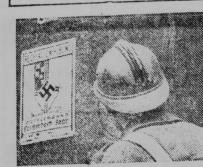
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EUROPEAN WAR



MARS GOES TO WORK-French poilu puzzles over street sign in captured German village.

Hitler Still Grabbing

MARCH

AUGUST

able.

15—Nazis declare Danzig must return to Germany before August 27.

18—Germany takes military possession of

23—Germany and Russia sign nonaggression et. itain and Poland sign war alliance. panese cabinet abandons Rome-Berlin

eup. land asks British help under new mu-al aid nact

Germans Invade Poland 31-Germany opens war on Poland. SEPTEMBER

3-Britain and France declare war on Germany. British ship Athenia torpedoed off coast of Ireland, 1,400 aboard, 43 lost. Germany blockaded by British navy. Germans shell Warsaw; government and

President Roosevelt proclaims U. S. neutrality.

6—Poles appeal to Britain to rush aid.

7—Nazi torpedoes sink five ships.

8—French planes bomb Siegfried line.

10—German counterattack halts French on western front.

Russia rushes reserves to Polish border.

12—German torces shut a vise on Warsaw.

13—Big British army lands in France without loss

Polish defense cracks; Nazis move east-16-Russian troops invade Poland to "pro-

tect minorities."

17—Warsaw decides to fight on after truce talk fails.

ench defeat Germans in two big air thea; hombard whole length of Sieg-ed line; bomb Zeppelin works, bream surrenders to Germans after day siego.

29-Britain defies warning by foes to stop

1-Britain calls 250,000 more troops.

Daladier says France will fight until victorious.

24—Spanish rebels bomb Barcelona.

26—Rebels take Barcelona without a battle.

30—Hitler demands return of colonies. Hitter makes peace proposals to Britain and France; seeks armistice.

Hitter demands of Germans to be transplanted from other

-French premier spurns Hitler's peace terms. Finnish civilians ordered to leave dan-ger zone near Soviet frontier. Britain refuses peace based on Nazi conquests.

14—British battleship Royal Oak sunk by sub. 786 lost.

16—Nazi raid navy base in Scotland; 16 killed.

killed.
17—German planes raid Scapa Flow; Iron Duke, training ship, damaged.
20—British repel another Nazi air raid over Edinburgh.
23—British report three U-boats sunk. Germans capture American ship City of Flint and take it to Soviet port.
24—Four British, one Greek ship sunk by Germans.

Germans.

Nazi sea raiders slip through blockade;
prey on shipping.
Belgians demand British ease blockade.

American ship City of Flint, turned over to Germany by Russia, sails from Russia.

sia.

Germans claim 115 foreign ships sunk since war began.

31—Soviet demands raise new crisis in Finland.

NOVEMBER

November 1

Norway frees City of Flint and interns German prize crew. Finland defies Soviet threat; ready to fight.

- Belgium and Holland offer to mediate peace between warring nations.

- Hitler escapes plot; blast in Munich beer cellar kills 6 and injures 60.

- Dutch open defense dikes; clash at border with Germans.

- French repulse two German attacks.

- Four more merchantmen sunk in sea warfare.

- Germans shoot nine Czech students, seize 1,200 and close academies for three years.

years.

18—Dutch liner hits German mine in North sea; sinks with 140 lives.

19—Four more ships sunk by German mines off England.

20—Germans extend war at sea; 10 vessels sunk since November 18; 133 dead or missing.

missing.
Germany charges Munich man with beer cellar explosion; arrests two British

Britain declares unrestricted blockade of Germany in reprisal for illegal mine warfare; forbids neutral nations to trade with Germany.

British destroyer sunk, 40 missing.
Nazi bombers raid Shetlands, no damage done.

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French report torpedo boat sank two

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under German protection
Hitler selves Polema and Moravia,
Completing subjection of CzechesloVertical absorbs Shovakia Hungary an
nexes part of Carpath-Ukraine
27—Germany puts pressure on Poland,
28—Poland refuses German demand for
pathway to East Prussia.

APRIL

4—Poland foins British in war alliance,
17—Germany pushes crive to take Danzia,
French fleet guards Gibraltar. British
fleet sails to Malta.

MAY

7—Nazis plan plebiscite in Danzia,
9—Pope invites five powers to Vatican parley to settle Polish-German dispute,
20—Germany fortibos its eastern fronter
against Poland

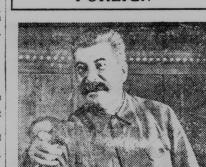
JUNE

1—Hitler pledges Germany will support
Jugoslavia's border.
20—German troops move to encircle Poland.
28—British appeals to Germany to settle
dispute by negotiations.

15—Russia rejects defined set german anaval
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ican port. 14—Russia expelled from league of nations. Uruguay gives Graf Spee 72 hours to 16-Finn coast artillery sinks Russian de-

FOREIGN



RUSSIA FACES WEST — Dicntor Josef Stalin, having completed

ment.
27—Pope Pius in encyclical assails dictators.
28—Thousands arrested as Czechs and Nazis battle in Prague. tator Josef Stalin, having completed 28-7 pact with Germany, conquers part of Poland and moves into Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania—and then

 1—Chinese dictator "purges" government ranks of 200 "peace party" leaders.
 3—Japan's cabinet resigns over policies in China. Spanish rebels report capture of Artesa. 5-New Japanese premier declares war in

5—New Japanese premier declares war in China must go on.
6—Hungarians and Czecho-Slovaks fight along border.
10—Britain promises to support France against Italy in clamor for part of French empire.
15—Spanish rebels take Tarragona in drive toward Barcelona.
18—Madrid rushes fresh troops to defense of Barcelona.
22—All citizens of Barcelona called to dig trenches.

4-Britain increases plane orders in U. S. 5-Spanish loyal'st army of 200,000 flees to France to escupe trap.
6-Japan refuses to give up mandated islands Germany lost in war.
12-Two hundred thousand move past bier of Pope Pius in St. Peter's.
14-Pope Pius buried in tomb beneath St. Peter's cathedral.
18-Spanish loyalists offer to surrender. France occupies African area once ceded to Italy.
19-Italy, moves to place colony Libya on war footing.
23-General Franco hands Britain final terms for peace with Spanish loyalists.
24-Britain and France decide to recognize Franco government in Spain.
Polish students attack German embassy in Warsaw. 5-Spanish loyalist army of 200,000 flees to

n Warsaw. mons approves Chamberlain's O. K. of Franco

MARCH

1—College of cardinals convenes in Rome to elect a pope.

2—Franco requests Mussolini to withdraw Italian troops from Spain.
Cardinal Eugenio Pacelli elected pope on third ballot; takes name of Pius XII.

5—Leader of Spanish loyalist army seizes control of Madrid government.

6—Communist leaders flee Madrid zone; General Miaja, new loyalist chief, asks "worthy peace."

7—Gandhi won political victory for democracy in India, forced by four-day fast; accepts invitation for consultation with viceroy.

accepts invitation.
Loyalist planes bomb centers of communist revolt in Madrid.
8—Franco's fleet blockades all Spanish loyalist coast.
12—500,000 witness coronation of Pope Pius

22—Rumania and Germany sign trade pact. 23—Madrid offers to surrender to General

demands.
30—Russia rejects British plea to join front against aggressor nations. Madrid surrenders, ending Spanish civil

2—Britain offers to protect Rumania.

Japanese kill 8,000 Chinese in three battles.
4—Turkey asks for part of Syria; French dispatch warship.
5—Albert Lebrus re-elected president of

10—Julian Besteiro, last chief of Spanish loyalist government, sentenced to 30 years in prison.

13—France jails two newspaper executives, charged with receiving pay from Ger-

many.

19—Danzig political police purge city of Socialists. stroyer.

18—Germans scuttle Graf Spee outside
Montevideo harbor rather than risk
fight with British ships waiting outside.

19—Huge Red forces storm Finns' mountain positions.
Germans claim 34 out of 44 British
planes shot down in battle over Heligoland.

19—Danzig political police purge city of Socialists.

24—Chamberlain promises Britain will stay out of Japan's way in China.

26—Four bombings in England blamed on Irish Republican army.

30—All Spaniards ordered to work 15 days per year for state. AUGUST

3-Britain offers to mediate Japanese-Chiness war.
6—Spain executes 53 persons for complicity in slaying of civil guard officer.
9—Sudden German food shortage rouses public.

SEPTEMBER

26—French cabinet decree ends Communist party in France. 27—Bulgaria seeks trade pact with Russia. 28—Constantine Argesanu appointed premier of Rumania.

2-Delegates of 21 republics at an inter-American neutrality conference fixed a safety zone around two Americas.

3—Japanese admit loss of 18,000 men in

5—Chinese halt Japanese drive in Hunan province: report 10,300 slain.
10—Soviet returns Vilna to Lithuania.
11—Britain and Russia sign trade agreement

2—Slovak mob wrecks shops and news-papers in Bratislava, Hungary. British threaten to abolish self-rule in 20—Ex-kaiser narrowly escapes death in storm at Doorn.

DECEMBER

3—Japan faces scarcity of food this winter Peru opens great new port facilities to Callao. 1—Italy quits league of nations.

NECROLOGY



POPE SUCCUMBS—The devout kneel in prayer before casket containing the body of Pope Pius XI.

11—Prof. Herman Oliphant, treasury department counsel, in Washington.
13—Col. Jacob Ruppert, owner of the New York Yankees.
26—Former Sen. Joseph I. France of Maryland, in Baltimore.
29—William B. Yeats, Irish poet and playwright, in France.

FEBRUARY

9—Pope Pius XI.
13—Rt. Rev. J. M. Francis, Episcopalian bishop of Indianapolis.
15—Charles R. Crane, former diplomat.
16—Dr. Clarence True Wilson, prohibition leader. 2—Howard Carter, who found King Tut's tomb, in London. 5—Former U. S. Attorney General John G.

Sargent.
6—Frank W. Stearns, close adviser to President Coolidge. ident Coolidge.
29—Gerardo Machado, former dictator of Cuba. 2—George F. Harding, Republican national committeeman for Illinois.
6—Premier Joseph Lyons of Australia.
9—James Hamilton Lewis, U. S. senator

from Illinois.

11—S. S. Van Dine, mystery-story writer, real name Willard H. Wright. MAY 26-Dr. Charles Mayo, famous surgeon.

JUNE 6-George Peabody Gardner, financier, in Boston.

19—Miss Grace Abbott, noted welfare worker and University of Chicago professor.

26—Ford Maddox Ford, British author.

DOMESTIC



U. S. GUARDS NEUTRALITY—
Special congressional session institutes "cash-and-carry" neutrality as Americans rush home from Europe, away from war zone.

JANUARY

2—Former Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan takes oath as U. S. attorney general. Harry Hopkins sworn in as secretary of commerce.

3—Seventy-sixth congress \$10,000,000 fraud laid to President Senith Serial Serials. Senith Serials and the senith Governor Leche steps down and Lieuten President Roosevelt. 20-U. S. court upholds wage-hour law in Montgomery Ward case. 20-U. S. court upholds wage-hour law in Montgomery Ward case. 20-U. S. court upholds wage-hour law in Montgomery Ward case. 20-U. S. court upholds wage-hour law in Montgomery Ward case. 20-U. S. court upholds wage-hour law in Montgomery Ward case. 20-U. S. court upholds

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3—Seventy-sixth congress convenes.
5—President sends to congress \$10,000,000,000,000 budget for 1940 fiscal year.
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10—Comedian Jack Benny indicted in smuggling case.

Three Musica brothers plead guilty in drug company swindle.

12—President, in message, asks 552 millions more for defense.

14—Expenses of government in a dozen states being slashed.

16—President asks extension of social security benefits.

17—Senate confirms Frank Murphy as attorney general and Felix Frankfurter as

ney general and Felix Frankfurter as associate justice of Supreme court.

19—President asks legislation to end tax free public salaries and to levy on all securities.

27—Senate upholds 150 million slash on WPA appropriation.

31—George Burns, comedian, fined \$8,000 in gem-smuggling case.

FEBRUARY 1—Senators demand Roosevelt lift veil of secrecy on foreign alliances.
 2—Bill providing decreased funds for relief sent to President.
 Senate rejects nomination of Floyd H. Roberts to be federal judge in Virginia.
 2—President makes new demand for 150 millions more for PWA after signing appropriation bill with that amount cut off.

9—House passes bill making state and municipal employees subject to income

tax.

13—Justice Brandeis retires from the U. S. Supreme court.

14—Homer Martin's faction of U. A. W. wins court victory over C. I. O.

15—House approves \$376,000,000 defense bill.

22—Senate committee nips scheme for unlimited plane buying.

23—House rejects Guam fortification by decisive vote. decisive vote.

House gets bill for limited governmental reorganization.

Movie academy awards go to Spencer Tracy and Bette Davis.

Federal court upholds price fixing milk law.

law.
25—James J. Hines, Tammany chief, convicted of violating lottery laws.
27—U. S. Supreme court rules sit-down strikes illegal.
28—Ninety indictments returned in Kansas City crime cleanup.

2-Ex-Judge Martin T. Manton indicted by federal grand jury in New York as bribe

 Amartin faction of auto union bars Communists, Nazis, and Fascists from membership or office.
 Senate increases army airplane authorization to 6,000.
 Senate passes \$358,000,000 army extension bill. House passes bill giving President re-stricted authority to reorganize depart-

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Harold D. Smith of Michigan named federal budget director.
9-Bill before New York senate to bar Reds from public office.
14—President again demands 150 millions more for WPA.
16—Lieut-Gov. Lauren D. Dickinson sworn in as governor of Michigan to succeed the late Frank D. Fitzgerald.
18—U. S. puts penalty tariff on German imports.

ports.

-U. S. government refuses to recognize
Hitler's seizure of Czecho-Slovakia.
W. O. Douglas named associate justice
of the U. S. Supreme court.

-James J. Hines, Tammany leader, sentenced to serve four to eight years in
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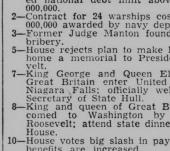
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7—Tom Mooney, in prison 22 years, is pardoned.

10—Comedian Jack Benny indicted in smugself to the condition of arms shipments.
30—Senate lets Roosevelt's money rule die by preventing legislation to extend. House passes neutrality bill barring

arms shipments.

5—Senate adopts conference report on reviving President's money powers.
6—W. P. Buckner given two years in prison on Philippine railway bond charges.
10—President gives Paul V. McNutt of Indiana job as head of the newly created Federal Security administration.
13—Senate votes to fix payroll tax at 1 per cent until 1943.
14—President signs bill giving war department power to hide secret new equipment from spies.
20—House passes bill to curb bureaucrats in politics.
24—House committee shelv's President's \$800,000,000 housing program.
Nation-wide lottery swindle using name of Will Rogers exposed.
25—One killed, seven shot, in battle over nonunion labor at Boonville, Ind.
26—United States scraps trade treaty with Japan.
Francis B. Savre nominated for high

Japan.
Francis B. Sayre nominated for high commissioner to the Philippines.

31—Senate lops \$1,615,000,000 from spending bill and passes it.

1—Army's flying fortress flies coast to coast in 9½ hours.

House kills President's lending-spending House slashes \$161,000,000 from final spending bill.

3—House again refuses to consider housing bill and economy bloc cuts near 3 billion

Senate passes third deficiency bill of 189 millions.

Agreement reached on social security

Agreement reached on social security amendment cutting pay roll tax \$900, 000,000 in next three years.

5-Congress adjourns after appropriating more than \$13,000,000,000.

Moody brothers break all airplane endurance records by remaining in air 14 days at Springfield, Ill.

7-Former Governor Leche of Louisiana and two others indicted in hot oil quiz. 14-President advances Thanksgiving day one week, naming November 23. 15-WPA raises pay of 2,000,000 workers \$5,000,000 a month. New York fair asks bondholders for \$4,820,000 to meet debts. 16-Mayor of Waterbury, Conn., among 20 guilty in \$1,000,000 graft.

18-U. S. and Canada sign new pact for air service. 20-Louisiana oil czar. Dr. J. A. Shaw with 25-Men Bartholomew wins national skating title. 9-National Professional Football league re-elects Joseph Carr president for 10 years. 20-Louisiana oil czar. Dr. J. A. Shaw with 25-Men Bartholomew wins national skating title. 9-National Professional Football league re-elects Joseph Carr president for 10 years. 20-Louisiana oil czar. Dr. J. A. Shaw with 27-Men Golosto scowe describing the professional football team defeats Duke in Rose Bowl. 3-Budge defeats Vines in pro tennis debut. 3-Budge defeats Vines in pro tennis deb

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24—President pleads for peace; cables Hit-ler, Poles, and king of Italy.
29—German liner Bremen held up at New York for search.

market.
6-Roosevelt establishes naval patrol along Atlantic coast.
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APRIL

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3—C., I. O. union ordered to pay Apex Hosiery company \$711,930 damages for sit-down strike.

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13—Congress called for September 21.

14—Borah opposes repeal of arms embargo as likely to put America into war.

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21—Congress convenes in special session; Roosevelt urges early repeal of arms embargo provision of neutrality act.

OCTOBER

2—Debate on repeal of neutrality act begins in senate.

4—Army places an order for 329 high-speed, light tanks.

5—Grover C. Bergdoll, draft dodger, sentenced to 7½ years in prison.

4—WGUST

8—Alice Marble wins British tennis chaq.
11—American league wins all-star baseball game, 3 to 1.
30—Dick Metz wins St. Paul open golf championship with record score of 270.

AUGUST

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5—President makes first transfer under reorganization act; creates three superagencies.

27—President asks 1,762 million more for relief.

MAY

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18—War department orders 65,000 semi-date matic rifles.

Former Gov. A. B. Chandler sworn in as senator from Kentucky, succeeding the late M. M. Logan.

12—William Green elected president of A. F. of L. for sixteenth time.

17—Brazill orders \$5,376,000 rail equipment from America.

Elmer F. Andrews resigned as wage and hour administrator, succeeded by Col. Philip Fieming.

18—New York Champions, defeated the All-Stars, a to champio

2—House votes against embargo on arms; bill goes to conference.
3—Congress passes neutrality repeal bill 1—Senate passes bill lifting long term bonded national debt limit above \$30,000.
2—Contract for 24 warships costing \$350.
000,000 awarded by navy department.
3—Former Judge Manton found guilty of bribery.
5—House rejects plan to make Hyde Park home a memorial to President Roosevelt.
7—King George and Queen Elizabeth of Great Britain enter United States at Niagara Falls; officially welcomed by Secretary of State Hull.
8—King and queen of Great Britain welcomed to Washington by President Roosevelt; attend state dinner at White House.
10—House votes big slash in payroll taxes; benefits are increased.
11—King and queen end U. S. visit.
12—Senate votes \$225,000 to department of commerce to employ experts.
U. S. monetary gold stock passes 16 billion mark.
13—House yotes drastic limitations op future

prison for two and a half years.
7—Upward trend seen in several lines of business.

8—Secretary Hull protests British blockade.

9—Roosevelt orders a special naval district in Caribbean.

11—RFC grants \$10,000,000 loan to Finland.
U. S. Supreme court bars evidence gained by wire tapping.

13—Twelve naval captains promoted to be rear admirals.

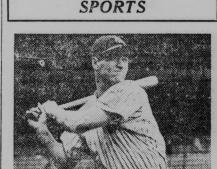
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FEBRUARY

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8—Traffic accide Cummings.

11—Army myster coast-to-coast



IRON MAN STRIKES OUT—
Lou Gehrig, "iron man of baseball," retires from New York Yankees with paralysis intection of the standard stand IRON MAN STRIKES OUTmark.
Sen. Robert A. Taft announces his candidacy for Republican nomination for President.

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years. 23—Tony Galento scores technical knock-out over Abe Feldman.

MARCH 20-Charles Bowser named head football AUGUST coach at Pitt.

York for search.

SEPTEMBER

2—Liner Bremen allowed to depart from New York.

5—Stocks soar 1 to 27 points in boiling war market.

6—Roosevelt establishes naval patrol along 20—Forest fires rage from central California to British Columbia.

24—Storm kills three guardsmen in war games at Plattsburg.

6—Johnstown won Kentucky derby. 20—Joseph F. Carr, National Football league president, dies. 23—Davy Day, welterweight, stopped Pedro Montanez in the eighth round. 25—Henry Armstrong, welterweight, defeats Ernie Roderick, British champion, in 15 rounds.

6—Giants make five home runs in one inning for record; rout Reds.

12—Centennial birthday of baseball celebrated at Cooperstown, N. Y., where it originated.

rounds.

30—Shaw wins Indianapolis auto race, averaging 115.035 miles per our. Roberts killed.

21—Lou Gehrig, Mayo clinic physician nounce after check-up, has infant ralysis; playing career ended. 22—Joe Louis stops Tony Galento fourth round. Yankees break record with 13 hou in two games on same day.

9—Eddie Anderson awarded plaque as football coach of year. 10—Green Bay Packers whip New York Giants to win professional football title. 11—Nile Kinnick, Iowa football star, named No. 1 athlete of all sports in annual poll.



earthquake in Chile; towns wiped out in disaster. 2—Japanese submarine sunk in collision. 8—Traffic accident kills Race Pilot Bill Cummings.

11—Army mystery plane crashes after coast-to-coast flight at 340-mile rate.

20—Eight navy planes crash in dark of Florida, two fliers killed.

Angeles; pilot killed. 25—Thirty thousand killed, 50,000 injured by

MARCH

 2—Two hundred killed in explosion of munitions dump in Japan; 800 houses destroyed.
 18—Ten killed in airplane crash near Tama. Wash 25-Airliner crashes in Oklahoma killing 4—Four navy fliers killed when planes collide in maneuvers.
13—Twenty-eight killed, 50 injured in train wreck in Mexico.
16—Tornadoes in Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana cause 53 deaths and injuries to 300

18—French liner Paris, gutted by fire, sinks at its dock at Le Havre; sabotage suspected.

23-Fifty-nine trapped in sunken submarine

1-Missing British submarine found mired in mud; 99 lost. 4-Twenty-two persons killed in Mexican theater fire. 16-Seventy-one lives lost in wreck of French submarine. 18-Ten dead, 63 injured in Minnesota tornado.

JULY 4—Seventy injured in Waukegan, Ill., when wooden stand collapses at fireworks

show. 5—Fifty-three drowned, 47 missing, in flood in mountains of eastern Kentucky. 12—Mystery explosion and fire damage navy aircraft carrier Ranger. 14—Twenty-eight perish in mine blast at Providence, Ky. 17—Five killed as train hits auto in Chicago suburb.

11—Nine U. S. army fliers and two navy fliers killed as two bombers erash. 13—Fourteen killed as Miami to Rio de Janeiro plane crashes in Rio harbor. Twenty-three killed, 60 injured, when streamliner is wrecked in Nevada.

suburb.
23-Avalanche on Mount Baker Wash., kills

SEPTEMBER

25—Storm in California kills 100; damage, \$1,000,000. 28—Munitions plant blast in Britain kills 15. 11-Wreck of school bus at War, W. Va., kills six; 71 injured.

14—Five hundred killed and injured when fire engulfs Venezuelan oil port. DECEMBER

3—Typhoon ravages five islands in the Philippines. (Released by Western Newspaper Union)