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RUSSIA BATTLES TO STEM NAZI ADVANCE

Lindbergh Asks Apology From Ickes

Flier Sends Letter To Roosevelt

Lindbergh Declares He Has No Connection With Any Foreign Government, Says Decoration Given While Serving U. S. Embassy.

New York, July 17.—(AP)—Charles A. Lindbergh today advised President Roosevelt that he had no connection with any foreign government and that he received a German decoration while serving the American embassy in Berlin.

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Jap Reserve Called Out

Summoning of Undisclosed Number of Reservists Accompanies Cabinet Shift.

Shanghai, July 17.—(AP)—An undisclosed number of Japanese reservists in addition to the vast number of men already under arms are being called up as an accompaniment to the Japanese cabinet shift, according to reports received by foreign sources here.

Summoning of the reservist was first reported early this week, and today's dispatches said that several hundred men were being called up in China a year and a half ago had been recalled to the colors along with a number of reservists in Manchuria.

The reports early in the week were accompanied by disclosure that the Japanese port of Kobe (most likely point of embarkation for any southward military move) had been in effect closed to foreigners for a ten-day period starting July 15.

The general belief here was that the new cabinet would put into effect decisions already reached, but whether Japan intends to move north against Russian Siberia, Thailand and the French Indo-China, Thailand and the Netherlands East Indies, or intends any other move remained a matter of speculation.

Blitzkrieg Slowed as Nazis Meet General Mud



A German motor column is pictured passing through a mud-soaked area, according to the official German caption with it. It is said to be the first of the motor columns to have reached the city, and it is said that the mud is so deep that the tanks are being pushed up the road.

Konoye To Form New Cabinet

New Revolt By Tinkham

Massachusetts Senator Leads Apartment Residents in Resisting Dispossession.

By CHARLES P. STEWART, Central Press Columnist.

Washington, July 17.—Senator Charles C. Tinkham, Republican of Massachusetts, today announced that he had received a letter from a group of apartment residents in Boston, asking him to lead them in their fight against the dispossession of their homes.



George H. Tinkham, son of Charles C. Tinkham, is shown in a separate photograph, also wearing a suit and tie.

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Escapee Re-Captured

Shelby, July 17.—(AP)—Officers announced today the capture of a fugitive, Thomas Dunn, who had escaped from a prison in Shelby County, Tenn., after serving a term for a crime committed in 1938.

James May, 29, sentenced in Nash county to serve 25 to 30 years for second degree murder, was captured several hours earlier. A woman was sentenced today for the third, Latta Smith, 23, serving ten to 20 years under a conviction of store breaking, larceny and receiving in Durham county.

Riot Halts Plane Plant Production

Crowd of Several Hundred Men and Women Stone Workmen Entering Bendix, N. J., Factory; Steel Workers Also Strike.

(By The Associated Press.) Production of aircraft equipment was stopped at Air Associates, Inc., Bendix, N. J., today when a crowd of several hundred men and women stoned and forced the retirement of the day shift as it headed into the gates to work.

Difficulties started at the Bendix plant Saturday when members of the CIO United Automobile Workers placed a picket line there in protest against dismissal of nine sheet metal workers.

Assembling of New Japanese Ministers May be Completed for Installing Tomorrow.

Tokyo, July 17.—(AP)—Prime Minister Konoye today received the emperor's command to form a new cabinet to replace that which resigned last week to give way to the new emperor's government.

REDS SEEK FREEDOM FOR 'SLAVE' NATIONS

Washington, July 17.—(AP)—The Agriculture department announced today the food stamp program would be extended to Wilson county, N. C.

Growth For Small Towns Is Forecast By Babson

Economist Says Defense Program to Speed Trend Toward Diversification in Modern Migration of Industrial Plants.

By ROGER W. BABSON, City Editor.

Small towns in the United States are being transformed into modern industrial centers, according to an economist here.

Frontiers of '41. The old industrial city has been sharply reshaped by the necessities of defense.

A Kennedy in the Air



Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr., son of the former ambassador to Great Britain, is shown at the Squantum, Mass., Naval Air Station where he enlisted in the U. S. Air Force. He was quickly inducted into service for duration of the national emergency.

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Emergency Law Urged

General Marshall Says 'Urgent Necessity' Exists For Keeping Men in Service.

Washington, July 17.—(AP)—General George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, testified today that there was an "urgent necessity" from a military standpoint for Congress to declare a national emergency under which selectees, reserves and National Guardsmen could be retained in service beyond the present one-year period.

GERMANS TO HOLD AMERICAN ENVOYS

Berlin, July 17.—(AP)—United States consular officials and employees now rounded up for election from Germany and Europe will not be set free until German consular officials on the American Navy transport West Point are set down in Europe in soil, an authoritative source said today.

Hopkins In England

Supervisor of Lease-Lend Program Arrives in London for Series of Conferences.

London, July 17.—(AP)—Harry E. Hopkins, supervisor of the United States lease-lend program, arrived in London today, visited Prime Minister Churchill almost immediately and then attended a meeting of the British cabinet.

Churchill May Divide Power

London, July 17.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill is expected to have the house of commons debate the new Great Britain war production program today.

DNB Claims Smolensk Is Captured

Berlin Spokesman Indicates German Speed Troops Have Raced to Within 110 Miles of Moscow; 9,000,000 Troops Engaged.

(By The Associated Press.) Adolf Hitler's high command declared today that 9,000,000 troops were locked in a "tremendous struggle for a decision" on the eastern front today and that the Russians had thrown their last reserves into the 26-day old conflict in an attempt to stem the Nazi blitzkrieg.

A Reuters (British) news agency dispatch from Moscow late today said Smolensk was still in Russian hands this morning.

Smolensk and a Berlin spokesman indicated that German speed troops had raced toward within 110 miles of the Soviet capital.

A Moscow communique acknowledged a "violent" all-night fighting in which German and Russian troops contended for mastery of the road to Leningrad.

The Russian apparently conceded that Smolensk had broken through to the vicinity of Smolensk, but said it would not allow the German to advance toward Leningrad.

On the southern end of the 2,000-mile front, the Germans also captured the capture of Kishinev, capital of the province.

The Germans declared more than 100,000 prisoners were taken at the Smolensk sector, including a Soviet division of 10,000 men.

Without an agreed ceasefire, the battle was being fought in the Smolensk sector had been reached, and that the Nazi advance toward Leningrad was continuing steadily.

WEATHER FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Mostly cloudy with showers this afternoon and possibly in east portion tonight; Friday partly cloudy, possibly showers near coast.