# Reds Trap, Cut Off Nazi Divisions

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transport planes and four fighters in trying to supply the doomed men. They were downed by Soviet airmen guarding against parachuting of supplies. Much of these supplies intended for the Germans were reported falling behind Soviet lines.

Some 150 miles to the southeast the Russians said one Soviet formation of Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's third Ukraine army had killed 1300 more Germans yesterday and captured a considerable number in a steady push west of Apostolovo to outflank the iron city of Krivoi Rog. The Russians in this area were reported more than 45 miles west of fallen Nikopol on the lower Dnieper river, where thousands of other Germans had been decisively defeated in operations still not completed.

Hundreds of guns, supply-laden trucks and wagons, and other axis military equipment were declared swept up by the Russians under Malinovsky and those under Gen. Nikolai F. Vatutin and Ivan S. Konev who are conducting the liquidation of the Korsun trap.

Korsun, on the Ross river 25 miles south of the middle Dnieper river, was being hit by seven Russian columns. One Soviet column yesterday gained six miles from Gorodischche, taken Wednesday, to seize Zavadovka, a railway village seven miles southeast of Korsun, and other hamlets in the area. Another smashing down from the northwest took Nikhvorosch, the same distance from Korsun, and other villages in that area.

It was in the Zavadovka sector where the Russian communique said "our troops cut off several German groups from the main enemy grouping and are wiping them out."

Behind them, at the approaches to and in the streets of Gorodische, a district center of the Kiev region, the bulletin said 1000 dead Germans had been counted. Twenty-four guns, 65 machine-guns and more than 1000 trucks were captured at that point, Moscow said.

For the first time since the trap was sprung on the Germans the Soviet communique did not mention German counter attacks in the Zvenigorodka area, southwest of the Korsun pocket, in a nazi attempt to break through. Presumably the Germans outside now have given up hope of reaching the survivors.

## United Airlines To Train Naval Air Mechanics

As a new feature of its war-aid activities, United Air Lines has undertaken the training of naval air transport service mechanics at the company's flight training center at Oakland, Calif., announces W. A. Patterson, president.

According to the announcement, United is enrolling enlisted men from various NATS squadron and is giving them a 16-week course in all phases of aircraft mechanical work.

This training, Patterson said, follows large-scale instruction given by United to flight and ground personnel of the army air forces and is in addition to such other military contract work of the company as military transport operations within this country and overseas, research and development activities, and the modification of bombers for combat duty.

## Mex's Tips Canucks

SEATTLE, Feb. 10—(AP)—Basketball teams from across two international borders met here tonight and the five-time winners of the Mexican national championship came out on top. Mexico City's Los Dorados quintet defeated the University of British Columbia 45 to 39.

# *Amendments Coming Up On Subsidy*

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gram on sustaining anticipated veto by President Roosevelt.

A final vote on the Bankhead bill was deferred at least until tomorrow, however, when the senate failed to reach a vote on one of the last remaining amendments — the Aiken-La Follette food stamp proposal to limit federal aid to low income families.

Consideration of the legislation will be resumed tomorrow under a debate limitation restricting speeches to 20 minutes.

The $950,000,000 ceiling was advanced as a compromise by Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) and was defeated 63 to 15. In addition to the ceiling, the Ohio senator proposed a ban on "roll back" type subsidies, now being paid on meat and butter, and abolition of the feed subsidy payments being made to about 3,000,000 dairymen.

The administration's own plan, calling for a $1,500,000,000 limit on subsidy payments this year, was defeated yesterday when the senate began consideration of the bill.

# Chaplin Faces Mann Act Violation

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The date given was October 5, 1942. A second count charged Chaplin with causing Miss Berry to be transported back from New York on or about October 26, 1942.

Three indictments were returned under the civil rights statutes.

The first charged Chaplin, Arden and White with conspiring to influence a judge of Beverly Hills city court to impose sentence upon Miss Berry for the purpose of deporting her from the state of California.

The second accused Griffin, Arden, White and Chaplin of inducing Miss Berry to plead guilty to a charge of vagrancy without regard to whether or not she was in fact guilty. This is a misdemeanor under federal statutes.

The third indictment charged Chaplin, White, Judge Griffin and Arden with conspiring to deny Miss Berry due process of law and to subject Miss Berry to "deprivation of rights, privileges and immunities" secured to her by the United States constitution.

Bonds for the defendants were fixed at $1000 each, except for Griffin and White, who were released on their own recognizance.

An official of the United States attorney's office said the maximum sentence on all charges against Chaplin if he were convicted would be 23 years imprisonment and $26,000 fine.

## Oregon Dairymen Face Losses

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 10 —(AP) Oregon dairymen face losses this year at least equal to the several millions of dollars they lost in 1943, E. L. Potter of Oregon State college told the Oregon Dairymen's association today.

Potter said one of the reasons for losses was the practice of buying cattle for military use from federally - inspected plants. He said there were only three such plants in the state early in 1943.

Potter blamed office of price administration (OPA) ceiling prices for low beef market prices.

The convention will close tomorrow.

## Stalin Outlines View on Poles

LONDON, Friday, Feb. 11—(AP) Premier Marshal Joseph Stalin has "outlined the Russian viewpoint" on the Soviet-Polish dispute in a personal message to Prime Minister Churchill, who has communicated its contents to the Polish government in London, an informed source said today.

Official British quarters declined to comment.

Stalin's reply was reported to have been transmitted to London last weekend by the British ambassador.

# Willkie Announces Candidacy, Hints Split in Demo Ranks

By ARTHUR BURGESS

SEATTLE, Feb. 10—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie, after expressing confidence he will be the republican party's next presidential nominee, declared today the democratic party, under the president's leadership, was rapidly falling apart.

When asked to elaborate on his train platform statement in Baker, Ore., last night that he would be the next republican presidential nominee, Willkie said:

"Just between friends, no one expects me to say I won't be, do they?"

"The democratic party is permanently divided; the division is growing deeper, sharper and broader," the 1940 republican presidential nominee said in an interview shortly after his arrival in Seattle.

"If the president was reelected it would become more and more difficult to get legislation passed.

"If he was reelected, the president would be frustrated by the division in his party.

"There has been mention of a division in the republican party and some persons have been drawn to the conclusion that the party is hopelessly divided, but the fact is that it is the democratic party, the party in power, that is divided, not the republicans."

He said some republicans might take different viewpoints on issues, but that it was only appropriate for them to do so because they were the party out of power and "they did not leave the party like some democrats when they took different viewpoints."

He described the present-day republican party as re-born, full of youth and vigor.

Willkie mentioned tax and labor legislation as proof that the democratic party was "hopelessly divided."

He maintained that the administration had been fighting a "soft war." The tax bill, calling, he said, for inadequate taxes, showed that.

"I favor, and the republican party favors, an all-out war. We should go the limit in taxing the dollars being made off the war and the government has a responsibility to cut out reckless spending," Willkie said.

Willkie said he favored a federal ballot for soldiers. He also forecast war casualty lists before the end of the year that would be "heart-breakingly long."

**PORTLAND, Feb. 10—(AP)—Wendell Willkie, who definitely disclosed his candidacy to the presidency in an unscheduled talk from a railroad car platform last night, may have his name on the Oregon primary ballot.**

Ralph H. Cake, Oregon republican national committeeman, said a decision would probably be made Saturday, when Willkie returns here, as to whether the republican party leader's name will appear in the state primaries.

Willkie, en route to Seattle, made his announcement to well-wishers who crowded around his train during a brief halt at Baker last night.

"I'm going to be nominated for the presidency of the United States on the republican ticket," he told them. He did not elaborate.

Then he added, "I'm going to take you all into my confidence and let you know my policies."

At that point the train pulled out of the station.

# 5th Takes Town From Germans

By REYNOLDS PACKARD

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AT THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD, Feb. 10.—Fifth army troops on this beachhead assaulted a town well within the Germans' lines last night and wiped out the entire German garrison, killing 60 nazis, wounding scores of others and taking nine prisoners.

The raid, a swift moonlight attack during which hand grenades slaughtered most of the enemy, started at 8 p. m., and ended at 2 a. m., when the Fifth army assault forces withdrew according to plan —and without any enemy interference.

The town was occupied in a half an hour after the attack started and held against two counter-attacks which were easily repulsed before midnight. Between midnight and 2 a. m., all was calm.

# US Armada Strikes Two Centers

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designed to lay out the extensive runways, hangars and repair shops of that major German base and keep its swarms of pursuit craft grounded.

Medium bombers hit once more at the nazis' anti-invasion installations on the French coast.

What these installations on the so-called "rocket coast" are is still one of the big mysteries of the air war, but a Stars and Stripes correspnodent quoted instructions to crewmen making the raids:

"Your bombs must get in there. We've got to smash those objectives at any cost, no matter what opposiiton they put up."

Most of the losses by both the Americans and the Germans appeared to have occurred during the two-and-a-half hour battle in the Brunswick attack.

American fighters, in downing 55 German planes, surpassed by ten their previous day's record score, made on January 30 in the Brunswick and Hanover raids.

In three attacks on Brunswick and nearby industrial cities in the past 30 days American bombers and fighters have destroyed 327 enemy planes and lost 109 four-engined bombers.

The American loss of 29 big bombers today was nearly 50 per cent greater than in the last Brunswick attack, when 20 fell, but 60 were shot down on January 11.

## Patterson Optimistic

By TOM REEDY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 —(AP)— The Italian campaign has been slow, bitter and bloody but, says Acting Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson, the allied troops are starting to forge ahead at Cassino and the Anzio beachhead near Rome is "firmly established."

Yet, he declared, the Anglo-American troops at Anzio have yielded only "a small amount of ground," have effectively warded off attacks, beaten back a number of enemy tanks and taken a number of prisoners.

The full weight of the German thrust there is still to come and that "is not to be minimized," Patterson said.

## King, Queen Visit Bomber Base

By HENRY B. JAMESON

A US BOMBER STATION IN ENGLAND, Feb. 11—(Friday)—(AP) The king and queen took time out for a tour of British war industries yesterday (Thursday) to visit this heavy bomber base, praised the "good work" of the American air forces and crawled into the cockpit of a Flying Fortress to see how it worked.

The royal couple impressed officers and enlisted men alike with their knowledge of the technical side of air war and their informal and friendly manner.

They were escorted around the field by Maj. Gen. James Doolittle and Col. Howard Moore of Llano, Tex., the station's commander.

## Gandolfo Bombed

LONDON, Feb. 10.—(AP)— The vatican radio said tonight that Castel Gandolfo, site of the pope's summer residence near the allies' Anzio bridgehead in Italy, had been bombed for the third time, causing "many casualties."

# ON the HOME FRONT

By ISABEL CHILDS

When D. D. Dotson, senior employment officer with the USES, erstwhile school teacher and ventriloquist of considerable local note, demonstrates his most entertaining talent he now clears his throat to be sure he knows which type of voice his listeners are going to hear.

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For benefit of two new employes in the employment service office here, he recently staged an after-breakfast performance with results as startling to him as to the personnel.

'Twas a few minutes before the time clock should be turned on. Dignified Mr. Dotson stood beside the twin doors to the two washrooms, opened that leading into the men's haunt and shouted "Hey, Bill, what are you doing?" Back came the answer "Washing my hands!"

The new employes laughed. An old employe entered, asked for a repetition of the demonstration and Mr. Dotson took a bow which caused him to step unconsciously closer to the second door. Opening it, he repeated his question.

Before "Bill" had time to answer, a feminine voice, distinctly that of one of the clerks, came back "Close that door!"

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The door was closed. Mr. Dotson cleared his throat, and they say he still does before demonstrating.

# Aussies Join Americans At Saidor

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coastal base of Madang, about 60 miles by coastline above Saidor. Fliers already have reported indications that the Japanese may have abandoned that coastal base.

In the Huon campaign, the Japanese forces destroyed included six infantry, artillery and engineer regiments.

Headquarters, in announcing the ground success today, also reported air blows at Japan's two principal southwest Pacific air bases of Rabaul, New Britain, and Wewak, New Guinea.

An air raid also was made on Alexishafen, air support base for Madang, and Kavieng, New Ireland, staging depot for Rabaul.

## Davis Would Keep OWI Out of News

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 —(AP) Elmer Davis would like to keep his office of war information out of the newspapers for a while.

In a memorandum to all employes of the OWI overseas branch, the director said:

"From now on, I hope, OWI can keep out of the newspapers except for our end product — the encouragement and enlightenment of our friends abroad and the discouragement of the enemy."

Davis' letter followed the bitter row within OWI which ended Monday with the resignation, at Davis' request, of three key officials of the overseas branch in New York, Who Davis felt had assumed too much authority.

# Nazis Seek Allied Lines' Weak Point

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against the Germans who had seized a little hilltop village overlooking the allied positions along the northern sector.

The salvos from many cannon, falling into the little community less than 100 acres in extent, equalled a sudden heavy bombing raid, Bigart said.

The quickly-prepared bombardment was designed to save endangered British units worn out by days of bitter fighting.

Again, two hours later, the guns roared anew, blasting a German assault force driving toward a point where a highway passes under an abandoned railway. Without the underpass the Germans cannot commit the full force of their heavy tanks, Bigart said.

**There was no promise of relief for the landing forces from Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's main Fifth army, which for a week has been stymied within the ruins of Cassino, 50 airline miles away.**

Today's advices said bitter house-to-house fighting still was in progress there, with the Germans literally resisting to the death. Monte Cassino, which rears just northwest of the town and is the key to its defenses, remained in the enemy's possession at latest report.

The Germans smashed at the beachhead at six points yesterday, with their fiercest attack aimed at British positions north and west of Carroceto (Aprilia), 10 miles due north of Anzio. Three thrusts were made against American positions west of Cisterna, nazi strongpoint on the Appian way 13 miles northeast of Anzio. For the first time the enemy also probed allied defenses near the extreme ends of the beachhead, both above and below Anzio.

All attacks were fought off without serious loss of ground, but an allied spokesman acknowledged that the beachhead as a whole was on the defensive for the present.

British artillerymen in one threatened sector had been without rest for 36 hours, and the Germans were attacking with such superior numbers that even the annihilation of a German battalion meant only momentary relief.

Censorship permitted the disclosure that for several crucial hours last Thursday thousands of British troops were trapped in a salient near Campoleone, 16 miles from the outskirts of Rome, and that the bulk of the force was extricated only after fierce, confused fighting in which American tank destroyers knocked out four of the enemy's 60-ton Tigers.

## Restore Badoglio

NAPLES, Feb. 10—(AP)—The allies tonight restored to Marshal Pietro Badoglio's government the administrative authority over southern Italy, including Sicily and Sardinia, but on condition that all officials be of allied sympathies and that the allies have no commitments to the Baroglio-King Vittorio Emanuele regime after the capture of Rome.

# *British Cling To Bengal Pass*

By PRESTON GROVER

NEW DELHI, India, Feb. 10—(AP) British troops supported by tanks still clung tonight to the vital Ngakyedauk pass through which the Japanese have been attempting to cut communications of the British operation in Arakan on the northern end of the Bay of Bengal.

The drive for the pass was launched by a force of Japanese who looped around the east end of the British defenses on the Mayu peninsula and avoided discovery until they occupied a village ten miles behind the British advance positions.

Should they succeed in reaching the pass the Japanese could block British efforts at reinforcement and would have an excellent opportunity to storm through the pass to the seacoast. This would carry them directly across the highway supplying British troops fighting in the Maungdaw-Buthedaung area.

The British are known to have superior numbers in that area but communication through the jungle is difficult.

# Moore Refuses To Withdraw

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 —(AP)— Sen. Moore (R-Okla) said tonight that he has no intention of carrying out Interior Secretary Ickes' "suggestion" that he disqualify himself as a member of the interstate commerce subcommittee which will begin hearings next Tuesday on a resolution to liquidate the petroleum reserves corporation, headed by Ickes.

"I'll be at Tuesday's meeting to hear what Mr. Ickes has to say," Moore, co-author of the resolution with Sen. Brewster (R-Me), told a reporter. Ickes had previously stated he would testify then.

In a press conference discussion earlier today by PRC's proposal to construct a 1250-mile pipeline from the Persian gulf area to the Mediterranean, Ickes was asked if he had read Sen. Moore's recent criticism of government participation in foreign oil operations.

Ickes replied that "there are two or three good reasons why he (Moore) should disqualify himself as a member of the committee. Moore is an oil man, has made a 'barrel of money' out of the business, and has already 'indicted, tried and convicted me'," Ickes said.

Moore replied that except for a "dribble of $100 a month from royalties," he has "no interest direct or contingent in any oil properties."

## Suppress Competition

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 —(AP)— Charges that railroads have suppressed competition in the west and have been slow to modernize were sounded today on Capitol Hill, where also a spokesman for the industry complained that other forms of transportation get subsidies while the rail lines must "pay their own expenses."

## Iva L. Henry Dies At Silverton Home

SILVERTON, Feb. 10.—Iva L. Henry died Thursday at her home on Bethany road. She is survived by a niece, Mrs. Eunice Campbell of Portland.

# Spensley Says Jap Atrocities Story Brutal

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seeing to it that relief goes to prisoners of the Japanese.

He suggested that "the state department should find out why, if the Russians can send food to British prisoners, they can't send food to US prisoners of war." He said he had heard that the Russians were relaying such supplies to British prisoners.

(The United States has sent 15,000 tons of food to Vladivostok. It was learned at the state department that this food is still there; the Japanese have not yet agreed to let it be distributed to prisoners, it was explained.

Chairman Reynolds (D-NC.) of the senate military affairs committee, and Representative Knutson (R-Minn.) gave assurances of congressional support to get relief or rescue to the victims of Bataan, Corregidor, Wake and Guam as soon as possible.


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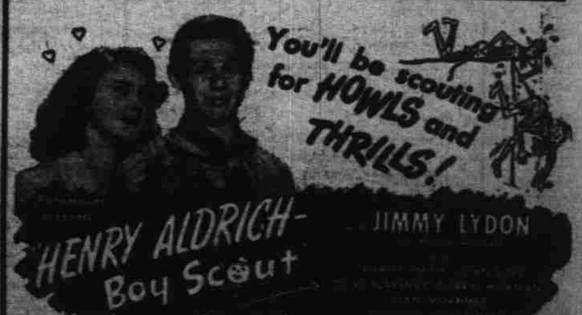
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