

Communique Expected To Be Reassuring To Russia

CLIMACTIC WEEK

By John M. Hightower WASHINGTON, Nov. 14. -(AP)-Allied officials involved in the atomic bomb talks here indicated today that they are largely concerned now about Russia's reaction to the forthcoming Anglo-American-Canadian proposal for controlling atomic force. There is a strong feeling evident on the part of some that this is one of the climatic weeks of history. Decisions now being whipped into shape will influence vitally the future of Anglo-American relations with Russia. These relations are the core of United Nations plans for policing world peace

Evidence recently available from British authorities is that President Truman, Prime Min-ister Attlee and Prime Minis-ter Mackenzie King of Can-ada will seek particularly in their communique on plans for international atomic controls to reassure Russia. This may be done by offering to share sci-entific knowledge of atomic power fully with the Soviet and other countries.

Indications are that at the same time Russia will be invited to reassure the western allies about her policies and intentions by



JEWISH RABBIS MARCH ON THE CAPITOL-Upwards of 1,000 Jewish rabbis line Delaware avenue in Washington in their march on the capitol (background) to plead for transfer of homeless Jews from Europe to Palestine. They will seek a conference with Great Britain's Prime Minister Clement Attlee in Washington to present four-point program. (AP Wirephoto).

Steel Wage Dispute Hits New Impasse

U. S. Steel Rejects Schwellenbach's Second Appeal To **Resume Negotiations**

By The Associated Press

The wage dispute between the United States Steel. Corporation and the CIO United Steel workers came to a new impasse today as the company rejected Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach's second appeal to resume negotiations 12-Hour General Jewish Strike Is Called; Disagree With Bevin

ASSEMBLY MEET

JERUSALEM, Nov. 14 .--(P)-A 12-hour general Jewish strike in protest to new British proposals for settling the Palestine problem started at noon today without inci- tle." dent.

work shops and factories were ness' position on collective barclosed and Jewish-operated buses and taxis stopped. Jewish workers in essential ser-

vices were requested to continue work in military camps, hospitals, postoffices, telegraph and broadcasting stations as well as at the El Aviv harbor, where the first cargo ship to arrive since 1940

began discharging merchandise. The people of Palestine eagerly were studying British foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin's statement. A number of mass meeting demonstrations were planned in Palestine towns during the afternoon.

There was widespread objection throughout Palestine to the statement of British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin that Britain and the United States jointly would attempt to solve the problem, and to his intimation that eventually Palestine would under a trusteeship. placed Britain at present governs Palestine under a league of nations mandate.

The Jewish elected assembly

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14 .- (AP)-Industry plans to lay on the line, today or tomorrow, its stand on every big issue before President Truman's management-labor conference. As the industrial peace parley

entered its tenth day, the man-"we believe in and strongly sup-Fairless told Schwellenbach that agement delegation decided, in the words of President Ira Mosh-"we feel no useful purpose could er of the National Association of Manufacturers, that the time has come to "shove things along a lit-" Schwellenbach had arranged the

Almost the entire 18-member inconciliator, Arthur S. Meyer, of the dustry delegation started work New York State mediation board, more than 100 and sustaining

similar request for negotiations gaining, observance of contracts, on the same ground. jurisdictional quarrels and other subjects in the conference agenda. shortly after his final reply to the As they worked, however, one labor secretary, Fairless contend-

of the nation's most important ed that negotiations were being wage disputes-the CIO demand "blocked by the union and the the Kota for a \$2 daily wage increase from government." United States Steel corporation-He said the union was obstructcame to a new impasse. ing peaceful settlement through

The corporation rejected Secre-President Philip Murray's declatary of Labor Schwellenbach's second appeal that it enter into wage that the union's demand was "not ed in pre-war Dutch-built pillration, in a meeting last month, discussions, starting today in subject to dickering or compro-Washington, with the United Steel mise." Fairless added that the the area of the station. government was blocking an agree-U. S. Steel's president, Benja-min F. Fairless, telegraphed Schment by OPA's tardiness in giving

price relief when many steel prowellenbach last night that further ducts were selling at less than advanced a mile southward through discussions would be fruitless un- cost. til OPA acts on long-pending re-Murray, on the other hand, conquests for steel price increases. tends that "the steel industry is The union had accepted the invi-tation to resume talks.

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Deadlock On Control Council Continues

Control Of Japan

Nip 16th Army Surrenders 6 Weeks After Arrival Of British

CABINET FORMED

SOERABAJA, Nov. 14 .--(AP)-British Indian troops battling in the heart of this naval base hurled back three Schwellenbach had arranged the suicidal attacks by Indonesmeeting for today, under a special ians during the night, killing All Jewish shops, restaurants, last night on a statement of busi-after U. S. Steel had declined a a half dozen casualties of

their own as fighting raged In a broadcast interview (ABC) with undiminished fury. Sharp encounters

the morning railway marshalling yards. called up a barrage of 25-pounders and threw a smokescreen over

the battle area. boxes and railway signal boxes in British artillery fired

sporadically throughout the night and Soerabaja, east of the Kali Mas river which divides the city, and into the vicinity of the Kota sta-

The Indonesians still held the court of justice and another government building south of the British-held post office, and a cluster of other buildings farther south.

BATAVIA, Nov. 14-(P)-British Maj. Gen. D. C. Hawthorn blunty accused the commander of the 16th army and his chief of staff today of having deliberately handed over arms to "unruly elements" in Java and bundled the pair off WASHINGTON, Nov. 14 .- (AP)-Secretary of State to Singapore to answer the charg-Byrnes disclosed today that the United States and Russia British and nationalist troops at es as fighting continued between Soerabaja. Hawthorn administered verbal lashing to the two officers, Lt. Gen. Yiuchiro Na-

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formation in the contemplated pool and, possibly, by giving some evidence of her long-range territorial and political aims. WHAT HAPPENS

The question which has official insiders worried is, what happens if Russia doesn't want to accept the Anglo - American proposal? Would a negative reaction from Moscow, they ask, tend to split the world into two camps? Would it take all the wraps off an atomic armament race?

Because of the dangers foreseen by allied diplomats in any real in favor of a United States prposdisagreement among the big three over the handling of atomic power, there is some chance that the Von Bohlen Und Halbach, as a deproposals put forward by Attlee, fendant in the forthcoming war Truman and Mackenzie King will crimes trials. be general in approach to the problem rather than hard and fast specifications for a solution. This would leave the way open for Russian suggestions and counterproposals and avoid the appearance of laying down a demand for a take-it-or-leave-it reply. **ASKS COOPERATION**

The three met for two hours late yesterday after Attlee had delivered a 30-minute speech to congress. In that address the British the opening of the trials. leader asked for constantly tighter Anglo-American cooperation and said that after the atomic talks here the allies would have to get together with all the nations of the world.

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Spangler Reports Over \$10,000 Collected In **Business District**

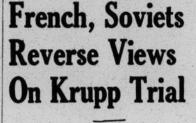
hardly half the reports have yet been completed, Chairman Mal A. Spangler said today in a prelim-inary report on the \$100,000 city wide drive for the Shelby and

Cleveland County Foundation. The industrial division, headed by Charles Dover, went into ac-tion Monday and at the close of

the week will render its report on North Carolina and South Carocontributions made through the lina today (Wednesday) centered various plants and their office and around charges by the Textile other employes.

Chairman Spangler together with a management "sitdown," in one Willis McMurry, chairman of the case, and "selling out," in another business district solicitation, call-case, "to defeat the union." ed on solicitors to press their In still another case, textile

campaigning to a conclusion so workers in a Blacksburg, S. C., that a report may be rendered Sat- plant joined in a walkout that urday that will be fairly conclus- brought to three the number of ive. However, donations will con-tinue to be acceptable, Mr. Spang-disputes simmered in seven North Carolina mills.



NUERNHERG, Nov. 14 -(P)-French and Soviet prosecutors re-

versed themselves today and voted al to substitute Alfred Krupp for his father, ailing Gustav Krupp

At the same time Justice Robert H. Jackson, U. S. prosecutor, recommended a 12-day postponement of the trials until Dec. 2. The trials are scheduled to open Nov. 20. The motions were heard today in the

first public session of the court. Maxwell Fyfe, has opposed the sub- | day "was not subject to dickering stitution, holding that the elder or compromise." Krupp should be tried in absen- COSTLY

tia. He also opposed any delay in NEAR DEATH

the aged Krupp had "senile softnever be able to face trial. He is ent level."

believed near death. Jackson filed a motion with the throughout the nation kept idle the letter stated. A two-day search International Military Tribunal about 270,000 workers. yesterday, requesting that Alfried, In San Francisco, negotiations who took over active management in the strike of 12,000 CIO and Hamrick was employed by Sterchi of the huge Krupp arsenal empire See STEEL, Page 2

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Railroads Destroyed

BATAVIA, JAVA, Nov. 14-(AP)-CHUNGKING, Nov. 14- (AP) -The Dutch news agency Aneta Chinese communists have destroy-ed one-tenth of all China's rail- Mansyelt, political adviser to the Tuesday, Trial ed one-tenth of all China's rail- Mansvelt, political adviser to the

Business District Over \$10,000 has been contribut-ways-approximately 875 miles of trackage-causing "widespread dis-location" of the country's trans-in Batavia and was believed to ed to the Community Center pro-ject from the business district, and man P. H. Chang asserted today. extremists.

Carolina Textile Workers Charge Management 'Sitdown'

By The Associated Press Strikers at the Erwin Cot-Unrest in the textile industry of ton mills in Durham, Erwin and Cooleemee-all in North

Carolina - were calling for a government investigation of the company, charging "a de-liberate sitdown" to which the Workers Union of America-CIO of

company has replied by stat-ing that it "had nothing to do with the closing of the plants." The request for government in-vestigation of the Erwin Mills was contained in messages to recon-version Chief John W. Snyder and

Mansvelt Disappears

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with the union. The union, which is demanding a \$2 a day wage increase from the company and plans strike votes among some 500,000 workers within three weeks, had accepted

Schwellenbach's invitation to meet with a special government conciliator in Washington today.

Benjamin F. Fairless, presi-dent of "Big Steel," however advised the Labor Secretary that further discussions would be fruitless until OPA acts on long-pending requests for increases in steel prices. "We believe in and strongly support" collective bargaining, Fairless told Schwellenbach, but "we

ings.'

feel no useful purpose could be served by the proposed meet-In a broadcast interview last night (ABC) Fairless asserted that ment, according to a letter receivnegotiations were being "blocked

ed by his wife today. by the union and the government." He declared that CIO President Sgt. Hamrick had been reported Philip Murray had said that his missing in action on November 10, the report of a joint committee The British prosecutor, Sir David demand for an increase of \$2 a 1944, and the letter said that no evidence that he survived has been

found. He was a crew member Granting the union's demands for aboard a B-25 Mitchell bomber wage increases, Fairless said, would which participated in a strike miscost the steel industry "at least \$225,000,000 a year." He charged sion on enemy shipping in Ormoc The French and Soviet decision \$225,000,000 a year." He charged sion on enemy shipping in Ormoc GIVEN MEDAL the government was keeping steel Bay, Leyte Island, in the Philipfrom a medical commission that prices frozen and that wages pines. During the mission, the "cannot continue to go up when bomber sustained damage from ening of the brain," and would prices must remain at their pres- enemy anti-aircraft fire and was

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the case.

last seen with its cockpit filled Continuing labor disputes with smoke while over Ormoc Bay, for survivors proved fruitless. Prior to entering service, Sgt.

NEWTON, Uov. 14-(AP)-Trial

charge when arraigned yesterday.

ville declined to grant a defense

move for selection of a 100-man

venire from outside Catawba coun-

ty for the trial.. However, he di-

rected court officials to draw a spe-

cial 125-man jury group from out-

side townships directly interested in

In another case, Pearl Hinson

41, of Hickory, was found guilty

yesterday of manslaughter in con-

nection with the death in Septem-

ber of Ed Peeler, at the latter's

trailer residence in Hickory. Sen-

tence was not passed immediately.

Judge Allen H. Gwyn of Reids-

SGT. HAMRICK

PRESUMED DEAD

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Erothers in Shelby. He was a member of the First Baptist church. He was 30 years of age.

made up of representatives of all Palestine political parties, will meet Nov. 19 in Jerusalem to dis- Byrnes Says Russia Insisting On Unanimity Rule In cuss the British statement. CURFEW REVOKED

In connection with the general strike of Palestine Jews, it was announced late last night that the self-imposed curfew has been

revoked, allowing the possibility are still deadlocked over Soviet demands for the establishof outdoor protest demonstrament of an allied control council for Japan. tions. The council (Vaad Leumi) ordered all Jews working on Brit-

CHINESE LAND ish government or military enterprises to leave their jobs, and indicated an effort would be made to halt all interurban traffic in Sgt. Elvis H. Hamrick, son of the Jewish areas of Palestine.

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presumed dead by the War Depart- ident Truman's repeated proposals that 100,000 Jews should be admitted to Palestine immediately." PRESENT RATE

PFC. BRITTAIN

Pfc. Forest Brittain, son of Mrs. Sterl Brittain, of route 1, Belwinner of the Silver Star medal for meritorious service, is now at Fort Bragg to receive his discharge from the army, accord-

The soldier, who won the Silver Star award while laying antitank mines in a race with ap- over Tsingtao industries which inproaching German ranks and succeeded in breaking up the attack, arrived at New York aboard the Excelsior Sunday. Overseas since On the peninsula's top, the April, 1944, he entered service in August, 1942, and received his basic training at Camp Walters, Texas.

He also holds the Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman's badge, good

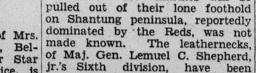
of Revis Huss, 27, Banoak section conduct medal and ETO ribbon farmer indicted for murder in conwith five stars. nection with the August 23 death

of his 23-year-old wife, Lorene WHAT'S DOING Huss, is scheduled to open this af-Huss pleaded not guilty to the

club meets at Hotel Charles. 7:15 p.m.-Workers Council of First Baptist church meets at the church.

hour

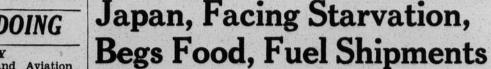
7 p.m.-Regular meeting of Kiwanis club. 7:30 p.m.-CAP cadets meet at armory.



limited to garrison duty since ac-10,000 Japanese.

Some of those Japanese, allowed to retain arms, stand guard clude nine large cotton mills. Many Japanese civilians are keeping the factories open. **COMMUNIST HANDS**

strategic ports of Chefoo and ence to a military council for Jahands. American warships were reached on that matter or on a



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TOKYO, Nov. 14-(P)-Desper- | ple: barter or die. ately-hungry Japan appealed of- OCCUPATION PEAK

ficially today for allied food and Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger come down payment on the 30 per fuel, promising to pay-in install- meanwhile reported that occupaments-by shipments of gold, diation forces in Japan and Korea onds, silk and other goods. are near their peak and soon will General MacArthur's headquar- decline from their present 460,000. ters reported that it was not He did not say, however, how ready to indicate what the allied soon the U.S. forces might reach answer might be. Japanese Ministhe minimum 200,000 which Macter of Commerce Sankuro Ogasa- Arthur has indicated will, wara announced the formal applinext spring, be adequate. cation for the imports - mostly While American reparations repfrom America-to stave off threatening famine. He made it clear that Japan's alternatives are sim-See JAPAN Page 2

ment.

Russia, he said, is insisting upon a unanimity rule in the council gano and his chief of staff, Map. Gen. Moichiro Tamamosimilar to the one under which the ta, at a formal surrender cerecontrol council in Berlin functions. mony, held a full six weeks Byrnes contended that the rule is after the arrival of British responsible for failure of the Berlin group to accomplish many things that should have been done in Germany under the Potsdam agreement.

In the proposed Japanese council GM ANNOUNCES all members, under the Russian plan, would have an equal voice WAGE INCREASE and all would have to agree before anything could be done. This means Thousands of American-trained that an objection by any one could block action. and equipped Chinese nationalist

The United States is holding out Motors Corp. today announced its for a council in which Gen. Doug- approximately 70,000 salaried emlas MacArthur, Allied commander in Japan, would have a decisive proyes would be great \$500 of voice in case of disagreement. Byrnes also told newsmen the Nov. 1. monthly salary, retroactive United States and Russia have not

discussed the civil strife in China. apply to senior officers and di-Asked whether there had been rectors, the announcement said. any conversations with the Chinese government in an effort to will affect 30,000 General Motors settle the conflict between the na-tionalists and communists, Byrnes tionalists and communists, Byrnes uation is a matter of great regret president, said the compensation

cepting surrender of more than to Washington officials and they of salaried employes receiving hope for some amicable settlemore than \$500 a month "will be reviewed in the light of this gen-The secretary's discussion of the eral increase and on the basis of control council for Japan came in their contribution to the succes

response to questions after he said of the business." that the United States has receiv-The announcement was made ed a Russian reply to a communi- as the CIO United Automobile cation presented by Ambassador Workers were demanding a 30 per W. Averell Harriman, with refer- cent wage increase for all hourly rated employes of General Mo Weihaiwei are in communist pan. No agreement has been tors and the other members of the auto industry's "big three"anchored off those two ports for far eastern advisory commission Chrysler Corp. and the Ford Mowhich is meeting here without tor Co. Russian participation, Byrnes said.

Commenting on the 10 per cent increase, Walter P. Reuther, UAW-VIO vice president and director of General Motors department its said:

"If the 10 per cent salary increase granted General Motors office employes is not used by the corporation as a lever to get price increases for its cars, it is a welcent increase to which all General Motors employes, office workers and factory workers, are en-

titled. "If it is to be used by the corporation to get price increases as was contemplated in the 'cost of living' increase offered the UAW last week, it is meaningless becaus the resulting increased cost of livresentatives deliberated the price ing will make it impossible for GM workers to buy any more the goods they want and need."

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TODAY 7 p.m. — Cleveland Aviation 7:30 p.m. - Prayer meeting

at Presbyterian church. 7:30 p.m.-Fellowship at Central Methodist church. 7:45 p.m. - Midweek prayer

and praise service at First Baptist church. THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hamrick, of The Jewish press generally as-207 East Avenue, and husband of sailed the Bevin statement. Typical of the comment was that of Mrs. Laura Gaskey Hamrick, of the Palestine Post, which said it City Occupied By Ameri-710 N. DeKalb street, has been failed "to deal squarely with Prescan Marines, Cooped **Up By Communists**

TSINGTAO, Nov. 14 -(AP)-Bevin said yesterday that until

See JEWS Page 2 troops are landing unopposed today from U. S. transports at this North China city, occupied Oct. 11 by American marines who since have been cooped up by the presence of Chinese communists near-Whether the marines will be

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ing to word received here.



