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FRANCE TO FIGHT ON, DALADIER DECLARES

Germany Will Fight To Bitter End, Hitler Declares

Quality Of Leaf Sold Is Very Low

Over 2,000,000 Pounds on Floors, With Blocked Sale Sure; Much Leaf Reported Damaged in Warehouses by Hot Weather.

Prices were estimated at around twelve cents a pound on the Henderson tobacco market today when sales resumed after a month's tobacco holiday starting in mid-September.

A great deal of the tobacco on sale today was damaged from its long rest on warehouse floors in the excessive heat of the past few days.

Buyers of the Imperial Tobacco Company, representing purchases by the Federal government's Commodity Credit Corporation, did very little buying a part of the time.

The Federal government has promised to advance some \$40,000,000 or more to the tobacco industry.

AFL Refuses To Endorse New Dealers

Resolutions Committee Rejection of Connecticut Proposal Upheld by Cincinnati Convention On Voice Vote.

Cincinnati, Oct. 10.—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor convention voted non-concurrence today with a resolution calling for endorsement of President Roosevelt and the New Deal.

The report pointed out that the Connecticut proposal drew no distinction between congressional and administrative action in its plea for a New Deal endorsement.

She Saw Her Sister Killed



Julien Bryan, American lecturer-photographer, comforts a little Polish girl just after her sister was shot down and killed by a German aviator who strafed a group of peasant women who were picking potatoes in a field near Warsaw.

High Average Price For Many Markets Reported At Start

Raleigh, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Flue-cured tobacco markets opened at full blast today with price averages reported from as low as ten cents a pound to nearly 18 cents.

Most reports said farmers appeared to be satisfied, although from a few markets came word that there was disappointment at the prices.

Practically all warehouses were said to be crammed and at some points farmers were reported to be placing their tobacco in the streets awaiting the opening of warehouse space.

Weather FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Mostly cloudy, probably showers in mountains and north central portion tonight and Wednesday, and on coast Wednesday; somewhat cooler Wednesday.

Lays Blame For Strife Upon Allies

Opens Winter Relief Drive With Demand For Record Support As Proof to World of German Unity; Says Germany Won't Lose.

Berlin, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler declared today that Germany was determined to fight the war to the bitter end, if necessary, and once more laid the responsibility for continuing the struggle on the Reich's adversaries.

In a 21-minute speech opening the Nazi winter relief campaign, the Reichsfuehrer said that he had expressed his country's "readiness for peace", but that if this were declined by the western Allies, the fight would go on.

The winter relief work, he demanded, must attain results never before achieved, not only because great tasks lie ahead, created by the war, but also because the world must be shown, he said, that rumors of disunion within the Reich are unfounded.

Germany must make common cause, the fuhrer said, in battle, in victory, and finally, in peace.

"Germany must, once and for all, convince the world that it must be allowed to live undisturbed within its own living space."

"They will not defeat us militarily, economically or psychically."

Tremendous cheering greeted this declaration.

Defeat Republican Attempt to Separate Shipping Provisions And Embargo Repeal From Neutrality Act Now Being Debated.

Washington, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Administration forces in the Senate defeated today a motion to separate shipping provisions of the neutrality bill from the arms embargo repeal issue.

There was a division of opinion among leaders as to whether the administration's victory could be counted a test of strength on the neutrality bill itself—the most controversial section of which is that providing repeal of the present embargo on arms.

Majority Leader Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky, told reporters he regarded the vote as a measuring stick, but Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, a leader of the opposition in the neutrality fight, said it could not be so considered.

The motion to split up the bill was made by Senator Tobey, Republican, New Hampshire. He proposed to send the measure back to the foreign relations committee, with instructions to write two bills—one the embargo repeal, and the other setting forth restrictions on American shipping and travel to belligerents.

Tobey wanted immediate action on the latter provisions, which would prohibit American vessels from carrying any goods to warring countries. He contended that procedure would not forestall early action on repealing the arms embargo, a move recommended by President Roosevelt.

Reds Increase Baltic Demands



This map shows Russia's demands on Finland in the Soviet's feverish quest for greater dominance in the Baltic. Estonia and Latvia quickly granted military and naval concessions, but Finland delayed sending an envoy to Moscow while she called up her army.

Numerous Assaults By Germans Routed By French Soldiers

Paris, Oct. 10.—(AP)—French troops were reported today to have turned back numerous German assaults south of the city of Saarbruecken with hand grenades and rifle fire.

The Nazi thrusts, these reports indicated, apparently were aimed at breaking French lines tightening on three sides of Saarbruecken. German raiding parties also sought to take prisoners to obtain information on French advanced positions, it was said. In both objectives, French dispatches said, the Germans failed.

The Germans were said to have fought desperately before retiring under a raking fire, Saarbruecken, rich German industrial city, around which the operations centered, is near the middle of the northern front.

A heavy artillery battle launched by the Germans Sunday and answered by French batteries in a 90-mile sector from the Luxembourg border to Lauderbourg, provided a background for the action.

Both the French and Germans were reported moving up additional munitions.

Adolf Hitler Despised On Capitol Hill

Washington, Oct. 10.—Undoubtedly some senators, representatives and officials of the executive end of the government were out of bed at 6 a. m. on Oct. 6 than ever before in all Washington's history.

They wanted to hear that speech of Herr Hitler's as it came in over the radio.

That a lot of them did hear it, thus, I know for a fact. Having arisen myself at the unearthly hour mentioned for the same purpose as the lawmakers, I got down to the Capitol—

Robert G. Elliott, Noted Executioner, Dies In New York. New York, Oct. 10.—(AP)—Robert G. Elliott, official executioner for five eastern states, died today at his home in Richmond, Queens.

Can't Trust Promises Of Herr Hitler

Premier Says France And England Are Fighting to Avert German Domination Of Europe; Says Hitler Wants More Every Six Months.

Paris, Oct. 10.—(AP)—(via radio)—Premier Daladier, in a radio broadcast to the French nation tonight, accused Adolf Hitler of repeatedly breaking promises, and said the French would not lay down their arms "until the world had certain peace."

"Under the circumstances", Daladier said, "we once more call upon the French people to make efforts to surmount their common dangers."

The speech was described in advance as an answer to Adolf Hitler's peace proposals.

"The French", Daladier said, were "willing to make sacrifices for the safety of western civilization. Neither France nor Great Britain has embarked on any war of conquest. They accepted that war because Germany wanted to impose domination of Europe."

Austria was one of the first milestones in Germany's conquest. The peace that Germany offers now is one of use and violence. There will, however, be a real peace in the future."

He reminded his audience of the German conquest of Austria, Czechoslovakia and Poland. After each

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Finns Told To Evacuate Capital City

Interior Minister Says Measure Only "Precautionary", But Sooner Done The Better; Mission On Way to Moscow Parley.

Helsinki, Finland, Oct. 10.—(AP)—All civilians who can go were urged to make immediate preparations to leave the environs of Helsinki and Viipuri in a broadcast tonight by Minister of the Interior Urho Kekkonen. He said the measure was purely precautionary, but the sooner carried out the better.

The warning was given as a Finnish mission was on its way to Moscow at the invitation of the Soviet Russian government to discuss unspecified economic and political problems. Russia has gained sweeping concessions from similar missions from smaller Baltic states.

The Finnish mission is expected to reach the Soviet capital tomorrow. Viipuri is a port on the Gulf of Finland, almost directly north of Leningrad. (Russian warships were reported massed today at Kronstadt, huge naval base near Leningrad, and hundreds of thousands of Russian troops are on the frontiers of the Baltic states.)

Even before the interior minister's broadcast, trains and buses were crowded with women and children leaving Helsinki for the country and the railroads added extra trains. The radio and newspapers have been instructing the populace in air defense measures, and volunteers have been flocking to the civil defense service.

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