

'SOMEBODY LYING' ABOUT MUNITIONS UMW PAPER SAYS

Washington, Dec. 14—(U.P.)—The United Mine Workers Journal charged today that "somebody was lying" either in October or December about munitions production.

The UMW Journal said that "we have never witnessed such a difference in war requirements as registered between October and December, 1944."

"The only thing we make out of all these contradictions," it said, "is that somebody has been fooling somebody. Things couldn't be almost perfect in October and in ruins in December unless somebody was lying."

Meanwhile the American Federation of Labor expressed surprise "at the modest nature of the War Department considering the tempestuous nature of the complaints about production shortages."

The AFL comment was carried in its weekly press service with an announcement that more than a dozen AFL unions, including the molders and foundry workers, had joined in a

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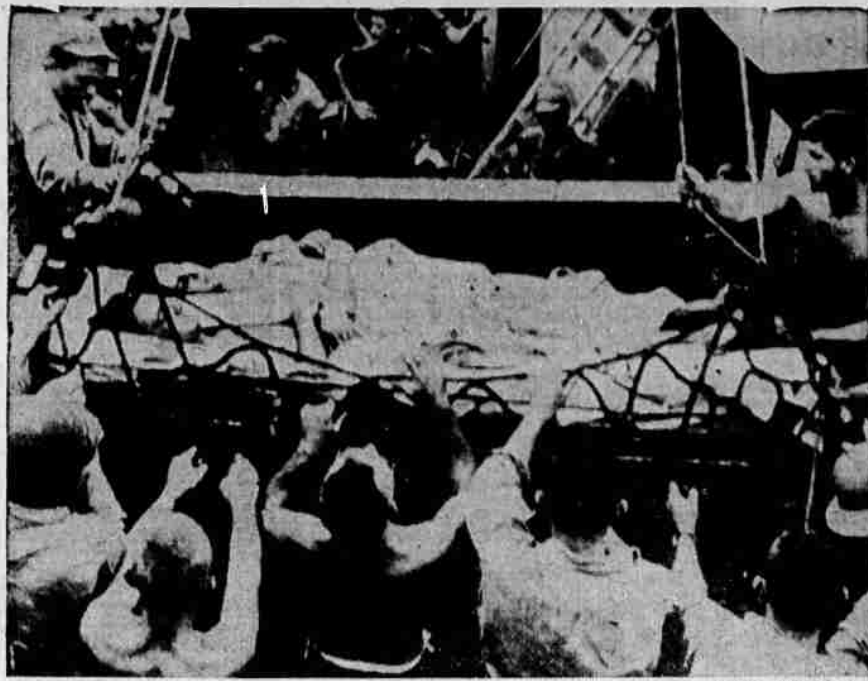
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concerted drive to obtain the emergency manpower needed to produce increased quantities of critically needed war materials.

Washington, Dec. 14—(U.P.)—Five weeks of urgent battlefield appeals for more munitions showed concrete results today in an official report that production of B-29 Superfortresses went up 30 per cent last month and that 15 other critical programs are beginning to catch up with military needs.

Acting WPB Chairman Hiland G. Batcheller told a news conference late yesterday that November arms output was "wonderful" but he cautioned that schedules call for "tremendous" increases in the months ahead.

GOP LEADER BETTER
Chicago, Dec. 14—(U.P.)—Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick Simms, Republican leader from New Mexico who has been seriously ill since an operation 10 days ago, was reported to be "much better" today.

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Sams Valley Beagle and Meadows Stockmans Association
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AL GOULD'S WORD FROM NAZI CAMP TOOK 4 MONTHS

First letter written by relatives of Lt. Alvin Gould, former Medford man now a prisoner of war of the Germans, to him after receiving word of his being made a prisoner, was seven months in transit according to his sister, Mrs. R. W. Childreth of Gladstone, Ore. Writing to Medford friends this week, Mrs. Childreth stated that she had just received a letter from Lt. Gould in which he wrote of having received her first letter mailed seven months ago from Oregon.

Mrs. Childreth stated that the officer's first letter written from the prison camp was four months in arriving at her address.

Lt. Gould, who was bombardier on a Flying Fortress at the time of being shot down over Germany, also wrote that he had received two packages of clothing and food mailed by Oregon relatives. Three other packages, many cartons of cigarettes and dozens of letters are still undelivered.

Lt. Gould was shot down January 11 of 1944. He is a graduate of Medford high school, where he was a star baseball player, and later attended the University of Oregon.

ROCKET SECRETS OF NAVY PUBLIC

Washington, Dec. 14—(U.P.)—The navy, unfolding for the first time many details of its growing arsenal of rocket weapons, revealed today it has developed a small rocket-carrying ship with two and a half times the fire power of a 45,000 ton battleship.

It also revealed the existence of a five-inch rocket with the explosive power of a 155 MM. shell and a single-engine rocket-firing plane whose single salvo has an impact equal to that

of a broadside from the five inch guns of a destroyer. The disclosures were made by the navy following the announcement that it plans to increase rocket production by nearly 300 per cent within the next few months. Naval rocket production already has made great strides, with November output registering a 262 per cent gain over June.

Red Marshal Ivan Konev's Ukrainian Army is using United States Army Ordnance trucks, for whose six wheels, four gears and sturdiness Red officers profess high regard. The Russians have also found army jeeps successful mud buggies in their victorious advance on Berlin.



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