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ed in this total.
SOME more statistics:
Since April 11, the Japs have lost 125 of the 300 planes they have used against us in their massed raids in the South Pacific. That is better than 35 PER CENT. European experiences indicate that bomb raids are a costly failure if losses run over 10 per cent.
Our air losses, we are told by our Australian headquarters, have been well under the 10% formula.

TURKEY is getting edgier.
Rauf Orbay, Turk ambassador to London, returns to Ankara—to "rest up and renew his contacts," the dispatches explain (heh! heh!).
Orbay fought in the last war beside the Germans. Throughout this war he has been a passionate partisan of Britain and the U. S.
Turkish Foreign Minister Memencioğlu says: "Turkey is willing to FIGHT in behalf of her obligations."
One of her obligations is an alliance with Britain.

BULGARIA, Turkey's neighbor, arrests seven more "communists." In these days, especially in world politics, a communist is apt to be somebody you don't like and want to get rid of.
There are stories of allied paratroopers dropped in Bulgaria to stir up unrest. These stories are supposed to have been spread by the Germans, who are trying to explain away the REAL unrest that exists in Bulgaria.
(We can't afford to believe any of these propaganda stories, you see, because they're usually peddled by somebody who is trying to mislead somebody else.)

BRITISH Air Chief Marshal Tedder says: "The Mediterranean is OPEN NOW." He adds that the enemy will of course be able to inflict some losses on our ships going through, but not enough to stop us.
And, among other evidences of jitters, the Italian secretary of the navy says the Italian fleet WON'T be able to prevent an invasion of Italy.

Mrs. R. E. Kruse Funeral To Be Held at Yoncalla

Mrs. Rachael E. Kruse, 43, wife of Elmer Kruse, Yoncalla mill owner, died Sunday at Portland following a long illness. She was born in Yoncalla, Oct. 2, 1899, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Miller, pioneer residents of Douglas county. She was married to Mr. Kruse at Yoncalla Oct. 27, 1917.

Surviving are the widower; three daughters, Mrs. Virginia McKern, Brownsville, Ore.; Mrs. Ida M. Jones, Chico, Calif.; a brother, Fletcher Miller, Yoncalla, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the Methodist church at Yoncalla at 2 p. m. Wednesday and will be concluded in the Yoncalla cemetery. Arrangements are in charge of Stearns mortuary, Oakland.

Yoncalla Eagles Keep Title by Win Over Drain

YONCALLA, May 18.—The Yoncalla Eagles successfully defended their title of County "B" baseball champions by defeating Drain at Yoncalla 11 to 10, Monday afternoon. Each team committed several errors, Williams and Bigelow pitched for Yoncalla and Simpson for Drain.

AFRICAN VICTORY DAY

EDITORIAL

By Charles V. Stanton

By proclamation of Governor Earl Snell and Mayor W. F. Harris, we will celebrate African Victory day tomorrow. The glorious victory achieved by our own and allied forces in North Africa gives us just cause for rejoicing. It was a wise thought to couple the sale of war bonds with our celebration of victory.

The achievement in North Africa does not of necessity pre-empt an early end to the war in Europe, but it certainly is a mighty stride toward the eventual defeat of the axis powers. It does not take a long memory to recall the "war of nerves" which preceded armed conflict. Then it was the United Nations who were fearful and emotionally unstrung. Today it is the axis which has the jitters. The North African victory clears the way for the more important job, that of invading the European mainland. The axis well knows the day of doom is approaching and while we lack the spontaneity to make tomorrow's celebration the all-out affair that will follow final victory, yet we have ample incentive for a day in tribute to the heroic Tunisian achievement as well as a renewal of our own determination to put our money as well as our mental desires behind the war effort.

The North African campaign was the greatest United Nations victory to date in the current war. It was one of the speediest military operations in the history of modern warfare, involving major armies. The United States forces made a great many mistakes. Some of them were very costly, but, regardless of the errors resulting from lack of previous battle experience, we prevailed gloriously and it was our own armies, striking from unexpected quarters, that threw the enemy into complete rout. The campaign, headed by an American general, was a testing ground for the untried United States troops, and it ably proved to the world at large that the Yankee is still a fighter. We wonder how Herr Goebbels will explain his early pronouncement that Americans had grown soft and couldn't fight.

Join tomorrow in the African Victory day celebration. Lend your voice to the acclaim for our fighters. Above all buy war bonds and help "Pass the Ammunition."

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BEST BETS FOR TODAY

TUESDAY

6:30—Return of Nick Carter.
7:15—Pass in Review.
7:45—Health Talk by Dr. Wainwright.

WEDNESDAY

10:35—Strictly Personal.
6:30—Soldiers With Wings.
7:15—Recital Hall of the Air.
8:00—Take a Card.
8:30—Eyes Aloft.
9:15—Cal Tinney.

(REMAINING HOURS TODAY)

4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Dance Music.
4:30—Johnson Family.
4:45—Musical Matinee.
5:00—The Slide Music of Will Osborne.
5:15—Superman, Kellogg's Pop.
5:30—Church of Christ.
5:45—Norman Nesbitt, Studebaker.
6:00—State and Local News, Keel Motor Co.
6:05—Dinner Concert.
6:15—Facts and Places, Chevrolet Motor Co.
6:30—Return of Nick Carter.
7:00—John B. Hughes, Anglin.
7:15—Pass in Review.
7:45—Health Talk by Dr. Wainwright.
8:00—Boys' Town.
8:30—Manpower Limited.
8:45—Stardust Serenade.
9:00—Alka Seltzer News.
9:15—Round-Up in the Sky, E. C. High Insurance.
9:30—Uncle Sam.
9:45—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
10:00—Sign Off.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

6:45—Rise and Shine.
7:00—News.
7:15—Stuff and Nonsense.
7:30—State and Local News, Boring Optical.
7:35—Judd's Furniture Store.
7:40—Rhaphody in Wax.
8:00—Cheer Up Gang.
8:30—Yankee House Party.
9:00—Boake Carter.
9:15—Man About Town.
9:30—Winston Churchill.
10:00—Alka Seltzer News.
10:15—Shopper's Guide.
10:30—News Bulletin.
10:35—Strictly Personal.
10:45—Palmer House Orchestra.
11:00—Wheel of Fortune.
11:45—Rose Room.
12:00—Kellogg's Cereals.
12:05—Sports Review, Dunham Transfer Co.
12:20—Parkinson's Information Exchange.
12:25—Rhythm at Random.
12:45—State News, Hansen Motors.
12:50—News Review of the Air.
1:05—Musical Interlude.
1:15—Sweet and Sentimental.
1:30—Styles for Strings.
2:00—Don Lee Newsreel Theatre.
3:00—The Dream House of Melody, Copco.
3:30—Mutual's Overseas Reporters.
3:45—Tone Poems.
4:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., Plough Chemical Co.
4:15—Dance Music.

Soviet Won't Aid U. S. To Beat Japs, Senator Asserts

WASHINGTON, May 18.—(AP)—An appeal for prompt diversion of American military might to knock Japan out of the war now brought predictions in the senate that after Germany is beaten the United States may expect little if any help from Russia and England against the Japanese.

Senator Chandler (D-Ky), asserting he sees the threat of a "major disaster" unless the war is carried immediately to Japan, declared that "although Russia is our partner there is no showing thus far that she is ever going to fight the Japs."

"We may expect at least a partial demobilization of the British army after the defeat of Germany," he added, "and we have the right to ask ourselves now what help we can expect from Britain."

Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) interjected the prediction that the defeat of Germany would find England "busy in Europe and Russia trying to rehabilitate herself."

"In my judgment," he added, "the United States is going to be left to fight the Japanese."

Chandler expressed confidence the United States could overcome what he termed strong German resistance in Europe, but, he added, "we shall lose the finest boys this country has produced."

Germany knows now, he said, that all she has left is surrender because "she is ringed by allied ships and steel."

News of Men
From Douglas County
In War Service

A promotion from the rank of private to that of private first class was announced recently by his commanding officer for Charles Holland, 41 years old, of Roseburg, Oregon, a member of a general hospital unit now stationed somewhere in England. Private Holland is a mail clerk in the hospital and has been in the army 8 months. He is assistant clerk of the army post office unit and handles both incoming and outgoing mail. The post office issues money orders and has facilities for registry and insuring of mail and sells United States and English stamps and United States air mail envelopes. Outgoing mail runs more than a thousand letters a day and incoming mail is often as heavy. "Since coming to England and starting to work in the post office, I think it is the most important department in our outfit," Private Holland said. "If you don't believe that the postal section is the most important, ask the man who hasn't received a letter from home for three or four days," he said. "About the saddest thing I have seen over here is the look on the face of the man who has

not heard from home in a long while," he continued. "And that look is the same from the colonel down to the lowest yardbird 'ivate.' Private Holland lived with his sister, Mrs. Ann Tyrer, in Roseburg.

Japanese airplanes are called "washboard Charlies" because the hum of their motors sound like washing machine motors, Marshall Hunt, News-Review proofreader, now in active service with the army in New Guinea reports in a letter to the News-Review. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hunt, Roseburg. The sound of Jap motors is a great help because it gives the men a chance to dive for cover when the sound is heard. Hunt described the results of a recent attack, when the jungle was covered with bodies of slain Japs, with from 10 to 15 often counted in one hut after being destroyed by accurate American fire. "I don't think there is any soldier here that doesn't know he is good for more than ten Japs," Hunt said.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Story Martindale of Camas Valley that their son-in-law, Donald M. Libby, of the navy has been promoted to chief machinist mate and has been transferred from an aircraft carrier to a destroyer. Mr. and Mrs. Libby have been residing for the past year at Newport News, Va., but recently moved to Bath, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Martindale's son, Jim Martindale, is now a technical sergeant with the army in New Guinea. He has been overseas since last June.

Commencement Slated At Yoncalla High School

YONCALLA, May 18.—H. N. Comish, professor of business administration at the University of Oregon will deliver the commencement address for the Yoncalla high school senior class on the evening of May 20. Wayne Phillips is valedictorian and Vera Thompson salutatorian. Others graduating are: Dorothy Sehlin, Clara Miller, Janette Miller, Wayne Rice, Leslie Wright, William McFadden, Mary Bentz, Routh Stoute and Leslie Smith.

Cemetery Clean-Up Set By Odd Fellows Lodge

The cemetery committee of Philaterran lodge, No. 8, I. O. O. F., has completed arrangements for a general clean-up and beautifying of the Odd Fellows cemetery preparatory to Memorial day. It was announced today. Members are invited to be present at the cemetery at 1 p. m. Saturday, May 22. Potluck lunch will be provided by the Rebekahs. All Odd Fellows are urged to be present and assist with the work.

During the first quarter of 1943, lend-lease shipments accounted for 1/2 pound of butter out of every 100 pounds produced in the United States, and 15 eggs out of every 100 eggs laid.

Limiting quantities of steel used in bed springs is resulting in an annual saving in steel sufficient to meet the steel requirements for 88 liberty ships.

U. S. ARMY BOMBER

HORIZONTAL
1 Depicted plane, Martin B-24A "____"
8 It is a _____
13 Baced _____
14 Identical _____
15 Mineral rock _____
16 "Old _____
17 Wander _____
19 Chief _____
20 U. S. _____
21 Writing tool _____
22 Sovereign _____
24 Persuing _____
26 Hawaiian _____
27 Sturdy _____
28 Trial _____
31 Tiny colloq. _____
33 Pieced out _____
37 Court _____
38 Scrap of cloth _____
39 Anger _____
40 Formerly _____
42 Uncovered _____
44 Boil slowly _____
45 Blessedness _____
47 Bustle _____
52 Burn slowly _____
53 United Service _____
54 Company _____
55 Near _____
56 New Hamp- _____
57 Obtain _____
58 Therefore _____
59 Church _____
60 Parcel Post _____
61 Bustle _____
62 Burn slowly _____
VERTICAL
1 Female horse _____
2 Particle _____
3 Harvest _____
4 We _____
5 Bandit of _____
6 Arabian _____
7 Crimson _____
8 Farm _____
9 Mountain _____
10 Myself _____
11 Level _____
12 Poaled _____
18 Dissolve _____
21 3.1416 _____
23 Music note _____
ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
24 It has a _____ of many hundred miles _____
25 Stain _____
27 Perceives by _____
28 It has _____ motors _____
29 Eternity _____
30 Society _____
32 Rub out _____
34 Small tub _____
35 Before _____
36 Moisture _____
41 Decline _____
42 Fanatics _____
43 Water barrier _____
44 Sun _____
46 Fastened with _____
48 Perform _____
49 It is armed _____ with many _____
50 Pertaining to _____
51 International _____
52 Halt _____
53 Snake _____
57 Proceed _____

Future Craftsmen Here Win Prizes for Posters
Roseburg members of the Future Craftsmen of America won two places in the state-wide safety first poster contest sponsored by the Oregon State Industrial Accident commission. Bob Elliott won first place in the original poster division and Ernest Hodson won third place in the assembled division.
The cash prizes and certificates will be awarded at the annual award assembly to be held at the senior high school May 28.
The posters were made by the students in their Related Trades class and were sent to Salem to be judged by members of the Industrial Accident commission. The contest usually is held in connection with the state convention of Future Craftsmen, but the meeting was cancelled this year to conserve transportation and to avoid absenteeism.

Substitute Weed Killing Chemical Listed by OSC

Growers unable to obtain ammonium sulphate for mixing with sinox for the control of annual weeds may use several other substitutes successfully even though the substitutes are not as beneficial to the crops, according to extension farm crops specialists at O. S. C., after a study of the experiment station results in weed control.

Adequate supplies of sinox itself are apparently available, but use of the important fertilizer, ammonium sulphate, is not now permitted for weed control. Substitutes almost as good as far as weed kill is concerned are sodium bisulphate, sodium sulphate, calcium sulphate, aluminum sulphate, magnesium sulphate, and zinc sulphate. Any of these may be mixed at the rate of 5 pounds to 5 pounds of sinox and 100 gallons of water, which makes an

effective spray for an acre of such crops as grain, grass, or flax. County agents have names of dealers handling these materials in quantities.
More than \$7 billion of assets of enemy and enemy-occupied nations are now under freezing control or under control of the Alien Property custodian.

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