

# NIGHT SLASHES USED TO COVER ARMY RETREAT

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up to them, reinforcing units which took the first shock of the offensive now in its second week.

BERLIN, Oct. 10 (AP)—The sweep of mightily armed German forces through a 310-mile-wide gap in Russia's central front lines was compared by the authoritative Dienst Aus Deutschland today with a torrent of water pouring through a break in a once-powerful dam.

The news commentary used the simile in asserting that the break-through announced by the high command had opened the way for "the masses of German divisions to pour into the spaces conquered by armored formations."

Besides breaking the Russian lines, the communists said, the Germans yesterday tightened the rings around red armies at the sea of Azov, Bryansk and Vyazma.

Authorized sources reported "forward progress along the entire front" and said one "kettle" after another was being wiped out, meaning that mopping up of encircled Russian forces already has begun.

They even hinted that vanguards of German units south of Moscow already were east of the longitude of the Russian capital with the intention of surrounding it as Warsaw was surrounded in the Polish campaign in 1939.

(The capture of Orel, 220 miles south of Moscow, put the German spearheads in that position.)

# Chinese Announce Yangtze River Port Taken From Japs

CHUNGKING, Saturday, Oct. 11 (AP)—Chinese military headquarters announced tonight that the Chinese armies driving eastward along the Yangtze river had captured Ichang, important port which has been the westernmost outpost of Japan's invasion.

The announcement, shortly after midnight, led to a wild celebration in this wartime capital, with thousands of firecrackers shattering the night calm. Newsboys ran through the streets with extras.

# Navy Day to Be Total Defense Day

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10 (AP)—President Roosevelt announced today that observance of Navy day on October 27 would be broadened so that it would be a day to observe total defense also and that he would make a radio address on the occasion.

He told his press conference he expected to make the speech at a Navy league dinner here.

# POTATOES

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: 5 California, 1 Oregon, 8 Idaho arrived, 16 unbroken, 10 broken cars on track; by truck 24 arrived; no Klamath quotations.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 10 (AP-USA)—Potatoes, arrivals: 64; on track 332; total US shipments 470; demand slow; Idaho Russets slightly weaker; best quality stock other sections about steady; Idaho Russet Burbanks, US No. 1, \$1.75-85.

# Helen Morgan Dies Virtually Penniless Despite Big Salary

CHICAGO, Oct. 10 (AP)—Helen Morgan, who once earned \$3500 a week singing simple songs in night clubs, died virtually penniless, it was disclosed today.

When the 41-year-old former Ziegfeld star succumbed to a liver ailment in Henrotin hospital Wednesday night she had virtually nothing left from her one time huge earnings, her widower, Lloyd Johnson, said.

A spokesman for Theatre Authority, a clearing house for various theatrical guilds, said that a portion of the hospital expenses was borne by the guilds. An offer to pay the expenses of her burial tomorrow was rejected, however, he said.

Johnson said that the guild's contribution was not "charity" but a gesture of appreciation for the help Miss Morgan gave the needy theatrical folk during her years as an entertainer.

In her 16 years as a top-flight entertainer—a long career in an era when amusement styles and personalities changed with the seasons—Miss Morgan was estimated to have earned more than a million dollars.

# Rehabilitation of Rejected Draftees Asked by President

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10 (AP)—A program with an immediate objective of rehabilitation of some 2,000,000 men rejected in the draft because of physical or mental deficiencies was announced today by President Roosevelt.

He told a press conference a question of building a stronger race of Americans in the days to come was involved.

The chief executive cited figures showing that 1,000,000 men had been rejected when examined for induction into the army under the selective service act. Of these, he said 100,000 were turned down because they lacked the requirement of a fourth grade education.

The remaining 900,000 were rejected for various physical or mental defects, with dental ailments topping the list with 188,000 cases or 20.9 per cent of the total.

Of the 900,000, Mr. Roosevelt said, "about 200,000 can be completely rehabilitated and made available for general service in our armed forces."

In Seattle—Mike Pavolka, chief AFL organizer in the Klamath basin for the Lumber and Sawmill Workers union, is in Seattle attending the international AFL convention.

# FOES PLAN TO FIGHT ARMING OF U. S. SHIPS

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tie danger zones can be armed just as soon as congress gives the word, administration leaders disclosed today, because the navy has sufficiently overcome the serious shortage of proper weapons which existed earlier this year.

There will be enough guns for the ships in the Atlantic as soon as the necessary revision of the neutrality act is accomplished," an informed administration source said.

Although the navy is known to have a great many guns in reserve which were adequate to protect ships against submarines, there was a shortage of anti-aircraft weapons.

Last April 5, however, congress made \$75,888,820 available to correct that situation and shortly thereafter the navy began getting deliveries of those guns in substantial numbers.

The April estimate placed expected production at about 100 a month. The money provided was for the purchase of 1445 guns and 1344 mounts.

# 74th Execution Reported by Nazis; 25 Sentenced

PARIS, German-Occupied France, Oct. 10 (AP)—German authorities announced today that the 74th person had been shot as reprisal for attacks against the German occupying forces.

The announcement said Gaston Pinot, of Courmelles, in Aisne department, was shot today. He was condemned to death last Tuesday for illegal possession of firearms.

It was said also that 15 military communists had been interned at Amiens on orders of the prefect of Somme department. This raised to 45 the number of communists sent to concentration camps in that department in the last several days.

BERLIN, Oct. 10 (AP)—A DNB dispatch from Prague said that 25 persons, including a departmental chief in the Bohemia-Moravia agricultural ministry, were sentenced to death today by court martials at Prague and Bruen on charges of economic sabotage and illegal possession of weapons.

# Pilot Killed in Army Air Crash

HAMILTON FIELD, Calif., Oct. 10 (AP)—An army P-40 pursuit plane returning from night maneuvers crashed into the ocean 1000 feet offshore last night, killing the pilot, Lt. Donald R. Stoebe, 23, of Cucamonga, Calif., the army reported today.

The crash occurred about 9:30 p. m., off Tennessee cove, several miles north of the Golden Gate. There was no immediate explanation as to the cause.

Coast guardsmen sought unsuccessfully for the body, or wreckage of the plane.

Within another year garages made of canvas may be on the market. They will cost much less than wooden garages and may be assembled completely within a few hours.

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# Editorials on News

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and intends to reduce civilian consumption.

HAM, bacon and eggs appear on the menu cards in Quebec and Montreal, along with a statement urging customers not to order them, thus conserving the supply for export to Britain.

Aside from gasoline, this request for voluntary cooperation is the only evidence of rationing apparent in Canada to the casual visitor.

MEN in uniform are somewhat more numerous in Quebec and Montreal and Toronto than in the cities on the American side—especially men in the distinctive blue-grey uniform of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Outfits from New Zealand, Australia and elsewhere in the British empire are seen frequently. This is to be expected, for Canada is the training ground for British flyers.

Otherwise, evidences of military activity are not much more apparent to the casual traveler in Canada than in the United States.

There are plenty of men in uniform on the American side. And training camps are numerous and widely scattered.

KING'S Highway No. 2, Canada's most important east and west road, follows the St. Lawrence river from Quebec to Montreal and thence on to where the St. Lawrence issues from Lake Ontario through the Thousand Islands.

It is a rich valley, old and closely settled. As in New England, the villages meet at their edges. For hundreds of miles it is practically one continuous village.

This conveys the misleading idea that Eastern Canada has a congested population—misleading because the St. Lawrence valley is a mere thread as compared with the vast expanses that lie to the northward in Quebec and Ontario.

Throughout the valley the village system prevails—that is, the farmers live in villages along the highway and go out from there to work their lands.

DAIRYING is the leading industry of the valley, and Holsteins the leading breed of dairy cows. In fact, practically no other breed is seen at all.

An occasional Jersey, but none of the meat breeds.

The St. Lawrence, incidentally, is amazingly beautiful, especially in its upper reaches, where it is full of islands. It is a mighty river, the largest ocean vessels coming to Montreal, 1000 miles in the interior.

# Gambling Barge To Become Sailboat

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 10 (AP)—Masts for sailing ships, almost relics, are being made here for the ex-gambling barge Rex which is to become the six-masted sailing vessel Star of Scotland. The Rex is being converted at Los Angeles.

Perry Wallace, superintendent of the Portland Spar company mill where the masts are being turned, said each would be 150 feet long and 30 inches through at the butt.

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# FREE EXPRESSION TOPIC AT ROTARY

Freedom of the press and speech are as American as the constitution that guarantees them, Malcolm Epley, managing editor of The News and Herald, said in a talk to the Rotary club Friday on "National Newspaper Week."

In a democracy, he pointed out, the people must make the decisions. If a democracy is to survive, the people must make intelligent decisions.

"The only way that can be done," he said, "is for the channels of information to be kept clear and pure." A desire to curb freedom of expression, in this country or elsewhere, always springs from those who want more power than they ought to have, he stated.

Lee Jacobs introduced the speaker.

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# Relations With Panama Remain Same, Says F. R.

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"a threat' for the future," Arias said.

"My government wished to grant lands (to the United States) for air bases and other defense works but it wished full compensation for private lands," he went on. "Otherwise the much discussed solidarity couldn't be understood."

"The coup convinced me I was wrong. Believe me when I say I sincerely regret it for Panamanians and for those, our good neighbors, of the north."

He acknowledged the Panama's refusal to permit the arming of United States ships of Panama registry had been "badly received" in the United States.

# Blue and Silver Lounge to Open

Hickman's new Blue and Silver Lounge is slated for opening Saturday, according to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hickman, who will operate the lounge which is located at the rear of their restaurant at 535 Main. The lounge is beautifully decorated with soft blue globe lights, carpeted floor and chrome and leather furniture.

The bar is done in contrasting light and dark woods and the back-bar is especially outstanding. Hickman's license allows them to mix drinks, as well as serve wines and beers. The entrance to the lounge is through the restaurant.

# Hatcher Sentenced, Paroled 3 Years

Jerry Hatcher, charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, was given a three-year sentence and paroled by Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg Friday.

Hatcher pleaded guilty to a charge brought against him in connection with a case at Bly, involving a 15-year-old girl.

# Redmond Students To Harvest Spuds

REDMOND, Oct. 10 (AP)—Redmond Union high school will close next week to enable students to help with the central Oregon potato harvest, Principal Edgar R. Means said today.

More than 200 of the school's 300 students already have registered for work on potato farms.

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# YOUTH KILLED IN CRASH NEAR DORRIS

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Tulelake where Cotter's mother is working on a potato ranch.

Albert told Klamath state police he drove into a cloud of dust at a high rate of speed and lost control of the car. Cotter was pinned under the machine and extricated by Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Henry, 2504 Reclamation street, Klamath Falls, who were en route to Alturas where Henry is employed on the Southern Pacific. Mrs. Henry, registered nurse, accompanied Ward's ambulance back to Klamath Falls. Albert suffered shock and bruises.

The condition of two persons injured at 9 o'clock Thursday morning when their car struck a soft shoulder five miles north of Merrill, remained grave. Hillside hospital authorities stated. Neither had regained consciousness and both suffered head injuries. Dorothy Jean Anderson, 23, and Edward Cyrie Lilliot, 25, were the victims of the crash in which Lilliot, driver, lost control of the car as it entered an "S" curve.

# Bishop Warns Against Helping Russians Win

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zeal to overcome one enemy of freedom, we raise on high as the winner the steeled and triumphant arm of conquering communism."

The bishop said he spoke with specific reference to "what I understand to be a fact that this convention is going on record as favoring all-out aid to Russia."

The reference was to general prediction of action on a recommendation of the AFL executive council. The council's annual report proposed that, although Russia's communist regime is inimical to the interest of democracy and "without the slightest pretense that the United States and soviet Russia are friends or can be friends," practical military self-interest dictates aid to the enemy of nazi Germany.

Far more dangerous than the fifth columnist threat, Bishop Shaughnessy declared, "is the communistic propaganda army which I shall christen the sixth column"—a "Frankenstein monster... which bids fair to finish the destruction of pitiful Russia."

Eagles Auxiliary—The Eagles Auxiliary and Drum Corps will sponsor an old-time dance Saturday night in the KC hall. Estin Kiger's orchestra will play. The public is invited.

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