

Roosevelt Will Tour Boroughs Of New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP) — A daytime tour by President Roosevelt through four of New York city's five boroughs was in prospect today as a prelude to his address Saturday night before the foreign policy association here.

Democratic National Chairman Robert E. Hannegan told a press conference that the president would be in New York city throughout the day and would in all probability tour Brooklyn, Queens, the Bronx and Manhattan.

The president's projected trip brought from Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, his republican opponent for the presidency, this comment: "It is a good thing for the president to see the people even if only once in four years."

Hannegan said plans for the tour were not completed, but the schedule listed inspection tours of the Brooklyn navy yard and a WAVE unit at Hunter college, and a rally at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, in behalf of Democratic U. S. Sen. Robert F. Wagner, who is seeking re-election.

A tour of Manhattan, the Bronx and Kings (Brooklyn) would take the president through the heart of democratic strength in New York city. And an excursion into Queens would take him into a district which in recent years had become republican and where republicans are known to be hoping for an increased majority to offset democratic leads in the other three counties.

Bricker Raps Theory FDR Winning War

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18 (AP) — Gov. John W. Bricker asserted tonight that to credit the Roosevelt administration for winning the war was an "insult" to industry, labor and the armed forces.

The republican candidate for vice president said that his democratic opponent, Sen. Harry S. Truman, had so accredited the administration "without apology" in a speech here Monday night.

Bricker, whose address was set up from the same platform in Shrine auditorium, remarked in a prepared text released by his campaign staff:

"In his address, Senator Truman without apology accredited the Roosevelt administration with the miracle of war production—indeed, for winning the war itself. That is an insult to American industry and labor and to the countless American men and women who are fighting and dying around the world tonight."

The Ohio governor declared the "miracle of war production" was being achieved and the war was being won "not because of the new deal, but often in spite of the new deal."

Pendleton Man Buys Commercial Book Store

Sale of the Commercial Book store in Salem to Lawrence Ballmer, formerly of Pendleton, has been agreed upon and details of the transaction will be completed today, A. A. Gueffroy announced Wednesday.

Gueffroy, who has operated the Commercial street book and stationery business since 1919, said he would "take it easy" for awhile, Ballmer recently sold a book store in Pendleton.

Advertising Executive Will Speak Here Today

Salem Chamber of Commerce members have been invited to join the Salem Ad club for luncheon at the Golden Pheasant this noon to hear George Weber, president of the Pacific Advertising club, speak on "Postwar West, Feast or Famine?"

Weber, rated as one of the west coast's outstanding speakers, will be accompanied here by Charles Collier, executive secretary of his organization.

Too Late to Classify

LOST: 1 pr. Bauhaus eyeglasses. Wrought to be mailed to L. Earl L. Cox but was not sent. Had return address to Morris Optical Co. or Phone 3282 and collect \$5.00 reward.

SET OF Encyclopedia Britannica; electric vacuum sweeper; 3 wool rugs. Phone 9232 or after 6 p.m., 2143.

Thumbnail of War!

(By the Associated Press)

Western Europe—British Tom-mies slash deeply into the German's Mass river salient in Holland, continuing their drive toward the Ruhr valley, as Americans batter toward the center of blasted Aachen. Other Yankee troops move to within 4 miles of Metz. Allied planes bomb Cologne again.

Russia—Reds launch mighty drive into Czechoslovakia across Carpathians on 170-mile front. Germans report a big Russian offensive against East Prussia.

Greece—The Greek government, headed by Premier George Papandreu, returns to liberated Athens. British forces seize Scarpanto island midway between Rhodes and Crete.

Italy—British Eighth army troops fight way to 8 miles from Cesena, important town in Po valley. American Fifth army battles fiercely against reinforced Nazi divisions defending Bologna.

Pacific—Carrier-based planes better northern Luzon again, destroying 19 Japanese planes and setting fire to seven ships. United States forces take Ngulu atoll in the western Carolines; further outflanking the enemy base at Yap.

China—Japanese advance to 18 miles of Hingan in drive on Kweilin.

B-29's Carry Huge Tonnage Of Explosives

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (AP) — The army disclosed today that B-29 Superfortresses on their Oct. 14 raid against Formosa, dropped almost as many tons of bombs as were lost by six times as large a force of smaller Italy-based B-17 and B-24 bombers on the same day.

An army air force spokesman, emphasizing the tremendous striking power of the B-29s, said they flew a round trip of 2300 miles between China bases and the target of Okayama, major Japanese aircraft repair and supply station. This is about 1000 miles farther than 15th air force planes flew to reach their targets in Italy and Germany.

Neither the number of B-29s nor the exact bomb tonnage was given, but the AAF official said "the comparison gives a very good indication of the effectiveness of the B-29."

Jap Islands Take Beating

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Thursday, Oct. 10 (AP) — One hundred fifty allied planes smashed installations, shipping and airdromes on Ceram and Boeroe islands, flank bases to the approaches to the Philippines, headquarters announced today.

This raid Monday was the second 150-plane assault in recent days on these bases. A total of 90 tons of bombs was unloaded in the Monday assault.

Heavy bombers cratered air fields at Namlea and at Ambon, Amboina island, while medium bombers and light-bombers smashed small shipping nearby and swept the coast lines of Ceram and Amboina Monday.

Fighter planes paid widespread attention to shipping. P-38's damaged and sank small shipping along the coasts of Halmahera island.

Japs Advance Near Kweilin

CHUNGKING, Oct. 18 (AP) — A six-mile Japanese advance through Chinese positions north of Kweilin, strategic Kwangsi province city, was announced tonight by the Chinese high command.

A communique said the enemy, temporarily blocked in bitter fighting during the last 12 days, had succeeded in driving to a point 18 miles west of Hingan. The Japanese attack was mounted during the night of October 16 by a large force. The enemy aim is to outflank Kweilin, which lies 25 miles south of Hingan.

On the West river front far south of Kweilin, the high command said, Japanese forces which attacked Chinese positions several miles west of Pingnam were thrown back yesterday. Fighting was reported continuing north-west of the town, which is 80 miles southeast of Luchow, grand objective of the enemy's westward push into Kwangsi from Canton.

Smashing Raids Go On; Another Atoll Occupied

US PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Oct. 18 (AP) — A new raid in the smashing series of American carrier aircraft strikes at the Philippines, occupation of another atoll flanking the important Japanese base of Yap and additional destruction to enemy shipping at Formosa were reported today by Adm. Chester W. Nimitz.

Planes of Adm. William F. Halsey's mighty Third fleet hit the northern Luzon area Tuesday (US time). They destroyed 18 Japanese planes on the ground, knocked another from the skies and sank or fired seven enemy ships.

This latest of the series of aerial invasion strikes at the archipelago, now the second week, smashed the enemy as the Tokyo radio clung to its unconfirmed propaganda line of a great victory in the western Pacific and of a withdrawing United States fleet.

All such claims have been denied by Nimitz.

Ngulu atoll in the western Carolines, but 80 miles south of Yap, and 210 miles east of Palau, was occupied by American ground forces last Sunday. There was only slight resistance, Nimitz reported.

Seizure of Ngulu, a tiny group of atolls, completes the outflanking of Yap. Nimitz announced only last night that six islands in the Ulithi atoll had been occupied, also without opposition, September 20 and 21. Ulithi is about 100 miles east of Yap.

Stern but Just Military Law Put on Nazis

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Paris, Oct. 18 (AP) — Extermination of nazism with all of its works and symbols, and stern but just treatment of the Germans generally are the terms of the military law being imposed in German territory as it is wrested from Hitler's army.

Brig. Gen. Julius C. Holmes, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's deputy assistant chief of staff for military government, said today in outlining the scope of the measure that its main object was to facilitate the work of the armies in continuing their push.

The present code already is posted in those small areas of Germany so far occupied and deals only with the war period. Plans for long-term occupation of the reich are left for the allied governments to decide upon later.

Nazis Appeal To Hungary

BARI, Italy, Oct. 18 (AP) — Radio appeals to Hungarian troops to continue fighting alongside the Germans and severe decrees by Count Ferenc Szalasi's puppet regime limiting civilian gatherings suggested tonight that the nazis were hard put to retain control over Hungary.

There was an unconfirmed report here that Heinrich Himmler and several ranking officers of the gestapo had rushed to Budapest.

Experts on Hungarian affairs available in Bari advanced a theory that all members of the deposed government of Admiral Nicholas Horthy, who directed an armistice plea to the allies Sunday, had been arrested or killed.

Roosevelt Talk May Include Business

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP) — A hint that President Roosevelt may speak on topics of interest to business in his Philadelphia speech Oct. 27 came today from Andrew J. Higgins, New Orleans shipbuilder and honorary president of business men for Roosevelt, Inc.

ON the HOME FRONT

By ISABEL CHILDS

The deep rust-salmon wall of the church and the golden leaves of the black walnut tree just beyond it, spread in a bright path across the pavement, establish the color notes. Ever changing portion of the picture, the washings on the lines across the double porches of one of the tall apartment houses on the right invariably carry repetitions of those colors—brown and yellow plaid dresses, rose aprons or soft brick-color quilt.

As I walk there daily, I look forward to that step which will lay another view before me: The scarlet of a vine across the grey concrete rear of the building that houses my own home, the grey gravel court bounded by peach-colored walls of the Elks club and a green ivy fence. I feel sorry for those folk who must always choose the front, formal entrance with its stiff red geraniums, and I think that if I could paint the series of scenes in that short half-block I should entitle it simply and without intent at insult "American Alley."

40 & 8 Favors Store Closure Armistice Day

Marion county voters 153, 40 to 8, meeting Wednesday night endorsed the American Legion proposal that business firms of Salem close all day Armistice day in cases where closure will not interfere with the war effort.

Walter Kirk presided for the first time as chief of gear and announced the following appointments: commissaire intendat, Jacob Fuhrer; historian, Irl McSherry; advocat, Ralph Campbell; public, Don L. McBain; membership committee, I. N. Bacon, chairman, R. B. Boise, Carl Gabrielson, George Manolis, John TeSelle, Arthur Johnson, John Olson, Ira O. Pilcher and Robin Day.

Finance committee, Jacob Fuhrer, chairman, with Ira Pilcher, Waldo Mills, S. W. Starr and Fred Paulus; auditing, Chet Zumwalt, with S. W. Starr and J. A. Lewis; publicity, Don L. McBain with Douglas Mullarkey and Ernest Crockatt; visiting, sickness and distress, C. V. Richardson with Ed Kennedy, Harry Humphrey, B. C. Lieullen, Frank Walker, Hans Hofstetter, Fred Prosser, Milt Coy, Sim Etzel and Frank Powell.

External relations, William Paulus with Ronald Jones, Kelly Owens, George R. Duncan, Guy Cordon, Karl Steiwer and Mose Palmater; entertainment, Rex Kimmel with Stanley Krueger, Waldo Mills, Frank Grimm, Eugene Eckerlen, Tom Hill, Jess George, L. V. Benson, James B. Young, F. W. Poorman, John Wood, Luther Jensen, Oliver Huston and C. S. Sibley.

Allies Seize Greek Island

ROME, Oct. 18 (AP) — British warships have seized Scarpanto island, midway between Rhodes and Crete, in the name of the United Nations, with landing forces meeting no enemy opposition, the allied command announced today.

The communique said "Scarpanto, like other islands in the Dodecanese, is ex-enemy territory." The wording of the communique appeared intended to make clear to the Italians, who had occupied Scarpanto and most of the Dodecanese nearly 25 years ago, and to the Greeks who already are pressing demands for those islands, that the United Nations as a whole intend to take over administration of the islands until final peace settlement.

Honor Court Gives Scouts Many Awards

Before approximately 100 Salem Boy Scouts gathered for their first court of honor in their new meeting room in Pringle park Wednesday night, Jack Geer of troop one and Jimmy Jackson of troop 14 were advanced to star scout rating. Geer was also granted his life scout insignia and personal health, safety, public health, firemanship and athletic badges, while Jackson received the personal health merit badge.

The two were among 20 boys appearing official before the court on which Justice Arthur Hay of the state supreme court sat as judge. Scoutmasters Keith Dickenson, George Stross and Stearns Cushing and Troop Committee-man Gabriel Marsh were other members of the court with Assistant Scout Executive Harry Michelsen as clerk.

Scoutmaster Tom Ulmer of troop 14, sponsored by the state school for the deaf, with 22 of the 23 boys registered present, received the attendance award. Following presentation of awards, sound motion pictures of Boy Scouts in the woods were shown by Henry J. Mills.

Raised to first class rating were Ray Comstock, Bill Nelson and Jack Stilling of troop 8; Richard Randolph and Teddy Ellison of troop 14. Nelson also received merit badges for work in safety, swimming, firemanship, reading, pathfinding, first aid, public health, personal health and sheep farming; Comstock in swimming and photography; Suling, firemanship, swimming, pathfinding, safety and personal health; Ellison, handicraft.

Second class rating went to Laverne Evans, troop 16, and David Cooker, John Henning and Glenn Griffin, troop 20, and to Walter Hart, troop 64.

Tom Brennan, troop 8, received a merit badge for pathfinding, Sam Stutzman, troop 14, for personal health, printing, handicraft, art and carpentry; Robert Dennis, troop 14, for leather work, printing, reading and handicraft; Wallace Hall, troop 14, cooking; William McNeil, troop 11, farm home and its planning. Harry Weidmair of Sea Scout ship 12 received a bird study merit badge.

USO Scrapbook Director Here

Mrs. Walter Kolasa, national director of the USO scrapbook service, will be in Salem today for a 2 o'clock meeting at the YWCA. This meeting, presided over by Mrs. Verne Ostrander, chairman of the local USO scrapbook committee, is open to all Salem women and organizations who are interested in making scrapbooks for the servicemen.

Mrs. Kolasa comes from Berkeley, Calif., headquarters. She will give instructions and suggestions for the scrapbooks, on which many Salem organizations have been working.

Agriculture Expert Coming Here Monday

Delos L. James, agricultural manager for the United States Chamber of Commerce, will confer with men of this area interested in agriculture Monday morning at 10 o'clock at Salem Chamber of Commerce rooms. Arrangements for the meeting are being made by Robert C. Paulus, who is a member of the US chamber's agricultural committee.

Demo Leader Dies

LA GRANDE, Oct. 18 (AP) — The death of Lytle Kiddle, 47, chairman of the Union county democratic central committee, who died here yesterday after a long illness, was announced today.

Quota for Oregon In Sixth War Loan Set at \$107,000,000

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 18 (AP) — Oregon's quota in the sixth war loan drive opening November 20 will be \$107,000,000, E. C. Sammons, state war finance chairman, announced today.

The goal is \$18,000,000 less than in the fifth war loan drive. The nation-wide quota in the coming drive is \$14,000,000,000.

Oregon's quota breaks down as follows: \$84,000,000 in E. bonds, \$28,000,000 in individual purchases of other series E bonds, and corporation purchases of \$45,000,000.

Mother Gets Son's Silver Star Award

PERRYDALE, Oct. 18 — The Silver Star awarded posthumously to Sgt. Eldon Cook of McCoy for gallantry during military action was presented to his mother, Mrs. James E. Cook of McCoy at a program in Perrydale high school tonight. The presentation was made by Capt. James Douglas McCoy, public relations director at Camp Adair.

Sgt. Eldon Cook was killed in action July 31, 1943, in New Guinea. He was born in Lebanon in 1921 and was graduated from Perrydale high school in 1941. As a member of the McMinnville unit of the Oregon National guard he was inducted into the army in September 1940 and went overseas with the 41st division.

Three members of his family, a brother and two sisters, all members of the US army, were among members of the family at the presentation ceremony tonight. His brother, Sgt. Marvin Cook of Salem, who has been in the South Pacific 33 months, was present, as were two sisters, Pfc. Helen Cook of Fort Lewis and Pvt. Bertha Cook of Camp Roberts.

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Cal Pak Needs More Helpers

California Packing corporation will commence its pumpkin pack on or about Monday, Oct. 23, officials of the organization announced Wednesday. A tonnage equal to or greater than that of last year will be packed, requiring services of 40 additional men, it was said. Ten other men are needed in warehouses of the plant.

Women are needed also on both shifts at the plant, where carrots and beets are now being canned, but especially on the 4 p.m. to 1 a.m. shift, Ralph Steele, foreman, said Wednesday. Work rooms are heated on cool nights and special bus service is maintained after one o'clock to accommodate women working those hours, he explained.

Witness Heard In Drug Case

MEDFORD, Oct. 18 (AP) — A witness testified in federal court today that he had purchased a narcotic many times from Dr. R. W. Clancy, on trial accused of violating the national drug act, but admitted that he was "mad at Dr. Clancy" for refusing to give him the drug.

The witness, Fred Summer Marrett, 39, testified that he had been an addict since 1929, that he had made purchases from Dr. Clancy over a period of years. He was the first major prosecution witness of the trial.

Marrett and his wife have been held on burglary charges, accused of entering Dr. Clancy's office searching for drugs.

Under cross-examination, Marrett admitted that he told police when he was arrested that he was mad at the physician for refusing to give him the narcotic.

Poe's Murder Mystery Sells For \$34,000

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (AP) — The original manuscript of "The Murders in the Rue Morgue," Edgar Allan Poe's grisly tale that set the fashion for the modern detective story, went under the auctioneer's hammer tonight.

It was sold after spirited bidding to Charles Sessler, Philadelphia dealer, for \$34,000.

Twice rescued from the rubbish heap, saved three times from fire, this first American detective story is one of 269 literary treasures which Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, is selling through Parke-Bernet galleries.

Total proceeds from the sale of books and manuscripts was \$90,338.50. An additional \$48,338.50 was realized from the sale of paintings and other art objects from the Drexel collection.

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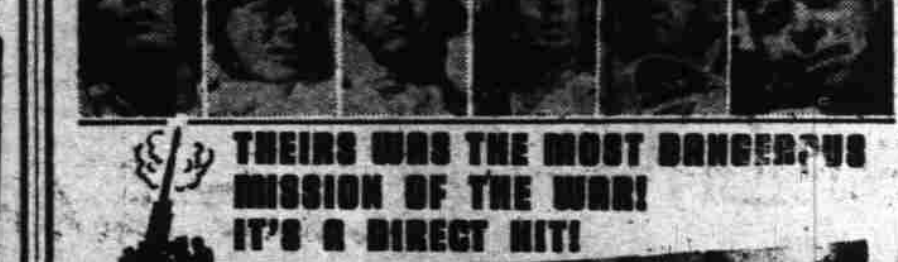


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