END-WAR ATTACK HURLED BAC

Congress Meets For Considering **Emergency Bills**

Truman Agenda **Unlikely To Get** G.O.P. Support

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST WASHINGTON — (A? — The 81st Congress returned today for a short "lame duck" session and it was pretty evident the lawmakers were not in the mood to do all the things President Truman wants them to

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Republicans generally haven't left much doubt that they would prefer to leave everything but emergency legislation until Jan. 3, when the new 82nd Congress with increased GOP strength takes over.

Many of them subscribed to the program of Senator Taft (R-Ohio), who when asked what he thought the expiring Congress should do, quipped: adjourn.

The program Mr. Truman wants is preity well known. It includes a \$4,000,000,000 excess profits tax on corporations, rent control extension, statehood for Alaska and Hawaii, relief funds for drouth-stricken Yugoslavia and probably \$10,000,000,000 or more in new military money. Truman Loses Top Aides

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The dying Congress contains a lot of "lame ducks" —legislators who have been defeated at the polls, Altogether, some 75 are near the end of their terms. Ten senators were defeated; four did not seek re-election. Thirty - two house members were defeated; about as many retired voluntarily.

Extend Control Of Rents, Truman **Urges Congress**

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PRAGUE Czechoslovakia - (22)

PHAGUE, Czechoslovakia — I.P.

Nine Roman Catholic churchmen
were put on trial here today on
charges they conspired with the
Vatican to overthrow the economic
and social order of Communistruled Czechoslovakia.

PLANE CRASH KILLS TWO

The Weather

Sunset today, 4:40 p.m. Sunrise temorrow, 7:22 a.m.

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An additional factor which may reduce White House influence is that Mr. Truman's two top senate lieutenants — Hoor leader Lucas of Illinois and Senator Myers of Pennsylvania — are lame ducks. B o th lost to Republicans.

Tax Bill in Offing

In the Senate, with its unlimited debate, prospects are that a lot of time will be spent talking about foreign policy, especially in the Far-East. A good many Republicans have been claiming that the election seturns indicated a repudiation of the programs of the President and Secretary of State Acheson.

The house committee may finally agree on a combination excess profits tax and higher corporate income levy. House approval of such a bill is expected, but the Senate may not act.

A bill to give "bonus" pay to GF's may be submitted by the Defense department. If so, it is expected to have little opposition.

A number of inquiries are in the air. They involve military manyover, the Gi insurance program, tood adulteration and subversive activities.

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LONDON — (A) — Fog thick as duck soup Sunday had even the wild ducks beforged.

A patrolman in Islington found a wild duck in a shop doorway, waising for better flying conditions.

A cap on the Bayswater beat came across another duck running around in frustrated circles, afraid to take off.

Czechs Try Catholic Heads On Treason Charge

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

Do you like mysteries? If so, to-day's developments in Korea ought to suit you to a T.

This, for instance: This, for instance:

"A 100,000-man United Nations army drove forward on a broad front in an all-out offensive to end the Korean war before Christmas.

The attack came after a prolonged full and rumors of peace. The advance—covered by al-The advance—covered by al-lied planes—MET LITTLE OPPO-SITION."

And this "General MacArthur, U.N. com-mander, flew to the front to super-vise the four-nation thrive toward the Yalu river border of Manchu-ria. He said:

"Tell the boys when they reach

the Yalu they are soing home want to make good on me slat ment that they are going to eat. Chrismas dinner at home.

Try this on your record player: General MacArthur made his in-spection flight in his unarmed of-

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The News-keview

STORM'S DEATH TOLL UP TO 226

Fires In Eight **States Claim Twelve Lives**

Fifteen Persons Injured, Damage To Property Set At More Than \$3,600,000

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GRANGE MASTER — Herschel
D. Newsom, above, Columbus,
Ind., fermer, is the new head of
the National Grange. He was
elected in Migneapolis, Minn.,
to fill the unexpired term of the
late Albert S. Goss, who died
suddenly last October. Newsom has been a member of the
Grange for 35 years.

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of property. Fifteen persons suffreed injusies.
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shotel in Minneapolis, Six persons
were injured. The hotel occupied
the top three floors of a fourstory building.

The dead were listed as Nels
slow, 55: Henry M. Jemmings, 67:
Mrs. Edna Sell, about 45, and an
unidentified man. The property less
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In Hyannis, Mass., flames gutted a two - story wooden lodging louse causing the deaths of Joseph M. James Jr., 24, Edward Kelley, 22, and Eino Mattson, 48.

Three hundred convicts escaped injury when flames destroyed a wooden Alabama State prison barracks near Montgomery. The fire was believed to have started from the chimney of a coal heater, overtaxed by 20-degree weather.

Fire whipped through three blocks of buildings in Moultrie, Ga., a coston and peanut center in the southwestern part of the state. No injuries were reported but damage was estimated at more than \$2, 250,000. WASHINGTON — (P) — President Trumen today asked that Congress extend rent controls until March, 31. The present control program expires Dec, 31, except in cities which decide they want to keep controls for six months longer.

Acting shortly before Congress reconvened, Mr. Truman sent letters to the capitol saying he felt the controls should be kept in force until the new Congress, meeting Jan. 3, has a chance to pass on the test control issues. 250,000 250,000.

PENNSYLVANIA — Fire destroyed a home near Butler causing the deaths of Frank Miller, 76, and his 20-month-old granddaughter. A 28-inch snow prevented firemen from reaching the house. At Pennsylvanis State college, an un-"We are stepping up our produc-tion of defense items and increas-ing our industrial capacity." Mr. Truman said. "To carry out this program successfully and to safe-guard our economy, it will be nec-essary to keep rents in vital de-fense areas from rising to unrea-sonable levels." Pennsylvania State college, an un-occupied men's dormitory was de-

VIRGINIA - Mrs. Nellie Atherton, 73, died in a fire that destroyed her Chesterfield county home. At Richmond the Monument Methodist church burned, with an estimated

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Lovesick Rivals Duel
By Bumping Their Autos

PROVIDENCE, R. L. — (A) — Police arrested two lovesick boys because they keep bumping in to each other — with automobiles.

Lt. Charles W. Raithbun said charges of reckless driving we ere brought against Stanley, G. D'Orsi, 18. and Frank Hennessey, 18.

Bathbun said the pair have been dueling with automobiles ever since a night six months ago when they both tried to date the same girl.

Senate Democratic Leader Lucas announced after a conference with Fresident Truman that the administration will seek passage of a statehood bill for Allaska as its first order of business in the short sersion.

He said that if this measure can be passed over admittedly stiff opposition it will be followed by a cand bill to provide statehood for Hawaii.

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He said he asked the pair: "You mean you've been battling like this for six months?" and one of them answered:

Description of the pair and the p a ward. There were no injuries. NORTH CAROLINA — A girl's dormitory fire at St. Augustine col-lege in Raleigh, caused an esti-mated 2100,000 damage.

The appeal asked the high court to set aside a \$2,000 judgment awarded against the newspaper to william J. Gaffney, Franklin county prosecutor. MORAN, Wyo. —(P)— The eight children and 13 adults aboard the missionary plane which crashed into Mount Moran last Tuesday will remain in their icy tomb far above timberline until spring. That's the decision of mountain

Climbers and aviation experts.
They feel attempts to remove anything from the charred wreckage of the DC-3 would only endanger more Heads On Treason Charge

Revived Animal Runs Off With Rifle On Horns

MANISTIQUE, Mich. — (P) — This deer really outsmarted the hunter. He stole his gun.

Harry G. Thompson and Charles F. Massey, both of Grand Rapid Mich., were hunting Sunday north of this upper Michigan city. Massey brought tlown a buck.

As they approached the animal, Thompson noticed it was still kick-ing and thought he had better shoot it in the head.

"Don't do that," said Massey.
"The head will make a fine wall piece for the cottage."

So Thompson laid his rifle on the deer's antiers and got out his knife to slit the throat. But the buck snored, jumped up and dashed deep ino the forest bearing the gun aloft.

nall a dozen namiets on the north-eastern slopes of Europe's highest volcano today. Since Saturday night, however, when the 19.741-foot high volcano ripped into action, the hot flow had slowed to a speed of about 100 feet an hour. Its most advanced stream had narrowed to a width of about 200 feet.

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lava in its path down the steep slope burned off a grove of Annexation Hearing

the couption was accompanied by earthquakes that shook the villages without causing casualties.

ROSS, Calif. -(A) - Jane Francis Brice, last granddaughter of Francis Scott Key, who wrote the "Star Spangled Bannen," died Sun-day. She was 36.

Six Indicted In 'Commie' Investigation

Earl Browder On List Of Accused In Refusal To Answer Questions

WASHINGTON—A?—Eart Browder, one time No. 1 American Communist, and five other persons were indicted today on charges of contempt of Congress.

The indictments were based on the refusal of the six to answer questions asked by congressional committees or to give requested information.

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Blise Koch Again

Placed On Trial

AUGSBURG, Germany—[AP]—
Ilse Koch, the witch of Buchen wald, now 43, went on trial before a German court today, accused of instigating the murder of 435 instigating the murder of 135 others and acts of the Nazi Concentration camp at Buchenwald, attemuting to instigating the murder of 135 others and acts of brutalily to still others.

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The prosecution accuses her of crimes against foreigners; this trial accused her to life imprisonment are expected to testify about charges that Mrs. Koch selected handsomely tatooed prisoners to be murdered and thus provide here with decorated human skins for lampshades.

Thre judges and six jurymen are bearing the case. The maximum penalty is life imprisonment to the committee whether the is or ever has been a mmber of the lamb h

All residents on both sides of the employes have a separate dishighway are invited to come. for a 25-cent hourly wage piece

Business Paralysis Grips Ohio Pennsylvania Cities; \$100 Million Damage Figured In New England

The storm which mauled the whole northeastern section of the nation with record fury over the weekend had vanished to-day but grief, human misery and industrial parelysis lingered on. At least 226 deaths were blamed on the devastating winds along the Atlantic seaboard and the heavy snow which fell as far south as Mississippi and Alabama. Damage in New England alone was estimated at \$100,000,000, with threatened floods expected

to add to the cost. Most of western Pennsylvania and northern Ohio still were digging out of snow which brought business to a virtual halt in such cities as Pittsburgh, Cleveland Columbus, Akron, Youngstown, and Dayton.



The wind which hammered parts of the Atlantic coast with a force as much as 108 miles an hour at times was described by the weather bureau as the worst ever to hit that region, it left many areas still without power service today and thousands still shivering without heat or lighting. Losses to boat owners were the heaviest since the 1938 hurricane.

The blow was accompanied by

EUGENE — (.P) — An unemployed metal worker shot his wife and then turned the gun on himself early Sunday to end an argument over why the woman late getting home from work. Deputy Coroner Robert B. Deputy Coroner Robert Berg strom said 15-year-old Beatrice she butchered the part of the two bullets to kill the mother. When she ran for help, the father turned the 32 caliber pistol muzzle toward his head and fired a fatal hullet.

**Toronto Beatrice she butchered the pistol in Los Angeles in 1947.

Mrs. Catherine Sharp, 34, who first gave her name as Mrs. Christian Reysolds, was held for a mental examination after officers decided she did not stab 22-year-old elizabeth Short to death and then hack her nude body.

Smash Of Two Chinese Armies Scores Heavy Gains On Korean Front

Facing Threat Of Collapse

TOKYO — A — Complete collapse of the United Nations and the water offensive was threatened today by heavy new Chinese atdacks on the frozen nerthwest Kersen front.

The U. S. 24th division, its right flank imperilled by infiltrating Red forces, pulled back from Chofigiu near the west coast. It was the second time this month that the battle hardened Americans were forced to give up without a fight the rail and highway city 51 miles south of the Manchurian border.

All along the northwest front, allied forces were shoved back by elements of two Chinese Red armies — more than 100,000 men. Swarms of Chinese attacked in preadfawn derkness to the niare of bugles.

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A spokesman described the situation as "quite confused."

Field dispatches said the eastern anchor of the line, Tokchon, had fallen to the Reds.

In the northeast, a surprise tankled Red attack forced back South Koreans advancing north of Chongkjin, some 35 miles south of the Soviet Siberian border.

Stiffening Red resistance was reported elsewhere in the northeast. U. S. marines, pushing westward in a drive from Changjin reservoir, were halted by dug-in Chinese four miles west of Yudam.

Stunning Blow Dealt

Police notified the railroad.
Emergency crews were dispatched to the scene, repairing the break before the next train passed.
Last Wednesday night, a wreck on the Long Island railroad in New York City killed 77 persons and injured 332 others.

'Black Dahlia' Murder Confession Hoax No. 27

OAKLAND, Calif. —(A)— Police today listed as false confession No. 27 an Oakland woman's story that she butchered the "Black Dahlia" in Los Angeles in 1947.

Mrs. Catherine Sharp, 34, who first gave her name as Mrs. Christine Reynolds, was held for a mental examination after officers de-

walter Hawkinson, head of the police homicide detail, said Mrs. Sharp broke when confronted with a picture of the Black Dahlia's butchered body.

Levity Fact Rant

By L. F Reizenstein A Moscow dispatch reports

the truck of Drainthat a Russian mountaineer rethat a Russian mountaineer rethat cently celebrated his 151st but the birthday. Probably the celebrant was really about one half that old, but imagined himself as having lived much longer under a Communist form of gavernment.

COMMERCIAL STANDARD FOR AIR TRAFFIC

Completion Of Airport Improvements By Fall Of 1951 Forecast, Contingent On Early CAA Approval Of Plans

Bishop Stanislav Zela, auxiliary bishop and vicar general of the Ol-mutz archdiocese, in Moravia, and eight others were charged with high treason, espionage and other offenses.

FAIRBANKS, Alaska — (P)— An F-94 jet fighter on maneuvers crashed 250 miles west of here Sun-day, killing the pilot and radar ob-server. Names of the two victims were withheld.

Partly cloudy today, tonight and Tuesday with scattered showers today, cooler tonight. Highest temp, for any Nov. 76 Lowest temp, for any Nov. 14 Highest temp, lost 24 hours 23 Pracip, last 24 hours 23 Pracip, from Nov. 1 5.44 Excess from Nov. 1 1.34 Pracip, from Sept. 1 18.53



