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Double-crossing and treachery are not comprehended by liberty-loving Americans, but they are remembered and they will be avenged.

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DOUBLE CHECK

Will that be the action on the anti-inflation bill, or will it affect only wages and allow parity plus on farm prices?

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FLAMING STALINGRAD STILL DEFIES NAZIS

WAGE-PRICE CONTROL BILL TO BAN INFLATION PRESENTED IN SENATE

Check Sought On Boost In Living Costs

Amendment Demands Parity Plus for Prices Of Farm Products

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The unprecedented anti-inflation bill came up in the senate today, along with a committee report that food prices had been advancing at the rate of 40 per cent a year since last spring.

Lending further urgency to the measure authorizing presidential control of the cost of living were these other findings by the senate banking committee:

Prices received by farmers had risen 85 per cent from August, 1939, to August, 1942, while the prices paid by the farmers had increased 22 per cent in the same period.

Since 1939 hourly wage rates in all manufacturing industries had advanced about 30 per cent and that the aggregate of wages and salaries paid out had risen 22 per cent.

From January 1, 1941, to May, 1942, unit labor costs had increased at the average rate of 1.1 per cent per month.

"Unit labor costs will unquestionably increase still further, even apart from increases in wage rates, as a consequence of the loss of skilled workers, introduction of less skilled labor and inevitable transportation and other delays."

Control of wages and salaries "must proceed simultaneously with control of food cost."

Parity Plus Demanded

Senator Thomas (D.-Okla.) said a senate agricultural subcommittee would submit the following amendment to the bill to the full

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In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

It is hard to escape the conclusion, as this is written, that we are witnessing the beginning of the end at Stalingrad.

THE Russians acknowledge that the Germans, throwing in "several tens of divisions," have broken into the city's northwest outskirts. Izvestia (Russian newspaper) says: "Von Bock has sent perhaps 300,000 to 450,000 troops, led by tanks and supported by swarms of dive bombers, crashing through Stalingrad's northwest gates."

Moscow dispatches relate that "hordes" of German reserves are moving up to replace the fallen, some arriving in transport planes landing immediately outside the city.

THE picture of the last days at Sevastopol is apparently being reproduced at Stalingrad. And in the same way—the Germans, exerting maximum force at the chosen point, overwhelming the defenders.

AFTER the fall of Stalingrad what?

No outsider can answer that question with any assurance. We on the outside can only guess.

The fall of Stalingrad may be the token the Japs have been waiting for. They may immediately start something they have promised Hitler to start as soon as he takes the metropolis of the lower Volga.

They may NOT. This writer has the feeling the Japs are fighting their own war and will co-operate with Hitler only when such co-operation serves their

War Victory Demands Reduced Living Standard, Nelson Says at Legion Rally; Veterans Back Program of President

Food Alone to be Ample as "Pinch" Comes, Warning of Production Board Chief

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Donald M. Nelson, chairman of the war production board, warning that the country must accept a "very much lower standard of living" in order to win the war, asserted today that "we have hardly begun to feel the pinch, so far."

"We are going to feel it very acutely before we are a year older," he said in an address to the national American Legion convention.

"It is my considered opinion that we are going to have to cut farther and more deeply into our civilian economy than even the British themselves have done yet—with the single exception of food."

"We are going to have enough to eat throughout this war, and we probably will not have to put any very drastic limitations on our very range of choice in that regard, but in almost every other respect we are going to have to be ready to do without—and do without—and do without until this war has been won."

Nelson explained that the country hadn't yet felt the pinch of war "because our shelves were full."

"We have been living on our

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Two Barns, Garage Of Geo. Kohlhaugen Destroyed by Fire

A smoker's carelessness was blamed today by the officers of the Douglas Forest Protective association for a fire which swept over eight acres immediately north of Winchester Sunday, destroying two barns and a garage belonging to George Kohlhaugen, local cattle raiser and meat dealer.

Starting from the highway, apparently due to the carelessness of a motorist in tossing out a burning match or cigarette into the dry grass of the roadside, the flames, fanned by a strong wind, raced through tall grass and set fire to the three buildings. The structures, all of wood-on construction, blazed fiercely and showering sparks scattered the fire over a considerable area.

Fire fighters from the local forest protective station were hurriedly dispatched to the scene, with the association's pumper engine, and succeeded in controlling the spread of the flames, but the fire had advanced to such a stage that nothing could be done to save the buildings.

Two fire crews also were called out Sunday to extinguish a blaze in the Riffle creek district, 20 miles northwest of Glendale. The fire was believed to have been a holdover from a recent lightning storm. It was kept confined to two acres.

Closure Order Hits All Oregon Forests

PORTLAND, Sept. 21.—(AP)—With the hunting season only five days off, Oregon forests were closed to all entry today.

State and federal forest officials ordered the closure last weekend because of unfavorable conditions.

Governor Sprague promised only that entry would be permitted when conditions improve.

Oregon hunters were reminded that they can aid the war effort by saving their cartridges.

Roster to be Open to Vets of Present Conflict; Opposition To Strikes is Reaffirmed

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The American Legion wants to take in today's fighting men.

The Legion's national convention voted yesterday to open its membership to the present veterans and to ask congress to amend its charter so it can be done.

The action came by a resolution—one of several approved by the convention's 1,500 delegates. One of them reaffirmed the Legion's stand against strikes and discrimination in employment at war production plants.

Civilian control of Japanese internment camps was criticized and the legionnaires went on record opposing any special privileges for the Japanese under any pretext.

They pledged complete support to the president in prosecution of the war; condemned persons refusing to bear arms for the nation and petitioned congress for legislation barring government employment of conscientious objectors.

The question of a 1943 convention was left for the executive committee to decide.

Approval by congress of the proposal to amend the Legion's charter to take in the new veterans is regarded as merely a technicality. The Legion also authorized its woman's auxiliary to take similar action for feminine relatives of veterans of the war.

Caucuses in advance of the annual election today gave Roane Waring of Memphis, utility executive and attorney, such a commanding advantage for national commander that the voting today is regarded as a mere formality.

The other three candidates are Warren H. Atherton, Stockton, Calif., Frank Greenya, Milwaukee

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M. O. Ream Now Heads Adv. Dept. Of News-Review

M. O. "Tiny" Ream, owner of Overland orchards, today joined the Roseburg News-Review staff, bringing to the organization the experience of many years in newspaper and commercial printing work. Mr. Ream, who became a resident of the county in February 1941, has taken over the management of the News-Review advertising department, replacing Bill Ralston, who left last week for Fort Lewis, where he was enlisted in the U. S. army and will be assigned to public relations work, probably at the army public relations office in Portland.

Ream, who began his duties with the News-Review today, came to Douglas county for the purpose of retiring from newspaper work, after devoting many years to printing and publishing.

His connection with newspapers dates from his early boyhood, when, as a 5th grade student, he secured a job as a printer's devil in a California newspaper shop. He moved to Arizona as a young man, where he was employed on several newspapers and later engaged in commercial printing. For a number of years he was owner-publisher of the Mohave County Miner, a newspaper published at Kingman, Arizona, and after the sale of that business moved to Douglas county and purchased the Overland orchards.

He is a past president of the Kingman, Ariz., chamber of commerce; and past president of the Rotary club there. He is a member of the Masonic lodge and of the local Rotary club.

Jehovahites Embattled In Two States

Sprague's Appeal Ends Klamath Falls Clash; Guns Bark in Arkansas

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—A patriotism riot against members of a religious sect left a multitude of black eyes and tender noses in Klamath Falls today.

Townpeople, fired by three days of pamphleteering by 400 convention delegates of Jehovah's Witnesses, the sect that refuses on religious grounds to salute the flag, surrounded the Witnesses' convention building yesterday.

They set up a war bond booth and called to Witnesses to make purchases. Sound equipment blared patriotic music. None of the sect members responded.

Small at first, the crowd grew to 1000. A rock was thrown at the building. Windows shattered as a few stink bombs and rotten eggs followed.

Part of the crowd rushed an entrance. Set members met them with sticks. After 15 minutes of battle, the crowd retreated. Minor injuries were numerous on both sides, but nothing serious

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Finland Asks Guarantee For Lasting Security

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The Finnish minister to the United States, Procope, has taken notice of suggestions that Finland and Russia sign peace terms and his reaction is:

"Finland wants to cease fighting as soon as the threat to her existence has been averted and guarantees obtained for her lasting security."

The minister issued the statement while the Russians still held off the Germans in the Caucasus, and the circumstances led to speculation in diplomatic quarters whether Finland might be, at least, putting out a feeler on possible peace terms.

After noting the peace suggestions in diplomatic circles and the press, Procope's statement continued:

"However, no peace proposal has been made to Finland, still less any promise of restitution of territories belonging to her and least of all any guaranty for lasting security."

Here's How Red Soldiers Mop Up Invaders



Russian soldiers' "business" is hunting down nazis and here's how they go about it. "Somewhere on the Russian front" Red infantrymen move in to attack an enemy outpost on the outskirts of a village captured during battle for an "inhabited locality."

Fresh Navy Funds Asked By Roosevelt

Items Include Hundred Million for Arming of Merchant Vessels

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—President Roosevelt asked congress today to appropriate \$2,731,154,307 more for the navy, including \$100,000,000 for arming merchant ships.

The largest item was \$960,000,000 for the bureau of aeronautics, of which \$820,000 would be for the procurement of helium.

The new funds would supplement regular appropriations already made.

Other items in the request, which the budget bureau said was necessary "to provide for additional requirements for the prosecution of the war," included:

Training, education and welfare, \$21,640,000; pay, subsistence and transportation of naval personnel, \$734,216,136; bureau of yards and docks, \$35,069,775, including sufficient funds to purchase 2,000 passenger vehicles; marine corps pay, \$204,448,642; miscellaneous expenses of the marine corps, \$250,000,000; coast guard pay, allowances and miscellaneous expenses, \$339,166,000.

Taxation Limit Set

The senate finance committee amended the new revenue bill today to place a limitation on the amount of federal income and victory taxes which could be collected from any individual at 90 per cent of his next taxable income.

Committee attaches said this would affect only persons with taxable incomes of approximately \$1,000,000 annually, since the combined rate of both taxes would not exceed 90 per cent for those in lower brackets.

Because approximately 43,000,000 persons will be required to file federal tax returns under the new bill, the committee acted to eliminate a provision requiring taxpayers to have their returns notarized.

Colin F. Stam, head of the con-

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Forest Fire Battled in South Umpqua District

The largest forest fire of the season was reported burning today in a remote section of the South Umpqua district of the Umpqua National forest. The fire was reported to be of from eight to ten acres in area and was spreading at latest reports.

Due to the remote location, fire fighters did not reach the scene until early this morning, but sufficient men were sent to the area, it was expected, to secure control during the day. The blaze was believed to be delayed from a recent electric storm.

Street Battles Rage While Big Guns, Planes Pound City; Munich Devastated by RAF

Fire Ravages Birthplace Of Nazi Party

Raid Costs British Ten Planes; Germany's Ace Battleship on Prowl

LONDON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Broad sections of Munich, birthplace of the Nazi party and site of important German war industries, lay devastated today under the weight of a smashing RAF attack which returning pilots said touched off fires so vast they could be seen 100 miles away.

Details of the assault were unfolded last night after the air ministry had analyzed reports of bomber crews who winged their way homeward after dawn yesterday from the daring 1,300-mile round trip foray—the 11th night raid on Germany this month.

The attack on Munich was accompanied by another raid on the oft-bombed Saar industrial region in western Germany.

While the exact number of planes participating in the Munich raid was not disclosed, official reports indicated that the destruction caused rivaled that seen in other German cities which have been the targets of some of the RAF's mightiest assaults.

The British reported the loss of 10 planes during the night. Assuming that these losses amounted to five per cent, observers reckoned that upwards of 200 aircraft took part.

Accounts of the devastation wrought in the attack indicated that Britain's new 8,000-pound building-wrecking bombs might have been part of the explosive cargo loosed while the bombers circled over Munich for 30 minutes.

A few German planes were

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Fire Destroys Sawmill Near Central Point

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 21.—(AP)—The Southern Oregon Sugar Pine company sawmill near Central Point was destroyed by fire Saturday at a loss estimated by Chauncey Florey, owner, at \$25,000.

Sparks in a sawdust pile were blamed.

A dry kiln, boilers and lumber in the yard were saved. Florey said insurance covered half the loss.

Destroyer Third Canadian Vessel In Week's Toll

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The Canadian destroyer Ottawa has been torpedoed and sunk with her commander, four other officers and 107 men missing and believed killed, Navy Minister MacDonald announced today.

Her loss was the third announced within a week. The sinking of the patrol ship Raccoon with the loss of all 38 hands was disclosed by the navy ministry on Sept. 14 and the corvette Charlotetown four days later.

The 1,375-ton Ottawa was built in 1931 and carried a normal complement of 145.

GENERAL MacARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Australia, Sept. 21.—(AP)—Operating without interference from enemy planes allied fighters yesterday attacked the vital Japanese base at Lae on the northeast coast of New Guinea for the third successive day, burning five barges and a tugboat and damaging shore installations.

A communique announcing the raid said allied fighters and bombers also had blasted Japanese supply lines extending inland from Buna, 175 miles below Lae, to Kokoda, on the route of the Japanese drive toward Port Moresby.

On the New Guinea ground front allied headquarters reported "no change in the general situation," indicating the Japanese still were stalled at Ioribwa, a hamlet on the southern slopes of the Owen Stanley mountains 32 miles inland from Port Moresby, which they reached early last week.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—(AP)—The Madagascar radio said today that British forces now are within 37 miles of Tananarive, the island capital.

Election Nov. 3 To Fill 2 Seats On City Council

Two vacancies for council positions will be left on the city ballot at the November 3 election to be filled by write-ins, City Recorder A. J. Geddes reported today. Time for filing nominating petitions expired Saturday.

The present city officers are candidates for reelection, W. F. Harris, now serving as mayor by virtue of the resignation of A. J. Young, being a candidate for the mayor's office, while A. J. Geddes, recorder, and T. J. Brown, treasurer, are unopposed for reelection.

Due to the fact that Harris, elected as councilman from Ward No. 4, is running for mayor, and Fred Hargis, councilman from Ward No. 2, has moved from the city, the two vacancies must either be filled by write-ins, or, in the event no candidate is so elected, the vacancies will be filled by appointment by the council.

Percy Croft and C. W. Wharton, now serving as councilmen from Ward No. 1; Ira B. Riddle, councilman from Ward No. 2; C. P. Snoddy and G. M. Krell, from Ward No. 3, and O. J. Feldkamp, Ward No. 4, are candidates for reelection, with no opposition.

Youth Dies In Traffic Crash Near Oakridge

EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 21.—(AP)—One member of a Seattle family was killed and two others were injured yesterday in a two-automobile collision on the Willamette highway near Oakridge.

Edgar Lee Stanton, 19, died almost instantly after the car in which he was riding brushed against one driven by Edward Adams, Eugene, and swerved off the road.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Stanton, Seattle, were treated for injuries.

Red Morale Unbroken In Bloody Siege

Germans Report Gains In Drive to Capture Oil Fields of Caucasus

(By the Associated Press)

In a siege surpassing Sevastopol, the red army today fought on desperately at Stalingrad amid the shell and bomb-torn wreckage of that stronghold on the Volga, stemming the Nazi onrush for the fourth consecutive day and in some places hurling the Germans back by the fury of its counterattacks.

Despite the disadvantageous position of the defenders, with their backs to the Volga, the outcome could not be foreseen. The stubborn street-by-street and house-by-house battle for the city of Stalin was of the same sort that saved Moscow and Leningrad last fall and early winter. Isolated Sevastopol fell in 27 days, Stalingrad is in its 28th day of battering by tanks and guns and the ruinous rain of bombs.

Russian Morale Unbroken

German long range artillery took over the work of destruction today, shaking the shell-pocked city from end to end in a thundering barrage which all but drowned the clatter of rifle and machinegun fire of the troops locked in close quarter fighting in the streets of the suburbs.

In Moscow, Wendell L. Willkie declared he had found the Russians had "no idea of quitting."

Bearer of a written message from President Roosevelt to Premier Stalin, Willkie said the Russians appreciated the aid they had received from the United States and Britain, but "they didn't think our aid has been enough."

He said the Russians think that a second front "is the kind of aid they are entitled to" and added: "the second front has become almost like a symbol to them."

Nazis Gain in Caucasus

Daily farther behind schedule in its hopes to announce a victory at Stalingrad, the German high command said bitter resistance by the defense forces bolstered by new reserves from the east.

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LIBERTY LIMERICKS

Said a veteran pitcher, "Bull" Penn, "We're headin' for victory, men, So push up your limits For Bonds to back Nimitz—I'm pledging one dollar in ten!"

Uncle Sam will need every spare dollar to win this world's series! Do your part. Buy War Bonds or Stamps each time you're stamp.

U. S. Treasury Dept.