

LUMBERMAN DEFENDS WPB LUMBER CHIEF

SEATTLE, Nov. 26 (AP)—Recent attacks on Ben Alexander, war production board coordinator for lumber industry, by T. R. Robinson, Everett lumberman, before a senate committee hearing on the lumber industry have been protested by one of the Pacific northwest's largest mill operators as spokesman for "a large proportion of the industry."

J. H. Bloedel, president of the Bloedel-Donovan Lumber company, voiced his defense of Alexander in a wire to Senator Mon. C. Wallgren (D-Wash.) yesterday and said the industry's only major problem was that of finding adequate labor to continue full scale operations.

Issue Taken

Present lumber prices are satisfactory, Bloedel said, considering wage scales, and higher prices would not induce greater production. The committee, he declared, could solve the industry's problem by providing a labor supply.

Bloedel also took issue with a recommendation made by Col. W. B. Greeley, manager of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, that the embargo placed on the export of logs from British Columbia should be repealed.

"Such repeal would not materially affect the importation of Douglas fir, which is the bulk of the lumber required," he asserted. "Out of an approximate total of 700,000,000 feet of logs imported from January 1, 1939, to the date of the embargo, August 11, approximately 500,000,000 feet were hemlock logs intended for pulp mills."

Angels Appoint Bill Sweeney New Playing Manager

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26 (AP)—Veteran Bill Sweeney will be playing manager of the Los Angeles Baseball club next season.

Clarence (Pants) Rowland, club president, announced his appointment as manager, and Sweeney immediately said he expected to cover first base for the Angels. Ed Waitkus, Angels' first baseman last year, has joined the marines.

GOOD AS MARIUCCI

MINNEAPOLIS—Coach Larry Armstrong rates Joe Silovich, Minnesota's sophomore halfback, as good a hockey prospect as Larry Mariucci. Silovich intends to enter the army at the end of the fall quarter.

YALE LOSES SMITH

NEW HAVEN — A shoulder injury suffered in scrimmaging was expected to keep Tom Smith, Yale's capable freshman guard, on the sidelines for two weeks.

General 'Mac' Soldiers Again—This Time in New Guinea



Soldiering is an old story to General Harold MacArthur, former assistant secretary of war, U. S. minister to Canada and American Legion national commander. MacArthur, who served on the Mexican border in 1916-17 and in World War I, is shown in New Guinea where the Allies are pressing the Japs at Buna. At left, General "Mac" gives first aid to aching feet and at right bares his neck to a soldier-barber.

Jap Airmen Really Do Sneer Outside Hollywood

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Nov. 26 (AP)—Japanese airmen do sneer in the approved Hollywood manner.

Navy Gunner Harold R. Rowden, 22, of Birmingham, Ala., found out, he related, when his plane wound up in the middle of five Zeros after dropping a bomb on the deck of a Japanese cruiser in the Coral sea battle.

Rowden, now stationed here, received the distinguished flying cross and gold star for his part in the battle which he described this way:

"They (the Zeros) maneuvered about us and one began a run. He came down at us off our star-

Sun Bowl Game on Again After Being Cancelled by War

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 26 (AP)—The annual Sun bowl football game was on again today after being cancelled because of the war.

At a meeting over the weekend, the bowl committee decided to stage the annual New Year's day game on the condition that all proceeds other than team expenses go to some army or navy relief fund.

The committee spokesman said the bowl selections may be made either from two top-ranking service teams, from a service team and the border conference football champion, or from two collegiate elevens.

Let's Get Going Now, Says Father of Boy Killed in War

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 (AP)—Newspapers here Wednesday printed a full-page advertisement for the Carrier Corp., makers of air conditioning and refrigeration equipment. It was this letter from Arthur Hocking, "clock No. 2082," to his "fellow workers in factory and office."

"Seven weeks ago my only son was killed in the war. Most of you know this but you can't possibly know how Hardy's mother and I feel. That is, none of you except Walt Gardner, who just lost his boy, too."

"Since Hardy's death I've been doing a lot of thinking. What I'm trying to figure out is why so many of us are taking things for granted and not doing all we can to help win the war."

this talk about a 5 or 10-year war. There's no sense to it. We can win this war quick. We've got to. If we don't our boys will be killed like mine was."

"So put those 5 and 10 year thoughts out of your head. Finish our refrigeration machines for the synthetic rubber program this month—not next. Keep our portable cold storage line going 24 hours a day—not 16 or 20."

HOUSTON — Bob Perkins, Rice safety man, fields punts in a fashion that reminds spectators of a seasoned outfielder.

"Anyway I'm fed up with all

3 PLEAD GUILTY ON LARCENY COUNT

HILLSBORO, Nov. 26 (AP)—Three youths pleaded guilty before Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters yesterday to charges of larceny from a store growing out of the beating and robbing of a woman attendant, Mrs. Laurie Petzold.

The trio—Joseph L. Morgan, 19, alias Harry Corfield, a confessed army deserter; Merlin Henry Spillman, 19, Portland, and Rex Albert Carnes, 17, Hillsboro—will be sentenced Saturday.

Police said that out of the \$1880 they took from the store on the Cornelius Pass road only \$270 remained. The officers said the youths also had six new guns and two recently purchased automobiles.

Morgan and Spillman were taken into custody Tuesday after wrecking an automobile near Camas, Wash. Carnes had been arrested earlier.

Fort Klamath

Mrs. Dolores Sche and twin daughters, Tanya and Tod, left last week for Fort Bragg, Calif., after spending some months visiting here at the Roy Deffenbacher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wampler and family have moved into Fort Klamath from their Seven Mile homestead, and will occupy the R. E. Gordon residence here for the winter months while road conditions are bad.

Mrs. Roy Wimer returned

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last week to Fort Klamath after visiting relatives in Portland and Salem for a week. She brought back with her her infant granddaughter, Diane Ruegg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ruegg of Portland, the latter being Mrs. Wimer's daughter.

After an enforced layoff near the end of last week, loggers employed locally by the Algoma Lumber company resumed woods operations this week on the Yawkey timber tract north-east of Fort Klamath.

charge of Mrs. Castel and son, Alfred B. Castel Jr.

Donald Taylor of Lakeview, visited here Sunday with his father, grandmother and aunt, Clay Taylor, Mrs. Robert Taylor, and Mrs. Joanne Taylor, respectively. Young Taylor, who enlisted this summer in the U. S. navy, has been discharged from the service due to physical disability which developed since his enlistment.

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