

Chiang Gains Permission From Russia To Fly Troops Into Manchuria

Weather
FORECAST: Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Occasional light rain Wednesday. Little change in temperature.
Temp. Highest yesterday 53. Lowest this morning 31.

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VETERANS PARADE IS WITNESSED BY LARGE TURN-OUT

High School Band Leads Marching Units in Annual Armistice Day Pageant.

Disregarding grey skies and rain, several hundred Jackson county people gathered downtown yesterday for the traditional Armistice Day parade staged by veterans' organizations of Medford. The parade formed on West Main street near the park and proceeded east to Riverside avenue and returned by way of Sixth street.

Medford high school's uniformed band led the marching units and was followed by 60 hospital corpsmen from the Camp White navy hospital and men of Company A, First Regiment, Oregon State Guard, and of Headquarters' detachment, the guard. The two guard units are headed by Major Carl Tengwald, Capt. O. E. Sabin and Capt. Moore Hamilton.

Kilties Parade

Also in the line of march were members of the Ashland American Legion Kiltie Band, members of the Medford Veterans of American Veterans, Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion and their auxiliaries, Daughters of Union Veterans, Gold Star Mothers, United Spanish War Veterans' auxiliary, Medford Navy Mothers' club, Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. groups, Salvation Army groups, Mrs. Eve Prentice and her accordion band, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, the Medford Garden club, Eagles and auxiliary, Redmen and Pocahontas, the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, the Jackson County Humane society and the 4-H club.

Considerable comment was caused by the entry of the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, a small burro loaded with a prospector's equipment and led by a man attired in frontiersman's clothing.

DEGAULLE VOTED CHIEF OF STATE

Paris, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—The new French chamber of deputies today elected Gen. Charles DeGaulle chief of the French state. DeGaulle's election by the new assembly had been a foregone conclusion.

Before his election leaders of all the major French parties rose in the chamber and announced they had agreed to vote for DeGaulle.

The vote was 555 for DeGaulle with no opposition votes and one abstention.

The deputy who withheld his vote was Louis Dumat, a rightist who said he would not vote for a candidate who received the vote of the communists.

FBI Knew War Near Before Japs Retreat

Washington, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Rep. Bertrand W. Gearhart, R., Calif., said that Director J. Edgar Hoover of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, told him today that he "had information Nov. 26, 1941, that war was imminent" and that as a result alerted his men in the Pacific islands.

"If this army and navy had done this there never would have been a Pearl Harbor," Gearhart told reporters.

Stimson Recovering From Heart Attack

West Hills, N. Y., Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Former Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson was reported recovering from a heart attack which forced him to bed several days ago.

Canadian Strikers Reinforce Line; Bus Strike To Spread

By United Press
Striking United Automobile Workers Union (CIO) members reinforced their picket lines around the Ford Motor Company plant in Windsor, Ont., today in anticipation of possible early intervention of provincial police in the Ford strike.

Meanwhile, employees of Northland Greyhound Lines, Inc., voted to strike in seven midwestern states. An official of the Amalgamated Association of Street Electric Railways and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL) said the union members had voted 784 to 68 to join striking Greyhound employees in 27 eastern and southern states. Eighteen thousand Southern Pacific railroad workers in Texas and Louisiana were reported by union officials to be voting overwhelmingly in favor of a strike to protest the administration of the railroad's hospital at Houston.

TORNADO TO PLAY AT NORTH BEND IS DECISION BY COIN

Medford's Black Tornado versus the Bulldogs of North Bend—at North Bend.
The game will be played either next Friday or Saturday, the date not yet being settled. Medford school officials are endeavoring to have the contest set for Friday afternoon.

That's the ticket for the District 3 championship playoff, arrived at only after long deliberation on the part of North Bend officials and finally settled when Tom Piggott, secretary of the Oregon State High School Activities association, flipped a coin in Portland today to decide the site of the title game.

North Bend had refused to send its unbeaten eleven to Medford until given an ultimatum by the committee of principals that it would have to abide by the coin toss or forfeit its playoff right.

They finally agreed—and then won the toss.
Hood River's powerhouse defeated The Dalles, 14-0, Saturday to earn the right to represent District 1, embracing northeastern Oregon, in the state semifinals.

San Francisco, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—The Navy Department reported from Okinawa today that 90 of the 226 vessels beached or sunk during the typhoon Oct. 10, have been refloated. They ranged from small LCI's to 10,000-ton ships.

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GROCERY STAPLES DISAPPEAR FROM SAN FRAN STORES

Bread, Butter, Milk and Eggs Disappear Account Strikes, Seasonal Lull.

San Francisco, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—With lowered dairy production along the west coast and strikes in the San Francisco bay area cleaning grocers' shelves of bread, butter, milk and eggs—the four major grocery staples—housewives today were asking: "The war is over, but where is the food?"

The dairy division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture disclosed that shortages of eggs and butter were general throughout the Pacific coast. The almost complete absence of bread and the shortage of milk was peculiar to San Francisco, however, where strikes have tied up bakeries and plants producing paper milk cartons.

There wasn't a grocery store in the Golden Gate city with enough of the four items to go around. With bread deliveries halted, storekeepers were using their bread counters for displaying other commodities. Butter was doled out one-fourth of a pound at a time to regular customers through an under-the-counter rationing system.

The American Can Co., major producer of paper milk cartons here, was closed as a result of the AFL machinists' strike. The shortage of paper cartons prompted dairies to deliver milk in two-quart jars and regular one-quart bottles, including those turned in by the public in response to a plea that garages and cellars be searched for strays.

The egg shortage was due to a seasonal production lull, explained H. E. Berman, sales manager of Nye & Nissen Co., a large wholesaler.

Portland To Have Pro Golf Classic

Portland, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Robert A. Hudson, sponsor of the campaign to secure the 1946 Professional Golfers' Association championship for Portland, today announced he had been informed from Chicago that Portland had been selected.

Hudson put up \$25,000 to get the PGA meet and said it would be held at the wooded Portland Golf club, where he promoted the first and second annual Portland open tournaments last November and this September.

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REP. JAMES MOTT

SALEM FUNERAL PLAN FOR MOTT

Washington, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Funeral arrangements were being made today for Republican Congressman James Mott, dean of the Oregon delegation, who died of a heart attack yesterday on his 62nd birthday.

Rep. Homer Angell, R., Ore., who succeeds Mott as senior member of the Oregon delegation, said he believed services would be held at Salem, Ore., where Mott established law offices four years before coming to congress in 1933. Angell and Reps. Lowell Stockman and Harris Ellsworth, all of Oregon, are expected to represent the house of representatives at the services.

Mott's death followed three weeks of encouraging reports from Bethesda Naval hospital on his convalescence from an abdominal operation. At 2:15 p. m. yesterday, however, he suffered a heart attack and 45 minutes later suffered a second and fatal attack.

House members from both parties mourned his death. Almost without exception their comments included mention of Mott's "keen mind."

He was the ranking minority member of the House Naval Affairs committee and served on the roads and postwar military policy committees.

Past Masters Of J'Ville Masons Will Be Honored

Jacksonville, Nov. 13—Warren Lodge No. 10 of Jacksonville will observe past masters' night with a dinner and meeting at the hall in Jacksonville Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Speakers will be Dr. B. N. Ahl, captain in the navy medical corps and stationed at Camp White, and Capt. Harold Hartzell, pilot in the marine corps. Dinner will be served by the Eastern Star club.

FLEE VOLCANO

San Francisco, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Volcanic ash from erupting Mount Ruapehu in New Zealand has forced removal of more than 700 American lend-lease vehicles 100 miles to the south, Melbourne radio said today. The Australian broadcast recorded by United Press said in a dispatch from Wellington, N. Z., that the machines were damaged by volcanic ash from the mountain's crater. They were moved from the New Zealand army's Wairoa military camp.

Largest Crop of Turkeys on Record Awaiting U.S. Thanksgiving Dinner

Chicago, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—More than 44,000,000 turkeys are eating their heads off to provide the makings for the nation's Thanksgiving dinner. The Institute of American Poultry Industries reported today that since last spring the biggest crop of gobblers on record has been stuffing on choice grain.

WILL HOP OVER REDS BLOCKING LAND, SEA DOORS

30 American Air Transporta Manned by Chinese Crews Ready to Move 1500 Daily

Chungking, Nov. 13—(U.P.)—Well-informed sources said today the central government obtained permission from Russia to fly occupation troops into Manchuria, where hostile Chinese communists have blocked incoming land and sea routes.

Thirty American air transports, manned by Chinese crews, were reported standing by at Peiping to move 1,500 of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's troops into Manchuria daily.

Replace Russians
They will replace Soviet Red Banner army forces, which were reported today to have begun a mass withdrawal from Manchuria. More than 2,000,000 Chinese communists and nationalist troops were locked in unended civil war along the southern approaches to Manchuria.

The Chungking government appealed to the Soviets for permission to occupy Manchuria by air after defending communists had denied nationalist ground and amphibious troops access to the northern avenues of entry.

Scattered fighting flared in the "battle of the border."

It was reported yesterday that government troops captured Shanhaikwan, communist stronghold at the eastern terminus of the Great Wall. Shanhaikwan lies eight miles north of Chingwangtao, headquarters of Gen. Tu Li-Ming, commander of China's northeastern armies.

Near Shanhaikwan
Communist sources previously acknowledged that elements of the Nationalist 52nd army reached a point only a mile from the gates of Shanhaikwan.

Heaviest fighting broke out at Paotow, an important rail junction in Suiyuan province which has been under siege by communist Fourth Route army troops since early this month. Paotow is 90 miles west of Kweisui, the provincial capital, and 350 east of Peiping.

Central (Chungking) News Agency said communists occupied eight major cities of Shan-tung province during the past few weeks. Additionally, Central said communists captured Saratsi, in Suiyuan province, and occupied and burned Minchuan in eastern Honan province.

HUSBAND ADMITS HORROR MURDER

Roscoe, Calif., Nov. 13—(U.P.)—John Honeycutt, 32, told police today he killed his wife and ripped her body to pieces with his hands while her mother watched paralyzed with horror.

Honeycutt had dismembered his wife's body and was washing the blood from his hands when police officers arrived, summoned by Mrs. Florence Honeycutt's father, Frank A. Harris.

"I'm a murderer. I killed my wife and it's no business of yours why I did it," Honeycutt calmly greeted officers, they said.

Police said Honeycutt told them he went to the Harris home, where his wife was living and demanded that she come back to live with him. When she refused, they said, Honeycutt kicked her mother aside and attacked his wife with a butcher knife.