

# Building Trades Council Votes 8-Hour Day

## Nazi Shark



## SHIPPERS URGE U. S. INTERVENE

SEATTLE, Sept. 7.—(UP)—An A.F.L. waterfront strike at three Puget Sound ports, which has tied up commerce for a week and spread to the docks of Seattle, caused the Waterfront Employers' association today to appeal to President Roosevelt and the U. S. maritime commission for intervention.

## HOUSE AWAITS VOTE ON DRAFT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The final vote on the Burke-Wadsworth conscription bill probably will be taken tonight. One subject for debate remained—the question of industrial cooperation in the defense program.

## STOCKS

Dow Jones preliminary closing stock averages: Industrial 123.74, off 0.81; rail 79.11, off 0.63; utility 23.60, unchanged; and 63 stocks, 45.15, off 0.60. Stock values approximated \$29,000,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The main body of stocks was practically unchanged in light trading today while a few odd issues had met change ranging to a gain of 1/2 points. Small gains and losses balanced in the steel section. Copper shares held around the previous close. Markets at a glance: Stocks irregular and quiet. Bonds irregularly lower; U. S. government firm. Corn exchange easy. Foreign easy. Wheat and corn barely steady.

## LONGER HOURS APPROVED FOR 'EMERGENCY'

### Plea of Contractors Granted; Change In Effect Soon

The plea of private construction work in Bremerton will be quickened effective Sept. 16 when union members affiliated with the Bremerton Building and Construction Trades Council start working eight hours daily, five days a week.

An official announcement from the council, given The Sun by Lester Galyan, secretary, said: "The Bremerton Building and Construction Trades Council went on record at its regular meeting Friday night to go on an eight-hour day with effect from the period of 90 days, this to be extended if the emergency still exists. The council feels that due to the national defense emergency work, that the local contractor is being penalized by being held to the six-hour day during the emergency. This will go into effect Sept. 16."

**HOURLY PAY THE SAME**  
Under the new plan, building trades workers will be employed 40 hours per week instead of 30 hours. Their hourly rates of pay will be unchanged. All work in contracting trades with the council will be regarded as overtime. Since May of 1937, the building trades members have worked six hours per day for five days a week.

## HERE FOR DEFENSE

Action of the council was in response to an appeal made two months ago by local contractors. With the national defense program being rushed, many tradesmen were employed by contractors, these men receive larger weekly paychecks on U. S. jobs. Therefore, contractors found themselves short of workmen; the "cream" of building tradesmen were working for the government.

## OLD U. S. SHIPS TO HUNT SUBS

AN EASTERN-CANADIAN PORT, Sept. 7.—(UP)—Rear Admiral Stewart Bonham-Carter, chief of British naval operations in the Atlantic, disclosed today that the destroyers obtained in a trade with the United States will be used as an interceptive drive against German submarines.

Bonham-Carter said he did not know when the transfer of the destroyers would take place but there would be no ceremony. "These ships will be used almost exclusively in the Atlantic," the admiral said. "The British navy is short of destroyers, and these ships will remedy that shortage."

"They are simply magnificent ships," Bonham-Carter said. "They are in perfect condition."

## Other Republics in Hemisphere Offered Use of New Bases

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(UP)—Secretary of State Cordell Hull announced today that the United States is prepared to lease from Great Britain "the fullest cooperative basis" for the common defense of the Americas.

## Contractor Vanishes

SEATTLE, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The missing person bureau of the police department today sought James S. Campbell, Seattle contractor, whose son said he had not been seen since he drove 900 from a bank yesterday noon to meet a payroll.

## THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight and Sunday; occasional rain on coast, and locally in amount; cooler Sunday; gentle variable wind becoming southerly over inland waters.

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## BUENOS AIRES—Sixteen interned officers of the scuttled German pocket battleship Graf Spee were reported tonight to have escaped from Martin Garcia, which is an immigration station similar to Ellis Island in New York.

**VICRY**—Former premiers Edouard Daladier and Paul Reynaud, and Gen. Maurice Gamelin, former allied supreme commander, have been taken into custody near Niom under the security of the state act, it was announced officially today.

It was said that the arrests were "preventive" and were intended to assure the presence of the two premiers and the generalissimo in event the supreme court desires to indict or question them.

**BERLIN**—The official news agency reported from Helsinki tonight that President Kyosti Kallio, 67, of Finland had died. Kallio was elected to office in 1937 and was prime minister of his country four times before being elected president.

**LONDON**—Twenty-one German planes, including 16 bombers, were shot down during the biggest air raid of the war on the London zone, the air ministry said tonight.

## NARROWS TOLL RATE WILL DROP

**Born**  
To Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Anderson, 1223 Park ave., twin son and daughter, Sept. 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clausen, 701 Summit ave., a son, at the Maynard hospital, Seattle, Sept. 7.

To Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wilhelm, Olmita, a son, Sept. 5.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bray, Jr., of Port Orchard, a son, Sept. 4.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oien of Poulsbo, a daughter, Sept. 3.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bottiger, 908 15th st., a daughter, at the Bremerton Private hospital, Sept. 6.

**Marriage License Applications**  
Howard Whittle Jones, 24, U. S. 8, Honolulu, and Mary Sider, 26, Fontana, Cal.

Harry Thomas Cornell, 26, Anacortes, and Edna H. Filcroft, 27, Sedro Woolley.

John Williams, 26, Bremerton, and Elizabeth Mathilda West, 27, John.

**Dead**  
Mrs. Annie Tilden, 71, at home, Poulsbo, Sept. 6.

**Visitors In Port**  
U.S.S. Lexington.  
U.S.S. San Francisco.  
U.S.S. Oklahoma.  
U.S.S. Dewey.  
U.S.S. Hull.  
U.S.S. Honolulu.  
U.S.C.G. Nemea.  
U.S.S. Ramsay.  
U.S.S. Vega.  
U.S.S. Brewster.

**Vessels Due**  
U.S.S. Pennsylvania, Sept. 17.

**Tides for Sunday**  
First low—7:29 a.m., 0.0 ft.; first high—10:37 a.m., 9.8 ft.; second low—3:28 p.m., 5.7 ft.; second high—9:26 p.m., 8.9 ft.

**Malta Commandery To Confer Degrees At Monday Session**  
The Order of the Red Cross and the Order of the Malta will be conferring a class of candidates Monday evening during a stated convocation of Malta Commandery No. 18, Knights Templar, at the Central office in Port Orchard.

Commander M. C. Huette will direct the ritualistic work on the evening program.

**Port Orchard Hires Additional Teacher**  
An additional teacher to handle first and second grade classes at Central school in Port Orchard was employed today, it was announced today.

She is Miss Edna Robinson and she will teach first grade at Silverdale, and she begins Monday.

## \$1,125,000 FOR YARD IN 'TOTAL DEFENSE' BILL

### Major Projects Will Be Undertaken In 13th District

Puget Sound navy yard and other naval stations in Kitsap county will receive more than two million dollars in appropriations for additional public works from the "total defense" bill which the congress completed action yesterday.

Total for the navy yard comes to \$1,125,000. The Keyport naval coxswain station will receive \$600,000; naval ammunition depot was allowed \$534,000, and the naval radio station on Bainbridge island gets \$75,000.

**WORK IN ALASKA**  
Another \$1,286,000 will be expended on Sand Point and naval stations in Alaska, work at these bases also being directed by Commander C. Thomas, public works officer, from the public works division in the navy yard.

Appropriations in Alaska bring the total which will be handled from here to \$3,821,000.

Extension of the shipfitters shop in P.S.N.Y., already started with a previous \$500,000 appropriation will amount to another \$450,000. A \$100,000 connecting tunnel from the building dock connection to the line of the Puget Sound Power and Light Co. costing \$30,000, will provide additional power supply from outside the yard in case of emergency.

**OTHER PROJECTS**  
Other appropriations for power facilities in the yard include \$150,000 for completion of the electric system on pier 6, \$90,000 for improvement of the electric system on pier 4 and \$300,000 for various improvements of the yard.

Total appropriations included in the bill for other stations are:

Naval air station, Sand Point, Seattle; \$250,000; naval air station, Pacific and Burrell at Seattle; \$200,000; naval air station, Sitka, Alaska, \$500,000; naval radio station, Dutch Harbor, Alaska, \$30,500.

## BASEBALL AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York R H E  
Boston 3 13 0  
Russo and Ross; Heving, Grove and Fox.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
First game—R H E  
Boston 2 13 0  
Philadelphia 3 13 0

Possel and Berres; Beck, Sool (8) Ryan Johnson (8) and Warren.

## Capt. Parker Named To Command Navy's New Alaska Sector

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The navy today named Capt. Ralph Chandler Parker to command the newly-established Alaskan sector.

The sector was established recently by Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox to administer naval matters in the Alaska area, when the navy was struck at the corner of Callow ave. and Rodgers st., by a car driven by Lloyd H. Fisher.

The girl, police reported, ran out into the street from behind a parked car and leaped back just before she was struck. Fisher brought his machine almost to a stop before the right front part of the car struck her. Police returned the girl to her home.

## State's Population Makes 10 Pct. Gain

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The census bureau today announced preliminary population figures as of April 1 for Washington was 1,712,176, compared with 1,562,396 at the last census; an increase of 10.1 per cent.

## It's Double or Nothing



Rhythe and Betty Teeter pose for the camera after winning the title of prettiest twins at the fifth annual Southern California Twin convention in Huntington Beach, Calif. More than 200 sets of twins from all parts of the country were on hand to take part in the contest.

## Knox Scores Conscription Delay, Inspects Warships

HONOLULU, Sept. 7.—(UP)—The present expansion program without doubt will give the U.S. the strongest navy in the world, Col. Knox said.

Sunday night, Secretary Knox will board the aircraft carrier Enterprise, temporary flagship of Admiral James O. Richardson, for a week's cruise with the battle fleet during which he said he would visit every type of ship participating in maneuvers.

He also will visit navy and army shore establishments before flying back to the mainland on the night of Sept. 15.

The secretary said the new idea how long the battle fleet would remain in Hawaiian waters.

## Forest Ridge Club Dines Monday Eve

Forest Ridge Improvement club will meet for a potluck dinner at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening at the Forest Ridge Scout hall. Those attending are to bring table service, and either a hot dish, salad or dessert. Coffee and cream will be furnished. A business session will follow the dinner hour and a full membership attendance is asked.

## Man Loses Both Of His Hands In Blast

BONHEAVEN, FRIDAY, 14th St., Sept. 7.—(UP)—Glen Wyatt was recovering today from a dynamite blast which cost both his hands. Wyatt was carrying a box of dynamite caps when they exploded in his arms.

## HUNDREDS OF PLANES DROP BOMBS IN CITY

### Nazis Sound Start Of 'All Out' Offensive Against Isles

LONDON, Sept. 7.—(UP)—Huge fleets of German warplanes battered the London zone late today in the biggest aerial offensive of the war, shattering bombs over a wide area and starting fires that sent dense smoke clouds billowing across part of the horizon.

Waves of Nazi bombers, protected by hundreds of fighting planes, roared over the capital and its suburbs, wheeling through a tremendous anti-aircraft barrage and battling with British chase planes.

**"MILLIONS OF BOMBS"**  
[At Berlin, Nazi officials said that immense damage had been inflicted on London by innumerable German planes of all types which dropped millions of pounds of bombs in line with Adolf Hitler's threat of retaliation for British raids on German territory. Heavy German air losses in the fighting were admitted.]

The German planes started out of the clouds time after time in groups of two or three or in long lines, from which bombers whirled gracefully to dive with a terrible screaming, tearing sound toward ground targets.

**DASH OVER LONDON**  
At least 100 German planes dashed over one London area, returning repeatedly to the attack in the face of a strong anti-aircraft barrage. It was estimated that a total of 500 German planes were in the London attack.

The German attack extended over a big zone, including the Thames estuary and airbases north and southeast of the capital.

**HOUSES DESTROYED**  
In Thames estuary district shrapnel and houses were blown to pieces and the streets were littered with glass.

The official German news agency D.N.B. said that the raid on London "was taken in reprisal for the Royal Air Force's night time attacks on non-military objectives in the Reich which have been conducted with increasing strength in recent weeks."

The agency said that German planes were also attacking in irregular waves at varying altitudes to make the British defense "uneasy."

**STAGE DOG FIGHT**  
Thirty or more planes were involved in one dog fight over a London section after which about 15 German craft were driven back by gunfire and chasers in another attacking in the rain from the direction of the coast but were driven out into a wide area and forced back toward the sea.

One German bomb fell at a greyhound racing track. From (Continued on Page 6.)

## Bremerton Sketches - By WILL DANCH



"Do I look all right? The folks are taking me back to the hospital, and I want to look as nice as Ethel Craig, the nurse."