

China's Civil War Gains Momentum



Map indicates situation in China-Manchuria as Nationalists and Communists clash on widely separated fronts.

CHINA WAR SPREADS TO MANCHURIA LINE

Chungking, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—China's undeclared civil war spread to the Manchurian border today.

BRITISH PLANES GUN EXTREMISTS IN JAVA REVOLT

Aerial Attack Clears Way For Recapture of Macelang; British Unload Tanks

UNRRA AID ONLY IF PRESS FREE

Washington, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—The house approved a \$550,000,000 foreign relief appropriation today after voting to deny aid to nations which bar the American press from reporting on the relief activities.

JAPS WANT U. S. FOOD SHIPMENTS

Tokyo, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Speakers at a public rally in Hibiya Park, opposite the imperial palace grounds, today demanded that the Japanese government send a mission to America to appeal for food shipments.

SIDE GLANCES

Clarence Winnetout unleashing a guffaw audible from Fir street to Riverside on learning he must buy the chamber of commerce president a new suit.

British Labor Government Will Take Over Communications and Civil Aviation Systems

Major Wermuth, "One Man Army" Back From War

Medford Service Will Be Greatly Enlarged, United Men Claim on Visit Here.

United Air Lines plans greatly expanded services in the Pacific northwest in the immediate future, according to a group of United officials from Chicago headquarters who were in Medford today on an inspection trip.

NEGOTIATION HOPE IN LUMBER STRIKE

Portland, Ore., Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Northwest lumber operators and Federal Conciliator E. P. Marsh today moved the five-state lumber strike closer to the negotiation stage with statements indicating conferences might resume within the next month.

JAP LOSS HEAVY

Tokyo, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Nearly 2,500,000 buildings were burned or destroyed by allied air raids against Japanese war production centers during the war, it was announced today.

“Voice of Mankind’s” Palaces Taken Over; Saloon Found Hidden Behind Secret Panel

Hollywood, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—The fabulous empire of Arthur Bell, magnetic “voice” of Mankind United, today was a state receiver took over two of Bell's palaces high in the Hollywood hills.

CHINA GANG FUGITIVE FORGIVEN BY GEORGIA

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Georgia forgave her famous fugitive from a chain gang today.

PRIVATE OWNERS TO BE PAID FOR PROPERTY SEIZED

Nationalization Move Is Revealed in Commons — Government To Finance.

London, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Britain's labor government announced today that it was preparing to take over British civil aviation on a world-wide basis and the empire communications system of cables and wireless, Ltd.

Line To U. S.

One aviation corporation will operate between the United Kingdom and other parts of the commonwealth, the United States and the far east.

Hirohito Going To Tell Sun Goddess

Tokyo, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—Tokyo newspapers prominently displayed today the report that Emperor Hirohito would go to Kansai, central Honshu, Nov. 12 to report the end of hostilities to the sun goddess at Ise shrine.

DETROIT TIGERS GET NEW GENERAL MANAGER

Chicago, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—President George Trautman today submitted his resignation to the board of directors of the American Association in order to take over as general manager of the Detroit Tigers of the American league, effective Jan. 1, 1946.

“Big E” Assigned Navy Honor Niche

Washington, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—The aircraft carrier Enterprise, gallant veteran of the Pacific, was assigned her place today beside “Old Ironsides” and other famous ships preserved as symbols of “American valor and tenacity in war.”

EASTERN BUS CREWS JOIN STRIKER RANKS

(By United Press) Some 4,000 Greyhound bus employees joined the ranks of striking wage earners today, as the nation's top labor leaders announced they would use the new government wage-price policy to break a log-jam of disputes holding up reconversion.

ARMY ORDNANCE SHOP OPERATION BROUGHT TO END

Yesterday brought the closing of the ordnance service command shop and storage facilities of the army at the fairgrounds which had been in operation since April 12, 1942.

TAX REDUCTION READY FOR INK

Washington, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—The senate today completed legislative action on the tax reduction bill, which will save individuals and corporations an estimated \$5,920,000 next year.

SUPERFORTS WING FROM HOKKAIDO

Washington, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—A flight of four Superfortresses flying non-stop from Hokkaido, Japan, is expected to arrive here at 7 p. m., EST, tonight, the war department announced.

STUDY GOVERNMENT

Purpose of the new council is to study government and its practices, to inform its members of the implications of legislation and governmental rulings and to perform other services for Oregon and its communities.

Five Meat Stamps Good Until Feb. 28

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HITLER A SUICIDE IS CONCLUSION OF ALLIED OFFICIALS

Fuehrer and Mistress Died Together at Chancellery April 30, Evidence Shows.

Lueneburg, Nov. 1.—(U.P.)—The first official allied statement on Adolf Hitler's disappearance said today that all available evidence led to the conclusion that he killed himself in the Berlin chancellery at 2:30 a. m. last April 30.

ADMIRAL DOENITZ BROADCAST FROM HAMBURG

Admiral Karl Doenitz broadcast from Hamburg on May 1 that Hitler was dead in the ruins of Berlin, and before his death had designated Doenitz as his successor to the Nazi leadership.

MEDFORD WOMEN ORGANIZE UNIT OF REPUBLICAN GROUP

A Medford unit of the Council of Oregon Republican Women was organized at a luncheon meeting at the Holland Hotel this noon by Mrs. George T. Gerlinger, state president of the group and national committeewoman for the Republican party for Oregon.

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