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### Plymouth Re-enacts the Original Thanksgiving



residents of Plymouth, Mass., gather around the festive board while Captain Miles Standish Whiting) curves the turkey as the birthplace of Thanksgiving Day re-enacts a proview of the Republican Massachusetts is observing the day on November 28 with pageantry which will include this scene. (Central Press)

## Bombers To Aid Britain

# Released

Big Bombers, With 3,-000-Mile Range, Made Available For Purchase by Britain.

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d ted hombers, creditge, would be

Bomb Sights Thanksgiving Greeks Near Observed By Most Of U. S. Koritza

> (By The Associated Press.) Under roofs unmenaced by Lombers and at dinners prepared without ration cards. Americans in 32 states today returned fervent thanks for a nation at peace. The rest of the nation will celebrate Thanksgiving a week

from today on the usual last Thursday in November, but regardless of date both observances had the traditional spirit of the day in common.

President Roosevelt, like millions of other citizens, fell in with the hallowed custom for a family holiday-church services. a quiet home dinner, and hours of friendly talk. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt visited at Hyde Park with the President's mother. Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt.

ian Base and Marching on Another City. Athens, Nov. 21.--(AP)- Greek

forces were reported to have reached posals would be a cceptable. the outskirts of the Italian base city of Kortiza, in Albania, this morning. At the same time in the coastal

bania Italian resistance in that zone was

totally.

iles

**British Monarch Gives** Solemn Assurances the Empire Will Fight "Until Freedom Is Made Secure"; Air War Goes On.

Parliament

Hears King

At **Opening** 

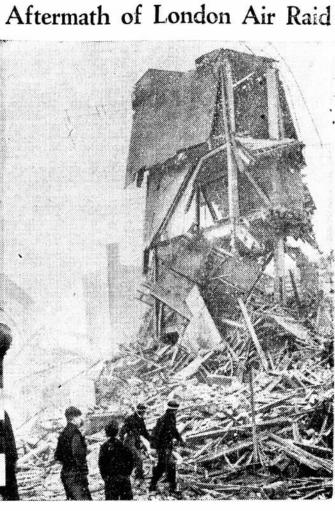
(By The Associated Press.) King George opened a new session of parliament today with solemn assurances the empire would fight "until freedom is made secure" and an expression of satisfaction that "an ever increasing volume" of munitions is arriving from the United States.

Greek Forces Report-His optimism was echoed by Prime Minister Winston Churchill, who told the house of commons Britain hoped ed at Outskirts of Ital- to give "a helpful measure" of as istance to the Greeks. In the house of lords Foreign Sec

retary Lord Halifax declared Britain hed made proposals for a trade agreement with Russia and had "some reason" to believe the pro-

Ramanian Diplomacy. Parliament opened as Rumania's Premier General Ion Antonescu and sector of the fighting zone. Greek columns were said to be marching rapidly on another important Ital-belief that Rumania, already domirapidly on another important Ital-ian base, Argirocastro, also in Al-handa by the nazis, is about to join the axis alliance.

In Berlin, the German high comreported to have collapsed almost mand asserted that German speed boats since the start of the war have Latest information from the front aid the Grasks were within six aid to f Argirocastro, which is said



This mass of debris is all that remained of a public hall in London after it was struck by German aerial bombs. ARP workers are probing the wreckage for casualties and possible valuables. (Central Press)

Increased Holiday

**Business Predicted** 

# King George Is Optimistic

Dies Group Bares

Nazi Activities

America.

"It is true that the evidence before this committee up until the present time is not all conclusive."

Quoting from many documents which it has seized, the committee described in detail activities which it attributed to the Trans-Ocean News Servee, a German organization; the German Library of Information, of New York; the German Railroads tion Office of New York and the American Fellowship Forum Babson Says Christ-mittee had seized in files of the Chemicai Marketing Company in The report also said that the commas Trade Will Be Chemicai Marketing Company in New York a plan entitled "The Or-

Far Sighted Penetration **Plan Cited** 

**Dies Committee Makes** Public 500-Page Review of Months of Inquiry; Charges Activities in U. S., Central and South America.

Washington, Nov. 21, -(AP) — The Dies committee declared today in a special report on nazi activities in the United States that the German government has been engaged in a "far sighted policy" of penetrating the economic structures of the Unit-ed States and Central and South

Making public a 500-page review of several months of inquiry, mostly in New York, the committee said:

"As a result of these investigations it became apparent that the activities of the German government in this country were not devoted solely toward propaganda and so-called mili-tary espionage, but also reflect the fact that the German government. over a period of years, has been engaged in the far sighted policy of penetrating into the economic structure of this country and those of Central and South America.

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of these bombers was by General George C. y chief of staff, at a service yesterday. He an-the 26 bordbers orld by the Army from and Aircraft Company ist, were being made they mane from the

21 - (AP) - Gover-shay that North Car-

brand setup had

miners of draft appeal here today.

President Rooseof was in readiness

journer recommend-

State's Draft

Setup Passed

Wagner Act

Changes To

Churches held special Thanksgiving services for communicants seeking spiritual reassurance in a world at war.

The Atlanta Constitution swept all war news from its front page and devoted the entire space to accounts of holiday festivities and a picture of three small girls kneeling in church services-"confident of showers of blessings, fearing no showers of bombs

Although thanks for peace and freedom were the keynotes of the day, they came from a nation looking to its defenses as the Pilgrims looked to their muskets on the first Thanksgiving Day. A great preparedness program was going forward regardless of

Heads Baptists Resolution

Dr. Williams

the holiday.

all selective service motified the gover-late was elected president of the

ed approved appoint- North Carolina Baptist convention

to rank equally with Koritza in stra- shipping.

It was on these two cities that the Italians had based their drive into Greece. Huge stores of war materials had been assembled in both cities. A thrust through the center of the Italian lines, putting the fascist forces to hasty flight at a point six miles within Albania, was the pre-vious high spot of Greek successes.

Observers in the Koritza sector reported that the Italians were aban-doning the city and all outgoing ground roads were under fire from Greek

artillery. Pilots flying over the coastal seetor reported that the Italians were retreating in such haste that none were seen intracdiately in the path of the pursuing Greeks.

**CIO** Adopts

Against Isms

Atlantic City, Nov. 21.--(AP)--The Congress of Industrial Organiza-

tions adopted today a resolution con-

demning "the dictatorships and

totalitarianism of naziism, commun-

ism and faccism as inimical to the

welfare of labor and destructive of

#### Britons Captured.

the Middle East, Air Marshal Ower

Antonescu has just had converations with Premier Mussolini, at which observers presumed the groundwork was laid for Rumania

(Continued on Page Five) **Dies Says Report** Wrecks Nazi Work

St. Louis, Nov. 21.—(AP)— Representative Martin Dies, Democrat. Texas, chairman of the House committee investigating un-American activities, said today he believed the "effectiveness of nazi activity in the United States would be destroyed" as the result of the committee's special report just released in Washington.

Describing the report as "uique in American history." Dies said it would focus the spotlight of publicity on various organizations and leaders engaged in un-American activities, thereby rendering valueless their existence in this country.

**UDC Officers** 

Warrants Issued At Nantahala

Andrews, N. C., Nov. 21.--(AP)-

Best in Many Years, ganization of German Industry in America After the War." With Continued Rise Year-End.

By ROGER W. BABSON

Andrews, N. C., Nov. 21.—(AP)— Warrants have been issued charging several persons with creating trou-the matched and project. New York City, Nov. 21.—Christbut no report has been received on mas trade during the coming holiday the number served, Sheriff A. B. season should be the best in many Slagle of Macon county said today, years. Business volume on my Bab-

Several difficulties have been en-countered in making the arrests, the sheriff said, adding that several of the accused live in counties other several of last year. Moreover, all factors point than Macon and several of the men to a stepping-up of business activ-bringing the charges have left for ity between now and Christmas. The he north. Meanwhile, the sheriff said, the be sharper both prior to Christmas. The academic world banded to The report asserted that

Meanwhile, the sheriff soid, the be sharper both prior to Christmas The report asserted that the plan scene is "quiet" although no an- and in the closing weeks of 1940 than showed a "very definite link" with

scene is quiet atmough to an-nouncement has been made as to when operations would be resumed. Labor leaders have said that the being forgotten. The war is still \$3,-being content in this country should be resumed being forgotten. The war is still \$3,-being forgotten the war is still \$3,-being started from a bureau to be es-tractioned by the started from a bureau to be es-being forgotten. trouble started Monday in an effort 000 miles away. People are deter-to oust northerners and thus provide mined in spite of future uncertain-in Berlin. more jobs for natives.

tie sto have a good Christmas. Last year my optimism for a holiday rush year I base my conclusions upon figures, but in addition upon the feelgures, but in addition upon the feel-ings and the spirit of 120,000,000 pco-To Meet FDR ple.

Lid Coming Off Business

Armanient payrolls are being felt in the heavy industry states. Cantonment construction is likewise pro-

Washington, Nov. 21—(AP)—Four top Coggressional tax leaders, it was learned today, have been invited to tiviting in this field will certainly con-

Tax Leaders

Thousands of individuals are get-In addition to taxes, the discus- envelopes will buy more turkeys and ed Monday for a showdown on the issue of foreign ims. This group, however, also sought to put into the CIO constitution an appendixed has. CIO constitution an appendixed has. CIO constitution an appendixed has.

This organization, the committee in Retail Selling for said, was "typically characteristic of the thoroughness of the German mind and its ability to foresee in great detail future developments."

"The plan lacks nothing in its effectiveness or in detail for the con templated organization, not merely stitution to underwrite and support



The executive council of the AFL ting back to work again. Their pay in its annual report condemned gangsterism within unions, but acknowl-

The resolution introduced by

(Continued on Page Five)

the President had ap- and Memorial Baptist church here. endations for local Dr. W. R. Cullom, Wake Forest. was named first vice president; the Rev. T. F. Dietz, of Sylva, second vice president, and the Rev. Oscar vice president, and the Rev. Oscar our form of government," The resolution, however, did not Creech of Ahoskie, third vice president. C. B. Deane of Rockingham was elected recording secretary and M. A. Huggins of Raleigh will remain as general secretary-treasurer. The resonant intervent, the proposal of the Amalgamated Clothing Work-ers to bar communists, nazis and facists from CIO offices. Thomas Kennedy, as chairman of The convention voted to limit the the resolutions committee, moved for term of president to one year and its adoution as in above moved for Be Considered term of president to one year and provide that no officer should suc-

Dr. Williams is pastor of Pritch-

Nov. 21. - (AP) committee would t week.

ing 15 changes in the at the are diments a gathering dust in attee.

choled that Senator in Ohio, had renewed made in September the take up the sug-

ceed himself. Asheville was selected for the 1941 meeting to be held in November. In a report on hospitals the con-The a report of hospitals the con-sanges in the Wagner vention was told by Dr. C. C. Car-set gained ground to-penter, dean of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine at Wake Forest School of Medicine at Wake Forest Democrat, Utah, that college, that completion of a \$1,000. 000 addition to the church hospital at t veck. Let by the Amalgamated Cloth-ing Workers and its president, Sid-herself. Mrs. the best equipped schools.

Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Cloudy, slightly warmer in north central and extreme west portions tonight: Friday cloudy, occasional light rain in west.

its adoption as "a plain, simple reaf-firmation of the policies of the CIO and John L. Lewis. hysteria or witch hunting," he said. up for passage of the resolution after

Led by the Amalgamated Cloth-



re-elected except Mrs. William Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi and services, are higher. Money in cir- observed Thanksgiving Day, repreagainst throwing the controversial is-sue open to debate. Led by the Amalgameted Clother eral and was inclinible to support the served three terms as historian gen-three terms as historian gen-bert to debate. cral and was ineligible to succeed Chairman Doughton. Democrat, purchases this Christmas than last demands for a wage increase and the

CIO constitution an amendment bar-ring subscribers to the repudiated (Continued on Page Five) Scond vice president. (Continued on Page Five)

North Carolina, and Representative year.

ney Hillman, national defense com-missioner for labor, a group has been Miss., was chosen to succeed Mrs. House ways and means committee.