

TOKYO LURID IN THE ACCOUNT OF LOSSES ON GUAM

By United Press
Radio Tokyo belatedly acknowledged the American invasion of Guam today with a lurid account of bloody fighting on the former U. S. naval station, and attempted to soften the grim admission with claims of "tremendous" losses inflicted on the attacking marines and army troops.

A Japanese Headquarters announcement said the Americans had been thrown into "great confusion" by their initial losses, and a supplementary broadcast beamed to Latin-America and heard by FCC monitors said American casualties totaled 4300 men.

The enemy accounts did not claim the repulse of the attacking forces, however, and their claims of American casualties were sharply at variance with official statements from Adm. Chester W. Nimitz Pacific fleet headquarters.

Nimitz reported that the assault forces suffered only light casualties in the initial stages of the landing Thursday morning, although it was emphasized that resistance was stiffening as the tanks drove inland from their beachheads on the island's west coast.

HITLER DEMANDS LOYALTY PLEDGE

By United Press
Stockholm dispatches quoted reliable authority for a report that Hitler had demanded a loyalty declaration from his diplomatic representatives abroad. The German minister to Stockholm, Hans Thomsen, asked all members of the legation and the German Colony to meet in the Colony Club Friday night for a "thanksgiving" demonstration on Hitler's escape, but not all members of the Colony attended, the dispatches said.

Commercial air line service between Stockholm and Berlin were re-established Saturday afternoon.

Valley Poultry Men Seek Station Here

About 80 Southern Oregon poultry producers and officials of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Association met today at the Pacific Hotel in Medford to discuss plans for placing an egg receiving station in this district, the plans now awaiting approval of the board of directors of the Pacific Cooperative association at Portland.

Among those attending were G. C. Keeney of Portland, manager of the Pacific Cooperative, Mr. Cabot of Roseburg, president of the association, and Mr. Harmon of Roseburg, a director of the group. Others attending came from Medford, Grants Pass and Ashland, representing the Southern Oregon producers.

CHINDITS CARVE NEW BURMA GAIN

South A. S. Pa. Headquarters, Kandy, Ceylon, July 22—(U.P.)—Maj. Gen. W. D. A. Lentaingne's British Chindits in North Burma have carved out new gains in their drive southwest of Mogaung along the rail line to Mandalay, and Chinese and American units in Myitkyina have inched forward in the southwest suburbs of the city, today's Japanese revealed.

Capturing Japanese positions in the villages of Ngusharawing and Pungan, approximately 17 1/4 miles southwest of Mogaung, the jungle-hardened Chindits seized stores of enemy equipment and ammunition and inflicted casualties on the Japanese as they consolidated their holdings in the territory north of the bitterly contested Burma railway. A strategic rail junction in the nearby hills also fell to the Allied forces.

MYSTERY COVERS GIRL'S IDENTITY

Portland, Ore., July 22—(U.P.)—An autopsy on the body of an attractive 17-year-old girl found mysteriously dead in a hotel bathroom here was awaited today as police had only a packet of Seattle matches, the presence of a neck scar and the fact that her coat bore a wooden initial "G" as clues to her identity.

Her body was found in the hall bathroom after police entered through a transom when the hotel management found the room locked. She was not registered at the hotel and the management could offer no explanation of her presence.

LIST EIGHT FROM OREGON WOUNDED

Washington, July 23—(U.P.)—The war department made public today the names of 1025 United States soldiers wounded in action, including:

European area: Oregon: Baker, T-5th Gr. Howard W. —Mrs. Dorothy M. Baker, wife, 727 Southeast 48th Ave., Portland.
Cyrus, Sgt. Lowell M.—Mrs. Sarah Cyrus, mother, 219 South Pine, Roseburg.
Carr, Pfc. Leonard M.—Portland.
Heard, Pfc. Robert M.—Portland.
Kononen, Pvt. Glen M.—Pendleton.
Parker, Pvt. Ivan H.—Craw Stage Road, Eugene.
Southwest Pacific area: Oregon: Fehrenbacher, T-Sgt. Robert W.—Rt. 1, Troutdale.
Pluecard, Sgt. John R.—Sutherlin.

BONNEVILLE, KEY TO JOBS, PEOPLE

Portland, Ore., July 22—(U.P.)—Recent investigations by the Bonneville Power Administration have disclosed opportunities for private enterprise to provide 24,660 new jobs in six Oregon counties within the next five years, the administration revealed today.

Population of the six counties, Wasco, Coos, Tillamook, Douglas, Klamath and Clatsop, would increase from 148,700 in 1940 to 196,200 in 1950 through the additional employment.

STATE DEMOCRATS TO MEET JULY 29

Eugene, Ore., July 22—(U.P.)—Willis Mahoney and Edgar W. Smith, Democratic nominees for U. S. senator, will be principal speakers at an organization meeting of the Democratic state central committee in Portland July 29, Judge Fred Fiske of Eugene announced today.

Only Crook, Curry, Grant, Umatilla and Wheeler counties remain to be organized with central committees and these are expected to be completed before the meeting, Fiske said.

COUNTY WILL GET \$169,353 MELON

Salem, Ore., July 22—(U.P.)—Apportionment of the \$5,000,000 school support fund to counties which will lower property taxes to the various districts was announced today by Rex Putnam, superintendent of public instruction.

The apportionment was made on the basis of actual pupil-days of attendance in each county during the 1943-1944 school year. Jackson county's apportionment is \$169,353.62.

FOOTPRINTERS TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Installation of new officers and initiation of new members will be held by the Medford chapter of International Footprinters, Inc., at their meeting at the Walter Leverette home, "Pear Oaks" on the south Pacific highway at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Those desiring to swim are asked to bring suits and towels. Any member unable to attend is asked to telephone Robert M. Elder, secretary.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

In City—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Moore of Ashland made a recent business trip to Medford.

Visits Here—Miss Betty Jo Burns of Ashland visited here recently with Paul Merfield.

To Missouri—Pfc. Gerald Bishop left Saturday morning for Camp Crowder, Mo., after spending a nine day furlough at his home on Peach St.

Picnic Cancelled—Officers of the Kansas club announced Saturday that the annual picnic would not be held this year due to war conditions.

To New York—R. E. Lance, owner of Burleson's ladies' ready-to-wear store, left Medford Saturday on a 10-day business trip to visit the New York markets.

V. F. W. Meet—Veterans of Foreign Wars of district No. 11 will meet in the Ashland V.F.W. hall on Monday at 8 p. m. Commander O. J. Moran of district No. 11 stated that the department officers are to be present at the meeting.

Vets Picnic—United Spanish American War Veterans are holding a picnic in the Ashland park today. All members and families are welcome. Come and bring your lunch and mess kit. Lunch will be at 12:30 and coffee and ice cream will be furnished.

Baby Born—Born to Capt. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall on July 18 was a baby girl weighing six pounds and six ounces. The baby was named Melinda Jean. Mrs. Hall is the former Jean Pruitt of Medford. She will be home from the Camp White Station hospital tomorrow.

Promoted—Clyde A. Gueches of the Aviation Engineers Regiment now somewhere in New Guinea has been promoted to sergeant, according to word received here by relatives. He has been in the army since July of 1943. His wife lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Collier on Griffin Creek.

Promoted—Word has been received that Arthur Johnson has been promoted from a seaman 1/C to the rank of carpenter's mate 3/C. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Johnson of Rt. 2, Medford. Johnson has been in the South Pacific since July 1943. He received his boot training at the Naval Training Station in Farragut, Idaho.

On Furlough—Pfc. Hugh Power is home on furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. E. P. Power of 101 Portland Ave. He is in the army air corps in the Floating Repair Depot branch. He has been stationed at Kelly field but is to report to Mobile, Ala., upon expiration of his furlough. Hugh is a graduate of Medford High and was employed by the Mail Tribune before entering the service.

On Leave—Marine Pfc. Millie McCord and her brother, William A. McCord, S 2-c of the navy spent leave together recently with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCord of Rt. 1, Box 160, Pfc. McCord was home from her station in San Francisco where she is attached to the Marine Corps Depot of Supplies. William has just finished his boot training at Farragut, Ida.

Visiting Here—Arriving in Medford this morning to spend the day visiting local friends and relatives will be Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Shoemaker of Roseburg and their daughter Cpl. D'Ann Shoemaker, stationed as a member of the Women's Reserve of the Marine Corps at Santa Barbara, Cal. They will be at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Shoemaker's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, 1006 E. Jackson boulevard.

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LOCAL and PERSONAL

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In Hospital—Dave Griffiths of 218 West Jackson Blvd., is in the Veterans' hospital in Portland for treatment. He is reported to be seriously ill. He is a janitor at the Medford public schools. Mrs. Griffiths left for Portland yesterday to be with him.

Orr On Leave—Eugene Orr, storekeeper 2/C of the Seabees, is home on leave from his base in Rhode Island, visiting with his wife and children. Mrs. Orr has been back in Oklahoma visiting with her husband and returned before Orr was given leave. Seabee Orr will return to his station next Thursday.

Runaways Held—Clifford L. McCarty, 14, of Stayton, Ore., and Raymond H. Long, 15, of Vancouver, Wash., who ran away from their homes, were picked up in Ashland by Ashland city police Friday and were being held in the county jail Saturday awaiting the arrival today of McCarty's mother to return them to their homes.

Friends Meet—Capt. Robert C. Minear and Sgt. Clyde A. Gueches, life long friends having been raised on Griffin Creek together, met recently on a transport ship while being transferred to another camp in the South Pacific. They both write that it was "really great to see someone from the home town."

They had a long visit and exchanged news from home. Capt. M. Minear of Rt. 1 and Sgt. Gueches' mother is Mrs. Jessie Gueches of Griffin Creek.

On Furlough—Pfc. Carl Herford is in the valley on furlough visiting with his sisters, Mrs. Pearl Verchoor of Griffin Creek and Mrs. Ethel Zimpky of Talent. He is here with his father, Jack Herford, who now lives in Camas, Wash. Pfc. Herford has been overseas and has seen action in Africa, Sicily and was on the first wave of invasion troops to land on Italy. He was seriously wounded in February and was awarded the Purple Heart medal. He is to report back to the army hospital at Walla, Walla, Wash., on August 5.

To Meet—All operators of the war emergency radio class are asked to meet at Copco building at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Traffic Check—State police held a traffic check on the Crater Lake highway Friday night and gave citations to 12 motorists, nine for having no operator's license, one for having no PUC permit on a truck, one for driving an overloaded truck and one for having no motor vehicle license. Passenger cars checked numbered 289, trucks 42.

Minor Accidents—Cars driven by Roy Clark of Phoenix and Harry C. Skyrman of Medford were involved in a minor mishap at Sixth street and Central avenue Friday afternoon, according to a report on file Saturday. Mrs. G. E. Bucklin of Portland and Edith Arnold of 912 West 12th street drove cars involved in a slight accident on West Sixth near Fir street Friday afternoon, a report on file said Saturday.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon—Please remember.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

Crude petroleum production in Peru in 1943 amounted to 14,653,728 barrels an increase of 1,025,170 barrels over the preceding year, it has been revealed. Oil companies are investigating one area that is reportedly one of the largest potential sources in the western hemisphere.

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Pd. Adv. by J. A. Elmhirst

MONEY

What Is a \$1 Bill?

A \$1.00 Bill is a certificate issued under the direction of Congress. The possessor of this Certificate (meal ticket) can exchange it for goods and services.

What Fixes The Value of a \$1.00 bill?

Wage rates and rates of profit.

How Can the Value of a \$1 Bill Be Stabilized?

First by the Govt. fixing the minimum wage for common labor at \$1.00 per hour. Second by wage earners themselves choosing a labor congress to organize labor courts to establish, rectify and bring to rest wage rates so that wages in one industry will not be out of line with the basic wage of \$1.00 per hour established for common labor or out of line with wage rates established for other classes of labor. Collective Determination of Wage Rates must take the place of Collective Bargaining.

How Can the State (Government) Profit by Unemployment?

If there are unemployed workers and unused capital equipment it is an indication that our 32 million family units have too few \$1.00 bills (meal tickets) to spend for goods and services and the Government can profit by the circumstance by putting enough unemployed workers to work in public works so as to build up family unit purchasing power to the level where it will induce and balance capacity production of consumer goods and services.

What If Family Unit Purchasing Power Exceeds Capacity Production of Goods and Services With All Workers Employed Full Time in the Production of Wealth?

A withholding tax then would have to be levied on wage income, or a sales tax placed on consumer goods and services sufficient to withdraw enough purchasing power so as to restore the balance between purchasing power and capacity production.

For Econocracy's interpretation of the Quantity Theory of Money get a copy of my Pamphlet—Eonocracy—Peace Time Jobs—by J. C. Barnes. You can get a free copy by calling at my Real Estate Office, 31 S. Front St., or write or phone J. C. Barnes Office Phone 9172—Home Phone 4928.

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