

DEATH DODGERS WILL SHOW HERE

World's Fair Attraction Will Stage Safety Demonstration Tuesday

The Jimmie Lynch Death Dodgers automobile daredevils who attracted over five million spectators at their 1939 world's fair thrill exhibition are coming to Wilmington Tuesday to stage a part of their sensational show in connection with a "Drive With Safety" demonstration that will be held on Market street, between Front and Second at 3 o'clock.

The daredevils now on a nation wide tour are enroute to New York where they will again be featured at the fair. Irish Horan, business representative of the Death Dodgers, completed the arrangements for their local appearance yesterday afternoon and it was through his efforts that Wilmington was included in the route of the show.

Many of the sensational "Spine Ticklers" of the New York show will be staged as well as some good driving tips that are included in the 45 minute demonstration that should prove of great interest to motorists.

The demonstration will be free and a full unit of Death Dodgers equipment with Bobby Maynard, star of the world's fair show will appear here assuring a thrilling as well as educational demonstration.

NAZI INVASIONS RAPPED BY F. R.

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minished emphasis, its point of view as expressed on those occasions.

"If civilization is to survive, the rights of the smaller nations to independence, to their territorial integrity, and to the unimpeded opportunity for self-government must be respected by their more powerful neighbors.

RELIEF PLANNED

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(AP)—Norman Davis, chairman, disclosed tonight that the Red Cross was considering chartering one or more ships to carry relief supplies to Norway and Sweden.

Asserting that this action was "highly possible," Davis said that "flying the Red Cross flag will certainly be allowed to pass unchallenged through the war zones."

Red Cross chapters already have been instructed, Davis said, to accept voluntary contributions for relief of war-sufferers in Norway.

The Red Cross chairman made his announcement after he and Wilhelm M. de Morgensterne, the Norwegian minister, had conferred separately with President Roosevelt.

Dr. Morgensterne, on leaving the White House, emphasized to reporters that the only legally constituted government in Norway was that of Prime Minister Nygaardsvold, his cabinet, the king and the storthing (parliament).

He said the government set up by "the enemy" at Oslo and headed by Major Quisling had no official Norwegian support.

GERMANS TORPEDO NORWAY STEAMER

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cargo from South America. The survivors were picked up by a British patrol vessel and landed at a North Scottish port.

They said two of the crew of 32 drowned when forced to take to lifeboats after the torpedoing in the early morning hours.

First reports did not tell of the fate of the Sveaborg crew.

All but one of the crew of 35 of the Sveaborg were reported rescued.

INJURED

HENDERSON, April 13.—(AP)—Dennis Malone of Boston, Mass., was critically injured yesterday when his automobile overturned on slippery pavement two miles south of here. Two other passengers were not hurt. Malone's neck was broken.

Both tea and coffee contain caffeine and tannic acid.

R. B. Roebuck Seeks Re-Election



Nearing completion of his first term as county commissioner, Reuben B. Roebuck yesterday announced his candidacy for re-nomination in the democratic primary on May 25.

"During my term of office I have kept the interests and wishes of the people in mind and have discharged the duties of my office to the best of my ability."

Roebuck has been active in civic affairs in Wilmington for some time.

LOW COUNTRIES FEAR INVASION

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of complete independence despite pressure from the warring powers.

Belgium, too, invoked new defensive measures, posting military guards at all public properties—radio stations, ministries, airbases.

The Netherlands merchant marine suffered another loss in the sinking of the steamer Velocitas, 197 tons, which struck a mine off the English coast last night with the loss of three lives. The Velocitas was bound from England to Antwerp with coal.

Strengthening the hands of elderly Premier Dorek Jan de Geer's government and the army high command, Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands tonight issued a royal decree extending the nation's martial law.

AMSTERDAM, April 13.—(AP)—Netherlands radio programs were interrupted tonight for a special broadcast of a British denial of rumors that English troop transports are on the way to Holland.

The communiqué said the report apparently had been carried by the German radio and published in the Berlin newspaper Nachtausgabe.

NAZIS REPULSED IN WEST ATTACK

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and the French frontier village of Apach. Uneasiness in Luxembourg has caused many nationals of that tiny country to apply for permission to enter France.

French activity on the home front was marked by a meeting of the war committee composed of Defense Minister Daladier and Chief of the army, sea and air forces with President Albert Lebrun. This is the body which makes all decisions of war strategy.

Premier Paul Reynaud received the Swedish minister, E. Hennings and the Belgian ambassador, Pol Le Teller.

Western front action yesterday in the Rhine river sector saw a bold German raid on a French-held island near the Swiss frontier fire off by French machine gun battle.

The German raiders approached the island in boats but were forced to withdraw in the face of heavy blasts from machine guns and rifles. Because of the darkness the French could not say whether any of the German boats had been sunk.

The French said their artillery smashed German military constructions in the Saarland which have "held the special attention of the French command."

German artillery replied by pounding important positions on the French bank of the Rhine.

No matter which way the wind blows at the North Pole, it always is from the south.

SEVEN WARSHIPS SUNK AT NARVIK

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soldiers," were seen running over the hills behind Narvik.

"Further details are awaited," said the admiralty.

"The admiralty is not precisely informed of conditions in Narvik town . . . Operations are still proceeding."

"No estimate can be made at present of German losses in personnel but the seven destroyers sunk must have counted over 1,000 men," said the announcement.

Three of the attacking destroyers were damaged but not seriously and "British loss of life is believed to have been very small," it continued.

The storming of Narvik was hailed in rejoicing London as a prime achievement in vigorous British sea and air actions to loosen the Nazi hold on Norway prior to a general Allied offensive against the invaders.

This daring attack was a sequel to Wednesday's dawn foray into Narvik fjord when the British reported the sinking of one out of six German destroyers and the setting afire of three others.

Two Out Of Five

In that battle the British lost two out of five attacking destroyers, the Hunter and the Hardy, and two others were damaged. (The Germans say six British destroyers have been sunk at Narvik.)

In addition to the Nazi warships, the British reported seven German supply and ammunition ships were sunk in Wednesday's action, described by First Lord of the Admiralty Winston Churchill as worthy of any in the proud records of the British navy.

Participating in today's expertly maneuvered fight was the British destroyer Cossack, which, with admiralty backing, took matters into its own hands and charged into Norway's territorial waters Feb. 16 to rescue 300 British merchant ship Atmark, at one time an auxiliary to the now-sunk sea raider Admiral Graf Spee.

Here is the admiralty's calmly worded story of today's battle:

"Since the attack upon German destroyers in Narvik on Wednesday, with reinforcements, has been blockading the enemy in Narvik fjord.

Around Noon

"This morning at about noon H. M. S. Warspite, accompanied by a strong force of destroyers using minesweeping and other appliances, advanced up the fjord to attack the German destroyers, some of them already damaged, who were sheltering in the harbor, and also to engage any shore batteries which might have been erected.

"According to reports which have been received from the commander in chief, Vice Admiral Whitworth, holding his flag in the Warspite, commanded the attack, which was extremely successful.

"Enemy opposition was not found to be remarkably severe.

"A field howitzer which had been mounted ashore was put out of action by the fire of H. M. S. Cossack.

"Four German destroyers were shattered and sunk in Narvik bay. Three others fled up Rumbahs fjord, a small inlet eight or nine miles long behind Narvik town.

"These also were pursued and destroyed.

"At the moment of issuing this communiqué, the admiralty is not precisely informed as to conditions in Narvik town.

"Parties of men, possibly German soldiers, have been seen escaping from it over the hills, and further details are awaited.

"This destruction of seven of the enemy's destroyers was not achieved without some loss. Three British destroyers were damaged in the fight, but not seriously, and the British loss of life is believed to have been very small.

No Estimate Made

"No estimate can be made at present of German losses in personnel, but the seven destroyers sunk must have counted over 1,000 men."

"The admiralty has signalled congratulations to Commander-in-Chief Admiral Sir Charles Forbes, to Vice Admiral Whitworth, and to the officers and men engaged in this vigorous, daring and skillfully conducted action, which may well tend to clarify the situation on this part of the Norwegian coast."

"Operations are still proceeding."

By directing the audacious attack, Vice Admiral William Jock Whitworth, on the bridge of the Warspite, became the new man of the hour to Britons, who love nothing more than a good sea fight.

To maneuver a warship the size of the 30,600-ton Warspite with its eight 15-inch guns into the narrow, rock-studded fjord leading to Narvik called for super seamanship.

The Stockholm radio broadcast a report that several large British warships were effecting landings at Narvik under heavy bombardment from German warplanes and land forces. Heavy losses were reported on both sides.

The prospect also arose that the men fleeing Narvik, if they were German troops, would run into Norwegian forces reported gathering in the vicinity.

While the British fleet put words into action, Great Britain's King George VI in a message of cheer to King Kaakon of Norway, assured the Norwegian monarch that the Allies "are bringing all help in their power" to break Adolf Hitler's hold on the Scandinavian kingdom.

Two-Way Attack

With royal air force and navy planes, supported by the ready guns of the roving home fleet, trying to soften resistance for a possible Allied big push on Hitler-protected Scandinavia, a broadcast to Norway by a British general gave

the defenders military tips on how to fight the German land forces.

They were told to fight trees and destroy bridges to check the advance of the Nazi blitz troops, and to hasten to the nearest British or Norwegian military headquarters with any news they hear about movement of the German units.

The broadcast, keynote of the British broadcasting company's new news service for Norwegians, concluded:

"Allied help is coming and coming quickly! Hold out! Long live Norway! Long live King Haakon!"

However, any plans the Allies have for military land action, as well as the actual movements of their naval forces, were blacked out tonight by military censorship.

At acknowledged high cost in planes and pilots, the fleet air arm and royal air force recounted these new exploits:

Bombardment of the Stavanger airbase "with salvos of heavy bombs," with heavy damage to a hangar and planes and the shooting down of a twin-engine German fighter by a wounded R.A.F. pilot.

Destruction of a Nazi munitions warehouse at Bergen;

The bombing of three more big German supply-transport ships;

The machine-gunning of a German destroyer and motor torpedo boat;

Destruction of at least four other German fighting planes.

A total of eleven British planes were acknowledged lost since early Friday (The Germans claimed twelve.)

No Mention Made

British official sources avoided mention of what they intend to do with the Allied expeditionary force of 100,000 which was declared ready to go to Finland when Finland, just a month ago, decided not to fight Russia any more, but there is a general supposition that at least some of these troops still are ready for action.

(British censorship forbids mention of the possibility that this force will be sent to Norway.)

However, since troops in movement at sea are a most vulnerable target, it is doubtful whether the Allies will care to risk large-scale landings in Scandinavia until they can be sure of offering adequate sea and air protection and avoid the dangers of enemy landing operations.

The admiralty showed no inclination to "lift the veil" (as Winston Churchill put it) from the home fleet's fardling operations, but most observers believed the broad plan was to sweep the seas clear of German naval units, and beat back Nazi warplanes so that the Allies can render real aid to the struggling Norwegian land forces.

Persistent British attacks on German supply and transport ships and munitions bases in Norway thus are follow-ups to the plunging of the Skagerrak and Kattegat with mines, in order to isolate the invaders, deprive them of supplies and keep the German fleet in the open where the British can take its time about smashing it, unit for unit.

In new fleet air arm operations at Bergen, it was disclosed today, one British plane was forced down at sea near an island and the crew of two others were seen abandoning their machine.

A Good Account

However, a plane of the R.A.F. coastal command gave a good account of itself in action against a German destroyer and a Dornier flying boat, according to a British account.

The British plane dropped through clouds of swirling snow straight at the German warship. The gunner raked her decks from 500 feet with machine-gun fire. Then he poured a stream of bullets at the flying boat.

"The Dornier lost height and soon both engines were afire," said the official report.

The British plane got home with a bullet hole in its gasoline tank.

Another coastal command plane, after scouting 50 miles of Norwegian coast, run into anti-aircraft fire which wounded the pilot in the head and ripped the plane's oil line, but the plane made the 350-mile home landing with one dead engine and riddled wings and tail.

Also on the credit of Britain's ledger was the announcement that three German trawlers had been seized in northern waters and that a crack 26-seat Danish airliner had been confiscated when it arrived in England on the day of the German invasion. The plane will be used by the Allies and the crew of four, including a pretty air hostess will be invited to work in this country.

Mrs. Joseph Lowenstein Dies At Chicago Home

Mrs. Joseph Lowenstein, formerly of Wilmington, died yesterday morning at her home in Chicago.

Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon from the late residence.

She is survived by five daughters: Mrs. Abe Goldstein and Mrs. Ben May, of Wilmington; Mrs. Joseph Rosenberg, Mrs. Harry Fireman and Mrs. Arlo Herzog; and one son, J. R. Lowenstein.

BALLOT TEASER

ASHEVILLE, April 13.—(AP)—Buncombe county election board members racked their brains and books for a precedent then appealed to the state attorney general when Carl Conley of 207 Swannana avenue, filed today as a candidate for constable of Asheville township against Carl Conley of Haw Creek, incumbent.

Both are democrats.

The problem is how to designate one Mr. Conley from the other on the primary ballot. Both have middle names, but neither used either these or his initial on the filing blank.

R. M. Kermon In House Race



R. M. (Bob) Kermon, Wilmington attorney, yesterday announced his candidacy for the lower house of the general assembly, subject to the democratic primary May 25.

Kermon has been active in legal circles both in Wilmington and Raleigh during the past two years and is now executive secretary and counsel for the North Carolina Association of Plumbing and Heating Contractors.

He said yesterday during much travel throughout North Carolina he has become thoroughly acquainted with conditions in the state as regards progress and development.

A member of the state Apprenticeship council, Kermon advocates vocational and industrial schools in each county.

City Briefs

SERVICE CLUB

The Winter Park Service club meets Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. All members prospective, members and visitors are asked to attend.

SEWING CIRCLE

The What-So-Ever Sewing Circle of the King's Daughters, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. Leon Motte, 313 Church street.

CRADLE ROLL

Mothers of the Cradle Roll department of the First Baptist church Sunday school are invited to meet at the home of Miss Valeria E. Williams, 311 North Fourth street, Monday night at 8 o'clock.

HOME CLUB TO MEET

The South Wilmington Home Demonstration club will hold a meeting Tuesday night in the clubhouse. Miss Ann Mason, county home agent, and Henry Rehder will be joint speakers. A full attendance has been requested.

THANKS EXTENDED

The East Wilmington Colored Recreation center has acknowledged with thanks contributions from the following: H. E. O'Keef, Mr. and Mrs. George G. Thomas, Dr. W. J. Lancaster and Albert Elmer.

AUXILIARY TO MEET

The Woman's auxiliary to Immanuel Presbyterian church will meet in the luncheon church hall on Monday night at 8 o'clock. All members have been asked to attend this, the first meeting of the year.

J. W. Ruark Unopposed In Brunswick Primary

SOUTHFORTH, April 13.—(AP)—J. W. Ruark was automatically re-nominated for the lower house of the general assembly today as he was still unopposed in the filing deadline.

In the entire county, eight persons filed for two positions, the lower house and register of deeds.

Harry Mintz, incumbent in the latter office, did not file.

Those filing were: Bernice Russ, W. M. Wells, D. J. Holden, A. J. Walton and J. L. Stone.

One republican, F. L. Lewis, filed.

Dewey Men Named By Republican Rally

RALEIGH, April 13.—(AP)—Fourth district republican leaders, in convention here today, elected two national convention delegates who said they favored the nomination of Thomas E. Dewey for President.

The delegates, Clyde L. Stancliff of Smithfield and W. L. Ward of Asheboro, were not instructed, but said their personal preferences "at this time" were for Dewey.

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COLON IS SWEPT BY CONFLAGRATION

Panama Engineers Blast Buildings In Attempt To Save City

COLON, C. Z., April 13.—(AP)—A fire that raged through central Colon, menacing the Panama Canal commissary and government buildings, made several thousand persons homeless tonight.

Colon is on the Atlantic side of the Panama Canal. There was no immediate indication as to the origin of the fire.

The Colon fire department, aided by Panama Canal units and army troops, was unable to control the rapidly spreading flames, which early tonight were sweeping through hundreds of tinder-like frame buildings. The homes attacked by the flames were mostly

those of Panama Canal laborers.

The Panama Canal engineering division dynamited buildings in the path of the fire and sent out a call for more dynamite as the blaze roared fanwise through the city, threatening the National City bank and the Panama railroad station on Front street.

All communications with Colon were severed as the blaze extended toward the central telephone station. Gas and electric current throughout more than half the city was disrupted.

Dr. Erwin Will Speak At Long Creek-Grady

Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, state superintendent of public instruction, will deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the Long-Creek-Grady High school Thursday morning, April 18, at 11 o'clock. On Sunday morning, April 14, at 11 o'clock, the Rev. B. L. Rose of Chincupin will preach the baccalaureate sermon.

Thursday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock the Seventh grade will present its exercises, after which they will receive their certificates. These exercises will be followed by the class day exercises of the Senior class which will feature "The Wedding of Miss Senior Class to a Life of Service."

Standard Gas To Sell Its Western Properties

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(AP)—Standard Gas and Electric company, one of the nine largest utility holding companies against which the Securities commission has started integration proceedings, has announced a plan to dispose of its western properties.

Leo T. Crowley, chairman of the board of Standard Gas and Electric, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation, said in a letter to stockholders that the company would offer securities of Diego Consolidated Gas and Electric company, the California Edison Power company, and Montana States Power company in exchange for notes and debentures of Standard Gas and Electric.

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