

**WEATHER**  
Clearing and cooler today; fair and colder tonight; Friday fair and not quite so cold; temperatures near freezing tonight with scattered frost west and central.

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## SUGGEST UNITED NATIONS CONTROL ATOMIC ENERGY

### Duke Power Plans Big Addition To Its Steam Plant At Cliffside

**\$4,500,000 PROJECT TO BE BUILT SOON**

**Will Modernize Present Plant And Add 60,000 K. W. Unit IN 2 YEARS TIME**

Construction of a four and one-half million dollar addition to the Duke Power steam plant at Cliffside, virtually doubling the capacity of the plant will get underway next summer, it was announced today by W. I. Burkeholder, vice president and general manager of the Duke Power Company.

This project entails the modernization of the present plant which was erected in 1941 and involves the installation of another 60,000 K. W. unit and adding 90,000 horsepower to the capacity of the steam plant.

This enlargement is in keeping with the plans of the company made when the first two 40,000 K. W. units were installed.

Duke officials said this morning that about two years would be required to get the new part of the plant in operation as much heavy machinery has to be ordered and installed.

The Duke company has recently purchased 120 more acres of land around the plant and will build twelve additional homes in the village.

### OUTBREAKS TODAY: 'Punishment By Death' Warning Issued To Rioters In Palestine

JERUSALEM, Nov. 5.—(AP)—J. V. W. Shaw, British acting high commissioner for Palestine, issued a "punishment by death" warning today to rioters in the all-Jewish city of Tel Aviv, where street demonstrations broke out for the second day.

At least one person was killed and 50 were reported injured today as thousands of persons milled in the streets defying a curfew order imposed after last night's outbreaks which resulted in the death of two Jews and the injury of 27 persons.

Unruly crowds again attacked government property, stoned barricades and stormed against several British buildings.

The general disobedience of the curfew order appeared to be a part of the policy of resistance ordered by the secret Jewish resistance movement against continuation of the British policy of restricted Jewish immigration into Palestine. But most Jewish citizens did not appear to approve direct attacks against British soldiers and activities by the torch gangs.

The first casualties developed last night when troops of the British Sixth Parachute (Red Devils) division fired to break up crowds.

The troops were withdrawn temporarily, but were rushed back into the city today when crowds stoned police trucks this morning and the police opened fire. Gunfire was continuing.

### COMMUNISTS ATTACK AT TSAOYANG

Move Believed Aimed At Cutting River Route Of Troops

RENEW ACCUSATIONS

By Spencer Moosa

CHUNGKING, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Chinese communists have attacked and entered the important highway center of Tsaoyang, 145 miles northwest of Hankow, an official dispatch stated today. It said that street fighting was under way in the town, once won and lost by the Reds in earlier fights.

Observers here believed the attack signaled a communist drive aimed at cutting the Yangtze river route west of Hankow and thereby preventing downriver movement of government troops.

First step in such a drive likely would be occupation of the Han river towns of Fancheng and Siangyang, southwest of Tsaoyang, around which the communists have been active.

Another official Chinese report said that communist attacks have been rendering repairs to the southern section of the Tientsin-Pukow (Tientsin-Nanking) railroad extremely difficult, and that the work might have to be suspended.

The Communist New China Daily News renewed its blasts against American "intervention" today with the accusation that a recent statement of U. S. policy by Secretary of War Robert Patterson was "not truthful." Patterson had announced that U. S. forces would protect American lives and property in China, and that there was no danger of their becoming involved in civil strife unless they were attacked—in which case they would "react with vigor and success."

"His assertion that American forces won't be involved unless they are attacked is the height of..."

### GEN. EISENHOWER SAYS: Russia Has Nothing To Gain By War With U. S., Wants Only To Be Friend

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower told Congress today "Russia has no slightest thing to gain by war with the United States" and wants to be a friend.

He added that "there will never be a war between Great Britain and the United States."

Testifying in support of President Truman's request for universal military training, Eisenhower told the House Military Committee: "I believe Russia's policy is friendship with the United States. There is in Russia a desperate and continuing concern for the lot of the common man and they want to be friends with the United States."

The general said he knew that some Russians are concerned over criticism of the Soviets by the United States Press. But he added "it is difficult" for Russians to understand a free press as it operates in the United States.

His references to the possibility of war with Great Britain or Russia were made in response to questions by committee members, principally Rep. Parnell Thomas (R-N. J.) who asked: "Who do we have as potential aggressors?"

Eisenhower would not specify any nation because he said he could not foretell international developments adding that years ago none thought we would be at war with Germany or Japan.

Right now, he said, "there is no one nation in the world that can challenge a prepared America."

"The greatest single motivating force for world peace today is the organized military potential of the United States," Eisenhower declared.

In testimony prepared for an appearance before the House Military Committee, Eisenhower cautioned that the development of war techniques would give the United States no time to prepare if it were attacked again.

"With the introduction of atomic and electronic warfare and the astounding advances being made almost hourly in aerial warfare, the tempo is increasing in geometric progression," Eisenhower asserted.

NO TIME

"If war comes to us again the fact seems inescapable that we will not have time to train units before we are faced with the final issue of defeat or victory."

"Certainly it would be unconscionable to gamble on a fortuitous recurrence of the time to prepare bought by the blood of our allies in 1917 and in 1942."

"We must be prepared on M-Day—the day the enemy strikes—or we may never be prepared to avert defeat at the hands of any aggressor who uses against us the weapons of the future."

Eisenhower contended trained manpower and technological advancement are "our greatest assets."

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### SECRET OF ITS MAKING TO BE KEPT

Conferees Recommend Special Commission On World Controls

ENDED LAST NIGHT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—(AP)—The United States, Britain and Canada today proposed to hand over to the United Nations the task of arranging world controls for the destructive forces of atomic energy.

The three powers made plain that the know-how of making the atomic bomb would be kept secret from all other nations—which would include their Russian ally—until "effective, reciprocal and enforceable safeguards acceptable to all nations" are devised.

A statement signed by President Truman, and Prime Ministers Attlee and Mackenzie King laid down the conditions for the reciprocal sharing of atomic information for industrial purposes.

Their statement, issued the press at the White House after six days of conferences, proposed that a special commission should be set up under the United Nations as soon as possible to work out recommendations designed "to attain the most effective means of entirely eliminating the use of atomic energy for destructive purposes and promoting its widest use for industrial and humanitarian purposes."

RUSSIAN QUESTION

While Russia was no where mentioned by name, the question which immediately rose among diplomats was how fully acceptable to Moscow the Anglo-American-Canadian proposal was.

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### TALK STREET DECORATIONS

City authorities and Shelby merchants were being interviewed today by J. Dale Stentz, secretary of the Shelby Chamber of Commerce and Merchants association, on the possibility of having Christmas decorations and lighting on local streets this year.

Mr. Stentz says that it is the sentiment of a great many that since this is the first Christmas in four years that America is at peace, something special should be done.

There is also the suggestion that Christmas music might be played over the First Baptist public address system, if the church authorities are willing.

City officials say that most of their surplus electric wire has been used up during the war and it might be difficult to arrange the lighting. However, Mayor Harry Woodson was out of town and nothing definite could be decided until his return.

If the streets are decorated in addition to being lighted, it would mean some expense for the merchants. Despite the fact that America is at peace this Christmas there will still be a marked scarcity of goods and some merchants are a little loath to enter a scheme of providing decorations on that account.

### AT LABOR CONFERENCE: Steel Price Increase Demands Get Rebuff

Knowland Suggests New Approach To Wage Issue—Based On Industry's Earnings

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—(AP)—The labor-management conference today awaited a promised industry statement on issues facing the delegates as two related developments attracted attention. They are:

1. An assertion by a reconversion official that the government "can't possibly" grant at this time the full price increase demanded by the United States Steel Corporation. Wage negotiations in the steel industry are stalemated over the price situation.
2. A suggestion from Senator Knowland (R-Cal.) or a new approach to the entire wage issue—based on industry's earnings and lower prices to consumers.

Business delegates to the labor-management conference have remained silent so far on many points in debate by committees striving for agreement on methods to smooth reconversion's ruffled labor situation.

But both Eric Johnston, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and Ira Mosher, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, have told reporters management's delegates might have their views ready today.

Secretary of Labor Schwelienbach told newsmen the conference was "making definite progress."

However, conference secretary George W. Taylor said the group's executive committee is seeking to spur action on various issues.

None of the conference committees.

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### BRIDGES HEADS AVIATION CLUB

Glee A. Bridges, Kings Mountain aviation enthusiast, was named president of the Cleveland Aviation club at the formal organization dinner of the group at the Hotel Charles Wednesday night.

Other officers named includes Brad F. Moser, vice-president; Charles Byers, treasurer, and Miss Carolyn Williams, secretary. The board of governors includes the officers, John Anthony, Holt McPherson, John Z. McBrayer, W. B. Biggestaff and J. C. Bridges.

Following the meeting President Bridges met with the executive group, named committees and set up a tentative working organization looking to the next meeting of the group on December 12. The group launches operations with 40 charter members and is open for membership by any in Cleveland county interested in aviation regardless of whether a holder of a pilot's license.

Charles Byers, who as a captain in the Army Air forces saw intensive action over Europe, told of the development and amazing efficiency of radar in bombing operations during the war. He said that with radar airmen could tell just what kind of terrain they were over and just where to drop their bombs even if the target area was not visible, and he said it was surprising how seldom errors occurred when using radar directional devices.

Capt. Austell Roberts, who also as a captain served in ground forces in Europe, likened his outfit's relationship to the air force like that of a line to a football team.

### Battle Of Soerabaja Is In Sixth Day

Sjahrir Outlines Principles For Future Of Indonesians; Atrocities Reported

By Lelf Erickson

BATAVIA, Nov. 15.—(AP)—British Indian troops hammered steadily at native strongpoints in the heart of Soerabaja today, but with the pitched battle in its sixth day there was "no slackening in Indonesian resistance" anywhere in the naval base, a British announcement said.

The 123rd Indian infantry brigade battled into the justice and government buildings, formerly identified as major headquarters for 15,000 Indonesian nationalist troops. They occupied the buildings after a bitter fight against nationalist defenders who used light automatic weapons, medium machineguns and some supporting armored vehicles.

While the fighting continued unchecked in Soerabaja, Sutan Sjahrir, youthful new premier who is pledged to attempt to end the hostilities, issued a 15-page pamphlet in Batavia outlining his principles for the future of the Indonesians.

Sjahrir deplored the Japanese propaganda which he said taught his people to hate all foreigners, and asserted:

"All the unrest in the community is directed to an aversion to foreign peoples present in our country, to marching with lances, that has now already grown into murder and robbery and other tendencies that stem from the viewpoint of the struggle for social reform, signifies nothing and is reactionary, as every fascist deed will always be reactionary."

ATTACK SLOWLY

The British, using a minimum of forces to prevent heavy casualties, pressed the attack slowly in Soerabaja.

A report, based on accounts of...

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### PROSECUTION WITNESSES Will Be Former Inmates Of Camp

DACHAU NAZIS GO ON TRIAL

PROSECUTION WITNESSES Will Be Former Inmates Of Camp

DACHAU, Nov. 15.—(AP)—The trial of 40 top Nazi officials of the notorious Dachau concentration camp is scheduled to open here today before a U. S. military government general court, which will hear the testimony of more than a score of prosecution witnesses, among them former inmates brought back from seven countries to testify.

The defense, headed by Lt. Col. Douglas T. Bates of Centerville, Tenn., is expected to seek a last minute postponement on the ground it needs more time for preparation of the cases.

The prosecution is headed by Lt. Col. William Denson of 39 5th Ave., New York, assisted by Capt. Richard G. McCuskey of Canton, Ohio. Aiding in the defense will be Capt. John A. Way of 42 Glendale Rd., Houston, Tex.; Maj. Maurice J. McKown of 1 Lenox Pl., Maplewood, N. J., and Capt. Edwin J. Niles, of 1917 Mayfair Rd., Schenectady, N. Y.

JUDGES JURY

The eight officer members of the trial court will serve both as judges and jury. They previously sat in a case which resulted in the death sentence for a Nazi convicted of killing captured American...

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### Russians Give Up Postal, Telegraphic Lines In Manchuria

CHUNGKING, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Russians, scheduled to withdraw soon from Manchuria, already have handed over postal and telegraphic services of Changchun, Manchurian capital, to Chinese authorities an official dispatch reported today.

### France Blamed For Failure Of Plan For Reich

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Byron Price said today that France is "almost entirely responsible for failure to preserve Germany as an economic unit" as promised in the Potsdam agreement.

The former chief censor, who investigated relations between the military forces and German civilians for President Truman, talked to reporters after a call at the White House to discuss his formal report.

Price said France contends that Germany "is not ready for any sort of central government" and asserted her position is leading to the "economic dismemberment" of Germany.

"As long as you are not going to have a central government in Germany," he added, "there is no going to be any economic unity."

WILL NOT AGREE

France, Price said, has objected to an over-all system of transportation, postal service, and crop control in Germany and will not agree to any kind of central planning.

Price said the four-power control council in Berlin operates on a unanimity rule and any one country can veto a proposal. France did not sign the Potsdam agreement, he added, but has adhered to it.

The army, Price said, has done a good job under all the difficulties. He added that the situation in Germany "isn't the fault of the army at all. It's the fault of the French."

STARVATION

"If present conditions continue," he asserted, "there is certain to be starvation—and epidemics and rioting usually follow starvation."

Price's visit to the White House...

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### Clear And Cold Seen For Tonight

Clear and cold weather was the promise for tonight. The temperature was expected to drop to the near freezing point. After the warm rain yesterday the mercury dropped rapidly last night. The colder weather was also accompanied by considerable wind.

Although winter does not officially arrive here until December 21, its harbingers have already gained considerable foothold. This morning overcasts were seen in considerable number.

### PEARSON SAYS: Eisenhower Slated To Succeed Marshall

WASHINGTON—President Truman this week will announce the resignation of Gen. George C. Marshall as chief of staff and the appointment of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower to succeed him.

Eisenhower's appointment will be effective Monday, November 19. General Marshall, who is now past the retirement age, will go to his home near Leesburg, Va., retiring from the army altogether. A graduate of Virginia Military Institute, he is one of the few non-West Pointers to serve as chief of staff.

Lieut. Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, former deputy chief of staff, is expected to succeed Eisenhower as commander of the American army in Germany. McNarney, a native of Emporium, Pa. (Marshall came from Uniontown, Pa.), was graduated from West Point in the same 1915 class with Eisenhower, though he is three years younger. The Texas-born Kansas-raised Eisenhower is 55.

GEN. CLAY

Gen. Lucius Clay will return to Germany to continue in charge of the civil administration of Germany.

Eisenhower is expected to institute a considerable shake-up of the general staff in Washington. Most of the older men who surrounded General Marshall will be transferred or retired and Eisen-

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GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

### \$60,722 IN CITY TAXES COLLECTED

The city of Shelby, as well as Cleveland county, has enjoyed one of the best tax collection years in its history. From figures obtained this morning from the office of Miss Reeves Forney, city treasurer, it was learned that practically two-thirds of the 1945 levy has already been collected.

Of a total levy of \$91,347.56 for the year 1945 the city has collected \$60,722.47.

This is considered unusually good by the city authorities who point out that the rush to pay taxes is an indication of a generally sound and healthful condition in the community.

### WHAT'S DOING

TODAY

7 p.m.—Regular meeting of Kiwanis club.

7:30 p.m.—CAP cadets meet at armory.

FRIDAY

12:30 p.m.—Regular meeting of Rotary club.

7:30 p.m.—Called meeting of Cleveland lodge 202 A. F. & A. M. for work in third degree.

### Pearl Harbor Hearings Are Begun In Congress

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Congress today turned the calendar back to the crashing hell of Pearl Harbor.

A ten-man committee started hearing the testimony of those who can throw light on this question: Why were the Americans caught by surprise that Sunday morning four years ago?

There were two big shows in Congress today:

1. One was the opening of the Pearl Harbor hearings.
2. The other was the appearance of Gen. Dwight Eis-

### Spectre Of Full-Scale Civil War Haunts China

By SPENCER DAVIS

PEIPING, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Three months after Japan's capitulation, the situation in North China and Manchuria is described politely as "delicate."

Chinese Communist and Nationalist forces jockey for position and occasionally clash for control of territory which belongs no longer to a foreign enemy.

The Japanese wait for their armies to be disarmed and sent home but the process still is far from complete.

American marines wait impatiently for orders to return home and frequently wonder what has brought them to China in the first place.

Some 100,000 Koreans in North China are waiting repatriation.

Small numbers of German Nationals know that eventually they will be sent to the Reich.

THREAT OF WAR

Over all, hangs the threat of full scale civil war. This for the Chinese civil strife has been more a battle of wits and maneuver, more a...

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