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Planes Daylight

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German planes were shot to 5:30 (11:30 a. m. uir ministry an-while to British massing.

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BONDS APPROVED detail. Oct. 15.—(AP)—The approved issuance by of 850,000 worth of ands, provided voters of also approve the issue.

Dykstra Is Given O.K.

Wisconsin University

 Oct. 15 — (AP)—The entiremed unanimousus director of selective

ber immediately notified the evelt of its action in n the time when the the University of Wisssume his post. approval was required than a quorum of the pre-ent at a session callthe purpose of acting

conscription act Dr. ill receive \$10,000 a year

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Princess Broadcasts Cheer



In her first radio broadcast, 14-year-old Princess Elizabeth (right), speaking from London, reports that England's children are "full of cheerfulness and courage. And when peace comes," the heir to Britain's throne pointed out. "remember it will be for us children of today to make the world of tomorrow a better and happier place." Shown with Elizabeth is her younger sister. Princess Margaret Rose.

Registration Setup Ready In This State

Soviet-Jap Pact Hinted

Treaty May Be Signed plomats Believe.

Built At Once Eastern non-aggression pact tween Japan and Soviet Russia may be signed within the pact for the earliest possible time tomorrow," diplomatic sources indicated tonight.

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Japan, they said, would be given a relatively free hand in China, and Russia would receive a special sphere of influence along the north China border.

Japan, they said, would be given a relatively free hand in China, and Russia would receive a special sphere of influence along the north China are supposed to be shut promptly at 9 o'clock tomorrow night, but those

Rumors also are current among waiting in line wil be registered. Rumors also are current among diplomats here that Germany is offering Russia a special sphere of influence around the Dardanelles— a not exempted will be subject to aropened two weeks freeze-out, according to these ac-

> planning a major move against Egypt and the oil fields of the Near East, possibly even against India, and The governor forwarded to Preswants to immobilize the Soviet war muchine first.

Some 500,000 Young Men Expected to Register in State Tomor-

Raleigh, Oct. 15-(AP) --Governor Non-A g g r e s s i o n Hoey said today that he believed everything was in readiness for the registration tomorrow of some 500,-Within Few Days, Di- 00 young men between the ages of 21 and 36 in the State.

"I wish to urge each person who must register that it is extremely im- inite progress toward more friendly London, Oct. 15.—(AP) — A Far portant that registration be made at relations between the United States

"It may take 15 or 20 minutes to register each man and many will save much time if the yregister car-

of the contract was the by the High-Works Commission the contract was the by the High-Works Commission the contract was counts, against Turkey, now the Governor Hocy pointed out that guardian of those eastern Mediter- the registration will be carried out ranean straits. These rumors say Germany is that local draft boards do not begin

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Warren Is None Too Eager To Assume New Post As Comptroller, Stewart Says

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Columnist

President Becomes Di- tive Lindsey C. Warren of North ed the figure considerably above of Selective cager to begin work as comptroller known, and the lawmakers evolved general of the United States, to the notion that our executive branch which post President Roosevelt ap- was wasting money. pointed him some Accordingly, they created an gen-

berth, with a long term attached to it.

Yet it's no wondet Lindsay has hated to plunge into his new duties. Uncle Sam hasn't another job to offer whose incumbent is invested with so many op-Lindsay Warren himself disliked as

the comptroller has The post dates from shortly after the last World war. At that time con-

gress wasn't accustomed to government spending at out present rate Washington, Oct 15.—Representa- However, the war certainly had hik-

> time ago, although eral accounting office, with a compit's a well-paid troller general at the head of it. Among other items it was made

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Last Veteran Of Wayne Dies

Mt. Olive, N. C., Oct. 15 .-(AP)-W. J. Merritt, 102, the last Confederate veteran in Wayne county, died at his home here last night after an illness of six months. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

Passport Kestriction Is Ordered

Travel of Americans Outside Western Hemisphere Restricted by State Depar ment; Liners Sent to Far East for Citizens.

Washington, Oct. 15-7AD3-The State department, already busy with arrangements for removing thouand of American nationals from the Orient, clamped down restrictions today to prevent others from going there.
Nothing but a demonstration of ur-

gent reasons, officials said beconfier will permit the issuance of a passport to the Far East or any place outside the Western Hemi phere.

The new restrictions were announced as the midnight deadline approached for the embargo which will out off American iron and steel o from Japan.

With some United States citizens already quitting For Eastern ports on regular trans-Pacific liners, the State department announced last night that three liners would be sent to China and Japan to bela repat-riate about 3,000 Americans who wish to return to the United States at this time.

The announcement of the special transportation plan came less than a week after the department's disclosure that it had advised Ameri-Governor rloey Urges cans in the Far East to wind un their affairs and return to the United Early Registration; States because of uncertain condi-

U. S.-Soviet Relations Improved

Washington, Oct. 15 .- (AP) -- Defand Soviet Russia-which may play an important role in far reaching political questions of the future—is being made in almost daily discussions between Constantine Oumansky, Russian ambassador, and State department officials.

Authoritative sources disclosed today that during their recently resumed conversations Sumner Welles the irritating questions which have created tension between the two na-

The Soviet ambassador, it was learned, is now discussing settlement of specific questions with chiefs and experts of interested government divisions and as quickly as they are disposed of the Welles - Oumansky conversations will be resumed, presumably along broader lines, z z

FDR Will Campaign

Two "Outright Politi-Speeches Announced For October 23 and October 30.

Washington, Oct. 15 .- (AP)-Th White House announced today that President Rossevelt would make two "outright political" speeches of a half-hour each on October 23 and October 30.

Stephen Early, press secretary said the Democratic national com-

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Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA Cloudy with occasinoal showers tonight and probably Wednes-day: cooler Wednesday and in the mountains tonight.

FDR Inspects Wright Field



President Roosevelt inspects the U. S. Army Air Corps station at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, prior to a broadcast in which he defied the Axis, declaring no combination of powers can stop America from giving aid to Britain. With him are Orville Wright (center), co-inventor of the airplane, and James M. Cox (right), former Ohio governor. In background

Bagley Is Named Warren Assistant

Milligan Named To Probe Vote Fraud Charges

Washington, Oct. 15.—(AP)— Attorney General Jackson announced today assignment of Maurice M. Milligan. United States attorney for western Missouri, to conduct a nationvide investigation of complaints of law violation in connection with the November election.

Milliean, prosecutor in the Kansas City election fraud cases, was made special assistant to the attorney general, on leave of absence from his Missouri post.

The announcement said that the investigation would be conducted in every state and city where complaints indicated a "prima facie case".

Young Demos Start Drive For Funds

Dany Dispatch Bureau, 'In the Sir Walter Hotel By HENRY AVERILL.

Raleigh, Oct. 15 -- Quier, and eage esponse of Young Democratic Club

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Resigns to Become observers long have said the ultipolar observers long have said the ultipolar

ed to become second assistant to Re-presentative Lindsay Warren as comptroller general of the United States, Governor Hoey announced to-Prof. David S. Weaver of N. C.

State College, the governor said, has agreed to serve as acting director on a part-time basis until Bagley's time expires on June 5, 1941 "or until other preangements are made."
"Present policies" of the REA will

be continued. Hoey said as he lavished praise on Bagley's conduct of his

"The achievements in this state read like a romance," Hocy said.
"The census of 1935 shows that we had only 10,000 form homes electrified in North Carolina, whereas on July 1, 1940, we had nearly 90,000. This is an unparalleled record."

Warren is to assume the duties of two engaments during a recent excomptroller general. It was undertensive sweep of the eastern and stood here the federal post would central Mediterranean by the Britpay Bagley considerably more than ish fleet. he has been receiving from the State. The appointment also is understood with the destroyers constituted the to be for a 15-year term, the same main action of the Mediterranean length as Warren's.

eatiers all over the state in taking here since the primary that the REA forces. old of the Roosevelt-Wailace drive might be merged with the Utilities for campaign funds has been very Commission received a boost in Gov-ernor's Hoey's statement, whether he intended it that way or not.

Willkie Criticises Delay In Defense Preparations

(By the Associated Press) Wendell, L. Willkie pressed hsi in- house America," he said, "but they tensive campaign for New York must be put to work. tensive campaign for New York The charge that Willkie was out state today with renewed criticism of of step with his party was made by

ng "startling and disturbing delay sachusetts.

n Army housing construction, he McCormac hey can be housed healthfully.

ers, plumbers, tinsmiths, painters fulfill."

and other tradesmen-enough to re-

lefense program progress. Charg- Representative McCormack of Mas-McCormack said: "The voters can

declared that it was not right "to in- tell better what kind of an adminisfuct our boys" into the service until tration they would get from a Republican president and a Republican As the Republican nominee coninued his heavy schedule of speechs, supporters of President Roose-

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Willkie said in a speech at Rochster. N. Y., that there has been pitiful inefficiency" in hard lag the parameter of the proper will be a make Willkie's words mere empty against some of the most vital support, will capitulate and grant the axis a pass to the Dardanelles. Meanwhile, these persons conjectured Lairer Relations Board. Their vetes make Willkie's words mere empty that the property of the

Reds Mass On Frontier Of Rumania

Soviet Official News Agency Disclosed No Satisfactory Advance Notice Given of Germany's Sending of Troops.

(By The Associated Press.) A sharp split in Berlin-Moscow mutual information" contacts was indicated today as Russia sped the massing of Red army troops on the frontier of Rumania, now overrun with German soldiers. Without confirmation elsewhere,

Reuters (British news agency) said in a dispatch from Bucharest that Soviet troops have ready advanced into the Danube river delta of Ru-If true, Russia would appear to be

challenging Germany's self-elected guardianship of Rumania. The Soviet government, through its official news agency, disclosed that it had not received what it re-garded as ratisfactory advance notice of Germany's plan to send troops into the rich Balkan oil kingdom in southeast Europe.

The news agency Taas officially denied a report published in a news-paper in German-controlled Denmark that "the Soviet government was timely informed that German troops would be sent into Rumania and that the Kremlin was informed of the aims and numbers of troops sent to Rumania."

This was the first open intimation Director of State REA of a possible schism between Germany and Russia, although foreign

Lindsay Warren as U. Soviet Russia was estimated today to have mobilized between 10 and 12 S. Comptroller Gen- divisions-from 160,000 to 180,000

men-on her frontier with Rumania.

The Soviet government statement was in direct contrast to an asser-Raleigh, Oct. 15.—(AP)—Director Dudley W. Bagley of the State Rural Electrification Authority has resign-d to become second assistant to Rearrived in Rumania and that others were to follow. Russia's belated disclosure was all

the more surprising in view of the

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British Claim Two Italian Vessels Sunk

London, Oct. 15.—(AP)—The ad-This is an unparalleled record." mirally reported tonight that the British cruiser Ajax sank two Italtive November 1, when Congressman! ian destroyers and crippled a third in

The admiralty said the Ajax's fight sweep and no contact was made be-Rumors that have been widespread tween the main British and Italian

Nazi Troops To Albania

Move Causes Conjecture of Axis Drive Through Thrace to Dardanelles.

Budapest, Oct. 15 .-- (AP)-- Unconfirmed reports that several shiploads of German troops had reached Al-bania to bolster the Italian forces there aroused Balkan conjecture toits next move a drive through Thrace

Military observers here saw a possibility that the axis may be plans, supporters of President Roose-cell criticized the program Willkie and advocated, asserting that it was a tyariance with the voting record and in the House have voted consists.

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