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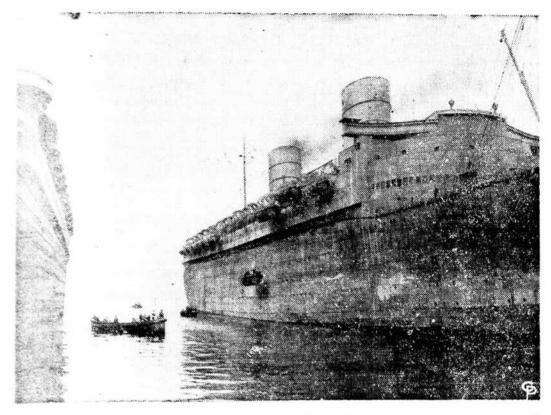
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Queen Elizabeth Sails For War Service



1000 British liner Queen Elizabeth, shown above at her New York pier as and out of her berth of early yesterday to go into active service in the British cause. British lge plans for the 65,000-ten ves cl. but it was assumed that she would join her sister in carrying troops from far-flung ports of the empire to war zones. The Queen Elizabeth York eight months ago after a maiden veyage dash across the Atlantic. Left above is the

15 Sailors

Hours.

StormTakesHeavyToll

92 Known To Be Dead

Two Score Sailors and Duck Hunters Drown or Die in Marshlands During Storm.

By the Associated Press)

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Axis Planes Fail To Pierce London Defenses Today

Lendon, Nov. 13.—(AP)—German and Italian planes failed in two attempts to bomb London today but broke through the defenses of the capital's outskirts on the third try. Other axis planes moved with greater success against towns in Wales and the Midlands.

Reoften watchers in the center of the city heard gunfire and expleding bombs during the third warning but the all clear was soon counded, indicating the raiders had been driven off again.

Four of the axis bombers were shot down, the ministries of home security and air announced. One of the planes was Italian, British said. It burst into flames over Sussez and its cargo of combs exploded in midair.

Raids were attempted in several parts of the country, most of them in southeast England, and many bombs were dropped, but the two ministries said "searcely any damage" was done.

reported aground protect aground protection sailors were near Ludington, Mich. Party Unity Not Likely

By CHARLES P. STEWART Central Press Columnist

Washington, Nov. 13. - Getting Democrats and Republicans to unity old weather prevail- behind our national government, now the nation except that election's over, doesn't look so difficult at present.

Leaders of the wining clement are it great pains to o intention to be verbearing. Leadrs of the defeated ontingent, on the pposite hand, are loing their best to behave like first-

Reported Pouring to management are concentrated an undertone of doubt as to the idea's sat- ed States. Democrats and Republicans might day an exchange of telegrams be- which began in 1922.

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(AP)— The harmonize fairly well in such an or reported today emergency as today's if the issue beis han wounded and tween them were a mere matter of spective party labels. The wenind Greek forces difficulty sensed by some competent no "pillaged" villages observes in the situation is that, retreating fascist irrespective of partisan considerations, rival basic philosophies are in

nent-a full de- During the campaign it frequently stral military observers was pointed out that President situation." The limit phase of hite Roosevelt and Candidate Willkie

Hull replied that "the matter of were pretty much in agreement on public hearings before your committee is one which concerns the policy

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Dies asked Hull whether this

"inight embarrass you in the con-

duct of our international relations or

in any serious way complicate the

ber 22.

The tanker Crude Oil was reported

missing with a crew of 23.

Dies Hearing

Approved By

Italian Fleet Is Crippled In Raid

Explosives Plants Blasts Probed For Evidence Of Possible Sabotage Attempts

Reports of Other Ex- 40 Bombers plosions and Suspicious Occurances Come To Britain on Heels of Three Blasts in Explosives Before Xmas Plants.

(By the Associated Press)

A series of blasts in explosives tention of investigators today in an attempt to determine whether they were connected with possible sabotage efforts.

A three-way inquiry was begun into the explosion in which eight were killed and 26 injured in the Are Rescued were killed and 26 injured in the United Railway and Signal Works plant at Woodbridge, N. J., yesterday. Although there apparently were no indications of sabotage, authorities had not altogether ruled out this

Members of Novadoc possibility. Three were killed in the plant of the Trojan Powder Corporation, Al-Crew Clung to Broken lentown, Pa., which had Army and Hulk of Vessel for 24 Navy contracts for explosives.

Another three died in the Burton Powder Works of the American Cyanamid Corporation at Edinburg, Pa., Ludington, Mich., Nov. 13.—(AP) in an explosion of 1,000 pounds of Fifteen sailors who clung to the broken hulk of the Canadian freigh-

ter Novedoc for more than 24 hours on the beach off Pentwater, Mich... On the heels of the powder plant were rescued today as fears rose that explosions came reports of other

another vessel might be added to the blasts and suspicious occurances. list of those that foundered in Mon- A ten-thousand-gallon storage day's disastrous Lake Michigan tank exploded at the Canton Refining Co., Canton, Ohio. In Oklahoma Already two big freighters and two fishing tugs are counted among the victims of the lake's worst storm in recent years with a probable loss of Two men were killed and two others.

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The gasoline tanker New Haven Socony, with a crew of 16 men, was nearly 36 hours overdue. An oar stamped I ith the name of the boat was picked up by beach patrols near Grand Haven, along with a quantity of other wreckage, part of which was identified as being from the two.

was identified as being from the two Todd Dry Docks in Seattle, shortly after plant officials had begun an lost fishing tugs.

Headwater coast guards reported investigation of a series of incidents the entire erew of the Novadoe was in which machinery had been dam-

removed today.

Sixteen bodies washed ashore

Gommenting on the chain of exalong the beach here and at Pent-water, 15 miles to the south, bore Martin Dies, Democrat, Texas, chairlife jacket identifications showing man of the house committee investi-Stewart Says New
He had been members of the crews of the Davoe and Minch. The 7-clared a crew of 38 and the 4,200-ton Davoe carried a crew of and the 4,200-ton Minch a crew of the said "the acts of sabotage in the Stewart Says New Party Alignment May

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and the 4,200-ton Minch a crew of 24 Both ships were believed to have been lost with all hands aboard.

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Who place the American all other considerations. The Chief Executive said of the messages contained

washed up on the beach near its Wrigley Fires Gabby Harnett

K. Wrigley, president of the Chicago Cubs, said today that Gabby Hart-Secretary Hull nett's contract as manager of the team would not be renewed when it

expires December 31.
"We are announcing the decision ate losers.

Nevertheless one notes in Washington. Nov. 13.—(AP)— The state department has advised the pies committee to use its own judgment on, where the two ment on whether to start public lieve the fans expect and are engroup's political hearings on the activities of German titled to know what's what about

tween Chairman Dies, Democrat, vestigating un-American activities.

The appeared with wriging shortly the world had its first inkling last the announcement was made Bay, which saved at least 29 ships the world had its first inkling last the announcement was made Bay, which saved at least 29 ships the world had its first inkling last the announcement was made Bay. and Secretary of State Hull on the and remarked. "Oh well, it's one of a convoy of 38 before sinking, week when distress calls erackled out advisability of hearings which Dies those things, I have no plans. I'm guns still roaring, in a mid-Atlantic over the Atlantic—told how the said were planned to start Novemgoing to try to stay in baseball but battle with a powerful German Jervis Bay headed without hesita- the fuelier presided at a large dinsaid were planned to start Novem-I have no idea what I'll do."

Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

Rain this afternoon and tonight; cold in the mountains tonight: Thursday elearing and

Washington, Nov. 13.—(AP)— Forty of America's great fourmotored nombing airplanes designed for long range flying are expected to be on their way to Britain before Christmus.

in one with President Roosev.z.s new policy for splitting munitions production with the pritish, the number delivery will give the British half of the Boeing aircraft plants output of 80 bombers by late December, Experts said the planes have range so great they easily could be flown across the Atlantic to

Reports persisted meanwhile of the release to Britain of one of the secret bomb sights developed by American military experts who regard them as the world's most accurate. Lacking any official confirmation, these reports said that the second and newer of the two sights held by the Army and Navy would not be released.

The 40 bombers-of a type possessed only by the United States-probably will be turned over to the royal air force in exchange for warplane engines now being manufactured in this country for Britain.

As other means of assisti British, plans were said to be well advanced for giving primary flight training this winter to 4.000 or more Canadian— and possibly British—pilots at United States schools not handicapped by the severe winter

Roosevelt Pledges Unity

of the messages contained pledges of provement' in prospects that organloyalty and support from men and ized labor would close ranks since women who voted against the ad-negotiating committees broke off disministration and "these messages in cussions months ago. things which is most welcome."

trength," he added. had deluged the executive offices in ence among hie rank and file that he Chicago, Nov. 13.—(AP)— Philip such volume that extra workers were employed to handle them.

To Succeed Pittman?



Gov. E. P. Carville

Gov. E. P. Carville, of Nevada, an anti-New Dealer, is reported ready to resign so he can succeed the late Senator Key Pittman. As the governor appoints senators to fill va-cancies, Carville could resign with the understanding that his successor would appoint him. The next general election will be in Novem-

Labor Peace In Prospect

William Green Confers With President Roosevelt; Sees ment.

Washington, Nov. 13-(AP)-Wil- reported missing. m Green discussed prospects of Washington, Nov. 13.- (AP) - "labor peace" with President Roose-

particular,' he asserted, "reflect a He attributed this improvement to spirit of national unity in essential a stronger sentiment among the rank and file of union members and to "In union we shall find our true what he said was a belief that John L. Lewis, the CIO chairman, done White House clerks said messages not exercise quite the same influ-

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Survivors Of Jervis Bay Arrive At Canadian Port

An Eastern Canadian Port, Nov. armed convoy guard ship, were kept He appeared with Wrigley shortly the armed merchant cruiser Jarvis Survivors of the fight—of which

Sven Olander, went back after dark until she was sunk by the latter's

Australian Ener converted into an Chazing hip.

They were brought into port late smokescreen under which the con- sion guests present. yesterday by a Swedish freighter, voy scattered, and plowed through a molotoff spent the morning in con-one of the convoy, whose captain, storm of shells straight for the raider ferences with Reichsmarshal Goeryesterday by a Swedish freighter, voy scattered, and plowed through a

the night of November 5 because the night of November 5 becaus

Naval Base At Taranto is bombed

Two Battleships and Probably a Third Seriously Damaged, Two Cruisers and Two Auxiliaries Hit By Royal Naval Bombers.

(By The Associated Press.) Britain's royal navy "has struck crippling blow at the Italian fleet." the London admiralty reported today, seriously damaging two fascist battleships and probably a third, as well as two cruisers "spuggling behind their shore defenses" at the Taranto naval base.

In addition, two auxiliary warships there were reported "lying with their sterns under water." Prime Minister Churchill told a cheering house of commans that "the result of the action decisively affects

the balance of power in the Mediterranean," London naval experts said that the victory would release powerful units of the British Mediterranean fleet to join in a world-wide hunt for a

London, Nov. 13 .- (AP) -British warships sank one Italian supply ship, set two others on fire and damaged a fourth supply ship and an Italian destroyer in an attack on a convoy off the port of Valona, in Albania. Monday night, the admiralty announced today.

A communique said that the attack occurred on the night of November 11-12, when a squadron patroling the main line of Italian communications across the Straits of Otranto between Italy and Albania intercepted the convoy of four supply ships escorted by two destroyers.

One supply ship was sunk outright, two were set afire "seriously" and "almost certainly sunk" while the fourth escaped. Both destroyers also escaped. the communique continued, but one was hit and damaged. The British sustained no casualties nor damage, it was claimed.

"obancop" Germon surface raider possibly the 10,000 ton pocket battle-Chance for Settle- ship Admiral Sheer of the Luctzow which attacked a convoy in mid-Attentic November 11.

Nine ships from the convoy are The admiralty said the attack "pro-bably" left only half of the fascist

pavy's six battleships still effective. Royal naval planes flying from andi-closed bases carried out the assault on the night of November 11-12, the admiralty said. A British admiralty communique

gave this picture: If other considerations."

Green, AFL president, said he Bomb hits caused such havoc The Chief Executive said that some thought there had been "some implementations of the battle hips they

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Soviet-Nazi Talks Held

Hitler Presides at Luncheon For Russian and German Dignitar-

Berlin, Nov. 13.— (AP) —Soviet onsuis and outer agents in the Unitary d States.

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