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Cannon-Fitted Allied Planes Play Havoc With Nazi Tanks

FDR To Ask Congress For Authority To Trade In Old Guns For Re-Sale To Allies

Navy Planes Turned Back Yesterday

Roosevelt Hints of Favoring Universal Compulsory Military Training; No Estimate of Number of Guns Available.

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—President Roosevelt disclosed today that he would ask Congress for legislation which would permit the government to trade in old types of guns and to turn back to manufacturers all kinds of surplus equipment.

He was sending a request to Congress to incorporate the bill in pending legislation. Mr. Roosevelt did not say whether the procedure would include large stores of American-made arms available for sale to the Allies.

The Navy yesterday turned back

Americans Warned To Leave Europe

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—The State Department today urged all Americans to leave Europe without delay. It said that the situation in Europe is becoming increasingly serious and that the possibility of a general war is now a real possibility. It urged Americans to leave Europe as soon as possible and to return to the United States.

Cruiser Sent To Brazil

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—The Navy announced today that the USS Albatross has been directed to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. The cruiser Quincy was ordered to depart for Brazil last week.

Declare Rex Will Not Sail

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—A shipping source said tonight that the German liner Rex would not sail for the United States, although the Italian liner was scheduled to depart for the United States.

To Christen War Ship



Miss Isabel Hoy (above) daughter of Gov. Clyde R. Hoy of North Carolina, will christen the new United States battleship North Carolina at the launching in Brooklyn navy yard June 13.

Paris Arms For Defense

Garbage Trucks Converted Into Mobile Fortresses, Gates Baricaded.

Paris, June 7.—(AP)—Paris has turned its garbage trucks into mobile fortresses, barricaded certain strategic gates to the city and studied the famed Champs Elysee with steel posts in an extraordinary series of defense preparations.

Should German parachutists try to land in the streets of Paris they would find the heavy steel garbage trucks parked two or three to a block in certain areas.

Big as an average size moving van, they are capable of housing a machine gun nest. They can be left where they are stationed or rushed to reinforce the barriers at the city gate.

With the front only 70 miles away,

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College Student Commits Suicide

Snow Hill, June 7.—(AP)—Sheriff H. K. Cobb reported today that Mary Stallings, 23-year old summer school student at Atlantic Christian college at nearby Wilson, shot herself to death at her home near Walstonburg yesterday.

Coroner A. F. Moseley said no inquest was necessary. The girl was said to have been in ill health for some time.

Germany's War Aims Said To Be The Annihilation Of England And France

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER
Berlin, June 7.—(AP)—Germany's war aims were announced by authorized sources today as two fold—the annihilation of France and the annihilation of England; all else is beside the point.

New Tax Bill Approved By Committee

Lower Exemptions For Married and Single Persons, Flat Ten Percent Increase in Corporation Taxes Provided.

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—A House tax sub-committee tentatively approved today a tax bill designed to raise \$1,000,000,000 to help finance the national defense program.

To raise this sum annually, the bill would lower the exemptions on personal income subject to taxation from \$2,500 to \$2,000 for married persons and from \$1,000 to \$800 for single persons.

Chairman Cooper, Democrat, Tennessee, of the sub-committee, estimated the reduced exemption would bring 2,050,000 taxpayers into the income tax list.

The bill also increases all income taxes by a flat ten percent, would impose an increase of one percent on all corporation income taxes and lift surtaxes on incomes ranging from \$6,000 to \$100,000.

Cooper said the sub-committee unanimously approved the bill and hoped to report it to the full committee tomorrow morning.

In addition to the new rates, the sub-committee tentatively approved a provision to require all married persons with gross incomes of \$2,000 to file income tax returns and all single persons with gross incomes of \$800 to do so. Existing law requires returns from persons with gross incomes of \$5,000.

Action was taken by the sub-committee.

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Importation Of Securities Restricted

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—The government clamped restrictions on the importation of securities today in an order designed to block the sale of such wealth seized from owners in Europe's invaded countries.

Treasury officials said they were acting to prevent dumping in this country's markets of securities that may have been seized from "rightful owners" in Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Norway and Luxembourg.

While the order did not mention Germany by name, Germany was the invader of these countries.

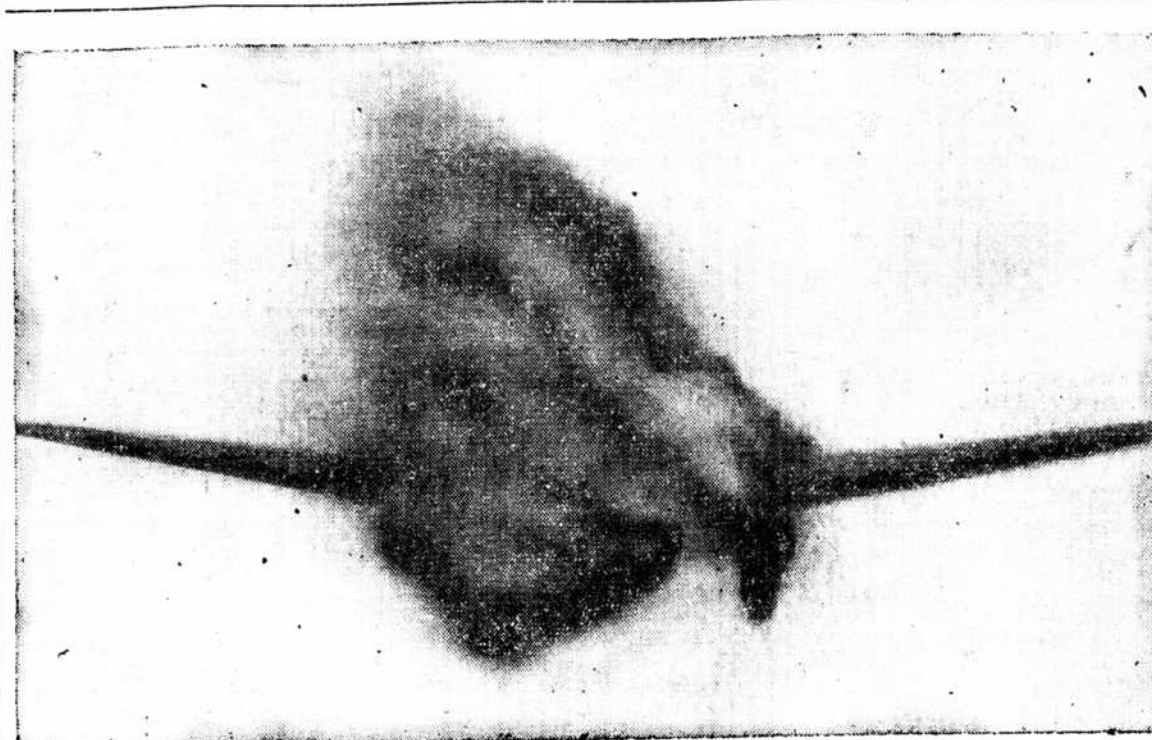
Effective today the importation of securities from any foreign country was prohibited unless the securities were submitted to a federal reserve bank for examination.

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Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Generally fair tonight; Saturday partly cloudy, with a few scattered thundershowers in the interior.

Nazi Raider Blasted To Bits Over England



British censor-approved caption says this picture attests to the accuracy of British anti-aircraft fire. A German Heinkel bomber is being blasted to bits in mid air while on a bombing mission over England. The fuselage is enveloped in flames and smoke pours from the earth-bound wreckage. The crew died without a chance of escape when the ship crashed to the ground. Photo cabled from London to New York.—Cablephoto.

Italian Merchantmen Ordered Off Seas; May Mean War Near

Military Training At UNC Discussed

Trustees Name Governor Hoy Chairman of Committee to Consider Move; "So-Called Liberalism" Debated Vigorously.

Raleigh, June 7.—(AP)—The trustees of the University of North Carolina voted unanimously today to name a committee to consider immediate establishment of military training at the university.

The board members debated vigorously "so-called liberalism at the university."

Thurmond Chatham of Winston-Salem heatedly attacked "political activity" of Dr. Ralph McDonald of the University extension service, and other members raised the question of how the new university radio station was being used and would be used.

After assertions by board members that there was extra-liberalism at the university, Dr. Frank Graham, president, asserted:

"If I'm the person perverting by keeping it open and free I don't want to be connected with it. That's the kind of university I'm going to keep."

"I want to say something about this so-called liberalism at the university—the extra-liberal atmosphere," said Chatham. "Many regard our university as a great radical university. And it seems that the seat of government has been moving to Chapel Hill. If a defeated gubernatorial candidate wants to build his power he moves to the university. I thoroughly disagree with that policy, especially when that

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Maxwell Remains Very Seriously Ill, Doctor Says

Raleigh, June 7.—(AP)—Revenue Commissioner A. J. Maxwell remained a "very seriously ill man" today, his physician, Dr. W. B. Dewey, reported.

The physician said that Maxwell's temperature was normal again this morning, after a rise late yesterday, and that his condition was unchanged in general from yesterday.

Wallace Proposes Farm Mortgage System Change

Washington, June 7.—(AP)—Secretary Wallace, reiterating his belief that agriculture needs permanent relief from "excessive" farm mortgage debt, proposed today that the multi-billion dollar Farm Credit Administration share its profits and losses with farmer borrowers.

The proposal was advanced before the Senate banking committee at a hearing on legislation designed to reduce interest rates on government loans and to authorize the credit agency to scale down excessive debts.

Critics of the legislation have asserted it would eliminate cooperative features of the present system. The measure would do away with a requirement that a farmer borrower buy stock in a local credit association.

Asserting that this requirement had defeated the cooperative principle, Wallace said Congress should provide definite incentives for farmers to pay promptly and for local credit associations to make sound loans.

"I propose that provision be made in the bill for the banks to share profits and losses with their borrowers by paying patronage dividends proportionate to the size of the borrowers' loans and that in addition premium payments based on the effectiveness with which an association has done its job be made to local associations which earn such payments, to be distributed by them in turn to their members," Wallace said.

British Bomb Abbeville

London, June 7.—(AP)—Great Britain's airmen pounding German forces in western France were reported officially today to have subjected German positions at Abbeville to "forty-five minutes of almost incessant bombardment" which scored direct hits on strategic roads and bridges in the region of the embattled French city.

The air ministry said three direct

Necessity of Speed Indicated in Orders For Vessels to Go Into Southeastern American Ports.

New York, June 7.—(AP)—Italy ordered her fast-moving merchant fleet off the high seas today amid ominous reports that this was the first move toward actual participation in the European conflict.

"Does this mean war?" the Associated Press asked Italo Verrando, New York manager of the Italian line, who first disclosed the Rome order.

"I don't know, but it looks like it," he said.

Shortly after Italy's many ships were ordered into neutral ports the Italian consul general in New York made ready to go to Washington for an immediate conference with embassy officials.

Verrando said that all Italian ships were safe.

Indications that the line was reorganized were found in Verrando's statement that:

"We do not expect to get much

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Italy's Terms For Entering War Are Given By Germany

Berlin, June 7.—(AP)—Informed German sources said tonight that Italy's entrance into the war depends on two things:

1.—Destruction of the French air force.

2.—Distraction of French attention by a gigantic operation such as a siege of Paris.

Conflicting Claims From West Front

Germans Claim Weygand Line "Broken Through on Entire Front"; French Say 200-Mile Front Being Held Firmly.

(By The Associated Press.)
The German juggernaut appeared at least temporarily stalled tonight as cannon-equipped allied planes blasted the all-important advances of German tanks, and Paris reported the Weygand line was holding firmly in the three-day old battle for the French capital.

Even Berlin reported that Germans at home—accustomed to frequent detailed communiques telling of sweeping successes in the Nazi conquest of Holland and Belgium—waited in vain for news of a decisive nature.

A terse German high command communique said only that the fighting was proceeding "on schedule" and that inroads had been made in the Weygand line.

Paris reported that the entire area just north of the capital between the Somme-Aisne battle-front and the Seine river had been won with deadly anti-tank nests such as have wrought havoc with the German onslaught so far.

Nazi warplanes swarmed over France in a new series of raids during the day, the German high command said, attacking Cherbourg harbor and several air dromes in eastern France.

"Big conflagrations and explosions were observed on the quays and piers" of Cherbourg, it was stated.

The French said that the 200-mile front was being held firmly against the fury of the German onslaught and that French and British planes destroyed 400 tanks.

In a dramatic order of the day to his troops, Generalissimo Maxime Weygand declared:

"The future of France depends on your tenacity. Hold tight to the soil of France."

His poles were reported doing just that—fighting fiercely with rifles, bayonets and knives from rock

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Direct Hits on Strategic Points Reported; British Plane Production Is High.

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