

Battle of Salum Won By Axis, Report Sent

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have been encircled for nearly 10 weeks.

The Germans claimed destruction of more than 100 British tanks since the imperial army of the Nile began its offensive Sunday.

Syrian War Still Rages

On the middle east war front, the British reported that allied columns were attacking the town of Meze, three miles west of Damascus, the capital of Syria, and that allied patrols had reached a point only 12 miles from Beirut, the Lebanese capital.

Gen. De Gaulle's Free French troops were said to be exerting strong pressure on the 10-mile road from Kisse to Damascus, south of the city.

Elsewhere, the British acknowledged that counter-attacking Vichy French troops had recaptured two Syrian towns, one six miles from the Palestine frontier, the other south of Damascus.

The British declared that the French counter-attack, carried out in force with armored units and Druse cavalry, had been halted and that the situation was "well in hand."

U. S. Made Planes in Action

In the war in the air, the London air ministry reported that squadrons of RAF bombers, smashing at western Germany for the seventh night in a row, set many fires and inflicted widespread destruction in the industrial cities of Cologne and Dusseldorf.

Reinforced by a stream of American-built planes, the RAF also challenged German air might by sending at least 150 planes against the Nazi-held French coast.

RAF overnight attacks centered on the docks at Rotterdam, Ostend, Boulogne and Cherbourg, the British announced, and in a series of flaming dogfights high over the English channel 13 German planes were reported shot down. Ten RAF planes were listed as missing.

In Berlin, the Germans claimed the destruction of 23 British aircraft with the loss of only a single Nazi plane.

Mock Invasion Staged

Against the hour when Hitler's aerial invaders may strike at the island kingdom, nearly 100,000 British troops supported by tanks and 10 air squadrons completed a successful defense against a 3-day "mock invasion" attempt in Sussex and West Kent.

Two Canadian divisions joined British armored and infantry divisions in opposing huge formations of English Tommies representing parachute troops and airborne forces such as Hitler exploited in the conquest of Crete.

Meanwhile, the mystery of German-Russian relations became even more complex as dispatches from Helsinki told of the reported exodus of Russian troops from the military base at Hanko, Finland. The U. S. S. R. had a 30-year lease on the strategic base.

"Eye-witnesses reported seeing long Soviet trains..." The Helsinki correspondent began to describe the exodus, and at that point his telephone connection with the outside world was suddenly cut off.

Germany Files Protest On Ouster of Consuls

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without the required one-year notice.

To Tighten Alien Control.

Sharper control over immigration into the United States is to be instituted before July 1, authoritative sources declared today, a few hours after the government had barred the departure "pending further instructions" of any of the 330,000 German nationals now living in this country.

To effect the new strict control over movements of aliens, boards of review will be established to pass on all applications for immigrant visas, after each application has been thoroughly investigated.

Applications for the annual quota of 153,774 immigrant visas at present are passed on by field offices of the immigration bureau after—so Attorney General Jackson told congress—"a rather haphazard" investigation of the prospective citizens' qualifications and history.

The army and navy representation on the boards, it was learned,

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



Society

MRS. HOLGATE IS HOSTESS TO CLUB

SUTHERLIN, June 17.—Mrs. Vern Holgate was hostess to the Sewing club Wednesday afternoon, June 11, at a one-forty five dessert luncheon at her home on Second avenue. The table was very pretty with red and white, sweet peas as a centerpiece and red nut cups. Mrs. Cliff Parrott presented Mrs. Holgate with the hostess gift. Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Jack Culver, Jr., Mrs. Maurice Vogelpohl, Mrs. Cliff Parrott, Mrs. L. D. Robert.

ed, is particularly designed to prevent fifth columnists or subversive agents of other governments from entering the United States in the guise of immigrants.

The order issued yesterday to the customs and immigration services to prevent any German nationals from leaving the United States "pending further instructions" was characterized as one more move in a general plan to tighten control over the 5,000,000 aliens now here as well as over the entrance of thousands more, many of whom describe themselves as refugees from German-occupied territories.

ROME, June 18.—(AP)—A spokesman said today that Americans in Italy would be treated exactly the same as the United States treats Italians living in America in the matter of credit and property freezing.

The definition of American residents in Italy and the interpretation of the Italian decree yesterday which exempted such residents from certain provisions, such as the blocking of bank accounts, depends on Washington, the spokesman said.

The Italians thus, presumably, would require the same length of residence as that required by the United States to establish an alien as a resident.

son, Mrs. Brittain Slack, Mrs. Richard Riggs, Mrs. Frank Sparks, Mrs. Leo Sparks, Mrs. Ernest Archambeau, Mrs. Louise V. Smith, and the hostess, Mrs. Holgate.

MRS. THOMAS BUCKLE HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

LOOKINGGLASS, June 17.—Honoring the birthday of Mrs. Thomas Buckle, who has been confined to her home for a long time, due to ill health, a group of ladies gathered at the Buckle home on Tuesday afternoon. The ladies brought a lovely birthday cake and ice cream for the group. A delightful afternoon of visiting was enjoyed. The birthdays of Mrs. Buckle, Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. LeClere all occur within a few days. Enjoying the afternoon with Mrs. Buckle were Mrs. Ernest Peterson, Mrs. Elma LeClere, Mrs. A. M. Robinson, Miss Margaret Rainey, Miss Olive Peterson, Mrs. Elliott and daughters Misses Constance, Minnie and Juanita.

MRS. BRITTAIN IS HOSTESS TO GROUP

YONCALLA, June 16.—Mrs. C. E. Brittain of Drain entertained the W. S. C. S. of the Yoncalla Methodist church at her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Parker had charge of the devotionals. The following officers were elected for the coming year. President, Mrs. Brittain; vice-president, Mrs. Harley Stonaker; secretary of the missionary department, Mrs. Clara Allen; secretary of social relations, Mrs. Jess Lasswell; Mrs. Eric Stenseth and Mrs. Ernest Warner; secretary of the society, Mrs. George Edes; treasurer, Mrs. Sam Walkinshaw; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Joy Huntington and Mrs. B. F. Roberts; fellowship secretary, Mrs. H. L. Stonaker; Mrs. Hallie Geider and Mrs. George Edes.

Each lady present was presented with a beautiful corsage by the hostess. A delicious lunch was served to the following: Mrs. Hallie Geider, Mrs. Clara Allen, Mrs. Fred Taylor, Mrs. Jess Lasswell, Mrs. Herman Thiel, Mrs. Frank Madden, Mrs. Eric Stenseth, Mrs. Olger Helland, Mrs.

With Major Hoople

Speed Put Into Law on Collection of Taxes

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ed to enter the full amount of the tax, plus penalties and interest, upon the lien docket. Following this procedure the tax collector is authorized to execute the judgment in the usual manner against any or all real or personal property belonging to the person charged in the warrant.

Heretofore foreclosure on delinquent personal property taxes could be levied only against the property specifically taxed, unless the property owner also was the owner of real property, in which case the lien could be filed against the real estate of the delinquent taxpayer.

Under the new law, however, the unpaid tax becomes a permanent judgment which may be levied against any real or personal property which may be in the possession of the property owner or which may later be acquired, Mr. Darby states.

ODDITIES

By the Associated Press

Retriever

REHOBOTH, Del.—Sambo, a black cocker spaniel, believes in keeping his master supplied with pocket change.

He constantly retrieves golf balls lost in woods adjacent to the Rehoboth country club, bringing them home to Frank L. Chase, who reconditions and sells them back to club members.

No one has been able to explain Sambo's attraction for golf balls. He's retrieved more than 500 this year.

ENJOYABLE AFFAIR AT EDES HOME ON SUNDAY

YONCALLA, June 18.—A family reunion was held at the George Edes home Sunday, June 15, and also celebrated the 69th birthday of George Edes and commemorated Father's day. Those present included, Mrs. Dave Williams of Oceanide, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Edes of Culp Creek, Miss Dorothy Edes and Joel Holtan of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. George Edes.

MINERAL CLUB HAS INTERESTING MEETING

The Umpqua Mineral club met at the chamber of commerce rooms Thursday evening, June 12.

Alvin Knudtson spoke to the club on gem stones and the natural crystal form that each one takes. Specimens displaying these crystals were exhibited.

Mrs. Theodore Bond talked to the club on the scratch of minerals in relation to determining their hardness. Both of these talks were instructive and were very much enjoyed by members of the club.

"The usual displaying of new specimens was another interesting feature of this meeting."

MEDDELL CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

SUTHERLIN, June 17.—The Meddell club met Wednesday afternoon, June 11, with Mrs. George Becroft who delightfully entertained the group in the park at her home.

Following an afternoon of visiting refreshments were served to Mrs. Noah Rose, Jr., Mrs. Paul Trozelle, Mrs. Harry Chenoweth, and the hostess, Mrs. Becroft.

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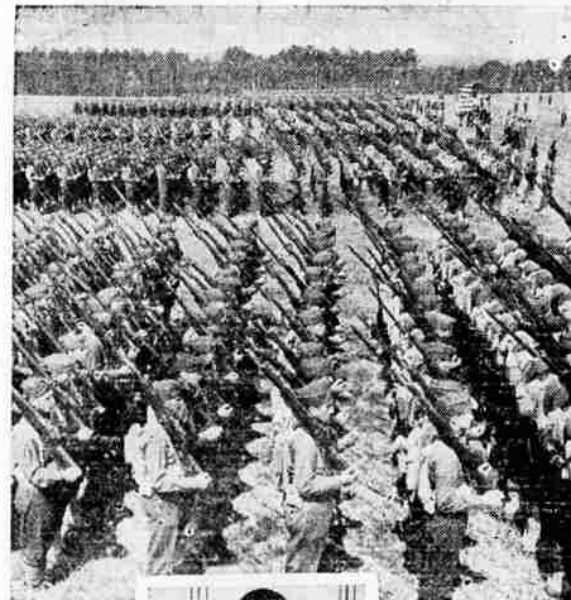
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