

# DR TO SPONSOR POWER INCREASE

By ERNEST B. VACCARO  
 NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 12 (AP)—President Roosevelt was pledged today by his running mate to sponsor both the further development of water power through planned systems of reservoirs and dams and the expansion of water transportation.

Senator Harry S. Truman, Democratic vice presidential pick, said in an address pre-arranged for delivery at the annual meeting of the Mississippi River Control Association, that Roosevelt's program for the nation of the Missouri Valley shortly "will bring new health, new opportunity and new security to millions of our people."

He added that "this administration will not let the progress of river transportation subside in postwar years the benefits of inland waterways "will be made available to farmers, to miners, to industrial plants and consumers of all products which lend themselves to water transport."

Earlier, in a radio speech aimed to the Mississippi valley, Roosevelt asked "fighting support" from the president's flood control policies, asserting "we must not give the job half done."

# The Road to Berlin

By The Associated Press  
 1—Western front: 302 miles from west of Duren).  
 2—Russian front: 310 miles from Warsaw).  
 3—Italian front: 560 miles from near Bologna).

# Mineral Production Hits New Record

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12 (AP)—The nation's mineral production set a new record of \$57,475,000 during the first nine months of 1944, the bureau of mines reported today.

More tungsten and antimony came from Idaho last year than from any other state and it ranked second in the output of zinc, lead and copper ore.



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# Where G. I. Joes Will Say Goodbye to Army Life



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# Sprague River

T/S Robert Carnini writes to Mr. and Mrs. M. Carnini that he is now in France.

PFC Howard Roff and Pvt. Arthur Roff, sons of Mrs. Pearl Rogers, writes that they met each other and enjoyed a long visit, somewhere in the Pacific.

PFC Bobby Claus, son of Mrs. Rosa Carnini, is expected to move shortly. He has been stationed for some time at Ft. Logan, Miss.

Carl Schonchin, who is ill, was taken to the Klamath Agency the first of the week.

Russell Allphin, a private in the army, has been discharged because of his age, and has returned home. Mrs. Allphin and four sons have made their home in Sprague River during Allphin's stay in the army.

Gloria Carnini is in Portland this week, visiting the mother and sister of Mrs. Rosa Carnini.

Dinner guests at the Charles Borough home Sunday were two brothers, Floyd and Marle Boroughs from Grants Pass, and two sisters, Mrs. Mable McCullum of Malin, and Mrs. Ritter and Mr. Ritter and daughter Jeanne from Gold Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Williamson, former Sprague River residents, now of Prineville, announce the birth of a daughter, Dorothy Elane, born October 6, Mrs. Williamson is a sister of Mrs. Folk Haddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hailing and children have been here for several days, visiting and looking after their property here. They now reside in Seattle.

# Commission to Open Bids On Curb Here

The state highway commission announced today that it would open bids in Portland October 24 on five road jobs, including one involving North Ninth street here.

The Klamath road job calls for the installation of 1950 feet of concrete curb on the North Ninth street section of The Dalles-California highway.

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# Third-Grader Knows What She Wants

PORTLAND, Oct. 12 (AP)—A third-grader, insisting on taking two copies of the same book from

the Portland public library, explained that she needed them both.

"You see," she told the librarian, "I'm going to read the story twice."

Classified Ads Bring Results

# Pan-American Net Tourney In Semi-Finals

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 12 (AP)—Pancho Segura of Ecuador meets Mexico's champion, Armando Vega, and William Talbert of Indianapolis plays Armando's brother, Rolando, in semi-finals of the third Pan-American tennis tournament today.

In mixed doubles semi-finals, Margaret Osborne of San Francisco and Talbert, U. S. champions, meet Louise Brough of

Beverly Hills, Calif., and Ignacio de la Borbolla Jr., son of former Mexican Davis Cup player. In the other bracket, Pauline Betz of Los Angeles and Segura play Mary Arnold of Los Angeles and Armando Vega.

Segura advanced yesterday by winning a straight-set but hard-fought victory over Eduardo Buse, Peru's No. 2 man, 6-1, 7-5, 6-2.

Armando Vega vanquished Jose Aguiro, king of Cuban netters, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

Other winners yesterday included: Women's singles, quarter-finals: Pauline Betz over Peggy Welsh, Lima, Pa., 6-2, 6-2; Mary Arnold over Gloria Thompson, St. Louis, 6-3, 6-1; Louise Brough over Teresa Mundet, Mexico, 6-0, 6-2.

# V-Day Celebration Talk Roils 41st

PORTLAND, Oct. 12 (AP)—The 41st division doesn't like all this talk about celebrating V-Day.

Maj. Charles R. Buxton, former Portland newspaperman, said his companions in the Southwest Pacific get "roiled and wonder what the celebrations will be about. There won't be any down there."

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