

WEATHER

Partly cloudy and moderately warm today, tonight and Saturday; scattered thundershowers Saturday afternoon and in extreme west portion this afternoon.

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CHINESE SAID READY TO FORM NEW GOVERNMENT

Truman Proclaims U. S. Jurisdiction Over Coastal 'Oil Shelf'

CONSERVATION FISHERY ZONES ALSO SET UP

Order Lays Claim To Natural Resources Of Continental Shelf

INTERNATIONAL VIEW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(P)—President Truman today issued proclamations asserting United States jurisdiction over oil resources of the continental shelf below waters bordering all coasts.

Two companion orders were issued.

One reserved the natural resources of the continental shelf under the high seas and placed them under the jurisdiction of the secretary of the interior.

The other provided for establishment, under recommendation of the interior and State departments, of fishery conservation zones in areas of the high seas contiguous to the United States coast.

Petroleum geologists believe that portions of the continental shelf beyond the three mile limit contain valuable oil deposits, a White House statement said.

"The study of sub-surface structures associated with oil deposits which have been discovered along the Gulf Coast of Texas, for instance, indicate that corresponding deposits may underlie the offshore or submerged land," the statement said.

"Oil is also being taken at present from wells within the three-mile limit off the Coast of California. It is quite possible, geologists say, that the oil deposits extend beyond this traditional limit of national jurisdiction."

The statement said that the proclamation by the President is concerned solely with establishing the jurisdiction of the United States from an international standpoint and does not touch on the question of federal versus state control.

Plan Return Of 1,490,000 Men In Seven Months

TOKYO, Sept. 28.—(P)—General MacArthur's headquarters announced today that shipping space to return 1,490,000 servicemen to the United States from Pacific areas will be available in the next seven months, according to War department estimates.

Headquarters announced that these tentative or "target" dates have been set for departure of three divisions from the Philippines to the United States.

Thirty-first division, Oct. 31; 38th division, Nov. 1; 37th division, Nov. 12.

The 43rd division, which will be the first to reach home from the Pacific, now is loading at Yokohama.

"Under the presently announced reduction in critical (servicemen's point) scores, all shipping available through January will be utilized and as scores are lowered, personnel will be available to meet (all) shipping allocations for February and March," headquarters said it was informed by the War department.

Monthly estimates for the return of troops are: October, 120,000; November, 120,000; December, 182,000; January, 370,000; February, 240,000; March, 245,000; and April, 280,000.

Choice Of United Nations City Between Geneva, San Francisco

LONDON, Sept. 28.—(P)—The choice of a permanent seat for the United Nations organization narrowed today to a probable choice between Geneva and San Francisco.

An informant close to the executive committee said the group was studying recommendations outlining physical requirements for locating the international organization.

U. S., Britain, Russia Are In Deadlock

By Flora Lewis

LONDON, Sept. 28.—(P)—

Despite Russian insistence that France and China be excluded from discussions of Balkan peace treaties, informed observers said today the question might revert to the full conference of foreign ministers unless an American-British-Russian procedural deadlock could be broken.

The foreign ministers of the Big Three powers, U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes, Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav M. Molotov and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, have been conferring on the procedure for drafting treaties with Romania, Hungary, and Bulgaria in an attempt to reach some measure of agreement before the council is adjourned.

Some officials acknowledged that the procedural impasse arose when the Russians felt they were fighting a four-to-one battle for Balkan influence, and wanted to reduce the number of adversaries.

5-NATION PRINCIPLE Some delegates said the Russian argument, based on the decision at Potsdam that armistice signatories should draw up the treaties, was a good one, but added that the others were reluctant to abandon the five-nation principle.

Supported by the British and Americans, the French bitterly protested the Russian attitude. The Greek government added a complication last night by announcing reparations claims of \$2,677,000 against Italy, which it said would be pressed at the peace conference. The United States attitude has been that reparations claims against Italy should be waived.

Armed Chinese Seize German Business Firms In Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28.—(P)—Armed Chinese troops today seized several German business firms, and placed guards outside the majority of houses and flats occupied by Germans in a step reported as preliminary to internment of all Germans in Shanghai.

A spokesman for Shanghai's 2,400 Germans said that among office buildings taken over was the German bank, which played an important role in the Japanese occupation, and I. G. Farbenindustrie, big dye trust.

McGrath Is Named Solicitor General

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(P)—President Truman has appointed Gov. J. Howard McGrath of Rhode Island as solicitor general of the justice department.

Press Secretary Charles G. Ross announced today the selection of McGrath to succeed Charles Fahy, who resigned.

Gov. Ellis Arnall of Georgia reportedly had been offered the post. Recent dispatches out of Georgia indicated that Arnall has passed it up because of the peculiar political situation in Georgia.

Ross said he understood McGrath would take over his new duties immediately. A former U. S. district attorney for Rhode Island, McGrath has been a member of the Rhode Island bar since 1929.

'Globester' Opens First World-Girdling Schedule

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(P)—A giant C-54 thunders eastward over the Atlantic late today, opening the first regular world-girdling schedule. It will carry to high adventure seven men and a woman who will be guinea pigs as well as observers on the 23,147-mile flight.

Taking off at 5 p. m., EWT, from Washington national airport, the 40-passenger Douglas Skyraider of the U. S. army air transport command heads first for Bermuda. Then, after a one-hour stop, it wings on to the Azores, to North



KNOX HARDIN

POLICE SCHOOL FOR SHELBY

FBI Representatives To Give Instruction; Begins Oct. 3

A police school marked by expert instruction from federal bureau of identification representatives and other law enforcement specialists will be held in Shelby beginning October 3, under the sponsorship of the Shelby police department, it was announced this morning by Chief of Police Knox Hardin, who has made all arrangements for the event.

In addition to the Shelby police officers, all of whom will attend the course of instruction, police from a number of surrounding towns are cooperating and attending. Sheriff J. Raymond Cline and his deputies are among those who will be present. Others include the Kings Mountain police, the Cherryville police, Forest City, police, Rutherford county deputies and Rutherfordton police.

Visiting officers and instructors will be welcomed to Shelby by Mayor Harry Woodson at the first session which will be held in the Cleveland county-Shelby armory. Two class periods will be held Wednesday and Thursday of each week. The first class will be held in the afternoon from 12:45 o'clock to 2:45 o'clock and the second class will take place in the evening from 8:30 o'clock to 10:30 o'clock. The classes will continue these two days a week through October.

Instructors at the school will include Malvern G. MacDonald who will teach defensive tactics and disarming; Warner C. Maupin who will teach a course in the preservation of evidence; and Alton T. Easterling who will give a demonstration in firearms and teach a course in court testimony; James W. Cannon who will teach a course in laboratory aids; James I. Waller who will teach course in arrests, searches and report writing; John Piercyanski who will lead a course in firearms practice; Walter F. Anderson, chief of the Charlotte police department who will talk on police courtesy and the handling of mob violence; A. A. Powell, judge of Cleveland Recorder's court who will talk on crimes most frequently handled by police.

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Last Jailbreaker Put Under Arrest

Sheriff Raymond Cline is leaving this afternoon for Greensboro to get William Hill, of Kings Mountain, who was picked up there by police yesterday. Hill is wanted here for breaking out of jail. His arrest makes the sixth jail breaker taken into custody since S. B. Cooper, the assistant jailer, was knocked in the head and six prisoners made their getaway.

Hill is alleged to have been the prisoner who struck Mr. Cooper in the head with some blunt instrument. He will be given a hearing tomorrow morning in Cleveland Recorder's court.

EASTSIDE FOLK PLAN REVIVAL

Rev. J. Clyde Yates, pastor of Allen Street P. M. church of Charlotte, will conduct a week of revival services at Eastside Baptist church beginning Sunday. There will be services at the church each evening at 7:00 p. m., Eastern Standard time.

These services are in cooperation with other churches in Shelby in the city-wide simultaneous religious emphasis week. Rev. Mr. Yates will also speak at the First Baptist church on Friday at 10:00 a. m. at the invitation of the Shelby Presbyterian church. Mr. Yates is regarded as one of the best speakers in the Baptist church of North Carolina and the public is urged to hear him.

Rev. Mr. Yates

THE REV. MR. YATES

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FRESH LABOR DISPUTE PILES UP TROUBLES

Strike Of 6,000 Textile Workers In N. J. Closes 70 Plants

68,000 AFFECTED

By The Associated Press New storm warnings were hoisted along the country's labor front today as a fresh major dispute threatened to force more than a half million workers off their jobs.

The newest controversy centered on the walkout of 6,000 textile workers in the Paterson, N. J. area, which closed 70 plants. A CIO union official said the walkout would mean that within 24 hours 68,000 additional workers would be forced from their jobs in 214 plants in nine eastern and southern states. He further predicted the shutdowns would idle approximately a half million garment workers.

In event of this development, the number of workers idle because of strikes and shutdowns over labor disputes would soar past the two million mark, including 1,500,000 affected indirectly by the New York City building service strike.

Country, strikes and shutdowns kept some 370,000 persons away from their jobs, and with the New York City idle the total number affected touched around 1,870,000.

Oil STRIKE DELAYED Meanwhile, the threatened nationwide strike by 250,000 CIO oil workers was delayed. After meeting three days in Chicago, principals in the conciliation conference moved to Washington to resume their efforts tomorrow to effect a settlement in the dispute over wage demands and of the 13-day old strike of some 35,000 workers in eight states.

The move to Washington was suggested by Secretary of Labor Schwelienbach. The union is asking for a 30 per cent wage rate increase and in three days of negotiations in Chicago the conference was deadlocked.

The 6,000 workers who walked out in the textile printing and dyeing plants in the Paterson area, members of the CIO Federation of Dyers, Finishers, Printers and Bleachers of America, are demanding a union spokesman, a 15 cents an hour increase to make up for loss of pay caused

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Japs Suspected Of Massacre Of Allied Prisoners Are Sought

By Russell Brines

TOKYO, Sept. 28.—(P)—General MacArthur today ordered the U. S. Eighth Army to seize 34 Japanese officers and Allied prisoners of war at Palawan in the Philippines, Dec. 11, 1944.

More than 100 prisoners, many of them Americans, were herded into a large air raid shelter. Buckets of gasoline and lighted torches were tossed in upon them. A few escaped, only to be mowed down by machineguns or hand grenades, or brutally bayoneted by their captors.

The Japanese ordered arrested range in rank from sergeant to lieutenant colonel Oe Satoshi, presumably in command of the "murder detail."

Supreme allied headquarters today rejected Japan's plea for 260,000 tons of her own shipping to return disarmed Japanese soldiers from outside the empire — assuring considerable delay in returning many thousands of the enemy veterans.

Leaders of the workmen meanwhile met to form a new Socialist party, and the reported reorganization of several war-defunct veterans.

Smith Pleads For Y. M. C. A. In Shelby

Civic Clubs, In Joint Meeting, Hear Y. M. C. A. Secretary In Talk On Community Center

A frank plea for the establishment of a Y. M. C. A. in Shelby was made by J. Wilson Smith, of Charlotte, secretary of the interstate Y. M. C. A. committee for the Carolinas at a combined meeting of all civic clubs at the Hotel Charles last night. The local Kiwanis club was host to the other clubs and had arranged the meeting as a prelude to the campaign to raise an additional \$100,000 for the community center which will begin in November.

Mr. Smith was presented by Frank Sherrill, prominent business man of Charlotte, who said that on account of growing up in Shelby, because his mother lives here and because his father is buried here, he regards it as his hometown. He indicated his deep interest in the project for improving the recreational facilities of the city. Mr. Sherrill was in turn presented by J. D. Lineberger who was introduced by H. L. Toms, chairman of the program. Mason Carroll presided as toastmaster after Reid Misenheimer, president of the Kiwanis club had opened the meeting.

Athos Rostan, president of the Lions club, introduced the president of each organization participating in the meeting and their members.

LONG-STANDING "If you put a Y. M. C. A. in Shelby," began Mr. Smith, "you will be tied up with the oldest welfare organization in existence. The Y. M. C. A. is now 101 years old, having been established in London in 1844.

"You will not only be tied up with the oldest welfare organization but you will be affiliating with a world-wide organization, branches of the Y. M. C. A. are operating now in 52 countries of the world.

"The Y. M. C. A.'s program reaches everybody, men, women, boys and girls, everybody from eight to eighty. It makes religion attractive to youth. It gets hold of those boys and girls at the age when they are disposed to wander away from the home fold. It puts the community in partnership with God."

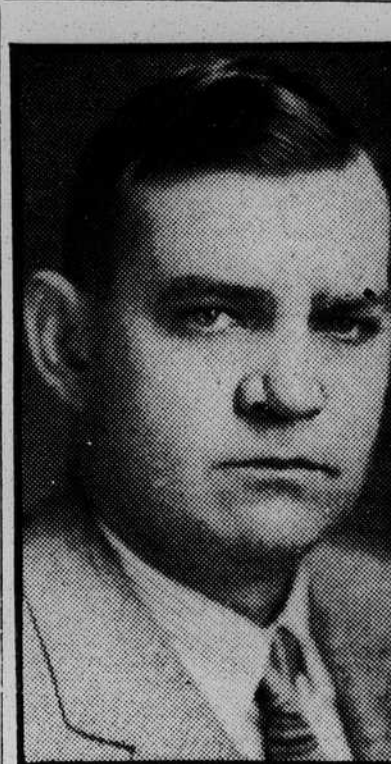
The speaker closed his inspirational plea for the starting of a Y. M. C. A. in Shelby by reading a poem inspired by the proposal to change the meridian for calculating time so that it would pass through Bethlehem of Judea.

"How Far from Bethlehem?" asked Mr. Smith in the words of the poem. "That, he said, is the

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WHAT'S DOING

TODAY 7:00 p. m. — Executive club meets at Hotel Charles. 8:00 p. m. — Regular meeting of Cleveland Lodge 202 A. F. & A. M. at lodge room in Masonic Temple.



DR. T. B. GOLD

DR. T. B. GOLD DEATH VICTIM

Had Been In Ill Health More Than Two Years; Rites Saturday

Dr. Tom B. Gold, 57, prominent civic leader and professional man, died this morning at five o'clock at his home on S. Washington street, following a stroke of paralysis which he suffered last Tuesday. He had been in declining health for two years or longer.

Dr. Gold was a veteran of the first World War in which he served as captain in the Medical Corps and distinguished himself, coming out with higher honors than any other man who served from this county. He enlisted as a lieutenant and was promoted to captain for distinguished service, having been awarded the Congressional Medal, the Croix de Guerre and the Distinguished Service Cross for rendering first aid single-handed to men at the front under heavy fire.

MEDICAL SPECIALIST Born in upper Cleveland, the son of the late Dr. C. M. and Josephine Packard Gold, he attended the public schools of the county and was later graduated from the N. C. Medical College in Charlotte. Until the first World War, he was a practicing physician at Lawndale, where he enjoyed the confidence and esteem of a large circle of friends.

After the war Dr. Gold took special courses in Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat medicine and has practiced

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Communal Riots In India Continue

BOMBAY, Sept. 28.—(P)—Knife play continued today in the Moslem-Hindu communal riots, which have killed 19 and sent 80 to hospitals.

Leaders exerted pressure to end the armed conflict.

Police arrested 160. A full company of troops stood ready for possible emergency and too ally public fears. The military has not yet intervened, although army officers toured the city with policemen.

Heavy police concentrations guarded Mosques, where thousands of Moslems prayed and dispersed without incident. Their leaders urged them to hasten homeward.

DRIVE SUNDAY: Clean Your Closets Of That Last Scrap Paper

Here's your last chance to make that scrap paper you're hoarding go into the war and reconversion effort.

The shooting's over, but thousands upon thousands of our men are still "over there," so the government needs paper for boxes and cartons in which to ship goods overseas. Paper continues very much on the critical list, and the government is calling upon businessmen to conserve all paper possible and on householders to turn in every scrap of waste paper. The end of the war has intensified, rather than lessened, the paper conservation effort.

CHIANG, MAO REPORTED IN AGREEMENT

Two Are Conferring In Effort To Settle Internal Strife

MOSCOW BROADCAST

LONDON, Sept. 28.—(P)—The Moscow radio reported today that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek and communist leader Mao Tse-Tung who have been conferring at Chungking in an effort to settle China's internal political differences, had reached an agreement to reform the National government.

The broadcast said the agreement provided for wide political representation in the central government and for the holding of general elections at an early date.

The pact also was said to provide for demobilization of the communist armed forces.

The broadcast, which opened with the flat statement that "unity in China has been established," credited the treaty which Soviet Russia recently concluded with China as playing "an important part in helping to unify the nation."

Marine Force To Be Expanded In Defense Plan

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—(P)—Plans for use of United States marines as "flap men" in the international organization to maintain peace were disclosed today by Gen. A. A. Vandegrift.

Testifying in support of a post-war marine force of 100,000 enlisted and 9,200 officer personnel, the marine commandant told the house naval committee:

"In the event that present efforts towards international organization to prevent war are unsuccessful, the scope of the fleet marine force will be composed of two reduced strength divisions, one brigade and necessary supporting troops and aviation elements."

Planned deployment of major elements of the fleet marine force, Vandegrift said, is for one division on the east coast, one division on the west coast, and one brigade in the central or western Pacific.

The total planned postwar strength of the fleet marine force is 59,200 officers and enlisted men, including 44,100 in the air force, and 15,000 in the ground forces. Marines, he disclosed, will furnish the entire aviation complement of eight escort carriers, although the carriers themselves will be manned by navy crews.

Argentina Eager For Normality Says Foreign Minister

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 28.—(P)—Foreign Minister Juan Cooke said in a midnight communique last night that the newly-imposed state of siege in Argentina in "no way effects the march towards constitutional normality which the government wants in the shortest possible time."

Cooke said that when the government lifted a wartime state of siege on Aug. 6 after three and one-half years of martial rule it "had no idea the ample liberties provided by our laws would be utilized for conspiracy maneuvers."

The state of siege was reimposed Wednesday after a revolt was reported quelled at Cordoba.

Military police rounding up prominent Argentines opposed to the military regime of President Edelmir Farrell and Col. Juan Peron, vice-president, have filled the jails with nationally known citizens.