

Rain and colder tonight. Sunday partly cloudy, little change in temperature.

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## F. R. CALLS FOR PRAYERS FOR PERSECUTED

# Japan Prepares Far East New Deal Demands

### MAY REOPEN QUESTION OF U.S. RELATIONS

Reply to Latest U. S. Note Conciliatory But Tokyo to Yield Nothing

### DETERMINED TO CONTROL EAST ASIA

TOKYO, Nov. 19. (UP)—Japan today prepared to demand a new deal in Japanese-American relations and will issue a declaration outlining the Japanese viewpoint of the near future. Diplomats placed this interpretation on the Japanese reply to American note of last month protesting against "unwarranted interference" with American rights in China by the Japanese. The reply was handed to Ambassador Joseph C. Grew here last night and, while its tone generally is conciliatory, diplomats attached the greatest significance to concluding paragraphs in which the Japanese government "reserves for another occasion a statement regarding the treatment of Japanese in American territory." It was believed the Japanese planned to open up the whole question of Japanese-American relations and to urge that the United States abandon such principles of exclusion of Japanese immigrants from American territory, to which Tokyo long has objected. The Japanese reply, while couched in less blunt language than the American note which made three specific requests that the Japanese government, showed that the Japanese do not intend to yield to the United States in China and that they are determined to make good their declaration that Japan is the dominant power in East Asia.

### Trade Envoy Is Recalled



Douglas Miller, United States commercial attaché at Berlin, has been recalled to Washington.

### MARSHALL H. S. STAGES 13 TO 0 VICTORY HERE

### Tremendous Driving Power Takes Cats Off Feet; Locals in One Offensive

Marshall high school's undefeated and unscored on football kept its record intact here yesterday afternoon, rolling over Hendersonville's Bearcats 13-0. Displaying tremendous power in their running attack the visitors rolled up 17 first downs and literally drove the Cats off their feet. Taking the ball early in the first quarter on their own 45-yard line, with Tweed and Bradburn furnishing most of the power, the visitors rolled up four first downs and pushed across the Cats' goal in 11 plays, Tweed going over and putting Hendersonville's Bears on the drive. Hendersonville was unable to gain on running plays and their only threat of the first half came when Quarles passed 31 yards to Drake who ran 22 more to the Marshall 28-yard line before being pulled down from behind. The visitors braced there and stopped the Cats in their tracks. A bad pass by W. Rector, Marshall center, pushed them back to their own 5-yard line but Quarles fumbled the punt-out and Marshall recovered to pull out of danger. Early in the second half Coach Ramsey's boy started another drive that pushed the Cats' 25-yard line but a fumble halted the drive. However, on a forward lateral Orr fumbled the lateral and Marshall recovered on the 31-yard line. In nine plays Tweed and Bradburn drove to the 2-yard line and Crow dove over for the marker. A line plunge for the extra point failed. Hendersonville's only offensive drive came after the next kick-off as Quarles returned it 20 yards to the Cats' 40-yard line. Chandler got a yard but Quarles added 16 in two tries and followed with 11 in two tries, however, intercepted a pass to stop the drive. In the final period Quarles connected on a pass to Drake for 33 yards but the Cats could gain no more. (Continued on page five)

### C.I.O. READY TO SUPPORT NEW 'LIBERAL' LAWS

Perfecting Organization to Further Campaign for Membership

### FASCISM FLAYED AS NATIONAL POLICY

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 19. (UP)—Leaders of the CIO today prepared to carry out the mandate of the first convention and initiate immediately an unremitting drive to unionize mass production workers. Two new international charters were granted to the Plating and Novelty Workers union and Fishermen and Allied Workers. John Lewis said also the campaign to organize workers of the Ford Motor company would be intensified. Intensified membership drives will be conducted in little steel, cement, rubber, glass, packing, furniture and textile industries. The Congress of Industrial Organizations ended its first convention yesterday after a tumultuous session in which whooping delegates elected John L. Lewis president, opposed any change in the Wagner Labor Act and demanded that the United States cooperate with other democracies to combat the spread of fascism in the western hemisphere. Elected as vice presidents to serve with Lewis were Philip Murray, white-haired chief of the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, and Sidney Hillman, president of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers. James B. Cary, 27-year-old boss of the electrical workers, was named secretary-treasurer and a 42-man executive board was chosen. The delegates drafted a far-reaching program of social, political and economic action during their five-day session. They went on record overwhelmingly in favor of President Roosevelt's "social and humanitarian" policies; they endorsed his criticism of Nazi persecution of Jews in Germany; they called for a two-year public works program to provide jobs and recommended a \$5,000,000,000 housing program. The delegates cleared the way for an AFL-CIO clash in congress this winter over the Wagner Act by opposing without qualification "all changes whatsoever." They adopted a resolution condemning attacks on the law and on the National Labor Board and declared the "support given anti-democratic corporate interests" proposing revisions "by certain reckless and unscrupulous officeholders in the labor movement who have presumed to advance their own unsound and untimely recommendations for amendments." Widespread changes in the act were demanded by the AFL-CIO. (Continued on page four)

### Plymouth Rock to Hear Rabbi



Condemning anti-Semitism, the Plymouth, Mass., Council of Churches broke a 317-year precedent to invite Rabbi Samuel A. Friedman to preach the Thanksgiving Day sermon in the historic Church of the Pilgrimage. He is pictured at Plymouth Rock.

### MAROONS BEAT RIDGIANS 19-0

### Locals Stopped in First Quarter; No Opportunity for Scoring

ASHEVILLE, Nov. 19.—Striking for two touchdowns in the second period and a third score in the fourth, the Asheville high Maroons defeated a stubborn Blue Ridge Hilltopper team here yesterday afternoon by a score of 19 to 0. Asheville capitalized three of four scoring opportunities while a stout Maroon line halted the visitors, who never had a real scoring opportunity. The Hilltoppers' best offense was shown in the opening minutes of the game, when the visitors got the ball on a punt and rolled up three first downs. Stopped cold in the first quarter, the Maroons took to the air in the second. A 26-yard pass from Burns to Justice advanced to the Blue Ridge 35. A second first down was added and Hampton passed to Justice from the 13-yard line for a touchdown. Rollins recovered Gardner's fumble on the Hilltopper 17 shortly afterward. Burns picked up 12 yards and a five-yard penalty put (Continued on page five)

### MUNICH PEACE IS INJURED BY DRIVE ON JEWS

Revelation Comes as Britain Moves Toward Definite Refugee Aid

### TWO BRITONS ASSAIL ACTIONS OF HITLER

LONDON, Nov. 19. (UP)—Two members of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's cabinet, yesterday admitted publicly that the "horror" of Germany's anti-Jewish drive had struck a severe blow to the government's hope of bringing Fuehrer Adolf Hitler into a scheme of European peace. Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir John Simon, No. 2 figure in the government, intimated strongly that Britain must "recognize the reaction of world opinion" and put aside at least temporarily the plan of general appeasement formulated after the Munich four-power pact. While Simon was speaking at Rhyl in North Wales, the Marquess of Zetland, secretary of state for India, told a meeting at Torquay that his hope for a new era of peace resulting from the Munich accord had been "shudely shaken by the events in Germany." Lord Zetland announced that the "British government" on the basis of investigations throughout the far-flung colonial possessions, would be able to find a haven of refuge "for some at least" of Germany's Jews. This was the first definite announcement of results from a movement, due largely to the initiative of U. S. Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, to carry out a huge migration plan whereby Britain would furnish the land for settlement and the United States would furnish most of the funds for financing. Simon, discussing the refugee plan, said: "We have telegraphed the governors of a number of colonies where some settlement might be possible and expect to make a statement in the house of commons at the beginning of next week." He struck back sharply, as did the Marquess of Zetland, at the statements of German Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels accusing Britain and the United States of "meddling" in a purely German internal matter—the restrictions against the Jews. The statements of Simon and Lord Zetland regarding the Munich accord were significant in that they followed the first major rebuke of Chamberlain's foreign policy at the polls, particularly the "peace of Munich." Returns from the parliamentary by-election in Bridgewater, Somerset, showed a victory for Vernon Bartlett, an independent conservative who campaigned on a warning against "the grave dangers of Chamberlain's foreign policy." Bartlett, 44-year-old journalist and radio commentator, ran as an independent progressive to win by 19,540 votes to 17,208 from the government national conservative candidate, Heathcoat Amery, in the normally conservative stronghold.

### NAZIS PROMISE TO RELEASE U.S. JEW, CAMP PRISONER; JEWS ARE DRIVEN TOWARD GHETTO LIFE

Many Jews Being Held Must File New Papers for Emigration

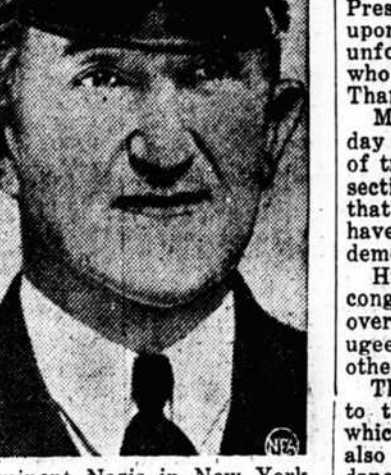
### A Jew Guards Reich Consul

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19. (UP)—The German ambassador to Washington was ordered back to Berlin to explain President Roosevelt's "strange attitude" toward the anti-Semitic campaign. The order amounted to a "symbolic suspension" of relations between the two countries, as the American ambassador in Berlin was on his way home. Japan replied to the United States note protesting against interference with American rights in China. While conciliatory, it emphasized there was a new day in the far east. It also intimated that Japan later might reopen the exclusion question involving Japanese emigration to the United States. The movements of U. S. Ambassador Hugh Wilson and the commercial attaché of the U. S. embassy at Berlin, and now the recall of Dieckhoff, make it clear that German-American relations have reached an acute stage. As the announcement of German Ambassador Dieckhoff's return was made, it was learned at Berlin that an American citizen, Morris Greentree, 49, who was born in San Luis Obispo, Cal., is one of the estimated 50,000 Jews under arrest in Germany. Greentree, who was arrested in the building of the Berlin firm by whom he was employed, is believed to be held either in the Sachsenhausen or the new Buchenwald concentration camps but police said he would be released and turned over to the U. S. consulate today. The police promise was obtained after Raymond H. Geist, acting U. S. consul-general, intervened on the plea of Greentree's sister, a German citizen. Greentree has not been in the United States since 1911. Terrorized Jews, being driven swiftly toward ghetto existence, (Continued on page four.)

### REFUGEE AID PLAN REMAINS UNDETERMINED

Peace Stressed in Thanksgiving Message, as Nazi Rupture Looms

### REFUGEES NOW IN U. S. WILL NOT BE OUSTED



Prominent Nazis in New York will be guarded by a special squad of Jewish policemen, headed by Captain Max Finkelshtein.

### BARCELONA'S SHELL PLANT IS BLOWN UP

### Fire and Explosion Partially Wreck Loyalist Munitions District

PERPIGNAN, Nov. 19. (UP)—Fire and explosion today partially wrecked the munitions manufacturing district of Barcelona. Fire destroyed large loyalist munitions stocks and the chief source of artillery shells, thus weakening loyalist defenses in the Catalan zone.

### 6 ARMY FLIERS KILLED WHEN BOMBER FALLS

### Bodies of 3 Cremated; Survivor Too Injured To Be Questioned

LA GRANGE, Ga., Nov. 18.—(UP)—Six army fliers were killed and one other seriously injured when an army bomber crashed in dense woods near here. The plane plowed into the forest, cutting off trees when it fell. It burst into flames. Three occupants were cremated beyond recognition, and two were burned and crushed. The one who escaped death and was seriously hurt was John D. Madre. Injuries prevented his questioning as to how the accident happened. The plane was en route from Mitchell field, New York, to Maxwell field, Alabama. Joe Nanartowitch died in a hospital.

### INSURGENTS FAIL TO HALT U. S. FREIGHTER

BARCELONA, Nov. 19. (UP)—Insurgent warships twice attempted to halt the American freighter Erica Reed before she reached here with a \$300,000 cargo of food and medical supplies. Capt. Harry Johnson said yesterday. Before entering the Straits of Gibraltar, he said, "a little trawler patrol signaled us to stop. We paid no attention and left him behind easily." Later, Johnson said, "a passenger ship faster than we were speeded toward us but we finally left him, too."

### Postpone Marker Unveiling Event

The scheduled unveiling of a marker at the grave of Elijah Williamson, Revolutionary soldier, has been postponed until a later date due to the weather, it was announced today. The marker was scheduled to be unveiled tomorrow afternoon at the old Williamson home place, near Naples.

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### NAZIS HAD TO RETORT TO SAVE FACE, VIEW

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19. (UP)—Germany's recall of Ambassador Hans Heinrich Dieckhoff was interpreted in diplomatic circles last night as a reciprocal gesture of disapproval of the United States attitude toward the third Reich and the forerunner of a serious rupture of relations. Dieckhoff received the summons yesterday, less than four days after President Roosevelt forcefully denounced Nazi persecution of Jews and Catholics and ordered Ambassador Hugh Wilson home from Berlin for "report and consultation." He will sail from New York next Friday night, leaving Dr. Hans Thomsen, counselor of the embassy, in charge here.

### CREDIT MAN IS ASSASSINATED

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### NO CABINET CHANGES SOON

### Sources Close to President Say Personnel to Hold Several Months

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19. (UP)—Despite reports of further changes in President Roosevelt's cabinet, sources close to the president today said it would remain unchanged for several months. This was learned as Roosevelt prepared to leave tomorrow for a two-week's vacation at Warm Springs, without having named a successor to Attorney General Cummings, whose resignation, effective January 1, has been accepted.

### British Press Reports 200 German Jews Die Before Firing Squads In Buchenwald Concentration Camp

MANCHESTER, England, Nov. 19. (UP)—The Manchester Guardian's diplomatic correspondent reported yesterday that he had learned "reliably" that 200 German Jews had been executed at the Buchenwald concentration camp. The Guardian, a critic of Chancellor Adolf Hitler and frequently banned from newsstands in Germany, said it had been confirmed that 70 Jews were executed on the night of Wednesday, November 9, two days after the shooting in Paris of a minor German diplomat by a 17-year-old Polish Jew. The 70 executions occurred, however, before the death of the diplomat, the newspaper said. Since November 9, it was asserted, additional executions had brought the total number at Buchenwald to about 200. The Nazi diplomat, Ernst von Rath, died of his wounds in Paris on November 9. The executions were carried out by Nazi firing squads. The Guardian gave its estimate of the number of Jews arrested throughout Germany, not including Austria and the Sudetenland, as nearly 40,000.

### Girl Scouts Will Hear Dr. Camak Sunday Morning

The annual sermon to the Girl Scouts of Hendersonville will be delivered tomorrow morning at the 11 o'clock service of the First Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. D. E. Camak. This service, which is undenominational in nature, is held each year, honoring the founder of the Girl Scout movement, and Rev. Camak has taken for his subject: "A Good Scout." Seats will be reserved for all Girl Scouts, who will open the service with a professional. Mrs. R. L. Gibbs today requested that all Scouts be at the church ten minutes before the hour for the service. All parents and friends of Scouts are especially invited to attend.

### CYCLONES HIT 2 STATE AREA

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 19. (UP)—Two states last night counted a toll of one dead, at least nine injured, scores of wrecked or damaged buildings, tree-blocked highways and stricken rural communication lines in the wake of cyclones, high winds and torrential rains which swept a wide area. Ruby Thomas, negro, was killed near Centerville, La., when the wind ripped a group of cabins apart. No others were injured in that vicinity. Four were hurt when an automobile and a truck collided in a blinding rainstorm near Raymond, Miss. Charles Mooneyham, 24, of Utica, driver of the truck, was reported to have been seriously injured. The others were slightly hurt. One Person Killed, Nine Injured, Buildings Are Wrecked, Damaged

### Merchants Set Nov. 29 For Opening Of Christmas Season; Will Meet Monday To Adopt Trade Plans

Hendersonville's Christmas season will be formally opened Tuesday night, Nov. 29, when all street decorations will be in place and merchants will invite the trading public to inspect window displays. The date was set last night by directors of the merchants association after they had considered plans for decorating the business districts and other features calculated to bring as many people as possible to Hendersonville to do their Christmas shopping. A general meeting of merchants will be held at 8 p. m. Monday at

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the city hall for final adoption or revision of recommendations to be made by the directors. A large attendance is urged. Miss Jennie Bowen, vice-chairman of the merchants organization, presided last night and led the discussion of plans for stimulating business during the holiday season. In addition to activities of the merchants, the chamber of commerce proper will sponsor a community Christmas tree and program, and a movement also is underway to offer cash prizes in an outdoor lighting contest so that homes throughout the city will be decorated for the holidays.