

WEATHER

North Carolina — Considerable cloudiness and warmer today and tonight; Tuesday, partly cloudy and continued warm.

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BRITISH FORCES GAIN CONTROL IN SOERABAJA AREA

Chinese Factions Agree To Let Council Settle Their Differences



TRUMAN WELCOMES ATLEE ON VISIT TO U. S.—President Truman (left) chats informally with Prime Minister Clement Attlee (right) of Great Britain on the White House steps in Washington. With them is Secretary of State James F. Byrnes (center). Attlee arrived in the capital Nov. 10 via plane from London to meet with President Truman and discuss the atomic bomb.—(AP Wirephoto).

Attlee Said Urging Information 'Pool'

Would Share Atomic Secrets With Other Nations—Once Safeguards Are Set Up

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—(P)—A report that Prime Minister Attlee is urging an international pool of scientific information held Washington attention today as official silence cloaked the historic atomic energy conferences.

TITO'S PARTY WINS VICTORY

90 Per Cent Of Yugoslav Voters Cast Ballots In Election

BELGRADE, Nov. 12.—(P)—Candidates representing Marshal Tito's national front were assured of victory today by incomplete returns from Sunday's national constituent assembly election, which showed that more than 90 percent of the nation's 8,020,671 voters had cast ballots.

Opposition parties had boycotted the elections by not putting up candidates but it was reported that practically no voters upheld the boycott by staying away from the polls.

A complete absence of election disorders was reported by Yugoslav officials. Women were eligible to vote for the first time and the percentage taking advantage of their franchise was large.

A holiday atmosphere marked the election, with gay crowds of peasants singing and dancing in open spaces near many of the polling places. Sale of all alcoholic drinks had been forbidden since midnight Friday.

WHAT'S DOING

- 6:30 p.m.—American Legion will give free barbecue at Legion building for servicemen and ex-servicemen of community, to be followed by dance at 8 o'clock.
7:30 p.m.—November meeting of Shelby school board in office of Superintendent W. E. Abernethy.
7:30 p.m.—Called meeting of Cleveland Lodge 202 A. F. & A. M. for work in second degree.
7:30 p.m.—State Guard drill at armory.
TUESDAY
10 a.m.—Merchants meet at courthouse to plan closing hours schedule for holiday season.
7 p.m.—Rotary club directors meet at Hotel Charles.
7 p.m.—Regular meeting of Lions club.

An official in a position to know—but who declined to be identified as to position or nationality—told reporters the British prime minister had suggested to President Truman and Premier Mackenzie King of Canada that:

- 1. Unless atomic and other discoveries are channeled into controlled uses for peace they will be given over to war-making purposes.
2. The best way to channel these discoveries into proper uses is to share them with other nations—once safeguards for the future are set up.

The official added that any pooling by the three countries now holding the secret of the atomic bomb, would require co-operation by Russia, France and the other United Nations. The others' participation would be asked to make their own developments available to the same pool.

There was no comment from the White House or other official circles on this report after Mr. Truman, Attlee and Mackenzie King returned last night from a nine-hour cruise on the Potomac.

Prison Chaplain Resigns Position

RALEIGH, Nov. 12.—(P)—Rev. L. A. Watts, who has been chaplain at Central prison for six and one-half years, has resigned to take up a pastorate with the Methodist conference in Nashville.

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EISENHOWER REACHES U. S.

Landed At Airfield Near Boston Today At 11:30 A. M.

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—(P)—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower landed at the naval air station field at nearby Squantum at 11:35 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, today enroute to Washington where he is to testify on proposals for unification of the armed services.

He will be guest for the day at Boston's armistice day celebration. The huge C-54 transport plane came down through a misty fog dropping under a 400-foot ceiling, making a down-wind landing in the navy field.

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CHIANG HELD RESPONSIBLE BY COMMUNISTS

Must Cancel Order For 'Bandit Suppression,' Or No Peace

SUNDAY PEACE TALK

By Spencer Moosa CHUNGKING, Nov. 12.—(P)— Chinese communists said today that they and Chiang Kai-Shek's central government have agreed to allow the proposed political consultative council to settle "all outstanding issues" of China's undeclared civil war—and that the council will be called into session about Nov. 20.

The final issue of peace or all-out war, however, rests with the generalissimo, a communist spokesman asserted, adding:

"If Chiang cancels his order for 'bandit suppression' there can be peace. The decision to entrust disputed issues to the new council was reached at a Sunday peace talk arranged by the increasingly influential liberal Chinese democratic league—while war clouds thickened as the result of two other developments:

The government called China's national assembly to meet May 5—with no word of whether communists would be given representation they demanded; and a top nationalist general forecast a major government drive into Manchuria "very soon" despite crack communist troops massed to block it.

SEVERE FIGHTING A communist spokesman said "serious fighting" already is under way, and he asserted that Chinese commando troops trained by the U. S. office of strategic services were being employed against communists.

The spokesman said that the political council would discuss "all issues," indicating that administration of liberated areas and reorganization of the nationalist Chinese army—both formerly excluded.

Negroes Go On Cutting Spree, One Left Dead

Blood literally flowed in the street in front of Harlem Paradise, Shelby negro night spot on East Graham street, Saturday night when Lucille Robbins, negro woman, was fatally stabbed, her brother Sam Smith, was severely cut; Malachi Eippy was both shot and stabbed and Brownie Wilson suffered a minor cut around the throat.

Maxie Wilson, negro, after a hearing in Cleveland Recorder's court was held under \$5,000 bond on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Lucille Robbins and his brother, Brownie Wilson, was sentenced to 18 months on the roads for assault with deadly weapon, which sentence was appealed.

U. S. Army Veteran Of First World War Seeks Seat In Diet

TOKYO, Nov. 12.—(P)—An honorably discharged veteran of the United States army in World War One is a candidate for election to the Japanese Diet. He is Zensaku Azuma, born in Japan 53 years ago. He went to the United States in 1911 and after working in Sacramento, Calif., as a salesman, enlisted in the United States army in May 1918. After an honorable discharge in April, 1919, Azuma resided in Los Angeles until he returned to Japan in 1930. He now owns a mine employing 50 people.

Jap Communist Party Puts Hirohito At Top Of War Criminals List

By The Associated Press

TOKYO, Nov. 12.—(P)—Emperor Hirohito heads a war criminal list being prepared by the fledgling Japanese communist party because he must share responsibility for the Pearl Harbor attack, Yosnio Shiga, one of the party's leaders, said today.

"The Emperor cannot escape war guilt," said Shiga, and should be exiled to China under Allied surveillance. The Communist party boldly announced it will sponsor a nationwide campaign to investigate Japanese war criminals—starting on Dec. 8, the Pearl Harbor anniversary.

General MacArthur's headquarters surveyed results of allied occupation policies and reported that diplomacy and directives have shattered the nation's war-minded spiritual and economic control systems as effectively as bombs destroyed its cities and factories.

The headquarters statement, summarizing changes which have freed Japan's common people from regimentation and from domination by their old ruling clique, reported that new orders soon to be issued "will remove many of the shackles which now hold farmers and their families in a condition approximating slavery. Free marketing in a state of freedom will follow."

'Captain Dixie' Dies In Navy Plane Crash

Five Others Also Killed When Plane Falls, Burns In New York State; Names Withheld

BOSTON, Nov. 12.—(P)—The first naval district reported today that one of the six men killed in a plane crash at Beacon, N. Y., was Commodore Dixie Kiefer, 49, commanding officer of the first naval district air bases.

'MONTY' FEARS RIOTS IN REICH

Says French Opposition Chief Obstacle To 4-Power Control

BERLIN, Nov. 12.—(P)—Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery says he believes French opposition toward establishment of a central administration is the chief obstacle to efficient four-power control of Germany.

Furthermore, the British commander fears that the hardships of winter may bring about civilian outbreaks in the beaten Reich and has distributed his troops accordingly. Montgomery expressed those views in an armistice day news conference. He frankly stated that cooperation among the four powers "has not proved sufficient up to this date to make the government of Germany as a whole by the control council effective."

NOT RECONCILED "x x x it has not been possible so far to recognize the view of France in this matter with that"

Arnold Sees Future Warfare From Interstellar Space

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—(P)—General Hap Arnold advises that atomic bomb warfare waged from interstellar space ships is "within the foreseeable future."

The white-haired chief of army air forces gave in his third annual report today an eerie picture of conflict for which the United States should be prepared. Said he: "War may descend upon us by thousands of robots passing unannounced across our shorelines—unless we act to prevent them."

And the way to do that is to be ready to strike at the source of attack with a strategic air force delivering "one or two atomic bombs," which should suffice for the job. TOMORROW'S That method of bomb delivery is for today's style of war; tomorrow's he said, will be like this: "We should be ready with a weapon of the German V-2 rocket, having greatly improved range and precision, and launched from great distances. V-2 is ideally suited to deliver atomic explosives, because effective defense a-



PRESENTED—Henry B. Edwards, city attorney, qualified for practice in the United States Supreme court when formally presented to the highest court by Senator Clyde R. Hoey Friday. A college mate and long-time close personal friend of T. Lamar Caudle, assistant U. S. attorney general, Mr. Edwards completed arrangements for the presentation prior to a business trip to Washington last week.

JAPS UNBRIDLED IN BRUTALITIES

1500 Filipinos Said Mistreated, Murdered Within A Month

By DEAN SCHEDLER

MANILA, Nov. 12.—(P)—A bayonet-scarred, black-dressed Filipino woman sobbed out at the war-crimes trial of Lt. Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita today a story of the fatal stabbing and burning of her four children and her mother by blood-crazed Japanese. The prosecution stated for the record that 1500 Filipinos in her neighborhood were thus "brutally mistreated and massacred" within a month.

The witness, Gliceria Malvecho, concluded her testimony with a half-scream: "Yamashita, see what you have done to my family!"

Describing the scene near Santo Tomas, Batangas Province, she said that "we were tied in groups of five and led into a nearby field. A Japanese officer told the soldiers to line up behind us and gave the order for them to start stabbing us."

FEIGNED DEATH She was bayoneted 12 times, and feigned death to escape further wounds.

Jackson Asks That Younger Krupp Be Substituted In Trial

NUERNBERG, Nov. 12.—(P)—Justice Robert H. Jackson, United States prosecutor, requested the International Military Tribunal today to substitute Alfred Krupp, son of Gustav Krupp Von Bohlen and Halbach, as a defendant in the war crimes trials. Jackson filed his motion because the elder Krupp, head of the huge German armaments and steel trust, is too ill and aged to appear for trial.

If Jackson's motion is granted, a postponement of ten days to two weeks in the start of the historic trial is almost certain. The trial had been scheduled for Nov. 20.

NATIVES STILL NOT READY TO GIVE UP FIGHT

Nationalists Ask Soviets To Intervene In Their Behalf

THOUSANDS KILLED

By Leif Erickson BATAVIA, JAVA, Nov. 12.—(P)—British Indian forces gained control of virtually all of Soerabaja today, the Netherlands news agency Aneta said, as British tank crew turned back fanatical charge by Indonesian nationalists.

Many Indonesians were killed in the charges, the Dutch dispatch said. There still was no indication however, that the natives were preparing to give up the fight. British headquarters ordered curfew at the big Java naval base from 10 p.m. to 4:30 a.m. Th British said their artillery had silenced Indonesian-manned Japanese tanks in the fighting in the city.

Fighting also broke out last night in Tandjongprik, the Port of Batavia, when Indonesian bands attempted to attack warehouses, the British said.

While British Indian forces pressed their house-to-house assault in Soerabaja, Foreign Minister Soebardjo pleaded for Soviet intervention on behalf of his unrecognized Indonesian republic. "It is apparent now that Britain is paving the way for the reimposition of Dutch rule"

ARMISTICE DAY IS CELEBRATED

Veterans Of Two Wars Joining In Observance

The men who fell on Iwo in the Battle of the Bulge, as well as the dead of Chateau Thierry and the Argonne Forest, are honored today by a grateful people at peace, marking the anniversary of the cessation of hostilities in World War I.

Veterans of both wars will participate in the Armistice day barbecue and dance celebration under direction of Warren Hoy Post No. 82 of the American Legion tonight at 7 o'clock. Commander Willis McMurry said in serving a general invitation to all service men to attend irrespective of whether they are members of the Legion.

Sunday in most of the church special Armistice day messages paid tribute to those who died and all who served in the wars this nation fought for freedom through out the world.

'E' BOND SALES LAGGING BADLY

Over-All Victory Bond Sales Past One-Third Mark

Victory Bond sales were past one-third over-all mark for a total of \$588,611, but E bonds lagged with only \$49,518 of the \$325.0 quota sold through Friday, W. Finance Chairman George Blanton revealed today. The over-all quota is \$1,510,000.

Unless there is spirited buying of the Series E bonds in the next couple of weeks the county stand to come up far short of quota of that important phase of the bond drive, Mr. Blanton said. He called for renewed buying of bonds by all who can purchase them. Selling of the over-all quota today was \$59,900 which the Southern Bell Telephone Company and \$1,700 by the F. W. Woolworth company, accredited to Cleveland county.