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COVENTRY LAID IN RUINS BY NAZI RAIDERS

Athens Radio Claims Two Italian Divisions Destroyed In Pindus Mountain Sector

"Thousands" of Prisoners Reported Taken; Greeks Reported Fighting on Albanian Soil in Center and and Northern Flank.

> 15.—(AP)—Destrue-Indian divisions presumout 30,000 men was Athens radio today Greece's armed forces ed sweeping successes

enerts had mentioned or only one division. went to aid of the

has taken the the entire 100-mile the Ionian sea to the and is driving the ywhere, the radio

re driven the invad-

Albanian border in ted to be assuming ed the Greeks with of prisoners after

and dispersed" an chich outnumbered in which the two were said to have vas reported to have he Pindus mountains of the battlefront.

divisions, the radio said, bry, and the second was hen it was sent to the

banian soil in this sec-on the northern flank neviously claimed the mountain positions domi-Albanian town of Koritza, Italian invasion base.

Spain Bans U.S. Newsmen

American refusal to Spanish official news be at Greenville, Raleigh, Fayette-

and the Chicago Tri- board included:

U.S. Protests Spanish Action

Nov. 25 - (AP) - The are has made representa-Spanish government over establishment of military international zone at whing Gibraltar, department said today ed on the basis of an treaty concerning atemational zone. un man has made re-

Steel Strikers Back To Work

Ph., Nov. 15, -(AP)the Crucible Steel Com-Scarcely a street escaped the pounding of the raiders. It was the diddy on a proposal to do adjustment of grievances. It was reached at a consumption of grievances and state land consumption of grievances. All night long the narrow streets in the narrow of the narrow streets in the narrow of the here, impressed by a plea ators and company and as

1,000 War Refugees



C. B. Jackson, a nurseryman, examines some of the 1,000 "war refu-gees" which recently arrived in Miami from Britain. Snugly protected by moss and excelsior, the "refugees" constitute the rare orchid collection of the Duke of Westminster, sent to the U.S. for the duration of the war.

(Central Press) Hoey Names Roof Collapses Draft Group

Operation.

Raleigh, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Governor Hoey announced the doctars today for 15. — (AP)—All that he is recommending to President that he is recommending to President Roosevelt for membership on six dissiden today to send out satches, beginning next reprisal for what offi-

E. to operate in the Ville, Winston-Salem, Charlotte and Asheville.

District One - Beaufort, Bertie, crowd. details were given, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Craven, no indication that Amer- Currituck, Dare, Gates, Greene, pendents would be oblig-tine country. Hertford, Hyde, Jones, Lenoir, Mar-tin, Northampton, Onslow, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell and Washington counties.

Drs. B. D. Armistead, W. M. B. Brown, J. L. Winstead and A. M. Schultze, of Greenville; R. H. Hack-ler of Washington, F. W. Carroll of Hookerton, Floyd Wooten of Kin-

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Vultee Plane Plant Closed By Strike

Downey, Calif., Nov. 15-(AP) -The Vultee airplane factory was closed today by a strike.

A CIO preset line was established early tais morning, thereby actively acguming one most strike at a factory manufacturing military crais since the start of the present national defense A meakdown of emergency. ware negotiations caused the walkout.

A spokesman for the firm said it was hoped that the plant could remain open with a skeleton crew, but at 7:30 a. m. it was forced to announce to several hundred workers that operations could not begin.

The company has on hand orders for \$39,000,000 worth of planes for the United States and \$11,900,000 worth for export.

The United Automobile Workers union claims a membership of "more than 3.009" of the 3.700 workers in the plant.

Four Injured As Theatre

tons of rafters and masonry down conventions. Six District Medical upon front seats of the half-century

Advisory Boards Set Because a previous cracking of a constitutional amendment requiring Up In State For Draft patrons a warning, sending them back to rear seats, there were only four casualties—three women treating and other steps between sessions.

In addition, the Amalgamated beauty 200 mat the present of appointments and other steps between sessions.

dience.

tered audience back to seats under CIO." the steel supported balcony.

The collapse came with a tearing, grinding roar. Men, women and chil- Woman Held In The counties in each district and grinding roar. Men, women and children scrambled out of exits. One woman was trampled by the panicky

Cotton Market Is Higher

District Two—Alamance, Caswelll and mill interests carried prices to hear here on Sunday morning, Dechatham, Durham, Edgecombe, new seasonal highs around mid-day, cember 31, 1939. when prices were 7 to 11 points

Coventry Is Described As Ambussidor Alexen- Like Scene Out Of Hades During And Following Raid

Coventry, England, Nov. 15.- tore at piles of brickwork and con- in October, 1939. (AP) - Coventry was like a scene out crete covering the bodies of their of Hades between dusk and dawn women and children.
Herbert Morrison, minister

Today there were at least 1,000 him came his wife.

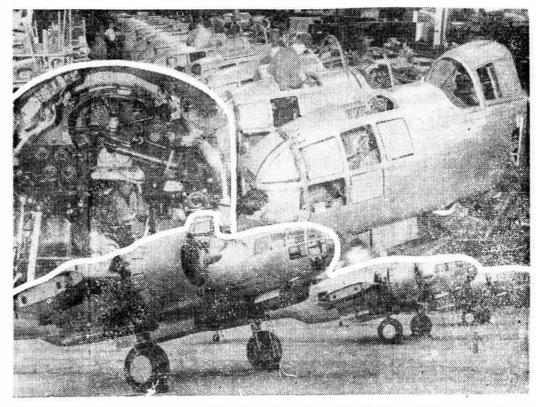
dead and injured, numberless victims were buried under vast piles of wreckage, fires licked through the town and the 14th century cathedral was but one of many buildings in hero dead. They worked for hours

is after Steel Workers thunder of diving planes, the scream of bombs and their explosions and One young man recovered a body and for all unionists to the roor of anti-aircraft cannonade, and then tunneled into the wreckage In Country tonight, frenzied men to pull out another-his wife.

amid falling bombs rescuing women

All night long the narrow streets ing the names of their wives and semiled and crumbled with the children and calling "we're coming.

Nearly Ready for America's Growing Air Fleet



These pictures indicate how production of war planes for American and British defense is being spec at the Glenn L. Martin Company plant in Baltimore, largest single unit aircraft factory in the U.S. Top, a line of nose sections moves up the assembly floor toward the final assembly operation. Lower, Martin 167-F bomber engine controls are checked. The planes still are without their wings. Insert, mechanics

Amalgamated Cloth-Season's First ing Workers Would Strip CIO President of Much of His Power.

Pittsburgh. Nov. 15.—(AP)— An audience gathered to view a movie drama of make believe experienced instead a terrifying real life spectacle when half of the Alvin theatre and evidence last wight showeving. roof collapsed last night, showering er to act without approval between

The group said it would offer at the CIO convention here next week the ceiling had given the nearly 200 that the president obtain executive

In addition, the Amalgamated ed for shock and an usher slightly board will seek immediate negotiations between the CIO and AFL for The collapse occurred before ar- labor peace and will present a resolurival of the evening's largest au- tion instructing CIO officers "to resume negotiations with the AFL and Shortly after 5 p. m. flakes of devote their best and most sincere efplaster began dropping from the forts to unite the two organizations ceiling. As long cracks appeared in on a basis which will not sacrifice the ceiling, ushers escorted the scat- any of the great gains made by the

Husband's Death old age reserve fund.

agent, announced today that Mrs. G. Irby Holmes, about 38, was being held in connection with the death of her husband. G. Irby Holmes, 43, along with Tom Melvin, 40-year old Negro.

New York, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened 1 to 6 higher.
A continuous demand from trade side his automobile on a lonely road new hore on Supply recently to Holmes, Goldsboro, taxi operator

Liquor Sales Set Record

Raleigh, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Liquor ores sales in North Carolings 28 stores sales in North Carolina's 26 over and readers have had a chance wet counties" totaled \$742,776,80 in October, an increase of more than some practical problems. The List could easily send prices of certain some practical problems. The List could easily send prices of certain commodities higher than ever before. \$60,000 over sales in September and thing which comes to mind is prices. commodities higher than ever before.

Chairman Cutlar Moore of the shopkeeper, or housewife, you are naturally interested in prices. Hence, is certain. This country will have naturally interested in prices. Hence, is certain. This country will have crease largely to "increased police my column this week is devoted to united front to build up strong dewhile German raiders dumped their home security, came from London to bombs in ceaseless relays.

Herbert Morrison, minister of activity against the illicit liquor traffic as he commented that 27 countries were represented in the Security. Johnston county closed its stores early in October after the voters apthe next four years. No one realizes reason why fancy price increases

Durham led in October sales with he dangers of inflation more than he does. When I was once talking the subject over with him he said on outsing more increases.

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Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Fair tonight and Saturday. colder tonight with freezing to the coast: Sunday and Sunday night generally fair, slowly ris-

Union Would Millis Nominated Curb Lewis For NLRB Post

Snow Blankets Mountain Area

West Jefferson, Nov. 15-(AP)-Snow-the first of the season in North Carolina-fell in the Blue Ridge mountain area yesterday and last night. After two-day rains, snow

started here late in the afternoon and several hours later a half-inch blanketed the ground. Snow also was reported at Boone. Banner Elk and Valle Crucis during the night.

Federal Tax Collections At High Mark

ing \$301.795,808 of social security transportation problems.

The transportation board, to be cessful causing tremendous devasta-

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By ROGER W. BABSON

Whether your are a manufacturer, a

Beware of Inflation.

ury, is heart and soul with him in

this opinion.

Vet, if prices are left to their own

tree movement, we may be headed.

Babson Expects Policy

Of Price-Fixing Soon

Copyright 1940, Publishers Financial there will not be, during World War

When I say "beware of inflation" to make abnormal profits from the

I am quoting the man who will be armament program. It simply will President of the United States for not be in the cards. This is another

the subject over with him, he said, ers have been issued on certain com-

"You need only to read history, modities before this word of mine

Babson, to see what has happened to gets into print. There will be no non-

national laeders who have enguled sense or playing about with war

their nations with dangerous infle-tion." His friend Mr. Henry Mor- of non-essentials will be obliged to

genthau, Jr., secretary of the Treas- wait until the manufacturers of war

Name of Chicago Educessor to Madden, Who Is Nominated for Britain began. Judgeship.

nomist, today to a five-year term on; were left raging in the city, where a the National Labor Relations Board, number of motor works and the man J. Warren Madden. The President also submitted

the senale a nonlinear to be a judge of the United States royal air force raiders attacked the court of claims. court of claims.

labor board before it was recon- wrecking an apartment building, expected in some quarters to co- Berlin railway stations and in other operate with board member William attacks slashed at 26 airdromes and M. Lierson in the latter's program harbors and shiping from Norway to for changes in staff and procedure. Edwin S. Smith is the third mem-Edwin S. Smith is the third member of the board.

Washington, Nov. 15.—(AP)—Federal tax collections since July 1 total ed \$2,000,466,569 today, not count-to be assigned a broad study of the attack on Coventry as a "mon-

appointed by the President subject to tion. The revenue figures reflected part confirmation by the Senate, is direct-Scott, State Bureau of Investigation gress this summer, with more of the fitness" of various types of carriers industrial centers, lying about 95 increased levies due to show up in with a view to determining the serv- miles from London, should be developed."

straight for inflation. It is true that

Need of War Materials.

fenses. No politician, labor leader,

nor businessman will be permitted

With the election over, one thing

Nazis Leave 1,000 Dead And Injured

Five Hundred German Bombers Sweep City With Deluge of 30,000 Incendiary Bombs and Million Pounds of High Explosives.

(By The Associated Press.) German night raiders inflicted a tol! of about 1,000 killed and wounded in a smarking assault on Coventry in the English industrial midlands, a British communique announced today charging that nazi airmen com-! mitted "indiscriminate bombardment of the whole city."

In Berlin, nazis exultantly declared that the ancient English city, where naked Lady Godiya once rode a horse through the town, was en-guifed in "an ocean of flames."

An armada of 500 German bombers carried out the attack, nazi quarters said, sweeping the city with a deluge of 30,000 incendiary bombs and 1,000,000 pounds of high ex-

Hitler's high command said officially that the raid was "in retailiafor British raids on Munich the night Hitler spoke there last

Today the town lay in smouldering ruins with uncounted townspeople still encombed in mountainous heaps of rubble. Mary fires were reported still burning this morning and firecator and Economist men were working against overwhelming odds. The city's 14th cen-Sent to Senate as Suc- tury cathedral was among the ruins. Observers said it was the worst at-

tack on any British city-including London-since the aerial siege of "The city suffered very seriously and the people bore their ordeal with great courage," a communique by

Washington, Nov. 15.—(AP)—the London ministry of nome se-president Roosevelt nominated Harry Chicago educator and eco-The Germans said 20 great fires

taking the place vacated by Chair- General Electric plant were said to be situated. to. Berlin's millions, too, felt the terthe senate a nomination for Madden ror of death from night skies as

Millis, 67, was a member of the thus far, killing four Germans and stituted and given greater powers. London's air ministry said the under the Wagner act in 1935. He is royal air force sprayed bombs around

planes but the Germans claimed 29

The city, with 190,000 population of the increased taxes voted by Con- ed study the "relative economy and is one of England's most important

At the same time a British ad-March.

As defense spending was slepped is especially fitted or untitted, the miralty communique listed five mine sweeping trawlers "lost"—presumably blown up.

Meanwhile, dispatches from Vichy said French Vice Premier Laval was hurrying to Paris in an attempt to stave off a definite break with Germany-resulting from the nazi-enforced expulsion of more than 100,-000 French-speaking residents from the province of Lorraine.

Record Cold Throughout The South

(By The Associated Press.) Winter staged a record breaking preview throughout the South today. Mercury dropped below the freez-ing mark from the Ohio valley southward toward Jacksonville, Fig., for some of the lowest temperatures on

record for so early in the season.

The middle west was not quite so cold as yesterday, although zero and below was reported in several sections. In the east temperatures were mostly above freezing.

A 20 degree minimum at the Atlanta weather station broke existing records for this time of year. Forecasters said no immediate relier was in sight and advised preparation for even greater cold to-forrow morning. Temperature in tinuto should go to 16 degrees, they

. d. while other southern readings commetted to remain in the same

The good old days of aliesez force at (Continued on Page Three)

are fully taken care of