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### They Hiked During Strike



Joan Holt, Esther Siegel and Lorraine Czeki, from left to right, went to cool their tired "dogs" after hiking to the sixth floor of the Chicago city hall when elevator operators joined their eight employees in a strike against a proposed salary cut. To enforce their objections, unskilled employees shut off vital services in Chicago yesterday for five hours before the strike was settled by Mayor Edward A. Kelly.

### Vital German Areas Ruined

R. A. F. Stages Assault on Many Fronts

CAIRO, Jan. 10.—(UP)—British forces, it was reported tonight, have surrounded Tobruk in such force that an attempt by Italian troops to escape from the Libyan base would be most difficult.

### WAR TODAY

BY UNITED PRESS  
President Roosevelt's proposed all-out plan to aid Britain went before congress today as the Royal Air Force launched a whirlwind offensive that aimed blow on her axis foes on a down front.

### SOVIET NAZIS SIGN NEW PACT

Exchange of Larger Amount of Goods Is Provided

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—(UP)—A new Soviet-German pact, including an agreement for increased economic exchanges up to Aug. 1, 1942, "considerably over the limits of the first treaty," was signed today by Moscow, official D.N.B. news agency reported.

### ITALY LISTS 'ALLIES'

At the same time Premier Mussolini's new newspaper, the Popolo d'Italia, drew attention to the nations of Spain, Hungary and Rumania. Each of these countries stand ready and call to enter the war on the side of the axis, said the paper.

### ITALIAN'S FLEE CITY

The Italian and the region immediately to the west was bombed and Buda in northwest Kenya was recaptured. It had been in Italian hands sometime.

### DEATHS LAID TO FOOD POISONING

PORTLAND, Jan. 10.—(UP)—The coroner's office said today that an important illness, contained in home-canned beans, contained in strange "swollen tongue" deaths of three persons in Clatsop county.

### TWO DRAFTEES ARE DEFERRED

The Bremerton selective service board today announced two exemptions in the group of seven Bremerton men to be inducted for army service late this month.

### Driver Is Charged In Superior Court

Frederick L. Salinger, 24, 1148 1/2 First, was charged with driving an automobile while his operator's permit was revoked.

### 'Parties Spend 21 Millions In Campaign'—Sen. Gillette

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—Chairman Guy M. Gillette of the senate campaign expenditures committee said today that on the basis of incomplete reports, \$21,000,000 was spent by the two major political parties during the recent national election.

### As One V-P Said to Another



Henry A. Wallace, left, vice-presidential elect, greets Vice-President Hugh A. Wallace, right, in Washington after the former returned from his good-will visit to Mexico.

### Reach Safety BARGAINING TO RESUME JAN. 16

Negotiations for the purchase of the \$17,000,000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co. by public power agencies in the state will be resumed in Seattle Jan. 16 after two days of sessions in New York City, it was learned today.

### Up to Bonneville

GOLENDON, Ore., Jan. 10.—(UP)—The task of negotiating for the purchase of Pacific Power & Light Co. holdings in the mid-Columbia area of Washington and Oregon will be turned over to Bonneville authorities, spokesmen for the Kleeblatt county public utility district committee indicated today.

### CURB EXPORT OF SIX MATERIALS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—President Roosevelt, by proclamation, today imposed strict export license regulations on copper, iron, bronze, zinc, nickel and potash.

### Aids Defense

Subjects of a widespread land and air search in the Deschutes mountains, Galen Hallock, 17, (top) and Barney Harvey, 17, Seattle high school students, were brought safely to Brimmon last yesterday by a searching party.

### New Port Orchard Police Chief Hired

Ida Volinquist, former Kellogg, Ida, law enforcement officer, today assumed duties as Port Orchard and police chief on appointment of the city council.

### Marriage License Applications

Robert Henderson, 26, Bremerton, and Ruth Carlow, legal, Bremerton.

### Dead

Mrs. Nellie Cain, 64, of Chico, in the Kitsap county hospital, Jan. 9.

## War Aid Bill Given Solons

### President Tells Plans for Lending Arms

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—The administration's historic measure for converting the U. S. into an "arsenal for democracy" was placed before congress today with a surprise provision that would permit the repair and outfitting of British warships in American ports.

The bill, embodying President Roosevelt's plan of lending American-made munitions to Britain, Greece and China, including supplies now in the possession of U. S. armed forces, was placed before the senate and house simultaneously by democratic leaders Alben W. Barkley and John W. McCormack.

### MORE HOUSING UNITS STUDIED

USHA Officers Here to Discuss Plans With Board

Plans of the Bremerton Housing Authority for increasing the number of national defense dwelling units to be constructed here will be discussed this afternoon when the local authority city commissioners and high U. S. Housing Authority officials were to meet here for preliminary conference.

Langdon Post, regional director of the U. S. H. A., was expected from San Francisco for the conference, and A. C. Shire, director of the technical division of the U. S. H. A. in Washington, D. C., was on hand for the meeting.

Six hundred housing units are under construction at Westpark, and 240 more authorized. Construction of 200 units at a Manette site is now being planned, making 1,100 housing units under construction or authorized.

### U. S. TO SPEED HELP--HOPKINS

LONDON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—Harry L. Hopkins, personal emissary of President Roosevelt, told British newspapermen today, after conferring with Prime Minister Winston Churchill, that U. S. aid to Britain would reach its peak at the end of 1941 or early in 1942.

The U. S. is building vasty increased facilities for production of all articles relating to national defense, he said, adding: "I am convinced there is going to be a complete, united effort in the U. S. production of material to be used by ourselves, Britain, Greece and China."

Asked if steps had been taken to speed immediate production of such material, Hopkins replied: "The answer is very much in the affirmative."

### Three Local Youths In Custody in Kelso

Kelso police reported today they had in custody three Bremerton juveniles who had apparently run away from home.

### THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday, probable rain; little change in temperature; light to moderate east to south wind off the coast; over and inland waters.

### Bremerton Sketches

By WILL DANCH



"Daughter, would you ask your young man for the use of his car? We'd like to congratulate Jim Skiving on his forthcoming birthday."

### People in The News . . .

Edward Hoover, editor of "American Women," biographical dictionary, has announced his fifth annual selection of the 10 outstanding women of the year. Making no distinction among them, he named Deanna Durbin, actress-singer; Dorothy Thompson, columnist; Betty Berg, golfer; Belle Boschee, director of the San Diego Zoological Garden; Harriet Elliott of the national defense advisory commission; Mrs. Edith Graham Mayo, widow of Dr. Dr. Charles Mayo; Carson McCullers, author; Georgia O'Keeffe, artist; Aurelia Rothbard, president of Mills College; and Dana Suresse, composer.

### Mine 'Belts' to Be Put on All of New U. S. Cargo Vessels

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—All new vessels being built by the U. S. and some of its old ones will be equipped with magnetic mine belts, marine commission officials revealed today.

The newest and largest merchant ship afloat, the S. S. America, left Norfolk, Va., yesterday where the device to protect it against mines was attached. Officials said the move was a "precautionary measure" to guard against possible sinking by a stray mine.

The "Deaussing apparatus," first was introduced by the British to protect its ships from magnetic mines which are drawn to the steel hull of a ship. The belt is designed to neutralize that attraction.

### 2 Men Convicted Of Petty Larceny

Charles G. Buce, West Bremerton, and one of his associates, were convicted this morning in justice of the Peace Frank Ryan's court of petty larceny in check.

Each was fined \$25, but in the condition they pay court costs and make good on various checks and notes.

### 103 Navy Men to Be Joined by Brothers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—(UP)—The navy is letting itself in for either a lot of brotherly love or sibling squabbles.

It was announced that the Great Lakes training station will transfer 103 men this month who have brothers serving on various vessels in the fleet. The men will be assigned to the same ships on which their brothers are now.

### Alley Job Postponed

Proposed paving of the alley between First and Elizabeth av. from 13th to 15th sta. has been indefinitely postponed by the city commission. As a meeting of property owners of the proposed local improvement district, held Wednesday night at the city hall, 18 protests were filed.

### Alice and Jerry Kindergarten and Nursery School

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