

Fortress Crew Douses Fire in Rain Cloud

By HENRY B. JAMESON
AN AMERICAN AIR BASE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 6.—(P)—The crew of the Flying Fortress "Damndino" doused a fire in one engine by ducking into a rain cloud and bluffed three German planes with only one gun in a dramatic hide-and-seek struggle over the North sea this week.

Forced by engine trouble to turn back before reaching the target in northwest Germany, the pilot, Lt. D. R. Beam of Cranestown, Pa., said he and his crew picked out a small German seaport, dumped their bombs on it, and headed for home.

Twelve of their guns either went out of commission or were jettisoned, along with most of the ammunition and "about everything else movable" in order to lighten the crippled ship for the run home, Beam said.

No sooner had they unloaded than they came out of a cloud smack in the face of three Junkers 88s.

Sgt. Jake Rowlin of Oroville, Wash., top turret gunner, was the only man with a workable gun, and he had little ammunition. While he raked the Nazis with fire, the other gunners "aimed" their empty turret mountings so the Germans could not see they had no guns.

All this time one engine was burning furiously.

"Every time we got rid of the jerrys we'd duck into a cloud," said Parsons. "The third time a heavy rain put out the engine fire, which helped relieve the situation a lot, and finally, on the fourth attempt, we lost the Germans."

Sub Pompano Said Sunk

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(P)—The submarine Pompano, which braved the home waters of Japan itself, sinking two warships and much merchant shipping, has fired her last torpedo.

The navy has announced loss of the 1330-ton raider without saying where she went down. It most likely was in the Pacific where the six-year-old submarine was a constant thorn to the Japanese.

Listed as missing was the skipper, Commander Willis M. Thomas, of Vallejo, Calif., holder of the navy cross and the silver star for his daring exploits.

Dodge Family Attends Dinner

PEDEE—A New Year's dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Dodge with all Mrs. Dodge's children present except Joe McGee, who is serving in the USN in the South Pacific. Cut flowers, a gift from Joe, centered the dining table. Joe had wired the flowers from New Caledonia to Salem, as a Christmas gift.

Those present for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stonefield, Donna and Neva Stonefield, Florence; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Newton, Max and Dennis Newton, Independence; Mr. and Mrs. John McGee, Monmouth; and the honor guest, Pfc. Emmett McGee, on furlough from Lawson General hospital, Atlanta, Ga., and the hosts.

McCrary Funeral Held on Wednesday

ALBANY—Funeral services for William J. McCrary, 62, who died January 1 in Elma, Wash., were held from the Fortmiller Funeral Home Wednesday. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

Born in Michigan in 1881, Mr. McCrary came to Oregon in 1901, living in Albany until 1936, when he moved to the Washington city. Surviving besides his widow, Mrs. Karla McCrary, are eight children, Obe of Salem, Mrs. Elizabeth Kukaska and Mrs. Blanche Widmer of Portland, Mrs. Pearl White of Alpine, Donald N. of Lebanon, Glendon of Sweet Home, James of Elma, Wash., and Harold of Camp Shelby, Miss.

Mrs. Wavra Hostess For Junior Women

SILVERTON—Mrs. Louis Wavra at her Mt. Angel home, will be hostess Monday night to members of the Junior Woman's club, according to Mrs. Bryan Gordon, president. Plans for the evening call for a social hour.

Medina to Visit

CARACAS, Venezuela, Jan. 6.—(P)—President Gen. Isaias Medina will leave January 18 for a visit to the United States. It was announced Tuesday.



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Hitler Said Facing Early Extinction

By FLORA LEWIS
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(P)—Adolf Hitler is living on borrowed time and the loan may soon be foreclosed by his own people.

This is the belief of many persons who know Germany well. They have little doubt that Hitler's fate is early death; their only division of opinion is about how death will come to him.

On this there are two schools of thought. One, supported by Emil Ludwig, noted German historian and biographer, is that German generals will shortly decide to do away with the man who proclaimed on New Year's day that there can be no victor in World War II.

Foreign Minister Jan Masaryk of Czechoslovakia subscribes to the second school. He believes Hitler may take his own life rather than face the disillusioned people whom he led to disaster with his glittering promises.

The people of Germany will jeer, Ludwig said, at the latest words of the man who once promised them the world at their feet. Hitler's remark that "if millions of people no longer possess anything to lose, they can only gain something" struck Ludwig as "foolish."

The generals are well aware their fuhrer's gloomy words will cost him the last enthusiasm of his following, Ludwig declared, predicting that in these days the

date of his death will be fixed. Masaryk said Hitler's whole background shows that he is a coward, "and it is not a very brave thing to commit suicide." Masaryk, too, emphasized the growing resentment of the junker generals for the fanatic leader. The possibility of Hitler's death in no way implies an end to the war in Europe, however, other sources declared.

The soviet embassy information bulletin said, "the German command, irrespective of who is at its head, will of course seek to put up every possible resistance in the last decisive stages of the war."

Ankeny Grange Plans For January Meeting

ANKENY—Ankeny grange will have the first meeting of the year January 23 when the new officer for 1944 will take their respective chairs.

Those not installed are asked to be present. A number of members are planning to attend Marion county Pomona, which meets at the Red Hills grange hall on January 19.

Whites Sell Farm In Hazel Green

HAZEL GREEN—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White have sold their place to H. N. Omholt from Cheyenne, and have purchased a smaller place at Liberty. Mrs. Omholt is a sister of Mrs. J. E. Brine of Labish Gardens and Mr. Lehnleers, who lives on the old Slattum farm.

Scio Hunters Report Trips

SCIO—Men recently returned from eastern Oregon business and hunting trips report ducks and geese in great numbers on rivers and lakes. In places the Malheur river was black with water fowl and hunting was easy on lakes and reservoirs. Hay and grain stacks were reported alive with both pheasants and ducks and complaints were heard as to losses in stacks from these sources. Heavy yields of both grain and hay had rewarded farmers during the 1943 growing season.

Mrs. J. S. Branson of near Newport visited briefly recently with Scio friends. The Bransons sold their residence property here some months ago and took up their residence on Agate Beach.

County rock crusher is soon to resume operations on the Fred Simpson farm on Thomas creek a short distance west of Scio. It is reported. Gravel is supplied now from the Calapoolia river at Brownsville.

Capt. Hayden Dies

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—(P)—Capt. Eugene Hayden, 72, who spent 47 years on the Columbia and Willamette rivers as a master and pilot of steamboats and towing vessels, died in a hospital Tuesday after a short illness.

The widow and three sons survive. Funeral services will be Friday.

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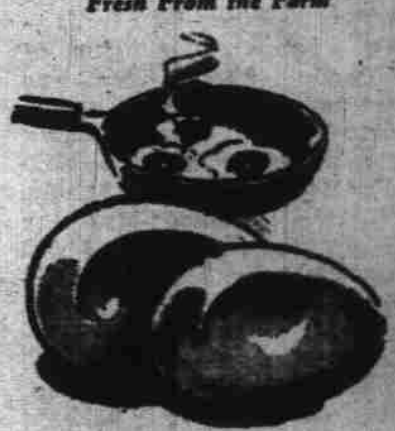
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