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## Democrats Of State Favor Fourth Term For Roosevelt

### EVERYTHING BUT THE KITCHEN SINK



**SPEEDING TO OUR SHIPS** in increasing numbers are the new 20-man practically unsinkable rafts of the type above. Here packers install part of the equipment, which includes food, blankets, sail and engine, signal devices, charts, compass, tools, first aid and fishing kits, water, blankets, lantern, flashlight, massage oil and games.

## Broughton Endorsed On FDR Ticket

### Party Is Pledged To Betterment Of State in General

Raleigh, May 4. (AP)—The State Democratic Convention, favoring a fourth term for President Roosevelt and the nomination of Governor Broughton for the vice-presidency, considered today a platform commending the records of each and pledging the party to increased efforts to better the State in all its endeavors.

The platform committee made its presentation following a statement by Speaker John H. Kerr, Jr., the keynote that North Carolina "wants no socialistic government; it does not propose to become a test tube for the trying out of communistic schemes, either in the educational, economic or political life of the State."

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## Kerr Wants None Of Social Theory In His Own State

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## Nation Eyes Backing Of Broughton

### Connecting Him With Four Term Support Pondered

(By the Associated Press)

A move by North Carolina Democrats to link a fourth term resolution with an endorsement of Governor Broughton for the vice-presidential nomination shaped the political spotlight today, with belated returns indicating that Florida voters had not sent Harry F. Byrd, Virginia Democrat, into the presidential race against his will.

Some of the delegates to the State Democratic convention today pondered the possibility of connecting the fourth term resolution with support for Broughton, whose friends have been campaigning heavily for him in the South. Byrd has been endorsed by the Oklahoma League of Young Democrats for the post, which Vice President Wallace now holds and for which he is campaigning for re-nomination.

## U. S. Fortresses Bomb Airfields In Holland

### DRIVING BACK JAPS AT HOLLANDIA



**RUNNING FORWARD** in a crouch, U. S. bombardiers shot flaming the jungle of Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, shortly after the Allied bombing. Caution must be employed by the troops, for the excellent tree cover conceals excellent nests for snipers. Signal Corps radiophoto. (International)

## Invasion Defenses Attacked

### Romanian Capital Again Smashed By Planes From Italy

London, May 4. (AP)—American Flying Fortresses, blasting at Hitler's warping air power in the twentieth consecutive day of precision aerial assault, bombed a German airfield in Holland today.

The new blow by American heavy bombers coincided with heavy morning attacks by American and British bombers on German air-raid installations in northern France.

They will only be too glad to try their great Allied air power tonight, flying into the port of Rotterdam, because of the high and low flying planes of the Luftwaffe.

A preliminary United States announcement indicated that the Fortress formation which slammed its explosives on the airfield somewhere eastward, probably numbers of less than 200 planes. It made no mention of further results.

## Kerr Advises Caution But Praises His Party In State And Nation

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By LANA NISBET

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## Wester Made Delegate To Chicago Meet

Raleigh, May 4. (AP)—House delegate Walter Wester, of Orange, was named today to the Democratic National Convention in Chicago in July.

Wester, who is a member of the State committee, was named to the convention by the State committee.

## House Will Pass Simple Tax Bill By Big Majority

Washington, May 4. (AP)—The House today passed a simple tax bill by a big majority.

The bill, which is a measure to simplify the tax system, was passed by a vote of 350 to 100.

## Series Of Jap Attacks In India Repelled By Allies

Washington, May 4. (AP)—A series of Japanese attacks in India were repelled by the Allies today.

The attacks, which were made in the region of Imphal, were repelled by the Indian and British forces.

## RAF Bombers Sink U-Boat at Sea in The Indian Ocean

London, May 4. (AP)—A Royal Air Force bomber sank a German U-boat in the Indian Ocean today.

The U-boat, which was carrying a large cargo, was sunk by a RAF bomber.

## In District Groups, FDR Is Endorsed

Boston, May 4. (AP)—The sixth and seventh congressional districts today endorsed Franklin D. Roosevelt for a fourth term.

The endorsement was made by the district groups of the Democratic party.

## Senators Seeking More Alcohol For Making of Liquor

Washington, May 4. (AP)—Senators today are seeking more alcohol for the making of liquor.

The Senate is considering a bill to increase the amount of alcohol that can be used for the making of liquor.

## U. S., Britain Blacklisting Many Firms

Washington, May 4. (AP)—The United States and Britain today blacklisted many firms.

The blacklisting was done because of the firms' support of the German war effort.

## 88 Tons Bombs Dropped On Jap Base At Rabaul

Washington, May 4. (AP)—Eighty-eight tons of bombs were dropped on a Japanese base at Rabaul today.

The bombing was done by the United States Army Air Corps.

## Soviet Front Mostly Quiet For Present

London, May 4. (AP)—The Soviet front is mostly quiet for the present.

There have been no major battles reported in the region.

## Legion G. I. Bill Moves Into Storm In House Debate

Washington, May 4. (AP)—The American Legion's G. I. bill moves into a storm in the House today.

The bill, which provides for the payment of interest-free loans to veterans, is being opposed by some members of the House.

## Bricker Only Major Dewey Opponent Now

Washington, May 4. (AP)—Governor John W. Bricker, of Ohio, is now the only major opponent of Thomas Dewey for the Republican nomination.

Bricker is being opposed by Dewey and other candidates.

## Weather For North Carolina

**FOR NORTH CAROLINA**  
Fair to partly cloudy and mild tonight. Friday, partly cloudy with scattered thundershowers and continued warm.