

## Nazis Establish Link From Oslo to Trondheim

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ties, and rushed eastward to Trondheim, have been defending themselves in heavy fighting for several days.

A special high command communiqué also announced the German seizure of Opdal, railway station halfway between Storlien and Dombas, adding that "therefore the much rail connection from Oslo to Trondheim is in German hands."

The swift developments exceeded the fondest expectations of German military leaders, authorized sources said.

### Hitler Praises Armies

Adolf Hitler signed a special order of the day, to be published tomorrow, praising the German armies in Norway for their 29-day feat in saving Trondheim from an attempted allied incursion directed at isolating the port by movements from Andalsnes on the south and Namsos on the north.

Seen through German eyes, today's action means the struggle for the possession of Norway, at least that part south of Trondheim, is practically won. From this viewpoint, it is only a question of time before the allied troops between Dombas and Andalsnes are mopped up.

### Closing Another Gap

Farther south, the Germans are rapidly closing the gap between Namsos on the Bergen-Oslo line, to the Norwegian capital.

DNL, the official news agency, said that now a connection has been established between the contingents which started from Oslo and those from Trondheim, a concentric attack on allied troops will be made in the near future.

If today's Oslo-Trondheim land connection can be maintained, it means that the German army is in a strong position to hold Trondheim against attacks both from the south and from the north, where allied troops are fed from the landing point of Namsos.

LONDON, April 30.—(AP)—A "short withdrawal" of British troops in central Norway Sunday night to cover the junction town of Dombas in the Gudbrands valley was reported today by the British war office.

The communiqué follows:

"In Sunday's fighting in the Gudbrands valley the enemy attacked strongly with the support of tanks and low flying aircraft. All attacks were repulsed with heavy losses, including the destruction of three medium tanks."

"During the night our troops made a short withdrawal to a position covering Dombas. Air attacks on Andalsnes and Molde continued during the day. In the Namsos and Narvik areas the situation remains unchanged."

STOCKHOLM, April 30.—(AP)—Accounts of heavy naval firing last night off the Swedish west coast were published by Stock-

holm newspapers this afternoon.

Reports of naval engagements in those waters, the sea approach to Norway from Germany, have come from points along the coast on several recent nights.

They are believed to mean a constant allied watch for German ships coming north out of the Skagerrak, the strait at the northern tip of Denmark.

A convoy of five merchant ships and seven destroyers was seen to scatter yesterday after an explosion. When it reassembled in the same locality great towers of flame could be seen, indicating that British mine belts either had not been swept away completely or that new mines had been sowed.

## Society

### MISS HUFFORD IS HONORED AT SHOWER

YONCALLA, April 30.—Honoring Miss Gail Hufford, home economics teacher of Y. H. S., whose marriage to Karl Drexler of Portland will be an event of June 1, Mrs. Jean Cowan and Mrs. Grace Cowan entertained at a dessert luncheon and shower at their home Saturday afternoon. After opening the many gifts, visiting was enjoyed by the following: Miss Gail Hufford, Miss Eva Applegate, Miss Betty Lou Bradford, Miss Norma Hitecock, Miss Deloris Sprinkel, Miss Beulah Applegate, Mrs. Gertrude Steute, Mrs. Christine Jensen. Gifts were sent by the following: Misses Mabel and Mary Kinney, Mrs. Gus Peret, Miss Venola Marsh, Miss Mildred Kruse and Mrs. Donald Cox.

### MCCLELL MEMBERS ATTEND HUNT'S INDIAN THEATRE

SUTHERLIN, April 30.—The McClell club enjoyed an evening at the Indian theatre in Roseburg Wednesday, April 24, with Mrs. Owen Rose as hostess. The party enjoyed a delightful luncheon after the show. Those attending were Mrs. George Beecroft, Mrs. Louise V. Smith, Mrs. Paul Trozello, Mrs. John Musgrove and the hostess, Mrs. Rose.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY IS ENJOYED

YONCALLA, April 30.—Honoring the birthdays of four of the husbands of members of the Bayhurst Community club, a card party was enjoyed Saturday evening. Honored guests included: John Weber, Sherman Chapman, H. Phillips and Tom McKirdy. Cards and Chinese checkers were played during the evening, after which a delicious supper was served.

### SPRING CONCERT

Of the Roseburg Men's Glee club, Indian theatre, Wednesday, May 1. Show 7:30, concert 9:00. Adults, 35c.—(Adv.)

## MARKET REPORTS

### PRODUCE

PORTLAND, April 30.—(AP)—Butter, butterfat, cheese, country meats, live poultry, dressed turkeys, hay, onions, new potatoes, unchanged.

POTATOES—Yakima gems—Deschutes \$1.85-1.95; Klamath (Tule Lake), \$1.80-1.85 cwt.; local whites 30c box; do sacks, \$1.50 cwt.; Malin, \$2.00 cwt.; southern yams \$2.45-2.50 cwt. Wool, mohair, casaca, hops unchanged.

### LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., April 30.—(AP)—U. S. Dept. Agr.—HOGS: Market slow, mostly steady; good-choice 165-215 lb. drivens mostly \$7.00; few outstanding lots \$7.10; 230-250 lb. mostly \$6.50; light hogs \$6.00-50; packing sows a-round 25c lower, mostly \$4.00-75; feeder pigs scarce, quotable \$5.00 down.

CATTLE: Calves steady, closing rather slow; scattering medium fed steers \$8.75-9.25; best fed steers Monday \$10.00; common grades downward to \$7.25; common-medium heifers \$6.50-8.00; cutters down to \$5.00; cutter-common cows \$5.00-6.05; canners down to \$4.25; fat dairy type cows mostly \$7.25-85; few good beef cows \$7.25-75; sausage bulls \$6.50-7.25; good-choice vealers \$9.50-10.50; common medium grades \$6.50-8.50.

SHEEP: Few sales steady; good-choice spring lambs \$10.00-25; common-medium horn old crop lambs \$6.65-7.25; odd medium ewes \$3.00; good horn ewes quotable to \$3.65 or above.

### WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., April 30.—(AP)—Open High Low Close May — 85 85 85 85 Sept. — 84 85 84 85

### Stock and Bond Averages

Compiled by The Associated Press.

|           | 20   | 10    | 10   | 10   |
|-----------|------|-------|------|------|
| Tuesday   | 58.2 | 103.3 | 97.4 | 47.1 |
| Prev. day | 58.0 | 103.2 | 97.2 | 47.3 |
| Month ago | 57.9 | 102.5 | 97.0 | 52.4 |
| Year ago  | 54.6 | 98.2  | 93.4 | 59.3 |
| 1940 high | 59.9 | 103.2 | 97.5 | 53.5 |
| 1940 low  | 56.6 | 101.9 | 96.1 | 46.3 |

### STOCKS

|           | 30    | 15   | 15   | 60   |
|-----------|-------|------|------|------|
| Tuesday   | Ind's | RR's | U's  | St's |
| Prev. day | 72.0  | 18.8 | 39.0 | 50.2 |
| Month ago | 71.7  | 18.8 | 39.0 | 50.1 |
| Year ago  | 62.0  | 17.3 | 35.4 | 44.5 |
| 1940 high | 74.3  | 20.5 | 40.6 | 52.2 |
| 1940 low  | 60.9  | 18.0 | 38.3 | 49.2 |

\*—New high.

## Ex-Senator Simmons, North Carolina, Dies

NEW BERN, N. C., April 30.—(AP)—Former Senator Fumford M. Simmons died today at the home of a daughter near here. He was 86.

### TOMATO REALLY FRUIT

The tomato, technically, is classed as a berry by botanists, and, as such, it would also be classed as a fruit. The bureau of plant industry, however, classed it as a vegetable, and it is popularly and commercially known as such.

### Great Britain Conceded Setbacks in Norway War

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shot down, it was reported authoritatively.

While the war office kept silent, a military source said the Germans had taken hotly-contested Storlien in the Dombas sector, 50 miles south of Storlien on the Oslo-Trondheim railroad, as "difficult."

The military source here said the British fought "magnificently" on the night of April 28-29 and repulsed a German attack southeast of Dombas. Several tanks were reported destroyed in sharp fighting.

### Allies Force Increased

The allies were reported to have landed more troops on three points on the western coast of Norway. The British also were said to be using large flying boats to speed specially trained and equipped troops to the Norwegian fjords, where they were ordered to prepare for air and land operations. In the efforts of the British to negotiate a trade agreement with Russia the soviet stand that the

Russian exports of goods to Germany is Russia's "own affair" has made more difficult Britain's attempt to plug another leak in her blockade of Germany.

Donald H. Cross, minister directing the British blockade, pleaded for American "understanding" of economic warfare.

Cross said that copper, rubber, tin and other materials, much of it from the United States, in such quantities they were an "undoubtedly serious" leak in the blockade.

He told the American chamber of commerce that "we wonder sometimes how far it is generally realized in your country that important supplies of key war materials have reached Germany in this way."

### Amendments to Wage Law Facing Struggle

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half must be paid for work in excess of 42 hours a week, but would provide that in a 26-week period the average work week could not exceed that maximum unless overtime was paid.

It would apply only to persons who have worked in an office or plant for at least six months on a regular salary.

The scheme would permit a man to work, for instance, 60 hours one week, 30 the second, and 25 the third, providing that at the end of 26 weeks he had not worked more than 1,092 hours.

At present the law calls for a minimum wage of 20 cents an hour for both salary and wage earners and requires time and half pay for work in excess of the 42-hour maximum work week.

The house trade committee approved yesterday legislation to authorize a \$475,000,000 federal highway program for the 1942-43 fiscal year and make available to

state long-term loans from the reconstruction finance corporation for purchase of rights-of-way.

Included was a provision to permit regular federal-aid highway funds to be used in meeting defaults on right-of-way loans made by the REC.

The committee also approved an amendment offered by Representative Mott (R-Ore.), to authorize the use by the states of five percent on federal aid funds for purchase of adjacent land considered necessary to the preservation of scenic beauty.

The senate wrote \$212,000,000 for party payments into the farm bill, and the house must vote whether to accept that addition and a senate-approved fund of \$55,000,000 for surplus commodity removal.

Smaller Papers Aided  
The house tentatively voted to exempt from the wage-hour law "all" newspapers of 5,000 or less circulation.

The law at present exempts weekly and semi-weekly newspapers with circulations of 3,000 or less. Today's proposal by Rep. Gwynne (R-Iowa) would extend the exemption into the small daily newspaper field. It was approved on a voice vote, which could be overturned later.

The amendment was opposed by Barden, who said it had no relation to farming.

### Massachusetts Pension Group Supporting Dewey

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sides. Some of those who have done some probing attribute the Lewis feeling to the "plague on your house" remark which the president made, and to the outcome of the 1937 steel strike. Others say the Lewis ambition has failed of fulfillment at the hands of the president.

Yet, many familiar with the sit-

uation feel that Lewis will be driven back to the president. They argue that labor, down in the ranks, is still sold on Mr. Roosevelt.

### ALASKANS BALLOTING ON BIG BATCH OF CANDIDATES

JUNEAU, Alaska, April 30.—(AP)—Alaskans were balloting today in their territorial primary election to nominate candidates for congressional delegate and the territorial administrative and legislative offices—with taxation and colonization schemes the only outstanding campaign issues. No presidential preference is involved.

Because of the unusually large numbers of candidates for the eight senate and sixteen lower house seats, returns may not be known before late tomorrow.

Congressional Delegate Anthony Dimond, Valdez, is opposed for re-nomination on the democratic ticket. Cash Cole and Sam Baker, both of Juneau, seek the republican nomination.

### Anti-War Plank to Be Major Republican Task

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handed to reporters in the White House lobby.

"We can not beat the republican party in November," the messages said, "if we concentrate on beating each other now."

AUSTIN, Texas, April 30.—(AP)—A peace program was agreed upon today by leaders in the Roosevelt and Garner factions who had been seeking control of the Texas delegation to the national democratic convention.

It was agreed that the delegation would be instructed for Garner, that the Roosevelt-Garner administration would be endorsed

and that the delegation would not participate in any stop-Roosevelt movement.

The agreement was reached at a conference of political leaders here.

Texas has 46 votes in the national convention.

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Thursday, May 2nd

2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. and daily  
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