

WEATHER
North Carolina — Considerable cloudiness and warmer today and tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy and continued warm.

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General Agreement Said Near On International Bomb Control

SJAHRIR BECOMES PREMIER OF INDONESIAN REPUBLIC

'World Prosperity, Good Neighborliness' Basis Of Peace---Attlee

INFORMATION LEAKS OUT IS NOT OFFICIAL
Communique From Conference Expected Thursday Or Friday
ONLY ONE CONFLICT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—The Truman - Attlee conference was reported today to have reached general agreement on steps toward international control of the atomic bomb. An announcement is possible by the week end.

This information was obtained from diplomatic officials who declined identification. They reported that President Truman and Prime Ministers Attlee and MacKenzie King have been in substantial agreement since their Sunday afternoon talk, and the task at the moment is one of working out wording for a communique on which all can agree.

Tentatively, the conference may be wound up Thursday night and the communique issued Friday.

The only fly in the ointment from the point of view of American, and possibly Canadian officials, is the amount of information emanating from British sources here as to the preliminary role played by Attlee in the talks.

One plan for putting atomic bomb controls under the United Nations security council, pooling scientific information through the same agency and generally strengthening the U. N. through closer cooperation of the United States, Britain and Russia has come to be known here as the Attlee plan.

The White House gave evidence that Mr. Truman was irked by the situation. The White House claimed up and wouldn't give out any information at all.

American officials meanwhile maintained tight lipped secrecy about progress of the conference on atomic problems. There were indications from British authorities, however, that it was making good progress and that a communique reporting some sort of agreement would be issued Thursday or Friday.

This conference between Attlee, President Truman and Prime Minister MacKenzie King of Canada, thus far has developed the appearance of only one notable conflict—over whether to "outlaw" the atomic bomb as President Truman has suggested.

Attlee was described by press—
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ANDERSON SAYS:
No Marketing Quotas In 1946 For Cotton

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 13.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson asserted here today that there would be no marketing quotas for cotton in 1946.

He made the statement prior to speaking last night before the National Association of Commissioners, Secretaries and Directors of Agriculture.

In his address, Anderson called upon farmers to set a parity income goal based on 55 to 60 million people employed, with a national income of 150 billion dollars or more.

This goal, he said, should be agriculture's fair share of the national income under full employment, full-scale industrial activity.



CENSOR SOFTENER?—Eddy Gilmore (above), Associated Press correspondent in Moscow, and Soviet Foreign Commissar Molotov recently got together, drank a toast to Russian-American understanding, and discussed Russian censorship. Since then, AP and other news dispatches have been cleared by the Moscow censor without deletions. Gilmore is a native of Selma, Ala. (AP Wirephoto).

WILL SUMMON HEALTH BOARD

With efforts to get the part time service of a health officer from adjoining counties, so far unavailing, Chairman Glee A. Bridge, of the Cleveland Board of Health, was expected to call the members of this board into extra-ordinary session within the next few days.

Mayor Harry Woodson and Dr. Ben H. Kendall, who were instructed by the local board of health to make such temporary arrangements as seemed feasible were informed this morning by the Gaston county officials that the responsibility of their health department were such that a man could not be spared to Cleveland part-time service to Cleveland county. Previously the local committee's proposition to obtain temporary service from Polk and Rutherford counties had also been rejected.

CARRIED ON
In the meantime, the nurses and staff of the health department have carried on in every way possible since Dr. Z. P. Mitchell's resignation became effective on November 1. Dr. Mitchell has gone to Iredell county to take the position of the health officer there.

Nurses can carry on the smallpox and diphtheria immunization projects but they cannot conduct the venereal disease clinics without the supervision of a physician. The county home and jail are calling local physicians when they need them.

Truman Proclaims Fourth Thursday As Thanksgiving

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—President Truman has proclaimed Nov. 22, fourth Thursday of the month, as Thanksgiving day.

His proclamation asked that "we give thanks with the humility of free men, each knowing it was the might of no one arm but of all together by which we were saved."

Japan Facing Serious Fight Against Inflation
By RUSSELL BRINES
TOKYO, Nov. 13.—(AP)—War-crushed Japan must cut her peace time budget in half and multiply her taxes by five in order to control inflation, the semi-official postwar currency council reported today to the finance ministry.

The newspaper Yomiuri Hochi, reporting the sharp warning, said that the council had been charged with preparation of a five-year program to stabilize currency—already ballooned by a mushrooming black market. The council recommended a 1946-47 budget of

PREMIER URGES UNITY BETWEEN TWO NATIONS

Seeks To Remove Apprehension About Labor Party Program
TALKS TO CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Prime Minister Clement Attlee told congress today that the foundations of peace must be "world prosperity and good neighborliness." There is "no reason," he said for economic rivalry between Great Britain and the United States.

Speaking in the House of Representatives to Senators and Congressmen who must approve any U. S. financial aid for Britain, Attlee frankly sought to remove what he called "some apprehensions" about his Labor party's program. In his 2,000-word address, the British leader mentioned only briefly the prime purpose of his visit to this country — to discuss with President Truman the eventual disposition of the secrets of atomic bomb production. He gave no indication of the course which the conferences are taking.

Attlee likened his country to a man in Britain returning from the war to find "his home blitzed, and his business ruined."

"We went all out to win the war and now have to start afresh," he said. "Like him, we are facing the future with courage and a determination to win through."

Attlee said he looked forward to "an era of increasing cooperation and friendship" between the U. S. and Britain. That friendship, he said, should not be "exclusive," but rather "a contribution to the knitting together with all peoples through the United Nations organization in the bonds of peace."

LOAN NOT MENTIONED
Although Attlee is known to have conferred with Lord Keynes on the progress of negotiations for a United States loan to Britain, he made no direct reference in his address to British requests for financial aid.

The Prime Minister said he believed "some people over here" imagined that the British Labor party was "out to destroy freedom, freedom of the individual, freedom of speech, freedom of religion and freedom of the press."

"They are wrong," he asserted, adding that the Labor party was "in the tradition" of all British freedom-loving movements and "in

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Shelby Pastor Put On Southern Board

Dr. Zeno Wall, pastor of the First Baptist church has been named the member from North Carolina of the Sunday School board of the Southern Baptist convention, succeeding Dr. B. A. Bowers of Gastonia, who tendered his resignation recently.

Each southern state within the Southern Baptist convention has a member and Dr. Wall is the representative from this state. He is representing the Sunday school board this week at the Baptist State convention being held in Raleigh.

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BAYONETED CHILD TESTIFIES—Rosalina Andoy, 11-year-old girl who received 38 bayonet wounds at the hands of Japs who also killed her parents, cries while testifying on the witness stand in the trial of Jap Gen. Yamashita at Manila, Maj. Gricerio, Opinion of the prosecutor's staff stands at the right.—(AP Wirephoto).

U. S. Denies Extra Aid Given To China

Communist-Reported \$64,000,000 Loan For Buying Munitions Termed Completely False

By The Associated Press
CHUNGKING, Nov. 13.—(AP)—American officials denied flatly today, amid increased reports of civil war, that the United States had gone beyond war-time commitments in military assistance to China.

STORES ADOPT NEW SCHEDULE

Will Stay Open Four Nights During Christmas Shopping Season

Shelby merchants fixed their schedules for the Christmas shopping season and adopted a new closing hour for Saturday at a meeting held at the courthouse this morning. Chairman Max Washburn presided.

For Christmas, the stores will remain open until 7 o'clock on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday before Christmas and will remain closed all day December 25 and all day on January 1. Suggestion was made that the merchants take two days Christmas and remain open on New Year's day but this was voted down.

HOURS SET
Hours to be observed for the remainder of the time were adopted as follows: Stores will open at 9 a.m. each morning and close at 5:30 p.m. every day but Saturday. On Saturday the stores will open at 9 a.m. and close at 6 p.m.

Emphasis was put on the fact that where these hours worked a hardship in individual cases each

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WHAT'S DOING

TODAY
7 p.m.—Rotary club directors meet at Hotel Charles.
7 p.m.—Regular meeting of Lions club.
7:30 p.m.—Special meeting of Hickory Camp 518 W.O.W. at Shelby Woman's club house.

WEDNESDAY
7 p.m.—Cleveland Aviation club meets at Hotel Charles.
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting at Presbyterian church.
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Prayer and Praise service at First Baptist church.

LEWIS ACCUSED OF SECRETIVE LABOR MOVES

CIO-Auto Workers Say He Has Taken UMW Back Into AFL Fold
BOTH ISSUE DENIALS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—A CIO-Auto Workers contention that John L. Lewis secretly has taken his United Mine Workers back into the AFL was raised today as the labor-management conference reconvened after Armistice day holiday.

The contention—quickly denied by Lewis and the AFL—was voiced by Richard T. Frankenstein, vice-president of the CIO-Auto Workers union who told a news conference that a reaffiliation would give the AFL another vote in the conference.

Labor's 18 votes are divided four ways, with eight each for the AFL and CIO and one each for Lewis' UMW and T. C. Cashen, representing the railroad brotherhoods. The United States Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers split industry's 18 votes evenly.

Associates of Lewis denied the Frankenstein report, which the Auto Workers official said he had on "very good information," and AFL President William Green told newsmen it was "bunk." CIO President Philip Murray said he knew nothing about it.

SAME OBJECTIVES
Thus far in the conference which opened last week to seek a solution to labor unrest throughout the country Lewis and the AFL have supported the same objectives.

They teamed up to get the mine workers' chief a seat on the conference's powerful executive committee.

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RAISE IN CAR PRICES REFUSED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Bitterly denouncing "government by pressure," Price Administrator Chester Bowles told Congress today he is rejecting demands of automobile dealers for higher retail prices on new cars.

Appearing before the house small business committee, the OPA chief estimated members of congress have received more than 5,000 telegrams protesting OPA's auto price plans, and declared:

"Two and one half years in Washington has made me something of an expert on lobbyists and pressure group tactics. I have been alarmed at the tendency on the part of some to feel that congress and governmental officials should base their decisions, not on the validity of a particular issue, but on the measure of pressure which could be focused at any given point."

Bowles told the committee, in the presence of hundreds of auto dealers gathered in the house caucus room, that the OPA price schedule for new automobiles the dealers "are likely to have their best profit year in 1946."

He said OPA would announce the prices Thursday.



KILLED IN CRASH—Commodore Dixie Kiefer (above), Pacific war hero, was one of six men killed in the crash of a navy plane near Beacon, N. Y. Kiefer was "Captain Dixie" of the documentary movie, "Fighting Lady." (AP Wirephoto).

RADIO PERMIT IN TOP GROUP

Local Station Group Will File For FM Station Also

A construction permit for the new commercial radio station in Shelby is expected to be issued within the next few weeks, according to information received from Washington.

The application has been pending before the Federal Communications Commission for more than a year now and is on the first group to be passed upon. More than 1,200 applications accumulated before the FCC during the war and because of shortages of radio equipment for civilian use and the need for all available broadcasting by the signal corps, a "freeze" order was issued which stopped all new construction. This "freeze" order was lifted 30 days ago and the Commission has divided the applications in three groups, giving preference to those in group one which are for stations in cities without radio facilities.

The Western Carolina Radio Corp., organized in Shelby in 1943 with a paid-in capital of \$30,000 has bought a ten acre tower-site and most of the radio equipment and is ready to proceed with building a studio when the franchise is issued.

APPLY FOR F.M.
Application is also being prepared for franchise to operate an FM broadcasting station in connection with the standard AM station as most of the new re-

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Trial Of Huss To Begin Wednesday

NEWTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Trial of Revis Huss, 27, on an indictment charging the August 23 murder of his wife, Lorene Huss, 23, is scheduled in Catawba county court Wednesday.

A true bill in the case was returned yesterday by the Catawba County Grand Jury.

Little Change In Strike Picture, 272,000 Idle

By The Associated Press
Quiet prevailed along the nation's labor front today in the wake of the Armistice Day holiday but threats of strikes in major industries remained in the background.

HARD FIGHTING CONTINUES IN SOERABAJA

Soekarno's Successor Described As Moderate In His Views
SOCIALIST LEADER

By Leif Erickson
BATAVIA, JAVA, Nov. 13.—(AP)—Sutan Sjahrir, described as a moderate with whom the Dutch are likely to deal, became premier of the unrecognized Indonesian republic today as British forces blasted at Indonesian nationalists in the heart of Soerabaja.

Sjahrir's selection as premier by the cabinet meant that the nationalists had decided on a new governmental system under which President Soekarno apparently will have but a minor role. The Dutch had refused to deal with Soekarno.

A 36-year-old socialist leader, Sjahrir retained temporarily the portfolios of home affairs and foreign affairs in the nationalist cabinet.

Sjahrir, described as moderate and a man with whom the Dutch are likely to deal, said in an interview he would make sharp changes in the cabinet. Soekarno, just returned from nationalist rallies at Jogjakarta, seemed destined for a subordinate position and the new prime minister was expected to allot much wider powers to his ministers. Elections were planned before Jan. 31.

COOPERATION
The youthful Sjahrir said his policy would be cooperation with the British in the task allotted them at Potsdam—releasing internees and rounding up Japanese. So far as the Dutch are concerned, he said, "I shall encourage our getting together."

Sjahrir said the fighting between British and nationalists at Soerabaja had hurt the nationalist cause, and that one of his first acts as premier would be to send a three-member commission there to investigate the entire affair.

The warfare between the British, charged with the task of occupying

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EISENHOWER: Warns Against Bringing Troops Home Too Soon

BOSTON, Nov. 13.—(AP)—A caution against too rapid return of American soldiers from Europe was left with the nation today by General Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The general said that he believed American soldiers "should be returned to their homes," but added "America's obligation to the world and ourselves should be fulfilled."

Speaking last night to 500 persons at a state dinner, Eisenhower said:

"If disintegration of our forces goes too far, it will provide evidence to the German people that we are not equal to our task, and an enduring peace may disappear and the war may have been fought in vain.