

WILLKIE TAKES LAW POSITION

(Continued from Page One) be the master of his own time. Willkie intends to take a vacation at his Indiana farms early next week, returning to New York about the beginning of May, when he will undertake his law duties.

His personal offices in the Commodore hotel, from which he has answered 280,000 pieces of mail since the November election, are to be closed about the end of the month.

Willkie still receives several hundred letters a day. His return to law, the profession to which he was raised and which he had long practiced, had been suggested to him by the firm he is entering before he was mentioned for the republican presidential nomination a little more than a year ago. Willkie turned it down then. Since the election he has had numerous offers.

Up to the present time, 37,277 pilots have successfully completed the CPT student courses, 3811 of them in the secondary phase.

LONDON SAYS MAIN DEFENSE STILL INTACT

(Continued From Page One) Fighting was general along the British front in Greece today. British sources said but despite their vigorous mechanized thrusts the Germans had not yet reached the main British-Greek defenses for the battle which may decide the fate of the Ionia peninsula.

Authoritative sources said the nazis now have overshot the main defense positions in their drive through the mountains which carried them to the western outlet of Siatista, pass opening between peaks 6000 feet high to a corridor of easier terrain to the south.

Greek general headquarters said their troops in western Macedonia had been successfully withdrawn to the new defense positions.

Before the Greeks retired, headquarters said, they inflicted heavy losses on the mechanized German forces.

Strong reinforcements of men and material were reported in position in the new defense line, where the terrain makes mechanized attacks extremely hazardous.

The main German drive appeared to be directed down the central section of the peninsula from the Bitolj (Monastir) gap, while the column which crashed down the Vardar valley and took Salonika was in contact with the allied forces to the east in the region of Mount Olympus. Here, the Greeks said, "several thrusts" by enemy mechanized forces were repulsed.

The penetration through the Siatista pass was disclosed last night by a Greek spokesman. The advance was said to have cost the Germans many lives as they struggled through tortuous mountain routes harassed by sharpshooters.

SNOW IN APRIL
Snow fell furiously in Klamath Falls late Wednesday afternoon. For more than 15 minutes it might have been January instead of April 16. Although the snowflakes failed to stick on downtown streets and sidewalks, lawns and trees were covered with white.

British, Greeks, Germans, and Yugoslavs all report advances—but we still don't think the world is moving forward.

DIVE-BOMBERS BLAST LONDON

(Continued from Page One) —were believed engaged in the savage attack.

BELFAST, Northern Ireland, April 16 (P)—The Nazi air force swept across Northern Ireland like a tornado last night leaving a wide path of death and demolition through Belfast and smaller towns and even isolated farms of the six counties.

A tour of the worst of Belfast's bombed areas showed that hundreds of working class homes had been shattered in the four-hour raid. Many persons were killed in a direct hit on a bomb shelter.

Several hospitals and churches and newspaper plants were hit by high explosives which fell also on residential and shopping areas, according to an official communique.

Commenting on the aftermath of the attack, the communique said: "The recruiting officers are besieged this morning."

Belfast is capital of Northern Ireland, part of the United Kingdom.

The raiders came over in waves, dropping fares which the ground defenses machine-gunned. At one time the whole sky was lighted up with flares drifting earthward.

So extensive were the fires in Belfast and elsewhere that Dublin, neutral Eire's capital, sent fire equipment to aid the fighters in the north.

BERLIN, April 16 (P)—The port of Belfast was described today as the main target of German air attacks on Northern Ireland last night which informed circles said were "a blow against English supply centers and war materials stores."

Royal Navy Blasts Axis Libyan Army

(Continued From Page One) hicles were shelled and set on fire.

"In Ethiopia," the statement continued, "our patrols have routed the enemy at Safertak Ford, 30 miles southeast of Debra Markos, and have captured forts on the left bank of the Blue Nile in this sector."

"In the Aduwa district (of Ethiopia), mechanized troops have encountered an enemy position in the Dabarach area."

Military circles called the situation in Libya "serious," but asserted there was "no immediate threat to Egypt."

CAIRO, Egypt, April 16 (P)—British military sources said tonight that in the struggle with axis forces at the Egyptian frontier the Libyan strong point, Fort Capuzzo, had changed hands several times before the British finally recaptured it.

Editorials Blamed For Shooting of Italian Newsmen

(Continued from Page One) the police that he had received numerous telephone threats from anonymous callers who warned him to "change the tone of his editorials."

The slayer accosted Arena as he was about to enter his parked car with Miss Eleanor Herrmeyer, 17. The assassin called attention to a flat tire and when Arena stepped to the front of the car he was shot twice with a pistol. The slayer escaped in an automobile driven by an accomplice.

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TOLL REACHES 174 DEATHS IN MEXICO QUAKE

(Continued from Page One) of the seven states in the southern earthquake belt may not be known for days.

Colima, capital of Colima state, 275 miles west of Mexico City, appeared to be hardest hit of the towns able to communicate with the capital. Governor Pedro Torres Ortiz radioed that half of the city's 15,000 residents were homeless, dead, or injured.

Colima volcano, near Colima, erupted. Governor Ortiz said, kindling forest fires that seriously menaced the shattered city.

Mexico City sustained damage estimated unofficially at more than \$1,000,000 when heavy shocks wrecked buildings and started a fire in the industrial area that leveled a square block.

Destruction and undetermined numbers of casualties were reported from Guadalajara, capital of Jalisco state and Mexico's second largest city; Manzanillo, important Pacific coast port; and a dozen other cities across the country—as far east as Maltrata in Vera Cruz state which borders on the Gulf of Mexico.

Boito's Store Sold to Local Business Man

Sale of Boito's store on South Sixth street in St. Francis park, was announced this week with Wilbur Arnold, well known Klamath Falls businessman, taking over the business Sunday, April 13.

John Boito, former owner, plans to retire from active business it is understood. At the present time he is devoting his time to his store on East Main street.

Arnold has been a resident of Klamath county for a good many years and for the past 13 years has been affiliated with the Lorenz company as salesman in this territory. Arnold announced the name of the store would be changed to "Arnold's Market." The family will reside in living quarters connected with the St. Francis park store.

The same policy under which Boito operated the store will be continued, Arnold stated. The store includes grocery, meat, and variety departments.

Japanese Report British-Thai Clash

NEW YORK, April 16 (P)—Domei, Japanese news agency, broadcast today a Bangkok dispatch saying that attacks by British troops along Thailand's Malay frontier had caused the Thai government to protest to British authorities.

The agency said the dispatch was based on a statement issued by the Thai foreign ministry. No details of the reported attacks were given.

Two Women Injured in Plane Crash

were Capt. Russell Wright, First Officer William Riley and Hostess Irene Coates.

Passengers aboard the ship, according to Pennsylvania-Central, were:

H. M. Jardine, Pittsburgh. E. C. Bobbett, Ashland, Ky. Paul E. Middleton, Indianapolis.

A. H. Crawford, Charleston. J. R. Johnson, Rockford, Ill. Miss J. Ann Gould, who boarded the plane at Tri-Cities airport, Tenn., bound for Detroit.

The plane was flying an intermediate route on the Pittsburgh to Birmingham line of Pennsylvania-Central, a line opened only two weeks ago. On the intermediate route stops are made at Chattanooga, Knoxville, Tri-Cities Airport, Tenn., Charleston and Clarksburg.

LONDON, April 16 (AP)—British naval forces last night annihilated a southbound axis convoy between Sicily and Tripoli, sinking three Italian destroyers and five supply ships, the admiralty announced tonight.

SENATE POSTPONES VOTE ON CONVOYS

WASHINGTON, April 16 (AP)—Avoiding an immediate showdown on the convoy issue, the senate foreign relations committee agreed unanimously today to delay until April 30 consideration of a resolution forbidding the use of American naval vessels for convoy purposes.

Members reported that the anti-convoys resolution, proposed by Senator Tobey (R-NH), was made the "principal order of business" on April 30. In the interim, they said, the state department will be asked to express its views on the proposed ban.

Tobey told reporters he would keep working to line up support for his proposal. "It is very evident," he asserted, "that the committee did not wish to meet the issue today."

Tobey and Senate Majority Leader Barkley engaged in warm argument on the issue yesterday.

The committee's deliberations on the convoy question at this

Government Freezes Steel Prices To Curb Up-trend

(Continued from Page One) given to workers in the steel industry did not justify a hike in steel prices. He explained that the whole price situation is in a "rather critical shape and many industries have been a little greedy."

There is no reason, he said, to expect price control of foodstuffs at this time.

"The market place looks to the price of steel as sheep look to the bell-wether," Henderson said. "A rise in steel prices would inevitably be followed by rises in prices of every other basic commodity. These increases would in turn be reflected in rising prices of manufactured goods."

Advance tip—it soon will be time for you to keep your fingers out of the electric fan.

time assumed added significance because of President Roosevelt's statement at a press conference yesterday that American merchant ships traveling the world's sea lanes outside of prohibited combat zones would be accorded full protection.

Courthouse Records WEDNESDAY Complaints Filed

Rose Dundee versus Ernest Koschnick. Suit for damages. Plaintiff demands judgment of \$5000 as well as \$301.65 for hospital bills, \$300 for loss of earnings to date and \$140 for medical services, in payment as result of injuries sustained January 17, 1941. U. S. Balentine, attorney for plaintiff.

U. S. prefers that newspapers keep mum about where British vessels in American waters are going. The idea being to keep them from going down.

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