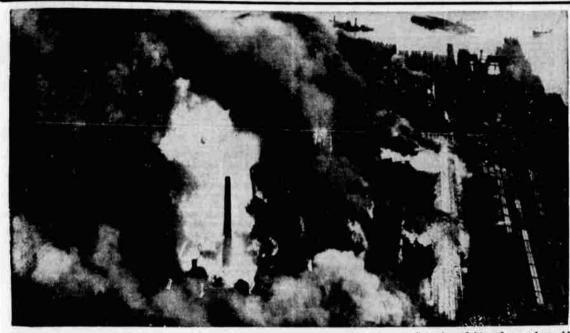
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# HITLER AND DUCE TALK AEXT MOV

#### Waterfront Fire Threatens Jersey Railway Terminal



able damage to other plants and the Eric Railway terminal on the Hudson river waterfront in Jersey City. N. J. All Jersey City fire apparatus, and five coast guard tugs fought the blaze which caused damage estimated to exceed \$3,500,000. (As sociated Press photo by air mail to Mail Tribune). This is an aerial view of a fire which swept through an eight-story grain elevator Saturday night and caused consider-

#### THE **CAPITAL PARADE**

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far, the president has taken only one concrete step to implement

J. Edgar Hoover, FBI chief
the policy laid down in his meswho also discounted the sabo sage to the nation. He has rein-forced and extended the Atlan-Neb., that there were no nationtic patrol. How much does the al defense materials destroyed. step mean? The answer must necessarily be tentative, for the subject is hedged about with was not extinguished until after the prohibitions of official secrecy. Yet there are a few facts spectacularly through the wateron which to form a judgment.

First, the Atlantic patrol is it and Pavonia avenue. self only an extension of the old so-called neutrality patrol, ordered by the president in the first days of the war. The osten-sible purpose of the old neutrality patrol was to prevent bellig-erent vessels from operating off shores of the Americas. It contained the complete germ of the Atlantic patrol, however. If the patrolling ships and planes nounced the fact to Washington ring declared tonight that Nazi small American flag to each sighted German craft, they an-

Second, the neutrality patrol was transformed into the Atlantic patrol sometime ago, when the Atlantic fleet was orted to extend its surveillance to 30 degrees wast or to a line of the whole world the selectes, local patriotic bodies and the senior high school girls' drum corps will march from the courthouse to the depot.

Selectees of county board 1 are Joseph Eugene Hillis, Charles Bichard Daelous Months. to 30 degrees West or to a line actions. about half way across the ocean, running down between Iceland and Greenland. The order was given at a moment when congiven at a moment when congorder was
given at a moment when conyoying as far as Greenland was
being so seriously considered
that political preparations for it
had actually been made. At had actually been made. At the last minute, probably because of fear of public opinion, the president substituted the half-measure. And although on their own resources and dental the barden are complishments by the parachute fighters.

Bruce Edwin DeMers, Walter Earl Rives and Howard Reid Garrett. The last two named are CCC boys whose homes are in Mississippi and Georgia, re-

tual. The area under patrol was (Continued on Page Four)

Gearhart, Ore., June 2—(P)— Pacific coast seedmen and dealers opened their 16th annual ses-

#### SIDE GLANCES

#### No Sabotage Seen in Costly Conrlagration on Waterfront FUNDS RECOMMENDED

Jersey City, N. J., June 2.—(P)—Blackened rubble and heat-twisted steelwork held the secret today of the cause of a 24-hour fire that ravaged eight blocks along the Jersey City water-front, but the police, coast guard and federal bureau of investi-gation expressed belief that it definitely was not sabotage.

farewell meeting will be held in the county courthouse auditorium at 7 o'clock tonight

for 14 youths leaving on the 8:05 p. m. train for a year of selective service training. The

public is urged to attend the meeting, to be presided over by Dr. Sherman L. Divine, chair-man of the National Defense

The farewell address will be given by George M. Roberts, Medford attorney. Dr. Arthur S. Taylor of the Southern Ore-

John Everritt Rayle, Leslie Win-

Cotton Grows in

Oakridge Garden

Oakridge, June 2. — (P) — Think nothing of it if you hear

the catchy strains of "Dixie" in these parts-Mrs. John Archer

is growing cotton in her garden Along with peanuts and fancy

squash, the cotton is growing readily, Mrs. Archer, a former

Oklahoman says.

Fire Chief Frank Ertle, who estimated the damage at \$25,estimated the damage at \$25,000,000 told newsmen to "put
any sabotage ideas out of your
GOODBYE MEETING New York Tribune, Inc. mind," adding that the fire Washington, June 2.—Thus could have started from a care-

lessly-tossed cigarette. J. Edgar Hoover, FBI chief,

The fire broke out Saturday flames had mushroomed front area between Sixth street

#### NO ISLANDS SAFE BOASTS GOERING

Berlin, June 2 .- (P)-Reichs Berlin, June 2.—(P)—Reichs-marshal Herman Wilhelm Goe-lodge in the presentation of a in an intentionally simple code, which it was not difficult for who occupied Crete had "proved Follow

(This could mean an attempt vin William Kohn and Arthur

Winston Churchill told the Brit- feated the enemy in heroic and spectively. ish people it meant much, the embittered fighting."

#### measure was pretty ineffec-JAIL VISITOR IS

It was an intended goodwill visit that Willis Turpin, 45, made at the city jail Saturday, but it turned out to be not so

By
TRIBUNE REPORTERS

Don Monteith, Don Wright and Ken Scripter informing friends that they were 'going to the hills of West Virginia to find Nancy Brown."

A stray dog wandering across the stage of the Craterian stealing a scene from Hedy LaMarr Saturday night.

But it turned out to be not so good for him.

Turpin, Medford man, took some tobacco to the bastille for his friend, R. W. (Goldie) Walk. Calro, Egypt, June 2—(P)—Captain James Roosevelt and Major Gerald Thomas of the duck looks at Turpin and he suddenly found himself inside such stage of the Craterian stealing a scene from Hedy LaMarr Saturday night.

CAPTAIN ROOSEVELT

Calro, Egypt, June 2—(P)—Captain James Roosevelt and Major Gerald Thomas of the function of the suddenly found himself inside such stage of the Craterian stealing a scene from Hedy LaMarr Drunkenness

## ADDITIONAL HIGHWAY FOR DEFENSE EFFORT

Washington, June 2/P)—President Roosevelt recommended
to congress today additional appropriations of \$125,000,000 for
special defense highway concapitalize on it undoubtedly

president proposed that \$100,000,000 be authorized specifically for assisting in the development of access roads and \$25,000,000 to strengthen bridges and widen services in key roads.

The message said that the fedworks administrator soon would submit a draft of a bill authorizing the appropriations "and it is hoped that this matter may have early consideration."

Qualified informants in London said the past week's developments—notably the fall of Crete and the alignment of

The president's recommenda France with the axis—had prac-tions were based upon a survey tically eliminated the Mediter

and proposed army, navy and dle, air bases and the possible neces-

# Following the meeting, the electees, local patriotic bodies and the senior high school girls'

(P) — Berton Leander Gossett, Ferndale rancher, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault in the second degree in connection with the death of his estranged wife.

Telks Mark Phases

Each meeting of Hitler and Mussolini has signalled the beginning or end of a major phase in the conflict.

The axis leader. Nora E. Gossett today in superior court. He was sentenced to serve not less than 10 years nor more than 24 years in the state penitentiary by Judge Hobart Hitler and Mussolini conferred

### MARINES SAY NO SHANGHAI FIGHT

New York, June 2—(P)—The Iraq, ome radio broadcast today a Germany's luftwaffe, knock-American sailors. cast gave no further details, to North Africa in tiny fishing NBC heard the report.

### DICTATORS REACH SABOTAGE HINTED War Bulletins FULL AGREEMENT IN CRASH OF NEW AT BRENNER PASS 25-TON BOMBER

terranean Control Believed **Among Conference Topics** 

By the Associated Press German motorised infantry troops were reported today to have landed at the port of Latakia, Syria, and the British announced the removal of British women and children from the Island of Cyprus, off the coast of Syria, in anticipation of a quick axis assault there following the conquest of Crete.

A British crown colony since 1914. Cyprus is the third largest island in the Mediter-ranean after Sicily and Sardinia.

Dispatches from Ankara, Turkey, said, the German troops landed on the Syrian troops landed on the Syrian coast May 29, arriving by

By the Associated Press Adolf Hitler and Premier Mussolini reached a new "complete agreement" on the course of the war today in another meeting at Brenner pass, scene of so many fateful decisions in the 21-month-old European war.

At the same time the British

In a message to congress, the talks. In this respect, the presence at the five-hour conversation of General Field Marshal Wilhelm

Keitel, chief of the nazi high command, and General Ugo Cavallero, Italian chief of the general staff, was significant. British Link Lost

tions were based upon a survey tically eliminated the Mediter-tor of highway facilities from the viewpoint of national defense.

This survey related particu-larly "to the adequacy of in-gress to and eggress from urban centers, the servicing of existing gerous bottlenecks in the mid-

on College of Education, will sity for the strengthening of charge in the Ashland Elks dige in the presentation of a nall American flag to each the 100-mile gap between Sicily and French-ruled Tunisia—were described as vulnerable to attacks from axis bombers.

AFTER SENTENCE Thus, the inland waterway once fondly termed "mare nostrum—our sea" by the Italians, now is shared with the Ger-

"about the political situation," Gossett left the court room whistling a tune after he had admitted smothering his wife to death with his hands and casting her body into a water well.

1. A possible ultimatum to Turkey, demanding passage of axis troops into the Middle East.
2. A "final" peace offer to Britain, now that Crete has

fallen.
3. Plans for a full-scale axis

drive into Egypt to seize the Suez canal. Other developments in the

international picture, pacing these swift-breaking events, in-Shanghai, June 2 — (P) — cluding a smashing overnight United States marine officers assault by nazi bombers on the and police headquarters said to big English industrial city of night there had been no clashes Manchester, and reported probetween American and Italian clamation of a state of siege in eastern Syria, French-ruled, next door to British-controlled

Rome radio broadcast today a Germany's luftwaffe, knock-Shanghai dispatch saying that fighting had broken out in the of Crete, turned its fury anew Chinese city between Italian and on the last British and Greek The broad- survivors attempting to

# Cairo, Egypt, June 2.—(R)— The Greek government-in-exile resigned today and the resignations were accepted by King George II. The king was reported convinced it was now desirable to reduce member-

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uel Tsouderous remains as premier, with the additional portfolics of foreign affairs and finance. How to Capitalize on Medi- Four Fliers Believed Dead in San Diego Plunge of Giant \$250,000 Machine

> San Diego, Calif., June 2,-(A)-Four fliers apparently per-ished today in the crash of a British Liberator bomber into San Diego bay which a Consolidated Aircraft spokesman said had "evidences of sabotage."

> The spokesman said the \$250, 000, 25-ton land bomber had been "thoroughly tested, things like that just don't hap

Believed dead were: William Wheatley, 39, Chest-er, N. Y., chief test pilot for the company.

Allen T. Austin, 28, Kansas City, Mo., assistant test pilot. Bruce K. Craig, 27, Chicago, William H. Rieser, 23, Cam

bridge, Mass.
Lewis, M. McCannon, 25,
Woodstock, Ill., chief mechanic,
was seriously injured.

## "Show of Patriotism" Urged

New York, June 2.—(P)— British imperial troops with-drawn from Crete lost all their war material, the German radio declared today. London, June 2.-(A)-A

Berlin radio broadcast heard here said today that the ex-iled grand mufti of Jerusalem. who attempted to fan a Mos-lem uprising against Britain during the struggle with Iraq, had arrived at Mosul to re-organize Iraq resistance to the British.

ship of the government. Eman

struck the water.

The impact with the water shattered the bomber, witnesses said, and it sank. Navy and small fishing vessels went to the same program, the chief executive has signed a bill to keep iron ore feeding into steel plants.

It would permit Canadian vessels went to the same program or feeding into steel plants. trols on the bomber "just don't sels to carry ore between American ports on the Great Lakes
Rieser was dead when taken during the 1941 transportation

Rieser was dead when taken from the plane. McCannon, apparently seriously injured, was rushed to the naval air station on North Island.

The bomber was completing tests and, the company said, about ready for a flight to England.

Marriage licenses issued in Jackson county during May totalled 29, according to records in the county clerk's office. This is eight more than in April when the total was 21. It is approximately twice as many as during each of the first three months of the year.

JACKSONVILLE COUPLE

MARRY IN LEWISTON
Lewiston, Idaho, June 2—(A)
—Marriage license applications:
Irving C. Stabb and Margaret E. Thunes, both Jacksonville, Ore.

# In Walkout of Shipbuilders

Washington, June 2 .- (P)- pany in the San Francisco bay The defense mediation board called on management and labor cisco Bay Metal Trades council. called on management and labor of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding company to "show their patriot ed to be a new effort by the government to work out at least ism" by arranging "immediate government to work out at least a partial settlement of the shipping a final settlement of a strike yard strike which has tied up the government shipbuilding opera.

at Bethlehem's San Francisco government shipbuilding opera-tions in the bay area. Sundra

day the dispute between the at Bethlehem's west coast ship-Bethlehem Shipbuilding com-building plant.

## GIVES CENTRAL PT **BOOM IN REALTY**

City Recorder Tex Says City-Owned Lots Wanted; Speculators Not Welcome

Central Point, June 2.—(Spl)
—Something of a boom in real
estate is being experienced

By June 22, when the city council will meet to consider again the prices established on May 22, City Recorder Guy Tex expects practically all remaining available city lots to be sold. The city now owns 103 lots as compared with 267 about four years ago when prices were reduced in a move to get the property back on the tax rolls, Mr. Tex said.

Mr. Tex stated he expected the city to retain about 40 of the lots itself for any future

Prospects of establishing an army cantonment in the Ante-lope or Beagle areas have sharply accelerated the sale of Woodstock, Ill., chief mechanic, was seriously injured.

The bodies of Wheatley, Craig and Austin had not been recovered from the shaftered bomber. Witnesses said the huge plane left the airport on what appeared a normal takeoff, but that the bomber pulled up steep into a vertical climb instead of leveling off. At about 500 feet the plane apparently was in a stall.

The bomber then fell off to the left, and nosed down and the pilot, using the throttle appeared to have recovered. This difficulty was experienced over the airport, but by the time the left, and nosed down and the control of the craft it was fly-

ficulty was experienced over the airport, but by the time the pilot apparently had regained control of the craft it was flying over the water at an altitude of only 50 feet. A few seconds later from an altitude of about 100 feet, the bomber again fell off to the left and the wing struck the water.

The impact with the water shattered the bomber, witnesses said, and it sank. Navy and small fishing vessels went to the sent and fishing vessels went to the rescue.

A company official said conthe inquirer was told the city would not.

would not.

Several Medford business men have bought private property on Pine street, the main business street, Central Point business men have bought additional property to protect their interests, renters have purchased homes or acquired land to build homes and property owners and former residents who now reside elsewhere have written to Mr. Tex regarding acquisition of land. Letters asking Mr. Tex to pick out lots for them have been received from former residents. been received from former resi-dents now in Arizona, California and Nevada, he said. Prices of

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French and Cullough; Padgajny and Livingston. Cincinnati E. Riddle, Beggs and Lom-bardi; McGee, Melton, Adams and Danning.

Pittsburgh . Boston 2 9 0
Lanning, Wilkie and Lopesi
Errickson and Berres.

Brooklyn 4 6 1
White, Krist, Shoun and Mancuso; Wicker, M. Brown, Swift,
Davis and Owen.

Washington, June 2.—(A)—

The labor department said the dispute turned over to the me-diation board to the defense mediation board to day the dispute between the at Bethlehem's west coast ship.

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