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Italy's "Big Push" Under Way

Increase In Debt Limit To Be Asked

Morgenthau Announces New Deficit

Congress Will Be Asked to Increase Debt Limit to 60 or 65 Billion Dollars To Meet Deficits to June 30, 1942.

Michigan To Willkie

Detroit, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Revised unofficial presidential vote totals now virtually complete tipped Michigan back into the Republican column this afternoon. With three of state's 3,632 precincts missing the total was: Willkie 1,028,087; Roosevelt 1,025,774.

Pay Raises Requested

Heads of State Departments Start Asking Blanket Increases for Employees.

Raleigh, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Heads of State departments started making requests for blanket salary increases for State employees as the advisory budget commission opened hearings on the proposed 1941-43 budget.

State Auditor George Ross Fox, requested an appropriation increase sufficient to permit a 10 percent increase for all workers in his office except himself.

Revenue Commissioner A. J. Maxwell sent in a request for a sufficient increase in funds for the Revenue department to raise salaries 9.5 percent.

Other officials either asked for raises for a limited number of employees or told the budget commission members that they expect that if any general salary increases were allowed they would be extended to cover all employees.

It was indicated that general fund requests would reach \$47,906,000 for 1941-42 and \$49,039,000 for 1942-43 or more. Expenditures were \$40,991,116 in 1939-40.

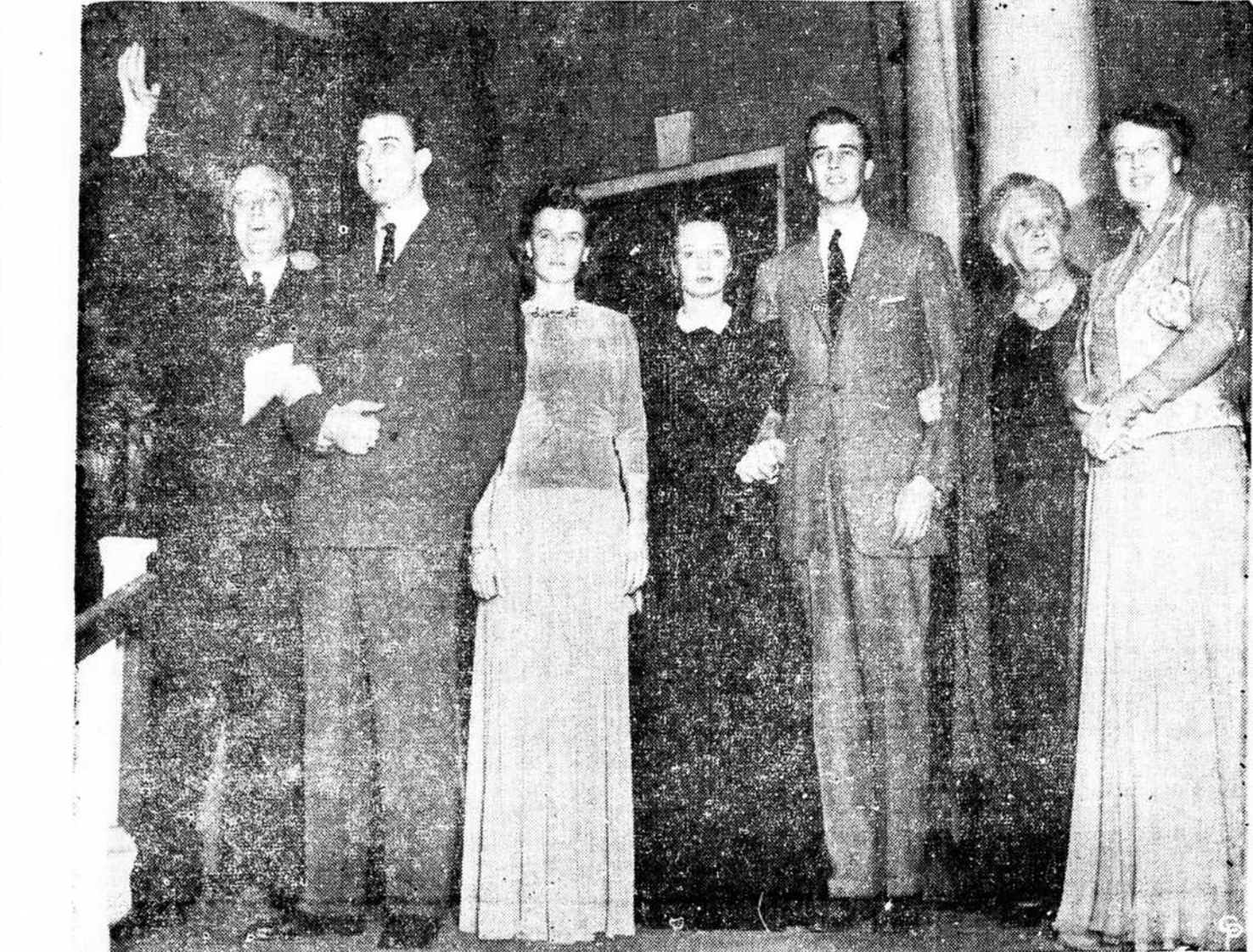
Five Negroes Die In Tunnel Collapse

Pittsburgh, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Five Negro workmen were crushed to death today by the collapse of a nearby Stowe township traffic tunnel which they were repairing.

Democrats Gain Seats In House; Lose Senate Seats

Washington, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Sharply reversing the Republican trend two years ago, late returns showed today that the Democrats would control the new House with an advantage of about 100 seats.

The President Hails His Third Term Victory



President Roosevelt salutes the huge crowd gathered at his Hyde Park, N. Y., home when it became evident a third term was his. Left to right, after the President: his son Franklin D., Jr.; Mrs. Franklin D. Jr.; Mrs. John Roosevelt; John; Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt, the President's mother, and Mrs. Roosevelt. Said the President: "You will find me the same Franklin Roosevelt you have always known."

FDR Returns To Washington

Methodists Open Meet

Wilmington, Nov. 7.—(AP)—The North Carolina conference of the Methodist church held its organization meeting today and then adjourned into a host of business sessions.

Ministerial Appointments To Be Read at Final Session on Sunday Night

The annual ministerial address was delivered by the Rev. C. D. Hunter, pastor of Fifth Avenue Church here.

Draft Quotas For Counties Are Set

Raleigh, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Selective service officials completed work today on a list of draft quotas for each county and sent it to Governor Hays but the governor said he would not set to study it until tomorrow as he would be out of town.

Demos Gain In Assembly

Raleigh, Nov. 7.—(AP)—State Democrats today that the Republicans had a net loss of one of nine seats held in 1939 legislature.

Army Thwarts Robbery Plot

Boston, Nov. 7.—(AP)—What was described as a plot to rob an \$832,000 cash payroll at Camp Edwards on Cape Cod was thwarted today, Army officers disclosed.

Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair tonight and Friday; slightly colder in east portion with frost.

Nazis Refuse Safe Conduct Assurances

Washington, Nov. 7.—(AP)—The State department announced today that Germany had refused to give any assurance of safe conduct for an American ship to enter an Irish port to bring home American citizens, although Italy had given such an assurance promptly.

British Attitude

London, Nov. 7.—(AP)—R. A. Butler, undersecretary for foreign affairs, told the house of commons today that "Britain must reserve full liberty of action in regard to Rome" since Italian officers had bombed London.

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Raleigh Is All Smiles Over Election Results

Raleigh, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Raleigh has been all smiles ever since Tuesday night returns showed the re-election of President Franklin D. Roosevelt and revealed the tremendous tidal wave of votes which have swept local lawyer J. Melville Broughton into the governor's mansion, which he will occupy for four years from next January.

Crowds Line City Streets

Washington, Nov. 7.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, first man in history to be selected for twelve years in the White House, told a welcoming throng of thousands today that he and the First Lady liked farm life but that of the cities in the country they would rather live in Washington.

Decisiveness of Election Triumph Shown by Increased Popular Majority

He made the statement with a laugh in a talk with a crowd which thronged the plaza outside Union Station upon his arrival from his home at Hyde Park, N. Y.

Huge Bridge Collapses

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 7.—(AP)—Tacoma Narrows bridge broke in half today.

Tacoma Narrows Bridge, a \$6,400,000 Suspension Structure, Falls Into Sound.

Parts of the huge span went cascading 190 feet into Puget Sound.

Both Sides Rush Troops To Koritza

Fascist Divisions Reported To Have Advanced Beyond Kalamas River in Northwest; Nazis Give Longest Raid.

(By The Associated Press.) Italy's long expected "big push" in the eleven-day old war with Greece was reported under way today as the Italian high command said fascist divisions had advanced beyond the Kalamas river on the northwest battle front.

The Italian invaders had reached the river eight days ago in their thrust from Albania.

Dispatches from the northeast front said the siege of Koritza, key Italian supply base ten miles inside Albania where 20,000 fascist troops have been reported "trapped," appeared to be reaching a critical phase.

Both sides were reported rushing reinforcements to the Koritza sector with the Greeks still holding the heights east of Koritza despite strong Italian counter attacks.

A decisive battle, it was said, appeared imminent.

Belgrade dispatches said the Italian troops had made "small advances" along the Greek west coast and that their columns were bombed by Greek planes.

Greece's high command acknowledged that Greek forces "retreated slightly" yesterday at the extreme western end of the 100-mile battle front.

In the battle of Britain, Nazi warplanes gave London's millions their longest night attack of the war and in Southampton rescue squads still dug this morning for dead and living entombed in the ruins of many buildings.

Other Nazi raiders scattered bombs over a wide area from the south coast to Scotland.

Hitler's high command reported heavy aerial blows against the British merchant marine.

Long range British bombers retaliated by attacking the Berlin suburbs of Stettin, the London air ministry reported, while other RAF bombs were dropped on "a concentration of shipping" at Cuxhaven, Germany, and on a convoy of ships off Holland.

Ickes Submits Resignation 'If And When'

Washington, Nov. 7.—(AP)—Secretary Ickes submitted his resignation to President Roosevelt today, offering to step out of his Interior department post when and if the White House chooses to accept it.

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No one was on the \$6,400,000 suspension structure when it fell. Still on the bridge, however, were an automobile and a logging truck.