



Mr. Labanon, Pa., police bring John Reynolds (center) into the police station after the gunman had terrorized the suburb near Pittsburgh for eight hours. He had been arrested earlier, but had escaped from the station. (UP-Acme).

### Air Force Denies Charge

## Reds Say UN Craft Over China

By OLEN CLEMENTS  
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### SKIPPER PERSUADED TO LEAVE GROUNDED SHIP

DEAL, England.—A lifeboat landed 37 crewmen from the wrecked French steamer Agon today and then returned and persuaded the skipper to leave the ship.

The captain, Maurice Landau, refused to go ashore when the lifeboat took the rest of the crew, but entered the lifeboat when it returned.

The crewmen were all suffering from exposure. One, a fireman, was slightly injured. They were taken to a sailor's home at Dover.

The 4186-ton Agon ran aground late last night on the treacherous Goodwin sands and broke in two. She was described as a complete wreck. The ship was bound for Rotterdam from Dakar.

### State-Wide Ike Drive Now In Planning Stage

By TOM FESPERMAN  
Charlotte News Staff Writer

A statewide rally of "recognized leaders" who are supporting Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower for President is now in the planning stage. The state meeting of the Eisenhower Club was held in Lexington today.

Talking by telephone from his office in Lexington, Mr. DeLapp said he has been in touch with Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge, leader of the national Eisenhower forces.

The state meeting of the Eisenhower Club is expected to signal the opening of a move to round up sufficient backing to assure Eisenhower of the North Carolina delegation's majority vote at the Republican national convention.

The meeting, however, will not be held until after the Republican Party's 1952 platform school which is to be held next Saturday night in Greenboro, Mr. DeLapp said.

Meanwhile, Mr. DeLapp, former state GOP chairman, gave full backing to such local Eisenhower rallies as the one planned for Charlotte tomorrow night.

John W. West, a young Charlotte attorney and former officer of the Mckenzie Younger of a Republican Club, was planning the meeting here.

It will be held at 7:30 P. M. in the County Courthouse. It will be open to all Eisenhower supporters, both Republican and Democratic, Mr. West announced.

Mr. DeLapp said he had called him by telephone to say that he was in favor of Eisenhower for President.

"I don't know if you are a member of our club, but I have a meeting there of people who are for Eisenhower," he said.

The result, the session set for tomorrow evening, is typical of a number of moves already underway, Mr. DeLapp said.

### OUR WEATHER

Partly cloudy and continued warm today, tonight and Tuesday.

Expected high today 65 degrees. Low tonight 54 degrees. High Tuesday 62 degrees.

Lowest this morning 51 degrees.

Sunrise, 7:32 A. M.; sunset, 5:33 P. M.

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### SHERIAN SHIVERS

We know that the coldest weather on earth is found in Siberian Winters. Why should that be? Large, high mountains which keep out the warm winds that would otherwise moderate the climate. The mountains also hem in the natural cold winds, so that they prevail over any large land areas in high latitudes. If similar mountains stretched along the U. S.-Canada border, Canada's climate would be like Siberia's and the United States would have more severe cold waves when the frigid air eventually spilled over the mountains.

### Capt. Carlsen Is Decorated

LONDON.—Capt. Carl Carlsen, hero of the Flying Enterprise, has received a decoration today from the king of his native Denmark. Crowds of shoppers and sightseers outside cheered so loudly by the presentation speech could barely be heard.

The stocky little Danish-born hero, who has shipwrecked, was dressed in a lost new merchant marine uniform with four gold captain's stripes glittering on his cuffs. He looked spry and alert after a week-end rest, showing no signs of the rigors of the two weeks of ocean travel.

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### Tax Bureau Change Sent To Congress

## Truman Reorganization Proposal Submitted

WASHINGTON.—President Truman sent to Congress today his plan to reorganize the Internal Revenue Bureau. It would abolish the offices of the 64 collectors and place all collecting employees under civil service except the top man.

In a message, Mr. Truman told the legislators:

"The most vigorous efforts are being and will continue to be made to expose and punish every government employee who misses his official position.

"But we must do even more than this. We must correct every defect in organization that contributes to the inefficiency and thus affords the opportunity for improper conduct."

### 36 Rescued As Plane Plunges Into River

NE BOSTON.—A Northwest Airlines plane, flying to land in dense fog by radar, crashed today in the East River in the middle of New York City. The passengers and three crewmen were saved.

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### TEMPORARILY BLINDED PILOT IS 'TALKED IN'

U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, Korea.—A B-26 bomber pilot temporarily blinded by an exploding aircraft shell was "talked in" to a safe landing by his navigator, the Fifth Air Force said today.

John Grubbs, Brooksville, Fla., was making a routine strafing run on a Communist warehouse when the shell hit the plane's canopy.

"I've been stunned and blinded as blood streamed down my face."

"I've been hit," he yelled into the plane's intercommunication system. "I can't see. It's all yours."

Lt. Vincent Alessi of Roxbury, Mass., couldn't take over the controls because in a B-26 no one but the pilot can reach them. So he began giving Grubbs quiet instructions for heading the plane back toward the base.

For more than an hour the pilot responded to the words of Alessi coming over the intercom.

"Down a little... a little to the left... slower..." And finally, "We're on the ground, Johnny, put on the brakes."

Grubbs inadvertently set the emergency brake and the bomber hit two times as it jolted to a sudden stop.

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### Lexington Attorney To Seek Nomination

LEXINGTON.—(AP)—Former Superior Court Judge Hubert E. Olive announced today he would seek the Democratic nomination for Governor in the May 31 party primary.

"I am a resident of a Western county and running for Governor in accordance with the custom of rotation between East and West that has served our party since Governor Aycock," said the announcement of the 56-year-old Lexington attorney.

The announcement by Olive, who managed the successful campaign of Clyde R. Hoey of Shelby for the governorship in 1932, brought to four the announced candidates. Others in the field are former Senator William B. Umstead of Durham; Manley Dumaway, Charlotte real estate agent, and Ernest A. Gardner, Shelby lawyer.

"North Carolina has made significant progress for more than 30 years," said Olive's announcement. "This progress must be continued in the realization that the leaders who are elected are placed in office to render service to all people of the state. I believe that the voters agree with this philosophy of progressive government."

"I offer myself as a candidate for governor in the firm belief that the people of North Carolina demand a leader attentive to the will and needs of all the people with a deep faith in those who seek special privileges."

"I have lived all my life among the people of North Carolina as a farm worker, as a laborer in a furniture factory and in a cotton gin. I have been a teacher, a school teacher and a painter; I was in the Army and in the Navy. I have participated actively in public affairs of my State for the past 30 years. It is my belief that I can visualize the rights and needs of the people in this crucial time and offer myself as a candidate for LEGISLATIVE COMMANDER."

Olive, who volunteered as a private in the First (Wildcat) Division of World War I and rose to first lieutenant as a artilleryman, was born in Randolph County, N. C. He is a graduate of the North Carolina Department of the American Legion.

He attended a public school in Randolph County, the one of A. J. Hill Junior College. While in the Army in 1918 he received the A. J. Hill Junior College. While in the Army in 1918 he received the A. J. Hill Junior College. While in the Army in 1918 he received the A. J. Hill Junior College.

### \$15 Billion Deficit Seen In Truman Figures

WASHINGTON.—President Truman's financial chart for the government next year adds up to about a \$15 billion deficit, officials said today.

"That would be two to three times bigger than any red hot operation since World War II. It probably would swell the national debt close to a billion, the present legal limit of 275 billions."

Authorities familiar with the figures but preferring not to be quoted directly told a reporter that the picture President Truman will present to the election-year Congress is his annual budget message one week from today, barring last minute changes.

1. Government spending in the fiscal year beginning July 1 will reach about \$55 billion dollars, up from an estimated 70 billion in the current year and only \$5 billion less last year.

2. Present tax laws will bring in about 70 billion next year, leaving an estimated deficit of approximately 15 billion if conditions remain unchanged.

3. No TAX BOOST.

4. Instead, the administration for several years has insisted on taxes high enough to balance the budget, Mr. Truman in this election year won't demand excise or income tax boosts to close the gap between outgo and income.

4. Instead, the administration will press for tighter tax enforcement and closing of alleged "loopholes." If the national economy continues to expand rapidly, and Congress approves the proposed tax reforms, the projected deficit could be reduced to near 10 billion.

5. Large portions of the \$5 billion dollar spending program projected during the coming year will be required for new appropriations. Total will only about \$3 billion, 10 billion less than Mr. Truman sought for the current year.

Figuring probable government spending during the coming year at \$50 to \$55 billion, the Citizens Committee for the Hoover Report said that the country must plan for more than five billion dollars a year.

### Gen. Collins Explains Tank Defects

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"Most of the deficiencies could not have been foreseen as were to be expected in the production of untested vehicles. In the light tank, for example, two unusual deficiencies existed. One was an engine failure, the other a torsion bar (a unit of the transmission) failure. Both were traced to manufacturing errors."

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By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE  
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