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## Britain Will Maintain Her Policy In Palestine

### Zionists Assail British Actions To Halt Jews

London, Aug. 14.—(AP)—The British cabinet heard reports from the chiefs of the army, air force and navy of a tense situation in the Holy Land today and agreed, an authoritative source said, to stick to its present course, "however much the position deteriorates."

The three armed services will continue to take "whatever measures are necessary" to implement the government's decision to end unauthorized entry of Jewish refugees into Palestine, the informant said.

Three persons were killed and seven wounded at Haifa yesterday when crowds stormed British military cordons guarding the port while 1,000 immigrants were taken off their ships and put aboard transports for shipment to detention camps on the island of Cyprus.

#### Zionists Condemn Action

Zionist spokesmen loudly condemned British measures to halt illegal immigration to Palestine, where conditions were reported critical in the wake of rioting in Haifa yesterday.

Dispatches from Jerusalem quoted a spokesman for the Jewish Agency as saying that denigration of illegal immigrants to Cyprus had "aroused anger throughout the Jewish community" and the British government's efforts to justify the action had only "added fuel to the flames."

#### Services Mobilized

The Royal Navy, the British army and the Royal Air Force are today mobilized against a few thousand helpless mortals who are trying to reach the only entry in the world where they have friends where their families are waiting to receive them, and where they can have the opportunity of building up their lives anew," he continued.

"Today, 15 months after the defeat of Germany, Hitler's victims throughout Europe are in the same plight as they were on the day of liberation with only this difference: That the policy of the British government has robbed them of all hope."

In Paris, the Jewish Agency Executive Committee issued a formal statement condemning the British ban on so-called illegal immigration as "an act of great cruelty."

## Run-Off In S. C. Primary Is Set Sept. 3

Thurmond, McLeod Take Top Position; Wallace Is Third

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 14.—(AP)—J. Strom Thurmond of Edgefield, who campaigned against what he termed "Barnwell for a control" of state government for a better South Carolina, both war veterans, prepared today for a run-off primary Sept. 3, for the Democratic nomination to the South Carolina governorship.

Thurmond, with a commanding lead, and McLeod, as a strong runner-up, pushed out nine other gubernatorial candidates in today's third place Gov. Ransome J. Williams, state liquor store advocate, who was seeking nomination of a full term in yesterday's primary election. William Jennings Bryan Dorn, youthful former state senator from Greenwood, defeated veteran Congressman William J. Hare of Saluda for nomination in the third district. Two other unopposed congressmen, the fourth district's L. R. Bryson of Greenville and J. L. McMillan of Florence, sixth district, apparently won re-nomination.

### PRODUCTION LINES HUM AT PACKARD

Detroit, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Production lines hummed again at Packard Motor Co. today as 8,500 workers resumed their jobs after a 3-day idleness resulting from a dispute over maintenance work. Neither company officials or officials of the CIO United Auto Workers would comment on the terms of the settlement.

### G. M. PLANTS CLOSED

Pontiac, Mich., Aug. 14.—(AP)—Three General Motors Corp. plants, employing an estimated 13,000 workers, were closed today following a V-J day demonstration by a group of army veterans protesting lack of vacation pay.

### TRIPLETS NOW HAVE TWIN SISTERS



THINGS NEVER HAPPEN SINGLY in the household of Raymond Macatee, a motorman on the Philadelphia Transportation Company lines. Last year triplets, Eileen, Betty Ann and Rosemary (shown below) arrived. And now twin sisters (above) in the arms of a nurse have just been added to the rapidly enlarged family. (International Soundphoto)

## America Observes V.-J. Day

Record Of Progress In Year Of Peace Told By Steelman

By The Associated Press.

Without formal pause, the nation joyfully yet prayerfully observed the first anniversary today of Victory in World War II.

One year to the day after he proclaimed Japan's unconditional surrender, President Truman asked Americans to dedicate this first "victory day" to prayer and highly resolve that:

"The cause of justice, freedom, peace and international good will shall be advanced with undiminished and unrelenting efforts, inspired by the valor of our heroes and armed services."

#### "Record Of Progress."

While military men and others were paying tribute to those who fought and died to bring the war to its end, Mr. Truman's reconversion drive for totaled up the balance sheet to see what a year of peace has meant to the home front.

In a statement last night, John R. Steelman, secretary of the War Relocation Authority, outlined the "record of progress we have made."

1. Jobs for all those willing and able to work: "We have reached substantially full employment and have created nearly five million new jobs in the process. Now we face the task of consolidating these gains by an ever increasing production and employment opportunities."

#### Production High.

2. A steadily rising standard of living: "The yearly production rate of goods and services for civilian use has increased more than \$30,000,000,000. Total production and production of some goods has quadrupled. Total income payments to individuals equal or exceed the war-time peak."

3. Stabilization of the dollar: "We have successfully avoided the deflation which, in some cases, was rampant; closed but inflation remains a constant threat."

4. Increased opportunities for farmers and businessmen: "Almost a quarter of a million new businesses were established in the last half of 1945, and there is every reason to hope that the birth of a new business will continue at a high rate."

## North Carolina Marks Occasion

Raleigh, Aug. 14.—(AP)—North Carolinians along with the rest of the nation took time out from the business of reconversion today to observe the first anniversary of V-J Day signifying the passing of a year since the unconditional surrender of Japan.

Main military touch of the occasion was at Southern Pines where the famed 82nd Airborne Division, led by its youthful commander, Maj. Gen. James Gavin, was on parade.

A gala program, including a speech by Undersecretary of War Kenneth Royall of Goldsboro, a parade, barbecue and numerous sports events was planned for the Beaufort county celebration in Washington.

A combined V-J Day and Farmers Day program at Smithfield was topped by an address by Senator Clyde R. Hoey.

Awards to gold star mothers and their relatives of war dead were to be made at the Lee county observance at Sanford. State Treasurer Charles M. Johnson was to make the main address.

## Royall Heard At Washington Fete, Defends Contracts

Washington, N. C., Aug. 14.—(AP)—The Garson combine expose produced fresh new army instructions forbidding officers from "close association, social or otherwise," with contractors. Undersecretary of War Kenneth C. Royall declared today. In an address before victory day here, Royall stoutly defended the army's over-all record in letting war contracts.

But he observed that the type "of close relationship" brought out by the Senate War Investigating Committee hearings in Washington last month, "should not be countenanced." "Even if not directly proved to be dishonest, it might well result in undue influence upon government officials and on the part of contractors to make even clearer that this kind of thing not take place."

## New York Cotton

New York, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened five cents a bale higher to 25 cents lower. Noon prices were 50 cents to \$1.00 a bale lower. October 35.83, December 35.65 and March 35.51.

## Romania Asks Thrace, Ukraine Backs Claim

### Don't Look—But—



REALLY, it's more than anyone can bear! Imagine the embarrassment of Patty Lou, aged 1. There she was, about to pose as "one of the prettiest babies" at the Rosalia Foundling and Maternity Home, Pittsburgh, Pa., when the bottom fell out of her plans—or something sinned. (International)

## Plane Ride Vies With Lost Colony For Most Thrills

Manteo, Aug. 14.—Miss Johanna Irion, who is 77, took her first plane flight and saw The Lost Colony for the first time, all in the same day, and it was a toss-up with her which she enjoyed the more.

Miss Irion is the aunt of Miss Barbara Benedict, who plays Queen Elizabeth in Paul Green's dramatization of the first attempts to colonize the New World.

"It is very beautiful," said Miss Irion, who lives in Crestwood, N. Y., following her first view of The Lost Colony. I especially liked the choral numbers. They are quite operatic in their effect at many points.

"But that plane ride was all right, too, and I plan to fly home when the times comes for me to go. I wouldn't miss it for anything."

## Territory On Aegean Is Now Held By Greece

Paris, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Bulgaria formally presented a claim to the Paris peace conference today for the present Greek territory of western Thrace and was supported by the Soviet Ukraine delegation.

Frankly admitting a "deliberate bludge" with Germany during the war, Bulgarian Foreign Minister George Koulichiev nevertheless maintained that the Bulgarian army "did not fight on any front against the anti-Hitler coalition." He asked that his nation be accorded the status of an Allied co-belligerent, the same as that sought yesterday by Roumania, and other defeated German satellites.

Western Thrace is a narrow strip of territory along the northern coast of the Aegean Sea which gives Greece a common frontier with Turkey.

Admits War Declaration. Koulichiev admitted Bulgaria had declared war on Britain and the United States (she maintained friendship with Russia.)

He said: "The Bulgarian army was merely used as an occupation force and not one single soldier fought against Yugoslavia or Greece."

The foreign minister presented Bulgaria's plea for a lenient peace in place of Prime Minister Kimon Georgiev, chief of the Bulgarian delegation, who had been scheduled to speak. The switch in spokesmen was announced at the last minute by United States Secretary of State James Byrnes, serving his third and last day as chairman of the conference under a system of rotation.

After the Bulgarian finished his appeal, Wincenty Rzymowski, chief of the Polish delegation, delivered a brief commentary on the Bulgarian case in which he expressed belief that Bulgaria "deserves an indulgent peace."

"Poland extends a friendly hand to Bulgaria and asks others to do so," declared Rzymowski.

## Selected Issues Gain In Market

New York, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Selected rails, industrials and utilities celebrated the first anniversary of World War II victory today with a good advance although many stock market leaders failed to participate. Prominent on the up-side were Norfolk and Western, Southern Railway, Pennsylvania Power, Good-year and Douglas Aircraft. Laggards included Chrysler, U. S. Steel and Johns Manville.

Transportation bonds stiffened.

## Taking No Chances



TO MAKE SURE that her husband, Lt. Jack Schneider wouldn't miss her as he debarked from the troopship George Washington, Mrs. Schneider used this sign at the Staten Island, N. Y., pier where the liner docked. (International)

## De-Control Panel Denies Statements

Washington Reports Say Group Already Has Made Decisions

Washington, Aug. 14.—(AP)—Two members of the powerful new de-control board today protested sharply when a witness spoke of "Washington reports" that the board favors re-establishment of price controls. Thomas Linder, Georgia commissioner of agriculture called attention at the board's hearings that the board was "surrounded by former OPA officials" and that "arrangements" have been made as to what the board will decide.

Linder, who testified against applying price controls to cotton seed, said these rumors are that the board will "carry out the President's wishes."

The veteran Georgia farm leader added that he did not desire to "be a party to any such charges."

Bell Challenges Statement. Daniel W. Bell, former undersecretary of the treasury and now a member of the decontrol board, challenged Linder's statement that "thousands of letters are going out from Washington on that decisions of the board are already made."

Bell asked Linder if he could supply copies of such letters. Linder said he did not have any with him today but could get several. He said the letters were from Washington services featuring inside government and business information.

Bell then told Linder it was "not necessary to make such a statement before this board." Bell reminded the witness that the board had announced it was conducting an impartial hearing.

## OPA Boosts Coffee Price

Washington, Aug. 14.—(AP)—OPA today authorized immediate retail price increases on coffee, ranging from 10 to 12 cents a pound.

The increase results from: 1—Cancellation of an import subsidy of three cents a pound. The subsidy was discontinued when the price control law lapsed July 1.

2—A increase of about two cents a pound authorized for importers June 23. This increase had not been passed on to the retail level.

3—A further increase of about three cents a pound in importers' rebates authorized today as an incentive to increase coffee importation.

The amount of the retail price will vary, depending upon methods of distribution of coffee, OPA said.

## Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Partly cloudy and moderately warm tonight and Thursday.