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YANKS RAID MANILA; HIT 14 VESSELS Float Dock Downed. 28 Jap Planes Wiped Out

By CHARLES H. McMURTRY U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Nov. 15 (AP)—Another American carrier plane raid on Japanese shipping...

SOLDIERS WIN THREE FORTS GUARDING CITY British Drive Gains In Push Toward Border

By WILLIAM FRYE LONDON, Nov. 15 (AP)—American Third Army doughboys battling through snow and sleet...

Push Forward South of Metz American Seventh Army troops pushed doggedly through the deepening snowfields of the northern Vosges foothills...

Bypass Drant In sweeping up Forts Hubert and Jussy the 95th Infantry division bypassed Fort Drant and its twin Fort Jeanne D'Arc in (Continued on Page Two)

Steel Companies Charged With Fixing Prices WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 (AP)—Attorney General Biddle announced that 18 steel corporations and six of their officers were indicted in Trenton, N. J., today on charges of conspiring to fix prices on stainless steel.

Eighth Forces Cross Montone ROME, Nov. 15 (AP)—Eighth Army forces have crossed the Montone river more than two miles northwest of Forli on the highway to Bologna, allied headquarters announced today.

Decision on Pearl Harbor Report Expected Shortly By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 (AP)—Highly-placed congressional sources expect a decision within three weeks on whether courts martial or exoneration will result from an army-navy board investigation of the Pearl Harbor attack.

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"Heads I Win--!" It was for Angus Newton the toss of a coin for the post of councilman from ward 1. Police Judge Harold Franey, center, flipped the silver dollar as Newton, left, chose "heads" and Matt Finnigan, right, named "tails" to settle the tie-vote cast in last Tuesday's election. The point was settled in Franey's office Tuesday afternoon. Newton took office at Tuesday night's council meeting.

NAVY SURVEYS NEW HOUSING UNIT SITE The United States navy Wednesday started survey of an 80-unit housing project site on property which Tuesday night had been purchased from School District No. 1.

Price \$8250 Purchase price was given as \$8250, value set by four appraisers, two from the federal government, two named locally. Amount paid was the average given by the four appraisers, the school board said.

Brooklyn Mad At Noel Coward NEW YORK, Nov. 15 (AP)—If Brooklyn has its way, New York City will see no more plays or books by Noel Coward in the borough's five councilmen, with community pride seething at the British playwright's comments on bravery of Brooklyn's service men, yesterday introduced a resolution in the city council that Coward's books and plays be banned from libraries and stores here.

French Police Occupy Andorra PARIS, Nov. 15 (AP)—French gendarmes have occupied the autonomous state of Andorra in the Pyrenees, the foreign office announced today. A spokesman said the action had no connection with orders for the arrest of the French throne, reported on French soil in nearby Perpignan.

18 By 17 Andorra embraces 191 square miles at the French-Spanish frontier on the south slopes of the mountains. Rich iron mines and valuable forests lie in its cold limits. Most of the few thousand inhabitants are shepherds. Maximum length of the country is 17 miles and its maximum width is 18.

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Women Claim Right to Vote On Annexation Bill Lost Three residents of the South Sixth street area, who claimed they were not permitted to cast their vote on the annexation measure at the November 7 election, protested before the council Tuesday night that they had lost their right to vote on the measure.

JASZBERENY TAKEN BY RUSSIAN TROOPS LONDON, Nov. 15 (AP)—The Russians announced tonight the capture of Jaszbereny, important communications center 35 miles east of Bucharrest. More than 50 other populated places, including eight railway stations, were taken as the red army continued its northward sweep in a drive to outflank the Hungarian capital.

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Bridge Resigns School Position Dave Bridge, for a number of years connected with the city schools and city recreation office, has resigned his position as vice principal and dean of boys at the junior high school, effective December 15. His resignation was accepted by the school board Monday night.

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Yank Fighters Hem In Jap Spearhead; Menace Limon Line By C. YATES McDANIEL GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Nov. 15 (AP)—American fighting men today were on three sides of the sparse Leyte island spearhead thrust north from the port of Ormoc, and threatened to cut the spear from the shaft.

PLANE LANDING STRIP PLANNED City-owned property in an area which may see the establishment of a landing strip for planes operating in non-scheduled private flying, will be withheld from sale for a period of 90 days, by decision of the city council Tuesday night.

Search Made for Military Planes By The Associated Press Two military planes, one an RCAP Catalina flying boat and the other a Grumman Hellcat fighter, were the object of widespread search today.

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Day's News By FRANK JENKINS NIMITZ confirms today the Jap radio reports of an assault by our carrier planes on Manila. Fourteen enemy ships—cargo vessels and tankers—two destroyers and a light cruiser—were sunk or damaged. A floating dock is used to repair ships. The Japs have a lot of ships that need repairing.