SUEZ BLOCKED BY WARSHIPS; AFRICA RAIDED

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stroyed by the British over France. Besides the heavy bomber missing in the foray over Italy one British fighting plane has not returned, the air ministry reported.

CAIRO, June 12 (AP)—Royal air force bombers of the middle east command again raided Libya today, directing their principal attack on the naval air base at Tobruk.

The attack on the base, which was also raided yesterday, was described as "successful." Tobruk is on the Mediterranean coast of Libya, about 100 miles west of the Egyptian border.

Wave after wave of Blenheims, the British announcement said, swept over the Italian harbor.

PRETORIA, South Africa, June 12 (AP)—The first South African war communique said today:

"South African air force heavy bombers yesterday attacked military objectives in Abyssinia (Ethiopia).

"Extensive damage to buildings, personnel, roads and equipment was done."

Abyssinia is the Italian-held African kingdom of the former Emperor Haile Selassie, conquered by the Italians in 1936.

LONDON, June 12 (AP)—The Laborite Daily Herald declared today that 200,000 Ethiopian troops, wearing the uniform of former Emperor Haile Selassie, are battling the Italians in fascist-occupied Ethiopia.

ROME, June 12 (AP)—Enemy action against points in northern Italy along the Ligurian coast were authoritatively reported today.

The Ligurian coast is that between Leghorn and the French-Italian frontier. Genoa lies on it and the important cities of Turin and Milan are just north of it.

(The reports did not indicate whether the action consisted of air or naval attacks or give details).

With British planes operating against Libya from Egypt, an authoritative source said future relations between Italy and Egypt depended on developments in military action.

Italy received the first news of the operation of her armed forces today when the high command announced that Italian planes had attacked the British naval base at Malta "with apparent results."

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LEGION SCHEDULES FAREWELL PARTY TONIGHT FOR COOK

A farewell party for Police Judge and Mrs. Carl Cook will be held by the Klamath American Legion post and auxiliary at the Legion hall tonight (Wednesday).

Members of the two organizations and the drum corps were urged to be present.

Judge and Mrs. Cook are leaving in a few days for Dunsmuir, where he has accepted a position with the Shasta national forest. He is a former commander of the American Legion post.

U. S. ORDERS WORK BEGUN ON WARSHIPS

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navy in about five years. Two others of these, the seventh and eighth, also are of 45,000 tons. The first of the 10 ships, the USS Washington, was launched June 1 at Philadelphia. The second will be launched tomorrow at New York.

The speed with which the navy acted found its army counterpart in measures which were said to be designed both to strengthen defenses and furnish substantial assistance to the British and French allies.

Trade-in Plan

A group of 93 airplanes and millions of dollars worth of munitions were being made available to the allies by the army under the government's "trade-in" plan of aid.

The 93 war planes, Northrop attack ships, were being concentrated at Houlton, Me., on the Canadian border. The Douglas Aircraft corporation of Burbank, Calif., successor to the Northrup company, was reported to have agreed to accept them in payment of new planes to be delivered later to the army.

The concentration at Houlton was said to have been decided upon as the most direct way of getting the ships, which are 6 or 7 years old, to the allies.

SOUTHARD HEADS MINISTER GROUP

Rev. Roy E. Southard, pastor of the Klamath temple, was elected president of the Klamath County Ministerial association at a business meeting held Tuesday at the annual picnic sponsored by the organization at Lake o' the Woods.

Serving with Rev. Southard during the coming year will be Adjutant Norman Bowyer, head of the Salvation Army, elected vice president, and Rev. Arthur Charles Bates, pastor of the First Christian church secretary.

Ministers and their families enjoyed a pleasant day at the resort with picnic lunch served at noon.

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LAMM DISPUTE TO BE TALKED HERE THURSDAY

Representatives of the strike-bound Lamm Lumber company's logging camp at Yamsey and company officials will meet in Klamath Falls Thursday evening in an effort to reach a settlement in the 13-day labor dispute.

L. H. Fenton, international board member for the IWA, is expected to return from a business trip to California in time to attend the meeting. The union's negotiating committee, which attempted to arrange a meeting last week with company officials, is expected to state its position and demands.

W. E. Lamm, president of the lumber company, and John B. Ebinger, the company's attorney, will represent the lumber concern. The meeting has been called at Ebinger's office in Klamath Falls Thursday evening at 7:30.

A spokesman for the company said Wednesday that the company is ready to operate the camp. The company will do everything in its power, the spokesman said, to work out a settlement in the dispute and get the laborers back to work. If a settlement cannot be consummated at Thursday night's meeting, the spokesman added, the company desires the camp employes to be put back to work anyway and negotiations then resumed.

It is expected that the matter of transporting logs over the Lamm railroad for the Pelican Bay Lumber company will also be settled at the meeting.

Conditions, meanwhile, remained the same at both the camp at Yamsey and the Pelican Bay operations.

BALKANS KEEPING EYES ON TURKEY

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yesterday stepped up its military preparations yesterday by ordering the class of 1934 to report for "periodical training."

ANKARA, June 12 (AP)—The Turkish government has decided to take no immediate action as a result of Italy's entry into the war but to concentrate on preparations for defense of the country, informed sources said tonight.

The informants emphasized, however, that the Turkish government's attitude did not mean that Turkey was retreating from her engagements with Britain and France but was merely awaiting developments.

Turkey has mutual assistance pacts with the western European allies.

BUCHAREST, June 12 (AP)—All Rumanian maritime traffic in the Black sea and the Mediterranean has been suspended by government order. Ships were barred from leaving ports and any away at the time were ordered to return immediately.

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Britain, Japs Near Accord In Tientsin

LONDON, June 12 (AP)—Official British circles today said an agreement had been reached between Britain and Japan on the "outstanding points relating to local issues at Tientsin, China."

The detailed arrangements, officials said, might be available for publication within a few days.

By The Associated Press

Japan today concluded a friendship treaty with Thailand (Siam) to demonstrate her "peaceable intentions in the south Pacific," and has struck a bargain with the British over the long-standing Tientsin dispute.

But she looked askance upon reports that the United States might be interested in a general rapprochement.

The Toyko foreign office spokesman said that talk of a Japanese-American rapprochement had been reported by the Washington embassy but without details.

CHILD CRITICALLY INJURED BY AUTO

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across the street behind a signboard, and Darlene Price and "Bud" Fitzgerald, 10, brother of Barbara, ran across the street to get one or two of the kittens, warning the little girl and her four-year-old brother to remain on the sidewalk. The two apparently ran after them and Pheneger's car approached at that time en route on Riverside toward Klamath Falls.

Pheneger told officers he had left Bray in the morning planning to come to town with his wife who is totally blind. As he approached that section on Riverside street where the accident occurred, Pheneger said he noticed a little boy and girl crossing the street and he slowed down as he started to pass them thinking they were going to stop and let him by. The boy, he told police, ran around the back of the car and the little girl, Barbara, jumped in front of the machine striking the left front headlight with her head and the left front part of the bumper with her chest. He stopped immediately and took the child in his arms to the lawn at 444 Riverside. Wiley appeared at that time and a neighbor, Mrs. Francis R. Olds, placed a call advising authorities that Mrs. Price and Wiley were en route to the hospital with the girl.

BUSINESS BAD

VANCOUVER, Wash., June 12 (AP)—Vancouver's marriage business dropped $7000 during the first full year of the Washington three-day marriage law

CONTRIBUTORS TO RED CROSS RELIEF LISTED

The following names of contributors to the Red Cross War Relief fund were listed by the local chapter Wednesday:

O. Mikkelson $1, Mrs. Robert Tower 50c, Charles Ager $2, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Turnbull $3, E. D. Hamacker $5, Nellie Benson 50c, O. D. Matthews $2, Fred Coffman $1, G. W. Corneil $1, Nell Sha $2, H. J. Savidge $1.

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W. H. Hubbard $1, W. C. Strong $5, Charles W. Thomas $5, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Urmson $5, C. G. Ollman $1, W. A. Ferguson $1, H. S. Marvin $1, J. C. Kappes $1, M. M. Sullivan $1, R. C. Verbeck 50c, J. R. McFarland $1, L. D. Mathews $1, L. A. Brannan $2, J. Hakkenup 45c, E. Holman 50c, J. D. Tiffee $1, B. J. Sitterding 50c, M. G. Martin $1, G. A. Wright $1, G. McCabe $1, C. E. Cummings 50c, L. E. Reeves $1, A. G. Meisner $1, L. A. Peterson $1, R. A. Nelson $1, R. T. Warren 50c, J. T. Runyan $1.

Home Ec club of Lost River grange $1, Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall $1, Donation in memory of Henry C. Davis $6.

Due to a stenographical error, the Klamath Machine and Locomotive Works was given credit for $25. This should have read Klamath Machine and Locomotive Works, $35.

LARGE AUDIENCE SEES FLAG RITES

A large audience witnessed Tuesday evening's flag day exercises conducted by the Klamath Falls Elks lodge, No. 1247.

The exercises were held on the courthouse lawn in front of the Legion hall.

Exalted Ruler Charles Priaulx Van Doren led the officers of the lodge in the traditional flag-day ritual. Departing from custom, the Elks conducted the services without a flag day address.

Hundreds stood on the courthouse grounds or witnessed the exercises from parked automobiles.

Picnic Scheduled—The Rose club and Mrs. Theodore Smith's Bible class will hold a picnic at 1 p. m. Thursday at Moore park. This will be a potluck affair. Those attending are asked to bring their own service.

FUNERAL

VACLAV JAMES SPOLEK

Funeral services for the late Vaclav James Spolek who passed away in this city Monday, June 10, 1940, following an illness of six months, will be held in the Community Presbyterian church at Malin, Ore., on Thursday, June 13, 1940, at 2 p. m. with the Rev. Donald Dodds of that city officiating. Commitment services and interment family plot in Malin cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home of this city. Friends are invited.

SURVEY OVER CASCADE LAKE HIGHWAY SET

A survey of the Crescent Lake section of the Cascade Lakes highway will be undertaken within six weeks, Klamath Falls chamber of commerce men reported Wednesday on their return from the Crescent Lake area where they conferred with both state and federal highway officials about the road.

There has been considerable agitation in this county for work on the section of the Cascade Lakes highway which will connect the town of Crescent Lake with the new Willamette highway. State Highway Engineer R. H. Baldock and Engineer H. D. Farmer of the federal public roads administration are expected to make a personal inspection looking toward location of the connection.

County Engineer Frank Howard, who attended the conference, said that once the survey is made the matter of taking over maintenance of the present cut-off from the county line will be considered.

RENO LICENSES

RENO, Nev., June 12 (AP)—Marriage licenses issued here today included:

Francis M. Bennett, 22, and Evaro Bell, 18, both Klamath Falls, Ore.; William Wilson, 27, and Ida Louise Denison, 18, both Klamath Falls, Ore.

LLOYD PORTER ON LIBRARY BOARD

Lloyd Porter is the new member of the Klamath county library board.

He was appointed by the county court, on recommendation of the members of the board, County Judge U. E. Reeder stated Wednesday.

Porter succeeds R. C. Groesbeck, who resigned when he accepted appointment on the state board of higher education.

20,000 FRENCH TROOPS TAKEN IN PORT CITY

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teau Thierry and Meaux along the Marne.

Defenses Hold

"Nowhere have the French defenses been pierced," said a Paris spokesman, who cited terrific German assaults all along the western front from the lower (west) Seine to the Argonne forest.

The Germans reported advances from 50 to 70 miles toward Paris "on many fronts" in the past six days of the titanic struggle.

"Our offensive," it was said, "is going ahead of schedule."

A report from the nazi front said quick-firing German anti-aircraft guns, leveled off with an effective horizontal range of eight miles, had destroyed 200 allied tanks.

Prime Minister Churchill conferred with Premier Reynaud and Generalissimo Weygand somewhere in France yesterday and reached "complete agreement" on steps vital to meet the German onslaught.

The French command acknowledged that its soldiers northeast of Paris had withdrawn to the south bank of the Marne, the sector where the armies of imperial Germany twice met defeat in the World war.

Germans said there would be no "Miracle of the Marne" this time.

A ray of hope for the allies was the announcement in New York that $37,600,000 worth of old United States ordnance, ammunition and equipment would be available for sale by a deal between the U. S. war department and the U. S. Steel Export company.

President Roosevelt placed the Mediterranean sea in the combat zone, closing it to American ships.

BIBLE SCHOOL WILL CLOSE HERE FRIDAY

The Daily Vacation Bible school conducted by the Klamath Falls Ministerial association will close Friday after a two-week session.

The program and demonstration exercises will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The program for the school in the east part of town will be held in the First Nazarene church. The downtown program will be held in the First Presbyterian church.

It is hoped that the parents of the children will avail themselves of the opportunity of attending the closing program and see what has been done by their children in the school.

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