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Desertion

Quite the most amazing incident of this amazing war, surpassing in its elements of surprise and enigma even the collapse of French defense, is the flight to Scotland of Rudolf Hess, third figure from the top in the Nazi hierarchy.

What does it mean? What were the motives? Churchill has well said, "the imagination is somewhat baffled by the facts." He could easily have omitted the "something." And speculation on the subject is discouraged by the probability that new light will be shed upon the case momentarily.

it is to be hoped that they will be replaced not by decisions reached in a moment of hysteria, but by conclusions arrived at with an equal degree of calm reasoning.

News Behind The News

By PAUL MALLON

(Distributed by King Features Syndicate, Inc., reproduction in whole or in part strictly prohibited.) WASHINGTON, May 13—The increased fury of the latest German air raid on London may not mark the limit of Nazi destructive ingenuity.

The British have plucked information from within Germany that Goering is switching to production of four-motored long range bombers. He is doing this so he can use more airports and supplies deep within Germany for his bombing attacks.

Up to now the British have assumed they could make the Germans see the futility of this kind of murderous civilian warfare as soon as they were able to do just as much to Berlin as the Nazis have done to London.

The OPB has a large contract for anti-aircraft guns under negotiation with a large manufacturing concern (name withheld because no signatures have been obtained yet.)



Divorcing Ourselves From Our Shadow

Bits for Breakfast

By R. J. HENDRICKS

Yes, in printshop 5-14-41 parlance, "they would surely vomit a snipe," these history hicksterians:

(Continuing from yesterday:) "The first American government west of the Rocky mountains" was established at the Jason Lee mission, on Thursday, Feb. 18, 1841.

It was the government that became the Territory of Oregon, taken over by Governor Lane, under act of congress of August 14, 1848; that was taken over as a state by act of congress of February 14, 1859; the Valentine state, given the 33d star in the American flag.

On February 7, 1841, a called meeting was held at the original mission of Jason Lee, 10 miles by water below the site of Salem, "for the purpose," as officially stated, "of consulting upon steps necessary to be taken for the formation of laws and the election of officers to execute them."

The Young funeral was held Wednesday, February 17, at his late home on his land claim, and the burial was there, on Chealem creek, about six miles from present Newburg.

"At a full meeting of the inhabitants of the Willamette valley, at the American Mission House, David Leslie was elected chairman, and Sidney Smith and Gustavus Hines were chosen as secretaries."

The Safety Valve

Letters from Statesman Readers

SEWAGE DISPOSAL
To the Editor: At a recent Lions club luncheon, I was privileged to hear State Sanitary Engineer Green discuss Salem's proposed sewage disposal plant for the construction of which the voters of our city are soon to approve or reject a bond issue, I. e. on May 20th.

Mr. Green, appearing as an official representative of the State Board of Health, gave such a splendid summary of unanswerable reasons why the plant should be installed that it is to be regretted more voters could not have heard him.

Considering the importance of this measure, particularly on the health angle, it is my opinion that the officers of the Chamber of Commerce and of all of Salem's Service, Community, Parent Teacher, Religious and other organizations should make it their duty to provide their respective memberships an opportunity to hear Mr. Green or another representative of the State Board of Health explain this measure.

No good excuse for failure to take such steps will stand because City Councilman Glenn Gregg, Chairman of the sewage and drainage committee of the council, advises he will be glad, immediately upon request, to contact the Division of Sanitary Engineering of the State Board of Health and secure competent speakers.

Oliver B. Huston, Salem, Ore.

(Continued tomorrow.)

"Lover Come Back"

By BARRETT WILLOUGHBY

Chapter 14 Continued
Shady Lane, bent over a winch on the floating cannery, straightened his blue-denim length and waved his oil can. "Go it, Redhead!" he cheered. Kemp Starbuck, from the wharf in front of his plant, called something through cupped hands.

An hour later Sondra returned to find Kemp and her grandfather talking over a scatter of papers that lay between them on the table. Kemp was saying, "Even though this contract assures me of your entire catch, sir, I hardly think I shall at any time be loaded up with more fish than I can handle."

"Good! 'Tis a small point, but an important one — to me." He glanced up. "Hoh, Sondy!" His expectant gaze probed past her. "Where's Kathleen?"

"He wasn't home." Sondra waved Kemp back to his chair, and went on wearily: "His mother tried to tell me something but I couldn't understand her Thlingget. I left a note for him to come here the moment he returns."

"Kathleen — not home?" The Captain's eyebrows bushed suspiciously. "Could Reynall have hold of him already, d'ye suppose?"

"I hardly think so," interposed Kemp, with a chuckle. "Reynall's dispatch boat, the Baltic, with himself at the wheel, passed our plant some time before Sondra flew by in her runabout. Miss Bootrin was helping him steer, and neither of them seemed seriously intent upon anything — except each other."

"Hah!" The Captain's knowing grin was the broader for his alarmed anxiety. "He will do no business this day, with Liane's

hooks into him. Distractin' as a three-alarm fire, that one. . . . Now, now, Starbuck! Don't rush off. Stay and join us here in a bite of lunch."

Lunch was just over when Liane breezed in, stripping a crimson kerchief from her dark head and whirling it about her.

"Greetings, darlings!" Her voice was vibrant, her eyes glowed with a febrile brilliance.

"I've had a simply marvelous morning with Jean Reynall. Caught him just leaving for the Indian village, and went along. I knew you'd be down later, Sondra."

"I was. But I didn't see you."

"No. We stopped there just long enough to pick up Kathleen, then all took a run down Peril Strait. Boy! can that little tub of Jean's ramble! I did the steering, while Jean and Kathleen went into a huddle over the catch of the native herring fleet. Jean was all hot to get, Kathleen signed up, you see." She helped herself to a couple of cakes, and bit into one with relish.

"Well, well!" The Captain's fingers were drumming the arms of his chair. "What did Kathleen say?"

"Oh, he didn't want to sign, just then. But I took care of that!" Her airy gesture scattered crumbs.

"What d'ye mean — you took care of it?"

"Boo! Boo!" Liane ducked toward him, laughing. "Don't be so savage, Cap! . . . I mean — I took care of it. Jean's such a sweet boy, and his heart was so set on that contract he had no time for anything else until it was settled. So-o-o!" She smiled another cake appreciatively. "I trotted out my Thlinget corpse and made Kathleen sign on the dotted line. I only wish there'd been a few more to sign, the way Jean glad-handed me after — Sa-ay! What's burning you two?" She stared from Sondra to the Captain.

(To be continued)

Radio Programs

These schedules are supplied by the respective stations. Any variations noted by listeners are due to changes made by the stations without notice to this newspaper.

KSLM—WEDNESDAY—1300 Kc.	6:30—Sunrise Salvo	7:00—News in Brief	7:30—Oldtime Music	7:35—News	7:45—Hillbilly Music	8:00—Farm Talk	8:15—Clarence Williams' Orchestra	8:30—News	8:45—Tune Tabloid	9:00—Starlight Call	9:15—Popular Music	9:30—Four Notes	9:45—Modern Music This Morning	10:15—Prescription for Happiness	10:30—Women in the News	10:35—Sunday Commentary	10:45—Dr. R. Franklin Thompson	11:00—Melodic Moods	11:30—Willamette Chapel	11:45—Village Square	12:00—Market Reports	12:30—Ivan Dillman at the Organ	12:45—Noontime News	1:15—Hillbilly Serenade	1:30—Modern Music Valley Opinions	1:45—The Song Shop	1:50—Town Hall Orchestra	1:55—Isle of Paradise	2:00—Western Serenade	2:05—News	2:15—US Marines	2:30—Modern Melody Trio	2:45—Victory Call	3:00—British Relief Program	3:15—Concert Gems	3:30—News	3:45—Teatime Tunes	4:00—Singing Saxophones	4:15—News	4:30—Dinner Hour Melodies	4:45—Tonight's Headlines	5:00—Star Commentary	5:15—Freddie Nagle's Orchestra	5:30—News in Brief	5:45—Interest Facts	6:00—Top Hatlers	6:15—State Safety Program	6:30—Home of the Brave	6:45—The World Tonight	7:00—Henry King's Orchestra	7:15—News from the Piano	7:30—News Tabloid	7:45—Salem-Vancouver Baseball Game	8:00—Hit of the Day	8:15—News	8:30—Let's Dance	8:45—Dream Time
KGW—NBC—WEDNESDAY—430 Kc.	6:00—Sunrise Serenade	6:30—Trial Blazers	7:00—News	7:30—Novelties	8:00—Home of the Brave	8:30—Stars of Today	9:00—Saber Club	9:30—Five Star Final	10:00—Rhythmic Variations	10:30—Cherry Blossom Orchestra	11:00—Manny Strand Orchestra	11:30—News																																													
KALE—MBS—WEDNESDAY—1330 Kc.	6:30—Memory Timekeeper	7:00—News	7:30—Voice of Rest	8:00—News	8:30—This and That	9:00—Helen Egan	9:45—I'll Find My Way	10:00—News	10:30—Women's side of the News	10:45—Buyer's Parade	11:00—The Family	11:30—News	12:00—We Are Always Young	12:30—News	1:00—Voice of American Women	1:15—Here's Morgan	1:30—PTA	1:45—Sunshine Express	2:00—Gaiety Harmonica	2:15—News	2:30—Shirley Parker's Circus	2:45—Captain Midnight	3:00—Ray Gram Swing	3:15—Fulton Lewis Jr.	3:30—Gabriel Heater	3:45—Jimmy Allen	4:00—News	4:15—Chicago Tonight	4:30—Northwest Salute	4:45—News	5:00—Today's Top Tunes	5:15—Ted Fio Rito Orchestra	5:30—News	5:45—Leighton Noble Orchestra	6:00—Henry King Orchestra																						
KOAC—WEDNESDAY—480 Kc.	6:00—News	6:15—The Homemaker's Hour	6:30—News	6:45—Excursions in Science	7:00—School of the Air	7:15—News	7:30—Farm Hour	7:45—AAUW Study Club	8:00—Feature Page	8:15—US Navy	8:30—Book of the Week	8:45—News	9:00—Stories for Boys and Girls	9:15—On the Campus	9:30—News	9:45—Voyagers	10:00—News	10:15—Farm Hour	10:30—Farm Hour	10:45—Dean Victor P. Morris	11:00—Bingo Buffet	11:15—Living Literature	11:30—GSC Round Table	11:45—Department of Music	12:00—School of Engineering																																