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Allied Mediterranean Moves Give Axis New Invasion Alerts

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terranean and that parachute troops and air-borne divisions were standing by to force "one or more bridgeheads."

The Morocco radio, recorded by Reuters, quoted roundabout reports that German troops reinforcements were constantly arriving in southern Greece and the Dodecanese islands.

Foot, reporting the destruction of large quantities of axis supplies, asserted that enemy blockade-running had been brought to a virtual standstill and that 700,000 tons of enemy shipping had been sunk since the occupation of north Africa.

Fortress Raid Effective

Illustrating the effectiveness of allied air attacks against Germany proper, he remarked that the Flying Fortress raid of last month on the Huls synthetic rubber plant would keep it out of operation for many months.

He said it appeared from recent information that the Germans were taking all moveable equipment from the Ruhr.

"If this is so," he said, "it is extremely significant because it shows that they themselves know that the battle of the Ruhr is lost."

Yank Patrols Engage Japs At Munda

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where ground patrols have been pushing toward the Japanese air base of Salamana, New Guinea, for the second time in as many days a great weight of bombs blasted a path for the jungle fighters. Mitchell bombers dropped nearly 50 tons of high ex-plosives on enemy troops, buildings and on jungle tracks connecting outlying villages with Salamaun, Only the day before 58 tons of bombs were concentrated on a jungle area, facilitating the sition.

Allied bombers struck at the sources of supply for Munda by dropping 21 tons of bombs on Vila, on Kolombangara island, and 23 tons on the Buin-Faisi sector of the northern Solomons. At the other end of the 700-mile arc of the battle front allied land fand air units struck heavily at Japanese barring the way in the Mubo area of New Guinea to the air base of Salamaua 12 miles

(The Tokyo newspaper Asahi

German Tanks Hit New Wedge At Great Loss

E (Continued from Page 1) E said to have "dislodged the enemy from a number of pop-ulated places occupied during the first day of the offensive." This was the first soviet admis-sion that the Runsians over had been pushed back in that area. Nazi Field Marshal Guenther Von Kluge was said to be using nearly 500,000 men, supported by thousands of tanks and sirplanes, in his ambitious effort to crush the central Red army.

the appearance of "secret new weapons"-placed the focal points of the swaying battle 12 miles south of Orel and 37 north of Belgorod. German columns striking southward and northward were trying to pinch off the middle point of Kursk.

One Berlin broadcast record-ed by the Associated Press ack-nowledged the Russians still hold their deep Kursk salient,

were using "super Tiger" tanks superior to the 60-ton Mark VI machines, and also a "projector" artillery weapon whose fire leveled a forest and made "the whole terrain look as if a giant steam roller had gone over it." The Russians made no men-

tion of encountering any such new German weapons, reporting bluntly:

enormous losses in manpower and equipment. Hundreds of disabled and burned out enemy tanks are left on the battlefield as well as many smashed trucks and Ger-

ON the HOME FRON By ISABEL CHILDS Mid-valley folk who have won-

iered about the strips of whits adhesive tape (in a few cases stripes of white paint) running from front door to nose of hood on a dozen or more "squirrel" cars round Salem, may be interested to know that some of the stripes were coming off Thursday. -V---

Youthful owners had learned, we are told, that they were copy-ing zoot-suited Pachucos of south-ern California and at the same time branding themselves to the young women of the community as 'off the market." To the initiated, one stripe (us-

ually running from the center of the windshield down the center the hood) signifies "going of steady," two stripes (which run from door to nose of hood forming a V) mean "engaged," and all three stripes delcares the car's owner to be a married man. My informant hasn't got around

to finding out the full meaning of the little numbers painted on the vehicles. -V-What does "squirrel" car mean?

It's police parlance for what we once called a jalopy - usually a tinny, repainted small car whose owner - or the one who is buying it on terms - drives aimlessly



Law Passage WASHINGTON, July 8-(A)-The CIO's executive board Thursday formally condemned, as "legalizing collusive agreements . . . and inviting a wholesale establishment of company unions," congress' action in decreeing that the national labor relations board shall not

> NEW YORK, July 8 -(AP)-The National Maritime union at its fourth constitutional convention adopted a resolution Thursday

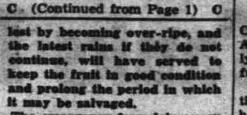
which called upon the attorney

general to invoke the sedition

laws against John L. Lewis, de-

scribed in the resolution as "an

enemy promoting a program de-signed to destroy the American



Faces Crisis

The emergency farm labor serv-ice reported Thursday that tension among lowland cherry growers had been somewhat relieved rabies.

since several orchards had possed

their picking peak. Twelve pla-toons of children have played a major part in harvesting in the larger orchards, thus releasing groups of independent pickers for work in the smaller orchards, During a slight lull in the cherry harvest two platoons shifted over to cane berries but they are now In Capital

back in the cherry orchards. Platoon members who have made notable picking "scores" this week are Delvin Bunkouski, Billy Keen, Edna Judd, Del-mon Asher, Juane Graham, Douglas Brown, Jackie Johnson Darlene Gardener, Marjorie Wiltsey, Jim Armstrong, Lola Mae Pope and Kenneth Griffin.

Children wishing to join platoons may receive appointments by telephoning 9287, the United States employment service office. It is expected that some platoons will begin cane berry work the first of next week. The emergency farm labor service, with headquarters at the employment service office, is now taking orders from growers for cane berry and bean picking platoons. Growers who anticipate their needs and place requests for platoons early will be among the first supplied with help, officials point

the search of the second

Grocery Price

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Friendly Dog's Mexican Labor Cherry Crop Bite Worse Than Bark .

PORTLAND, Ore., July 8.-(AP) Corp. Gordon Sherbeck of Camp Adair, Ore., played with a friend-ly little cocker spaniel while on furlough here last week. More Mexican farm laborers are being brought into the Pacific northwest and many of the 3700 now in Oregon, Washington and Idaho are being shifted to meet harvest needs, the war food ad-ministration's labor office said

Thursday the army, learning that he had been nipped, decreed he must undergo the long Pas-teur treatment unless he can find Thursday night. A group of 190 Mexicans left the dog and prove it doesn't have Burlington, Wash., following movements of 150 there from Em-

The Portland police department

To President

Calif., to Stanwood, Wash., has been set for Saturday to harvest peas and 100 will go from The Dalles, Ore., to Pomeroy, Wash., to work in the wheat fields. A WASHINGTON, July 8-(R) General Henri Honore Giraud talked Thursday with President group of 40 left Milton-Freewater, Ore., Wednesday for Colfax, Wash., to harvest peas and wheat. Roosevelt and high military officers who are as eager as he is **Bus Doubles** to see his French fighting men armed and equipped to take a full share in driving the Germans As Ambulance from France. The French commander, who

shares the leadership of the French committee of national liberation in Algiers with General Charles de Gaulle, lunched at the White House with President Roosevelt, General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, and Admiral William D. Leahy, the president's chief of staff who formerly was ambassador te Vichy France. During the af-ternion he called on Lord Hallfax, the British ambassador.

described in naval quarters meanwhile as well on the way toward accomplishment.

China Hero

Exhorts Men mark-ups-and hence no change in consumer prices-will be made CHUNGKING, July 8-(/P)-Genat present in most of the canned eral Chen Cheng, hero of the recent. victory over Japanese forces

increased correspondingly," he re-

goods of heaviest sales volumecorn, green beans, peas, tomatoes and tomato juice, peaches, pears, on the upper Yangtze, told troops pineapple and fruit cocktail. Thursday that China had "passed OPA said those items still were from the defensive to the counter-'under study," but that no inoffensive stage" and exhorted crease could be granted on them

them to complete their mission. without violating the hold-the-"As the hour of victory draws

and physicians reported Thursday. The 33-year-old Snite asked for breakfast cereal this morning, bringing smiles to the faces of his parents and wife, Teresa, who expects their second child next month. After receiving some oxygen and returning to his large iron ung. Snite has shown improve-

Being Shifted

Where Needed

PORTLAND, Ore., July 8-(#) More Mexican farm laborers are

Stockton, Calif., Thursday for

mett, Idaho, earlier this week.

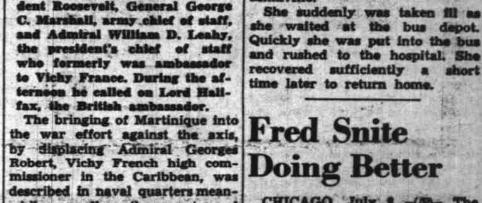
Burlington may get additional, workers from Athens, Ors., and Dixie, Wash., later this week. Transfer of 110 from El Centro,

PORTLAND, Ore., July 8 .- (IP)

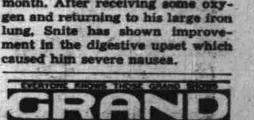
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day for Mrs. Vernon Chance, Mc-

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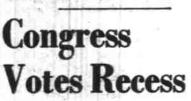


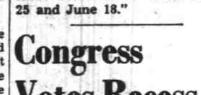
CHICAGO, July 8 -(A)- The stomach disorder of Fred Snite, jr., infantile paralysis victim who has been encased in iron lungs since 1936, is improved, his father



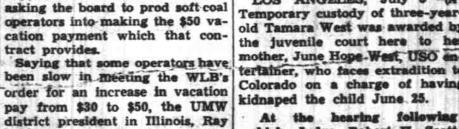


"The Germans are suffering





custody to him, a contention the nother denied



contract with the coal operators Hope West

district president in Illinois, Ray Edmundson, wrote WLB Chairman William H. Davis: "We definitely feel that it is your duty along with Secretary

Ickes as custodian of the mines to enforce compliance with the directives of Mr. Ickes and the war labor board under dates of May

UMW Prods

For Vacation

Pay Increase

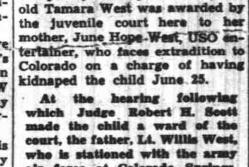
WASHINGTON, July 8 .- (AP)-

John L. Lewis' United Mine

Workers have declined to sign a

board but, the WLB said Thurs-

day, one of Lewis' lieutenants is



JUNE HOPE WEST

Faces Charges

air force at Colorado Springs,

charged that his former wife had had improper relations with Lawrence Carroll, 38, a hairdresser. This Mrs. West denied. Carroll also faces a kidnaping charge in Colorado. He and Mrs. West will be returned there on the abduction charges, preferred

by Lt. West. The father said an Oregon di- In China vorce decree awarded Tamara's

AP Argues for Open Trial

ative enterprise has been cre-

Attorneys for the department of

justice presented arguments to a

three-judge federal court that

there were no uncontroverted

facts and on that basis the issues

should be decided in a summary

judgment-verdict without trial-

on documents alone. The court re-

served decision after listening to

The Associated Press coun-

tered that there were at least

seven major facis it had chal-

lenged and the case was one for

trial at which testimony could

The government charged that

The Associated Press' member-

ship structure denied access to its

new report to all newspapers and

"The government has sub-mitted no evidence that AP has

monopolized the gathering and

dissemination of news," said

The Associated Press brief filed

in answer to the request for a

"AP was organized as a mem-

bership corporation, but neither

n fact nor in law would AP con-

summary judgment.

claimed this was monopolistic.

the day of arguments.

be presented.

In Government Monopoly Suit

declaring that to open its membership "to any newspaper wishing



Japs Lost 187,860 Men

CHUNGKING, Friday, July 9.

than 187,860 casualties in the

sixth year of the Chinese war, a

Barber Rate

Vote Still

Undecided

the county at Thursday night's

meeting in Salem chamber of

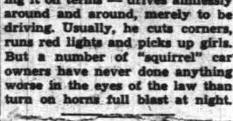
commerce rooms is one which

will be decided by the state board

of barber examiners before re-

sults of the election here are made

public, officers said Thursday



was quoted in Berlin as conceding that the allies are pushing forward in the Solomons and also are exerting heavy pressure in New Guinea.

above it.

Five Japanese Zeros were destroyed over Koepang. Dutch Timor, and over the Bena Bena area 90 miles northwest of Lac. New Guines.

American two-engined Mitchell bombers heavily raided the Japanese at Salamaua.

Two of the Japanese losses were sustained among 10 intercepted by allied fighters over the Bena Bena area. The interceptors had no losses.

In support of pressure by Australian and American jungle fighters on Salamana, attack planes and medium bombers blasted enemy ground installadions at Kela point, Malolo village and along the jungle tracks in the Loguia area. They dropped 50 tons of bombs.

Many hits were scored buildings and numerous fires bility.

On Timor, Mitchell medium bombers started fires in a night attack on the Japanese airdrome of Penfoei at Koepang. Some of the fires appeared to be burning planes.

After the Mitchells came big four-engined bombers at dawn to start more fires among barracks and in the hangars. Smoke from these fires could be seen for 50 miles.

Fourteen Zeros rose to intercept and three were shot down into the sea. Two others were listed as probably destroyed. They were smoking and losing altitude when last seen.

In the New Guinea area Mubo, bombing and strafing attacks were made on Japanese troops and installations in the Buigap creek sector.

Five miles from Salamaua at Bobdubi and at Orodubi between ministration (OPA) and the office Mubo and Salamaua, there were of war information (OWI). patrol clashes, to the

Avenger torpedo and Dauntless senate to withdraw a similar dive bombers, with a fighter es- amendment it had attached to the cort-a term growing more fa- \$1,137,167,010 labor-federal secur-miliar for the allies as their air ity supply bill. When this was Kolombangara. Vila is the main jor appropriation bills. supply depot for Munda, across

Kula gulf on New Georgia. The bombs for the Buin-Faist Steel Output the Kula gulf on New Georgia. sector were delivered upon the Kahili airdrome of the enemy which is on the southern tip of Bougainville. One of our heavy bombers in the raid failed to

The communique added further details to the navy vic- 866,912 net tons, the American tory in the Kula gulf above Mun- Iron & Steel Institute reported tory in the Kula gulf above Mun-da July 5-6 in which the Jap-anese were reported to have lost at least nine and possibly 11 de-stroyers and cruisers at a cost to the United States of the 9700 June due to the coal strike.

F (Continued from Page 1) F June Hope West was a dancresolution was then speedily

sent to the White House. Next the senate bowed to house wishes and dropped its insistence on continuing government crop insurance. This permitted final passage of a \$253,256,000 "catchall" deficiency appropriation. This carried money for over-time pay-

ments to federal workers, emergency funds for President Roosevelt's use in conducting the war, and \$15,000,000 for loans to rehabilitate farm lands damaged by this year's floods.

Meantime, the house agriculture committee got rid of another controversy by simply pigeon-holing a senate-approved bill to raise the ceiling price on corn from \$1.07 to \$1.40 a bushel. Chicago basis. Here again, an expectation that the president would veto such a bill figured in the decision, reached on a 9 to 6 vote.

Finally, the senate dropped its demand that it be allowed to pass ated." were started. The attacks were on the qualifications of any emmade despite rain and poor visi- ployes of war agencies who are paid \$4500 a year or more. Sponsored by Senator McKellar (D-

Tenn.), this would have required nomination and senate confirmation of such employes. Its backers asserted the war agencies are full of policy - making officials on whom the senate should have a

chance to pass. Opponents said it was a patronage grab.

The house not only rejected the proposal but voted down, 260 to 69, a proposed compro-mise to set the salary figure at \$5500 and apply the provision only to newly-hired employes. The senate's recession from its lemand cleared the way to the White House for a \$2,911,697,224 appropriation to run the war agencies in the 12 months beginning July 1. The bulk of the big appropriation is for the merchant shipbuilding program, but funds

also are included to run such agencies as the office of price ad-It set a precedent, too, for the

bases move forward-sent their done the measure was shot on to bomb loads into the supply dump the White House, clearing the and bivouac areas at Vila, on congressional calendar of all ma-

Hits Record NEW YORK, July 8 .- (AP)-The

steel industry established a pro-duction record in the first half of 1943 with an outturn of 43,-

ing teacher in Salem for several Chinese army spokesman reported years prior to 1939 during the Thursday in an annual review. period when her husband, Willis The spokesman said that dur-West, was an attorney for the ing that year, which ended Wednesday there were four major state public utilities commission, Mrs. West also appeared battles, 71 important engagement here as an entertainer frequentand 34 minor engagements and ly. Willis West is a native of 1043 guerrilla clashes. Salem and attended public The Chinese took 2809 Japanese schools here. Later he was Clatprisoners and captured considersop county district attorney. able quantities of war material. They were married in 1936. the report said.

This prohibition was made a rider to an appropriations bill now awaiting the president's signature and its immediate effect is to freeze the AFL contracts with the Henry Kaiser shipyards. The

way of life."

sentatives.

NLRB had considered possible cancellation of these agreements after the CIO had complained that they were entered into when Kaiser had few employes, and that therefore many of his present thousands had no choice of NEW YORK, July 8-The Associated Press argued Thursday their collective bargaining reprefor an open trial of the government's anti-trust suit against it,

its service would destroy the foundation upon which the cooper-'The' Montez and does not threaten to discour To Marry age competition in the future. . . "It would indeed be a strange HOLLYWOOD, July 8 .- (AP)result if newspapers were free Maria Montez, the West Indies' to conduct their business as a gift to the movies, and Pierre strictly private enterprise in Aumont, French actor, will be every respect but the gathering married next Tuesday, a studio of news, without which there announcement said Thursday. would be no papers to publish." Aumont, who was in the French army before the fall of the republic, said he plans to rejoin the

Free French forces after the completion of a film based on the invasion of France.



RED SKELTON

Whistling

Dixie

PLUS

Doing Well invalidate any employer-employe HOLLYWOOD, July 8 .- (AP)agreement of 90 days standing. Film Star Veronica Lake and her three-pound son, born Thursday two months prematurely, were re-

line decree.

Veronica,

Son Both

ported doing well at a hospital, where the baby had been placed in an incubator. Her doctor said it would be everal days before the child could be pronounced safely out of danger.

Injured when she tripped and fell on a motion picture set, the actress was taken to the hospital last Thursday and was given blood transfusions in an effort to prevent the premature birth. The 22-year-old actress and her

husband, Major John Detlie, have a daughter, nearly two years old. Major Detlie is in Seattle with the army.

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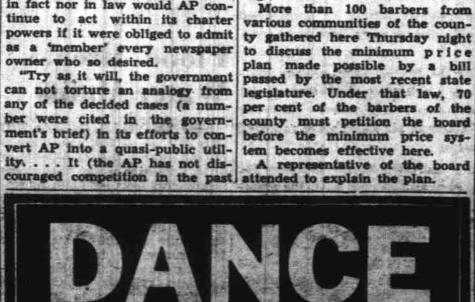
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