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## Wallace Ouster Laid To Former Chairman

### Dispatch Says Farley Engineered Ultimatum From Paris Ending In Dismissal; Ross Denies Call To Truman

CHICAGO, Sept. 22 — (AP) — The Chicago Tribune, in a Paris dispatch by Henry Wales, said today a "deal" was engineered by James A. Farley in which Secretary of State Byrnes and Senator Vandenberg, and Connally "ultimatums" to President Truman they would resign unless Henry A. Wallace was fired.

## In Cabinet



W. AVERELL HARRIMAN

Present ambassador to the Court of St. James in London who yesterday was named by President Truman to succeed Henry A. Wallace, resigned, as secretary of Commerce. No announcement was forthcoming from the White House as to when he will take office.

## Truman Picks Harriman For Wallace Spot

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 — (AP) — President Truman Sunday selected W. Averell Harriman, mutual friend of Britain and Russia, to be the new secretary of commerce.

## BRITISH MARINES, REFUGEES BATTLE 12-HOURS ON SHIP; INDONESIAN WIN AUTHORITY

### Dutch Leader To Sign Pact Natives Say

"De Facto" Rule Over 57 Millions In Java, Sumatra Breaks Deadlock

### GOVERNMENT DENIAL

Batavia Official Insists Commission Has Recognized Plea Of Nation

BATAVIA, Java, Sept. 22. — (UP) — The Anglo-Dutch commission seeking a peace formula for the Netherlands East Indies has recognized Indonesian "de facto authority" over 57,000,000 natives in Java and Sumatra, breaking a four-month deadlock in negotiations, a high Indonesian official said Sunday.

## Back To Their Three R's



Arriving before the Galveston, Tex., public school doors opened, the famous Badgett quadruplets sit waiting to greet their teacher who, as usual, will try as best as she can to tell one from the other. In fact, during an entire school term Joan, Jeraldine, Jeanette and Joyce (shown l. to r.) continue to puzzle their teacher. All four are in the second grade and have "better than average" intelligence scores.

## Many Injured In Desperate Jewish Stand

### Soldiers Use Guns, Smoke Gas, High Pressure Hoses To Quell Foe

### CONDITIONS "SMELL"

900 Men, Women, Children Without Water For Over Four Days

JERUSALEM, Palestine, Sept. 22. — (UP) — One Jew was shot to death and eight wounded so severely they had to be hospitalized Sunday when British marines fought their way aboard the blockade runner Palmach off the Palestine coast against the desperate resistance of 900 illegal Jewish immigrants.

## NORTH CAROLINIAN RESCUE JOB HERO

### Crash Victims Compliment Work Of Capt. Sam P. Martin

WANDER, N.C., Sept. 22 — (UP) — The last of the 18 survivors of the crash of a Belgian transatlantic liner were evacuated by helicopter from the dense forest south of here Sunday to conclude one of the strangest and most successful rescue operations ever undertaken.

## NAVY PLANS TAKING FIRST OF PERSONNEL FROM ICELAND TODAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 — (UP) — The Navy said Sunday it will begin withdrawing its forces from Iceland Monday under the recently announced U. S.-Iceland agreement which permits this country to use the airfield at Keflavik until the occupation of Germany is over.

## JUNIOR COLLEGE CENTER OPENING

### Registration Gets Under Way In High School At 4 p. m. Today

Close to 260 local high school graduates, the great majority of them World War II veterans, will assemble in the New Hanover High school cafeteria at 4 p. m. today for registration as students in the local branch of the University of North Carolina, according to an announcement yesterday by Dale Spencer, director of the local branch.

## EMORY, CARTIER AIDING IN DRIVE

### To Direct Mechanics Of Community Chest Campaign Starting Oct. 15

H. R. Emory, executive director of the Wilmington Housing authority, and Walter J. Cartier, secretary of the Wrightsville Beach Chamber of Commerce, were designated last night to direct two committees whose chief concern will be mechanical aspects of the city's \$106,204 Community Chest campaign.

## EXCESSIVE USE OF ALCOHOL HIT

### Associated Charities Report Issued By Mrs. L. O. Ellis Here

Excessive use of alcohol is the major cause of broken homes and consequent juvenile delinquency in Wilmington according to Mrs. L. O. Ellis, executive secretary of Associated Charities, in the report of her agency's activities during August issued here last night.

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The sudden disappearance of husbands and fathers leaving no clue to where they have gone seems to be a never-ending problem that has not been solved, Mrs. Ellis reported.

## New Demands

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 — (AP) — The U. S. Chamber of Commerce reported Sunday "a new wave of insistent demands for abolition of OPA."

## Today and Tomorrow

### By WALTER LIPPMANN

At Zurich the world has heard once again, and in all its deep sagacity and penetration and grandeur, the voice of Winston Churchill. He will not be heard truly at once above what he called "the babel of voices" among the victors. It will take longer still for his proposals to be accepted by statesmen who, lacking his great conception of how peace is to be made, have taken positions which they are afraid to change, who, like men clinging to a ledge of rock, dare not move, or even let any one speak to them, for fear of falling into the abyss.



Yet Mr. Churchill was addressing them and he has, I believe, showed them the way up toward the broad and solid ground.

## The Weather

FORECAST: North Carolina and South Carolina—Considerable cloudiness with moderate temperatures and scattered showers and thunderstorms Monday and Tuesday, followed by clearing and cooler west and north portions Tuesday afternoon.

## ROAD BARRICADES COME OFF TODAY

### City Engineer Expects To Have Flood Repairs Completed By Night

The City Engineering department will have all but one of its post-flood street barricades lifted by tonight, City Engineer J. A. Loughlin said yesterday.

## SPOTLIGHT ON

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## And So To Bed

There's one thing you can say for women—they're tops at mathematics.

The other day a woman flagged down a taxicab at 17th and castle streets.

"How much is the fare into town?" she asked the driver. "Fifty cents," he answered. "Oh, isn't that a splendid coincidence," she beamed. "I have only a quarter and I just want to go half way anyway."

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## Gypsies Of Nation Mourning At Bier Of Beloved Queen

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22 — (AP) — Gypsies from across the nation gathered here Sunday night, their colorful costumes replaced by somber black, their gay chatter stilled in the presence of death.

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