O., which was 150 years old North Carolina counties, in which lotte; James M. eVane, Tomathe republicans are beginning to hawk; John B. Flynn, Washington; show more than ordinary pep but James aniel Gilliland, Macon; even in those parts there seemed John R. Gordon, Winston-Salem; no real idea that Wilkie can carry William Henry Harris, Jr., Nor- ham. wood; George Henry Jordan, Cary; Thomas Green Lynch, Wilmington; to be specific-there was a res- Herman McG Kennickell, Fetcher; taurant keeper who answered your Robert H. Mann, Washington; reporter's "What do you think of Preston F. Matthews, Southern Pines; M. C. Stovall Wilmington; "Hell, I never thought anything Frederick I. Sutton, Jr., Kinston; of him for a first term. . ."

J. E. Tyler, Roxobel; William F. This same hard-bitten Volunteer Ward, Warrenton: K. W. Wise,

Of Norfolk-Southern

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 .- (R)-The Interstate Commerce commission today authorized the Norfolk-Southern railroad to abandon about 68 miles of its Suffolk and Carolina division and to sell its Norfolk terminals to the Virginian railway. The order authorized abandonment of 47.4 miles of line from near Suffolk, Va., to Edenton, N. C., and 20.25 miles from Beckford junction

The Virginian railway has agreed

### "I should," quoth Hitler, "because God appointed me to lead the But Is Mum On War

NEW YORK, Aug. 13 .- (A)-John North Carolina will be represented by enough budding officers of to Belgium, who was reprimanded the naval reserve to form a couple by the State department last week of football teams when the V-7 cruises for embryo Ensigns start gian situation, returned today on on August 19 with the recruits the Dixie Clipper, under instruction, pected to qualify them for reserve myself, and when I criticize the American army I criticize my own

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> Stumpy Point; John Wyatt, Hobgood; and Carver J. Peacock, Dur-

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