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## 2 Pickets Wounded in Coal Mine Rioting

### Such Warns Dangers In Inflation

### War Industries Man Urges Control Measures

By CARL PETERSEN  
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WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—M. Baruch, chairman of the war industries board, warned congress that "unless we are careful" the time may come when it will be necessary to "take the people with us" by having the same food, clothing and the same

living his plea for drastic action to check the rising tide of inflation, the 71-year-old industrialist told the house rules committee that the need for price control is "imperative" to "prevent a dangerously" situation.

Baruch said that the United States is "a nation in arms," and that "we must fight our way out of the country on the ground of a fighting force and in the field."

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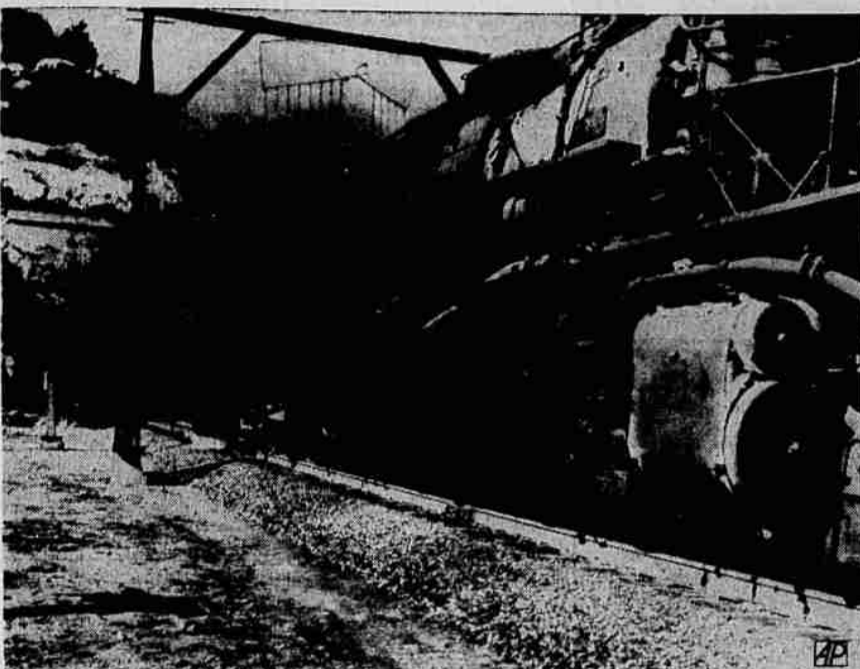
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**FIVE DIE IN TRAIN TRAPPED IN TUNEL**—Five persons, including the engineer and two firemen of a 96-car freight train, were found suffocated after the train stalled in a 7,000-foot tunnel for 11 hours near Van Nuys, Calif. Here the locomotive is pulled into the open by a switch engine. The locomotive was burning after a fire started in oil drippings.

### Webfoots Gird For Seattle Tilt

By DICK STRITE  
SEATTLE, Nov. 21.—(Special)—Five years ago Irish Jimmy Phelan carted a Pacific coast conference championship University of Washington football team to Pasadena for a Rose Bowl engagement with the University of Pittsburgh. Tomorrow afternoon before an expected crowd of 40,000 fans the Huskies will battle Tex Oliver's crippled University of Oregon Webfoots for the right to return to Pasadena to avenge the 21-0 licking suffered at the hands of the pre-deflated Panthers.

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### Thailand Border Reported Violated

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—The Bangkok press carried reports today of a violation of the Thailand frontier by planes and troops from Japanese-controlled French Indo-China, the British radio said, quoting a message from Bangkok relaying the report.

### Pomona Meeting Saturday At Irving

Saturday brings the regular Pomona grange meeting at the Irving grange hall as an all-day and evening session. The program will be given in the afternoon, a representative from the forestry department to be present. Two meals are being served, at noon and in the evening, visiting grangers being asked to take fello, sandwiches, pie or cake for the meals. The other menu items will be furnished by the Irving grange.

The buying of defense savings bonds and stamps will be discussed by Fred Chambers, head of the agriculture committee of the Lane county defense savings staff, when he appears before the grange Saturday night. Mr. Chambers has spoken on defense savings before a number of grange groups.

### Mapleton Man Gets License Plate No. 1

SALEM, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—Automobile license plate No. 1 for 1942 went in the annual state department drawing today to Roy Tuchbreiter, Mapleton, who drives a pickup truck.

No. 2 went to George L. Allen of Cave Junction. Lucky 7, was won by Daniel J. Howard, Klamath Falls, while J. J. Hoffman of Pendleton got No. 13.

The first 100 numbers were drawn today, with newsmen drawing the first 10.

### Mercury Dives To 23.5 Mark

Eugeneans shivered again Friday morning with the thermometer registering 23.5 degrees, the lowest mark in nearly a year.

In December, 1940, the mercury shot down to 13.5 degrees.

### 'The Duchess' Dies In Gas Chamber

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—"The Duchess," a haggard, grim-faced woman who ruled a gang of killers and robbers, was executed today in the state's gas chamber.

### Soldiers Will Stay Overnight

About 130 soldiers who are to camp overnight in Eugene Friday night will be quartered in the 4-H clubhouse at the fairgrounds. Officers will have the scout house.

Although no special entertainment has been planned for the visiting soldiers, Thomas Fisher, Eugene recreational director, is making arrangements for them to attend the University of Oregon-Signal Oil basketball game.

The YMCA at Twelfth and Kincaid is holding open house for them, and theaters are granting special soldier rates.

### CIO Charges Army Being Trained In Strike-Breaking

DETROIT, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—The Congress of Industrial Organizations today denounced alleged "strike-breaking training" of federal troops.

Delegates attending the CIO's fourth annual convention embodied the condemnation in a series of resolutions on the selective service act.

### 25 in Jail Eat Turkey

The 25 temporary residents of the Lane county jail feasted on turkey Thanksgiving day and were cleaning up the leavings Friday. Jailer Ralph McIntyre was generous to the boys and besides the turkey he gave them a pumpkin pie and other fixin's.

### British Near Tobruk; Moscow Battles Fierce

### Decisive Conflict Expected Soon In Libyan Desert

CAIRO, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—British mechanized forces in a two-day battle in Libya were reported officially today to have destroyed 120 German tanks and 33 armored cars and taken several hundred prisoners.

The British reported that they drove German panzer units back on Sidi Rezzeq, where fighting was in progress south of besieged Tobruk.

### Relief Expected Soon

In England, Admiral Sir Dudley Pound told a British audience that "just before I came to this meeting I was told it was expected Tobruk would be relieved almost immediately."

Meanwhile, amid reports that Germany was drawing heavily on France, Poland and other conquered nations for laborers to work in Nazi factories—indicating a shortage of German manpower—authorized Berlin quarters asserted that 10,000,000 Russians had been killed, wounded or captured in the five-month-old Soviet campaign.

These quarters said 3,792,000 Russians had been taken prisoner. In Berlin, a German military spokesman described the British push as "a real power drive," while Italian front-line correspondents declared that the British were "surprised and disconcerted by the ready and immediate reaction of our units."

The RAF reported 24 Axis planes destroyed in yesterday's operations, with nine British planes missing. Military observers said Gen. Erwin Rommel's German corps was the chief opposition in the struggle on the Libyan desert sands and that the British were maneuvering to engage the corps in a decisive battle.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill had said yesterday that the outcome might be decided "within a few hours," but apparently the Germans were cautious about accepting the challenge.

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### 894 Forest Fires Reported In 1941

SALEM, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—State Forester N. S. Rogers reported today that 894 fires burned over 7,468 acres of state and private forest lands during 1941, with lightning causing 535 of them.

### BULLETIN

SUSANVILLE, Cal., Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—Sheriff Olin S. Johnson said today C. Alexander, 24, of Cleo Springs, Okla., had confessed he caused derailment of the Southern Pacific's streamline train "City of San Francisco" near Harney, Nev., Aug. 12, 1939, in which 24 persons were killed and 100 injured.



"WE'LL STAY OUT IF 'JOHN' TELLS US"—Workers in "captive" coal mines at Crucible, Pa., laugh and joke as they ride out of the pit—to stay out on strike until the closed shop mine dispute is settled. They said they would stay out as long as "John L. told them to" do so.

### German Labor Chief Warns 'America May Crush Europe'

BERLIN, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—Calling Americans "cultureless barbarians" and President Roosevelt a "poor fool," Dr. Robert Ley, head of the German labor front, told 15,000 laborers from 14 European countries today that unless Europe "finds herself" she will be crushed by America.

Gesturing vigorously from the rostrum of Berlin's gaily-decorated Sportspalast, Ley told the foreigners in his audience that they were the messengers of the new Europe and assured them that "Moscow will fall in one way or another."

Peasant women from eastern Europe, mustached workers from the Balkans, rouged young French girls and Norwegians in native costumes were part of the crowd that gathered under banners which proclaimed in 14 languages: "Europe will win."

Ley lashed at English lords and American capitalists and twice shouted, "Capitalism has been broken! . . . We have chased it across the ocean." This drew great applause.

"Until God personally notifies us we will not believe that we are any less better than the English," Ley declared, "Challenging" America to produce a Wagner, Beethoven, Verdi or a Puccini. He said Americans should establish 4,000 years of culture before calling Germans and Italians "barbarians."

### Committee Would Force U. S. Congressmen to Cast Votes

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—With the slogan "army discipline for congress!" No tricker pairings! No deserters! southern California members of the America First committee demanded today that every member of congress be required to vote on important defense legislation.

Mrs. Lillian Pascal Day, legislative chairman of the Lincoln Heights chapter of Los Angeles, released a resolution addressed to Sen. Matthew M. Neely and Rep. Adolph Sabath, as chairman of the rules committees of the two branches of congress.

Neely now is governor of West Virginia, and has been succeeded as head of the senate committee by Harry F. Byrd of Virginia.

The resolution stated in part: "If one of our beardless high school \$21-a-month draftees goes AWOL (absent without leave) he also goes to jail. If in war he deserts, he is stood up against a wall and shot."

### President Not To Act Until Lewis Replies

### Violence Spreads And Sympathy Strikes Begin

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—Legislation for government seizure and operation of strike-bound mines and defense plants was endorsed by the army and navy today, as President Roosevelt indicated he would delay at least until tomorrow further action in the captive coal mine strike.

Mr. Roosevelt, declining extensive comment on the coal shutdown ordered by John L. Lewis and his CIO United Mine Workers union, reminded a press conference that Lewis is meeting with the UMW national policy committee tomorrow to formulate an answer to the "chief executive's" latest request for settlement of the dispute.

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Non-striking miners ambushed an estimated 150 United Mine Workers union pickets at Brownsville, and when the blasts from shotguns, rifles and revolvers ceased, 12 pickets had been wounded. At Fredericktown, a negro miner, armed with a shotgun, fired at an automobile filled with pickets, wounding one.

Today's battle in darkness at the Edensborn mine of the H. C. Frick Coal and Coke company, a U. S. Steel subsidiary, was the second in two days. It was the most serious violence reported in the spreading strike situation.

One man was wounded yesterday at Edensborn when a negro fired his revolver into the picket line. Carnegie-Illinois Steel corporation, major operating subsidiary of U. S. Steel corporation, announced today that five more blast furnaces are being banked because of lack of coal, bringing to 11 the number of furnaces closed from this week. This means a loss of 50,000 tons of pig iron production a week.

Approximately 5,000 more commercial miners joined in the walkout sympathetic to the captive miners strike to obtain a union shop clause in their contract with the steel companies operating the captive mines. It was estimated today that about 59,000 commercial miners were

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### Grange Advocates Vigorous Foreign Policy For U. S.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 21.—(U.P.)—The National Grange today adopted what it called a "grass-roots" foreign policy urging the administration to conduct its foreign relations so "that this nation and democracy shall continue to exist in the world."

The points of that policy, as approved by delegates from 37 states attending the closing session of the farm organization's annual convention, included: Take "all necessary means" to supply goods and munitions to nations opposing aggression.

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Maintain defense zones "far enough beyond the territorial limits" of the western hemisphere to "give reasonable security against aerial and sea attack."

### Weather News

Weather Bureau forecasts: Partly cloudy tonight; heavy rain tomorrow; light rain Saturday; cold east portion; gentle wind off shore.

### Local Statistics

Weather Bureau Record: High temperature, Friday, 53 degrees; maximum temperature, Thursday, 43.8 degrees, at noon, Friday, 53 degrees.

Weather Bureau Record: Stage of river in Eugene at 7:00 a. m., 1.68 feet.