

North Carolina: Increasing cloudiness and continued cold today with occasional light rain.

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Snow Blocks Road, Breaks Trees In New York



This fairland scene was left at Cortland, N. Y., by a heavy snow and wind storm which felled trees across the road and piled up snow to a depth of two feet. (AP wirephoto).

Admiral Byrd Lauds GI's In Urging War Production

LONDON, Dec. 3. — (AP) — Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, Polar explorer who staked America's claim in the Antarctic, broke a long self-imposed public silence today to pay tribute to the Army's GI Joes and to urge on their behalf full production support by the folks back home for a war "a helluva way from finished."

DOCUMENT LISTS AVIATION PLANS

Result Of Conference Declared Not All That Was Expected

CHICAGO, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The International Civil Aviation Conference made public today a document which brings together the main body of its work begun November 1.

Entitled a "Proposed Convention on International Aviation," the 48-page paper represents the sum of achievements on which presumably all of the 34 nations represented here can agree.

The result is not all that some had hoped for when they came to Chicago but it represents a tremendous step in the direction of eventual complete cooperation for regulating the movements of commercial aircraft.

DEATH TOLL RISES

Another Dies From Auto Wreck Near Morganton

MORGANTON, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The death of Clayton Shook, 30, an Alpine cafe operator, at a Morganton hospital today brought to ten the death toll from a head-on automobile collision early Saturday morning eight miles west of Morganton.

CONGRESS FACES WEEK OF FIGHTS

Social Security Tax Increase Expected To Bring Battle

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3. — (AP) — This is the week the 78th Congress expected to close its books for keeps—but won't.

Instead, it runs head on into a legislative docket containing the makings of a first-class fight with the White House and bulging with enough business to keep the "lame duck" session here for at least a week longer than its leaders had planned.

15 PERSONS KILLED AND 148 WOUNDED IN GREEK RIOTING

ATHENS, Dec. 3. — (AP) — Greek police fired on a crowd of left-wing EAM demonstrators in this capital today—killing 15 and wounding 148 persons by EAM account—and a pitched battle broke out in an Athens suburb between Royalists and EAM army members.

27 Degree Temperature Finds City Shivering In Winter's Icy Grip

It was cold in Wilmington yesterday. The Weather Bureau's 24-hour summary disclosed that the lowest temperature was 27 degrees at 7:30 a. m. Sunday (there were many early risers who might want a bet that it was lower).

New Post For Wallace Has Capital Guessing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The location of Henry A. Wallace's next seat—if any—at the Administration table, ranks high in the Capital's perennial political guessing game.

Yanks Break Into Siegfried Line; Tokyo Motor Plant Hit By B-29s; P-T Boats Sink 4,000 Ton Vessel

WAR INDUSTRY LEFT IN RUIN

Pilots Report Toughest Opposition Over Nipponese City

SAIPAN, Dec. 3. — (By Navy Radio) — (AP) — Saipan based Superfortress bombers, raiding Tokyo's great Musashima aircraft factory today on their fourth visit to the Japanese capital, dodged intense anti-aircraft fire and fought off swarms of fighters but left industrial areas in flames and ruin.

British Colonials Capture Kalewa In Strike For Monywa

SOUTHEAST ASIA COMMAND HEADQUARTERS, KANDY, Ceylon, Dec. 3. — (AP) — British East African troops driving southward through the Myittha gorge have captured the supply port of Kalewa on the Chindwin river, 140 miles northwest of Mandalay, Allied headquarters announced today.

JAPS HELD TESTING BASIC STRATEGY IN U. S. AID TO CHINA

KUMMING, China, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The Japanese offensive in southeastern China already has exploited certain weaknesses in the American-Chinese partnership and is testing the basic strategy of American help for China.

RED ARMIES TAKE TWO NAZI POINTS

Soviet Legions Drive To Within 72 Miles Of Austria

LONDON, Monday, Dec. 4. — (AP) — Three Russian armies yesterday toppled Miskolc and Satoraljauehely, last big German strongholds northeast of Budapest, pushed closer to the Hungarian capital along the west bank of the Danube and drove to within 72 miles of the Austrian frontier.

Crisis In Italian Government Marked By Street Fighting

ROME, Dec. 3. — (AP) — Fisticuffs between Monarchists and Republicans marked the beginning today of the second week of the Italian government crisis, still unsolved four days after Crown Prince Umberto asked Premier Ivanoe Bonomi to reform his cabinet.

PATROLS SPAR FOR POSITION

Warfare On Leyte Settles Down To Slow Operation

GENERAL M'ARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, PHILIPPINES, Dec. 4. — (Monday) — (AP) — In action reminiscent of the slow-moving Buna campaign on New Guinea American and Jap patrols sparred today for positions on the north end of the Ormoc corridor of Leyte island while U. S. Naval aircraft slugged it out with the Nipponese in the air and on sea.

YANKS STRAFE RUSSIAN UNIT

'Error In Navigation' Held Responsible For Accident

ROME, Dec. 3. — (AP) — American fighter planes swooping over Yugoslavians attacked a Russian column by mistake, headquarters of the Mediterranean Allied Air Force disclosed today.

JAPANESE DRIVE ON TUSHAN AREA IN DEEP ADVANCE

CHUNGKING, Dec. 3. — (AP) — Japanese troops have attacked Chinese positions seven miles west of Tushan, 75 miles southeast of Kweichow, in their deepest penetration of Kweichow province the Chinese high command acknowledged tonight.

Nazi Dread Of American Artillery Told In Diary

WITH AN AMERICAN INFANTRY OUTFIT IN GERMANY, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The deep and almost unreasoning terror Germans have for American artillery, which is by far the most awesome weapon on the Western Front, was illustrated today in a diary taken from a captured Nazi medical aid man.

SMILING AND HOPING 7 DAYS LEFT Buy Christmas Seals

Allies Pound Nazis With 114,700 Tons Of Bombs In Month

BRITISH ATTACK IN NETHERLANDS

German Air Force Sends Up Many Planes To Protect Troops

LONDON, Dec. 3. — (AP) — Allied warplanes dropped more than 114,700 tons of bombs on Germany during November, the greatest amount of explosives to hit the Reich in a single month, it was announced today.

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, PARIS, Dec. 3. — (AP) — The U. S. Third Army smashed organized resistance in most of the factory city of Saarlautern and broke across the Saar river into the Siegfried Line today as the First Army seized four towns in triple assaults west of Cologne that rolled back the Roer defenses a mile or more.

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Nazi Cruiser Sunk

Danes Report Ship Ramm'd By Battleship Luetzow

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