

Quiet Observance Of Armistice Day Set in Roseburg

Although Wednesday, Armistice day, will be celebrated as a holiday in Roseburg, there will be little in the way of public observance. The usual Memorial service was held Sunday at the First Christian church, in keeping with the recommendations of the national and state executive committees of the American Legion.

All public offices, banks and stores will be closed for the entire day, but postal service will be given as usual.

American Legion post and auxiliary members will be entertained during the afternoon at a party at the K. P. lodge hall. A free matinee will be presented at Hunt's Indian theater at 10 a. m. Purchase of war stamps or bonds will provide admission to this show.

A broadcast of the Roseburg-Grants Pass high school football game, an annual Armistice day meeting, being held in Grants Pass this year, will be provided during the afternoon through sponsorship by the local American Legion post. The game will be carried on a joint hook-up between the Roseburg and Grants Pass radio stations. The play-by-play report is scheduled to start

at 1:45 p. m. Members of the post are making individual contributions to finance the cost of the broadcast.

U. S. Troops Head for Libya as Vichy Rule of North Africa Toters

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by the allied threat from the south.

Thus, French north Africa tottered today under the armor-tipped blows of a United States expeditionary force striking with might and speed.

So rapid was the campaign's progress, still only in its third day, that it outstripped the expedition's communication system's ability to report it.

An allied headquarters spokesman here, however, declared the whole operation was reeling off with smooth precision and still with but slight United States casualties.

American troops apparently still were streaming ashore on the beaches of north Africa.

In the van of these forces were hard-hitting spearheads of tanks and parachute troops.

The capture of Darlan, who once was designated as heir to Marshal Petain as chief of state, tore another hole in the fabric of the government which controls the destinies of France. He was the strongest factor in holding the French fleet in Vichy's hands and thereby subject to possible seizure by the axis.

Gen. Giraud Joins Allies. Another potential rent in that

patchwork was the emergence of General Henri Giraud as the possible eventual leader of a pro-allied break from Vichy by the French forces in north Africa. Giraud, a hero to the French with a German price on his head, is a leader even General Charles DeGaulle has expressed willingness to follow.

The allied headquarters spokesman said that he did not know how long Darlan had been held, but that he was "being entertained with all the consideration due his rank and, as a naval officer, of his distinguished career."

Casablanca Spurs Peace

This was the situation at a glance:

1. Darlan, one member of the collaborationist triumvirate of Vichy and a sparkplug of French resistance, was taken into custody of United States forces at Algiers, where he arrived in time only to give the cease-fire order that north African port.

2. By entering Oran today, after first having forced the surrender of Algiers under land, sea and air assault, the Americans virtually had completed the first phase of the campaign in Algeria, breaking French resistance in both its chief ports.

3. On the Atlantic coast, where the defense apparently was sturdier, the Americans were pressing so hot upon the pivotal Moroccan port of Casablanca that its defenders were offered an armistice it was rejected.

4. General Auguste Nogues, commander in chief of Vichy's Moroccan forces, was reported by the French from Tangier to have withdrawn into the interior from threatened Rabat, north of Casablanca.

Americans Hammer Away

Wherever French garrisons still took orders from Vichy, Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's powerful command hammered relentlessly, if reluctantly, to complete the expulsion of the axis influence in Africa from the Atlantic to the Nile and prepare the ground for the assault upon axis Europe.

Year's Training for Teen Draftees Rejected

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action to newspapermen. When they thanked him, Gerney smiled and said:

"I hope the rest of the country feels like saying 'thank you,' too. I know this will help in the conduct of the war."

The conference committee's action was reported to have been unanimous. President Roosevelt made public today a report of the war manpower commission's management-labor policy committee opposing immediate enactment of compulsory national service legislation and urging tightening of governmental manpower machinery.

The unanimous report, calling upon "government, industry, agriculture, and labor for strong leadership, aggressive action and maximum cooperation," made these specific recommendations:

1. That authority and responsibility for formulating an overall manpower program integrated with military and production planning be centralized in the chiefs of staff of the army and navy, the lend-lease administrator, and the chairman of the war production board of the WMC.

2. That voluntary enlistments in the armed forces be stopped and that the selective service system be placed under the WMC and authorized to make special draft calls by direction of the army and navy for men with specialized skills.

3. That military and civilian training programs conducted in non-military educational institutions be coordinated by WMC Chairman Paul V. McNutt.

4. That the WMC's employment service be made "the primary clearance agency for the recruitment and employment of workers" and "a strong administrative and operating organization" for the WMC, with congressional funds and removing "impediments."

Japanese Kept On Defensive in Solomons

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terattacked. In a series of regular forward movements, however, soldiers and marines pushed the enemy back along the beach.

JAP SUPPLY PROBLEM IS MADE MORE DIFFICULT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—(AP)—General Thomas Holcomb, marine commander, reported that "things are shaping up" so that

it will be increasingly more difficult for the Japanese to put reinforcements on Guadalcanal island in the Solomons.

Holcomb, just returned from a visit to marine posts in the south Pacific, disclosed that the original marine division which went into the Solomons to begin the first American offensive of the war, still was on front line duty there—a three months period of such duty which he said probably set a record for unbroken service under fire for marine outfits.

The general recalled that when one division was held in the front line in the world war for a period of 40 days it was considered extraordinary and a tremendous strain on the men.

"The boys on Guadalcanal are tired and there isn't any doubt about it," Holcomb said. He added that some break down and have to be removed.

U. S. Soldier Superior

He also reported that the American forces on Guadalcanal outnumber the Japanese there but he did not say by what margin.

Holcomb declared the fighting

there had proved that "the young American marine and the young American soldier are individually superior to the Jap soldier in all respects—we had feared it might be otherwise but it is not."

As for the future outlook Holcomb said the Japs had been pouring reinforcements into Guadalcanal at the rate of 900 every other day but that "things are shaping up so that there will be more interruptions to these reinforcements."

He put the number of enemy planes shot down in actual combat on Guadalcanal by October 23, when he left there after a visit, at 320, a ratio of exactly five to one in comparison to American losses since 62 American planes had been destroyed up to that time.

Myrtle Creek's Former Treasurer Gets One Year

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an affidavit showing that he is without assets. In view of this situation, Judge Wimberly fixed

the rate of repayment of the fine by time in the county jail at \$100 per day, or a total of 168 days.

Following imposition of the sentence, Reynolds expressed appreciation to the court and the district attorney for the treatment he had received.

Non-Support, Draws Penalty

A sentence of one year in the penitentiary also was imposed upon Milburn L. Wells, who was convicted by a jury after a hearing on an indictment charging non-support of minor children.

The case against Wells was the only jury trial for the regular November term of court, and all jurors were excused for the term, subject to call.

The court drew a new grand jury, consisting of A. G. Henninger, Glendale; Genevieve McClintock, Roseburg; C. E. Marks, Roseburg; Leona Slack, Sutherland; Isaac Flanary, Oakland; Peter Sinclair, Garden Valley, and Vera Bacon, Umpqua. The new grand jury was not organized nor sworn, but will be called when its services are required and will be organized at that time.

Credit Given Roosevelt In African Campaign

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land—"he should have said Britain"—always won one battle, and that was the last.

"It would seem," said Churchill, "to have begun rather earlier this time."

Nazi Sub Toll Heavy

A. V. Alexander, first lord of the admiralty, announced in the house of commons today that the number of enemy submarines sunk, damaged or captured had increased to 570.

In disclosing the increased damage to Hitler's U-boat fleet, Alexander said "the enemy quite failed to apprehend that we had sufficient shipping tonnage available to carry out the operations of the past two days"—the landing of a strong American expeditionary force in north Africa.

British bombers making their first night attack on Germany since October 15 last night attacked Hamburg and other targets in northwest Germany, the

air ministry announced today. Fifteen of the attacking aircraft are missing. It was announced.

A British submarine has scored a torpedo hit on an Italian cruiser off the north coast of Sicily, the admiralty announced today.

"The cruiser was subsequently seen to be stopped with anti-submarine craft and tugs standing by her," a communique said.

BERLIN (from German broadcasts), Nov. 10.—(AP)—The German navy reported today that a German submarine torpedoed a British battleship of the Queen Elizabeth class in the north Atlantic.

(There was no confirmation of this enemy report.)

The 35,000-ton Queen Elizabeth is one of four of her class and was completed in 1913. A 15-inch gun ship, she was modernized in recent years.

Spends Day Here—F. Parker, of Wilbur, spent Monday in this city attending to business.

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| Flapjack Flour, Albers, 1ge. pkg. | 22c | Paradise Dill Pickles | 32 oz jar | 19c | Wheatstarch Cereal | pkg | 19c | | |
| Pancake Flour, Sperry 4 lb | 29c | 10 lb | 59c | Peanut Butter, Real Roast | 1 lb jar | 27c | | | |
| Pancake Flour, Sperry | 48 oz pkg | 28c | Pancake Flour, Aunt Gemima | 1ge pkg | 23c | Sweet Pickles, Paradise | 32 oz jar | 31c | |
| Pancake Flour, Aunt Gemima | 1ge pkg | 23c | Buckwheat, Aunt Gemima | 1ge pkg | 27c | V-8 Vegetable Cocktail | 2 18 oz cans | 29c | |
| Peacock Buckwheat | 4 lb | 32c | Harvest Blossom Flour | 49 lb sack | \$1.49 | Libby Prune Juice | 12 oz glass | 11c | |
| Gold Medal Flour | 49 lb sack | \$2.13 | Umpqua Chief Flour | 49 lb sack | \$1.53 | Grapefruit Juice, Town House | 46 oz | 22c | |
| Table Salt | 8 lb cloth bag | 19c | Table Salt | 8 lb cloth bag | 19c | Postum Cereal | reg pkg | 21c | |
| Franquette Walnuts, large | 1 lb pkg | 27c | Radiant Fruit Mix, Diced | 1 lb ctn | 39c | Instant Postum, 4 oz | 23c | 8 oz can | 41c |
| Green Tag Apricots No. 2 1/2 can | 2 for | 39c | Larsen's Veg-All, 16 oz glass | 2 for | 27c | Gerber's Oat Meal or Cereal | 8 oz pkg | 15c | |
| Cut Macaroni | 5 lb Kraft bag | 31c | Soup Mix | Minute Man | 8c | Red Hill Catsup | 14 oz bottle | 12c | |
| Philadelphia Cheese | plain or pim. | 12c | Philadelphia Cheese | plain or pim. | 12c | Wax Paper, Cut Rite | 125 foot roll | 17c | |
| | | | | | | M D Toilet Tissue | 3 rolls | 25c | |
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| | | | | | | Woodbury Soap Offer | 4 bars | 24c | |
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