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ROOSEVELT SEES CERTAIN VICTORY OVER NAZI GIGANTS WITHIN 75 MILES OF ROSTOV

Broughton Asks Post War Reserve Of \$20,000,000

Reds Break Through On Broad Front

Smash Nearer Key To Whole German Salient Into Caucasus

Drastic Gas Edict Goes Into Effect

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Dwindling gasoline and fuel oil supplies in the East brought orders for an end to pleasure driving in seventeen Atlantic seaboard states today and a cut in the use of heating oil in non-residential establishments to 45 per cent of normal requirements.

Move To Enforce Ban On Pleasure Driving

By ASSOCIATED PRESS State and local law enforcement agencies threw their weight at noon today behind the Federal order banning automobile pleasure driving in seventeen Atlantic seaboard states as a result of the critical gasoline shortage.

German Tank Expert, Von Arnim, Reported New Axis Tunisian Chief

By EDWIN SWANEE STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP)—Another change in German military leadership was reported today by dispatches from Berlin which said that General Walter Nehring had been superseded by Gen. Von Arnim as commander in chief of the Axis forces in Tunisia.

WEATHER

Occasional rain tonight. Today's Temp. H. 40; L. 36. Sunday: Today 40-50; Tomorrow 40-50. Additional U. S. Weather Bureau data will be found on page 11.

Higher Pay Requested In Address To Assembly Emergency Powers Sought

RALEIGH, (AP)—Governor Broughton recommended today that the Legislature establish a post-war reserve fund of at least \$200,000,000, that taxes not be increased, and that salaries be raised for State employees and public school teachers, including those in colleges and universities.

Nazis Score In Tunisia

Recapture Group Taken Before By British

By WEK GALLAGHER ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—The Germans have recaptured Jebel Azrag and all the ground previously taken by the British in the hills fifteen miles west of Matruh, an Allied Headquarters spokesman announced today.

Argentine Nazi Paper Suspended For Five Days

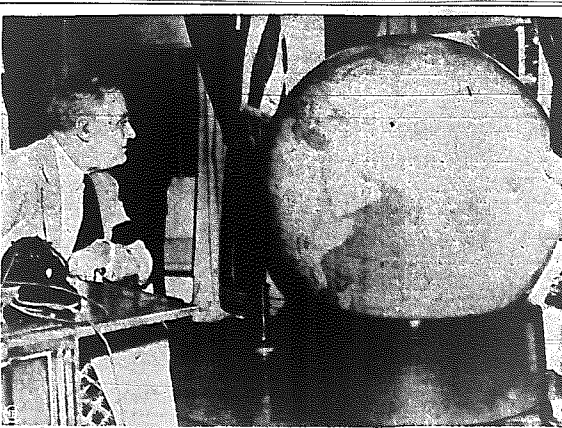
BUENOS AIRES (AP)—The Ministry of Interior suspended the Nazi daily, El Pampero, today for five days, effective immediately, for an article published Tuesday which ridiculed potential candidates in Argentina's Presidential elections next November.

Absentee Ballot Attention Called To Reorganization of State Board of Elections

Attention was called to reorganization of the State Board of Elections for stricter control of absentee ballot, and to the work of members of the Council of State, which indicated potential candidates in Argentina's Presidential elections next November.

Armistice Commission Members in England

By EDITH K. GAYLORD WASHINGTON (AP)—In the words of one of them, "We have a very representative group of women in Congress—not any of us are exactly alike."



PRESIDENT PLANS GLOBAL STRATEGY—On a great 800-pound, 50-inch globe given him by the Army, President Roosevelt gets the proper perspective needed to understand the ever-changing events of this global war.

Plan To Hit Japanese Home Islands

New American Blows Announced as Roosevelt Gives Attack Promise

By ASSOCIATED PRESS The New American blows against Japan's far-flung supply lines, ranging from the Solomons to the Aleutian Islands, were reported by the Navy today as President Roosevelt told Congress that U. S. warplanes would strike at Japan's home islands "and bomb them constantly from the air."

Ruling of Judge Is Very Confusing

TACOMA, Wash.—P. Superior Court Judge Ernest M. Card ruled that the ordinance of a blackout by military authorities did not set aside civil laws governing traffic.

Swans Disappear To Cut Meat Shortage

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP)—A. H. Hansen, superintendent at the Hollywood Turf Club's track, reported to police that six black swans and three white ones valued at \$25 had disappeared from the infield lake.

"Representative" Women Are In Congress--None Exactly Alike

WASHINGTON (AP)—In the words of one of them, "We have a very representative group of women in Congress—not any of us are exactly alike."

Big Gains By Allies In This Year Predicted

President Confidently Predicts Advances in Message to Congress

WASHINGTON, (AP)—President Roosevelt confidently told the new Congress today that he saw 1943 as a year of "very substantial advance" toward Berlin, Rome and Tokyo, and he said a "miracle of production" at home was backing the country's 7,000,000 fighting men.

Guard Kept At Capitol

Unusual Precautions Before FR Arrives

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Capitol was the scene of unusual precautions today to safeguard President Roosevelt as he delivered his state of the Nation address to Congress.

Dr. Crile Succumbs

Renowned Surgeon Dies At Cleveland Clinic

CLEVELAND (AP)—Dr. George Crile, the renowned surgeon-scientist, died today at the Cleveland Clinic where he had been under observation for the past three weeks.

SEES AFRICAN TRIUMPH

In the African theater, he predicted that the victory of Axis powers would be driven from the south shores of the Mediterranean.

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