

NAZIS EATING OWN WORDS IN SOVIET BATTLE

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Wide World Service

A swift trip backwards through the Russian campaign uncovers a surprising number of official German words which are now being gulped down by the fuhrer's high command.

To take only the sectors most prominent in the news today, here are a few:

Leningrad, Sept. 9, 1941: "It is surrounded, isolated from the rest of Russia, is being attacked by every military means at Germany's command and should be taken within a reasonable space of time."

Bryansk-Vyazma, Oct. 9, 1941: "Here the last fully able Russian armies of the entire soviet front, without any leadership, are facing annihilation..."

Sevastopol, Nov. 16, 1941: "The fall of this Crimean naval base is just a question of time."

Today, however, the siege of Leningrad is practically lifted; those "annihilated" red armies of Bryansk and Vyazma have risen from the snows and actually are a deadly menace to the Germans on that very line where they were supposed to have been utterly destroyed; the nazi besiegers of Sevastopol in the western Crimea are on the defensive, threatened not only by the garrison of the naval base but also on their flank by a powerful assault from the Russian forces which have stormed and recaptured the eastern Crimea from the sea.

It is on the central front—no longer, in fact, the "Moscow ing," that the most astonishing German reverses have taken place. The German line, which less than two months ago resembled a clamp fastened loosely about Moscow, has been turned out. It now takes the shape of a spraddled hairpin, the loop around the town of Mozhaisk, the legs spreading northwest and southwest.

The legs of the hairpin are being bent toward each other by the Russian armies above and below Mozhaisk, and in both areas the Russians have over-run the prepared "winter defenses" where the nazis intended to dig in until spring. Only in the Mozhaisk salient—battered head of the hairpin—do the Germans cling to these winter fortifications, under the point-blank fire of Russian cannon.

Therefore Dr. Otto Dietrich is fully justified in declaring today that German's military operations "have entered an extremely serious and indeed critical phase."

It is fitting that it should be Dr. Dietrich, Adolf Hitler's personal press chief, who makes this admission. You have met Dr. Dietrich before in this column. It was he whom I quoted in paragraph four—in re Bryansk-Vyazma.

Merrill Police Chief at Meeting

MERRILL — Ed Davis, Merrill chief of police, returned Saturday from Medford where he attended a six day civilian defense school. Those attending were instructed in the use of bombs and other chemical war aids, the prevention of sabotage and other details vital to civilian protection. Klamath Falls officers were also present for the instructions.

VITAL STATISTICS GREENSBORO, N. C. (AP) — Greensboro's veteran dog catcher, John T. Cox, rounded up 1464 stray pooches in 1940. He has just compiled his report for 1941. The number of canines captured in the year just gone was—1464.

CITY BRIEFS

Expected Home—Friends of Mrs. Paul W. Foster, (Pearl Biehn), are interested to learn she may return home to Klamath Falls at any time. Mrs. Foster has been in Anchorage, Alaska, with her husband for the past several months but all women and children are being evacuated from that area, it was learned here.

Altamont PTA — Elenora Weatherford of the Oregon Board for Mobilization of Women will speak at the Altamont elementary PTA meeting Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. in the school gym. Roland Wright will speak on "The Need of Spiritual Relief." Refreshments will be served and the meeting is open to the public.

Masonic Meeting — Stated meeting of No. 77, AF and AM will be held at 8 p. m. Monday, January 12, W. G. Shellenbarger, grand master of the Oregon lodge in 1917, and Bart G. Brachi, most excellent high priest of RAM, will be present.

Returns Home—Rino Zonatto of Algoma, young son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Zonatto, was able to be moved from Klamath Valley hospital to his home late Saturday afternoon. Rino suffered serious head injuries a week ago when he coasted into the path of a moving car.

Has Operation—Frank Oscarson, an employe of the Ewauna Box company, was moved from his home, 1821 Dayton street, to Klamath Valley hospital where he submitted to major surgery Monday morning.

Improving—Friends of Frank Kelley, 920 Lincoln street, will be interested to learn he is showing improvement at Klamath Valley hospital where he has been critically ill with pneumonia. He is a Great Northern employe.

Goes North—Kenneth Valentine who became seriously ill with pneumonia while performing at Cal-Ore tavern recently, left this weekend for his home in British Columbia according to Klamath Valley hospital attendants.

Returns Home—Mrs. M. Donald Druliner of 1020 Jefferson street, returned to her home Sunday with her infant daughter. They have been patients at Klamath Valley hospital.

Home Sunday—E. E. Bingman, 1919 Derby street, returned to his home Sunday after receiving medical treatment at Klamath Valley hospital.

Skating — Jimmy Coonan and Bob Morrison spent the weekend near Lakeview skating at Warner canyon, winter sports development of the Fremont Highlanders.

From Salem — David Totton of Salem spent the weekend here with his family, returning Sunday afternoon to the north. He reported the storm in the Salem and Portland area as making driving difficult.

Pythian Sisters — Winema club, Pythian Sisters, will meet at the home of Mrs. J. F. Stafford, 1985 Manzanita street, Friday at 8 p. m. for a potluck dinner.

To Hospital — James Olsen has returned to Hillside hospital for further treatment. He was home in Midland for only a short time.

Atkins Ill—James Atkins of Midland is ill at his home where he has been confined for the past week.

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Country Cousins Harder to Fool Than City Slickers

BOSTON, Jan. 12 (AP) — The "city slicker" was described Saturday as more susceptible than his country cousin to rumors spread by enemy agents.

"In smaller communities people know each other and make allowances for the source of unconfirmed tales," said Dr. Floyd L. Ruch, of New York, research director of the committee for national morale.

"In the larger cities, however, the resident has many acquaintances and fewer friends." Consequently, he declared in an address prepared for the New England Sales Management conference, "the average New Yorker is more gullible than the rank and file of Bostonians and are bigger suckers for Goebbels' brain storms than are the inhabitants of Dover, N. J."

Ruch said a survey by his committee showed that women were not more susceptible to rumors than were men. "This fact is especially interesting because the master minds of axis propaganda regard the fairer sex as especially vulnerable to their bag of tricks," he added.

The committee's research, he said, disclosed that "nazi propagandists read the published opinion polls in the United States for guidance in composing their propaganda line."

Seeking to make "mountains out of molehills" in any sore spots or strains in American society, the propagandists look for

"signs of friction, such as labor trouble, racial discrimination, political skulduggery and the like," Ruch declared. He added: "These findings are reported to Berlin, where the nazi experts compose the propaganda line and implement it with 'gags' in the form of rumors. "This material is then broadcast to the United States by short wave radio."

AIR RAID SAFETY IN SCHOOLS EYED

Tentative plans were outlined for protection of county school children in the event of air raids, at a meeting Saturday between Fred Peterson, county school superintendent, J. Percy Wells, Arnold Gralapp and Earl Reynolds, county defense coordinator.

Air raid shelter areas are being designated in all schools, and parents will be notified not to attempt to call for their children in case of a raid.

Peterson pointed out that these plans may be altered at a later date, should any change in the civilian defense set-up require it.

SOCE President's Secretary to Come To Klamath Falls

SOUTHERN OREGON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, Ashland, Jan. 12 — Mrs. J. C. Hamaker, who for the past two and one half years has been secretary to President Walter Redford, has resigned to take a position in the Klamath county assessor's office.

Mrs. Hamaker has been employed at the Southern Oregon College of Education for a period of six years. She was employed in the college business office prior to receiving the appointment as secretary to the president.

Jane Harriet Carlton of Ashland has been recommended to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Hamaker's resignation, according to Dr. Redford. Miss Carlton is a graduate of the Ashland high school and attended Oregon State college.

For several years she has been employed by the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in Ashland, Medford and Corvallis. For the past five years she has been employed by the California, Oregon Power company in Medford. Miss Carlton will assume her new duties on February 1.

AIR CORPS RULES TO BE CUT DOWN

The "Keep 'Em Flying" committee of the Elks lodge has received a communication from the office of the adjutant general of the war department in regards to enlisting of flying cadets, according to announcement Monday. At the present time some restrictions as to qualifications necessary to pass the written examination are to be removed. This does not mean that men who have not completed high school, are eligible at the present, but the committee will be notified as fast as changes are made, according to Angus Newton, chairman.

At the present time married men within the ages of 20 to 26, inclusive, are being enlisted if they can show they have no dependents. Those who have the necessary college education can apply and be examined and sent immediately to a training center.

Any young man who has completed high school and interested in information on the flying cadets, may get in touch with the secretary of the Elks lodge and advice on the refresher course now in session at Klamath Union high school will be given. For information call 8181.

Men who have completed high school can take examinations for bombardier or navigator posts which carry the same commission as pilot.

Extension Unit News

Algoma-Pelican

The last regular meeting of the Algoma-Pelican extension unit was held at the home of Mrs. C. Weger, Algoma, December 10.

An interesting demonstration on how to clean rugs, upholstery and other articles was given by Mrs. Christensen and Mrs. Henderson. Due to the fact that there is no transportation for project leaders, the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Floyd Underhill, Wocus, Wednesday, January 14. It will be an all day meeting starting at 10:30 a. m. and closing at 3 p. m. The subject is "First Aid in the Home." Anyone having portable sewing machines and wishing to bring them may do so. It would be greatly appreciated. Each member is asked to bring a sack lunch.

The transaction was completed Friday. Mrs. Prather's plans, she announces are indefinite.

Box Workers Listed as Donors To Red Cross War Relief Fund

These are the names of the employees of the di Giorgio Fruit corporation, formerly Klamath Lumber and Box company, who last week contributed one-half day's pay to the Red Cross war relief fund, upping local contributions by \$430.05:

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Alva Wilcher, Peter Rouches, V. Tuter, John Nani, E. Moore, E. Phelps, Roy Bradford, Ivan Wilcher, Cecil C. Rood, Lulu Beck, A. Coyle, A. Brearcliffe, Rex Smith, Ervin Wilcher, Thomas Rose, Geo. Fjalkiewicz, John Karnowsky, J. P. Haggreen, Roy Beck, R. A. Mora, Joe Marcon, Julia Silani, Wm. Prossie, V. Bellotti, A. Bellotti, I. J. Russell.

G. B. Nani, Harvey Bostwick, Virgil Gerard, I. A. Baker, John F. Hansen, Wm. P. Tharp, L. M. Christensen, Donald Krucheck, M. D. Froid, Fred Bacon, H. E. Getz, R. A. Cantrall, R. M. Riggs, C. E. Dennis, Mrs. A. S. Hotehkin, W. B. Whitcomb, C. H. Mueller, A. C. Erickson, Robert McFarland, Fred Ward, Howard Miller, A. Gerard, J. T. Cutshall, J. E. Van Meter.

William Cowger, Allen Golden, L. J. Fitzsimmons, J. B. Finwell, Leonard Carrigan, S. E. Peterson, W. J. Worden, C. W. Erickson, Gail Putman, Jas. Laverty, E. Wall, W. W. Vincent, M. E. Carman, Harry Larsen, George Eiting, Adolph Samplauski, C. R. Curtis, Shelly Kilgore, Otis R. Stanbery, O. N. Larrimore, John Totton, Ray Keller, Earl Worden, Arthur Bostwick, Stanley Hajcek, Grover Yantis.

Ed. Kahl, Bert Bell, W. R. Smith, P. H. Malone, B. C. Johnson, Olaf T. Olson, R. J. Shuck, William E. Kafton, Homer Hurlgen, J. A. Lundberg, Carl G. Peterson, K. M. Uhrine, Bert Nelson, Herman Carlson, Gerald Amerling, Geo. Morin, A. B. Lund, Walter Helfer, W. H. Tucker, Ed Hill, Charles McRoberts.

BOSTON WOOL
BOSTON, Jan. 12 (AP-USDA) — Very few inquiries were being received today for domestic wools in Boston. Occasional sales of fine territory wools were made at mostly \$1.10-1.13 scoured basis for wools of average to good French combing length. Graded three-eighths and one-quarter blood combing Ohio fleeces had a limited demand at 52 cents in the grease.

CONSCRIPTS REGISTER
LONDON, Jan. 12 (AP)—Britain's first women conscripts registered for national service Saturday. Girls of the 1921 class, they numbered about 350,000 and will be called to the services probably at the end of the month.

Malin Drug Store Sale Announced
MALIN — W. P. Robinson, Hubbard, Ore., owner of drug stores for the last 22 years in Wallowa county has purchased the Malin Drug store and is on the ground supervising interior improvements and the placing of new stocks, it was announced this week by Mrs. Mildred Prather.

Mr. Robinson, a registered pharmacist anticipates no change in the present personnel. He will be joined here immediately by Mrs. Robinson and a son and daughter, employed elsewhere in Oregon will visit here during vacations.

The transaction was completed Friday. Mrs. Prather's plans, she announces are indefinite.

PARK FUNDS LISTED IN FEDERAL BUDGET

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 (AP) — President Roosevelt's 1943 budget made provision for continued operation of the nation's national parks during the year starting next July 1, recommending congress appropriate \$4,853,655 for the activity.

The amounts asked for the parks in the Pacific coast states, Alaska and Hawaii were:

Crater Lake, Oregon \$89,045; Hawaii national park \$85,165; Kings Canyon, California \$37,600; Lassen volcanic, California \$58,080; Mount McKinley, Alaska \$27,700; Mount Rainier, Wash., \$146,460; Olympic, Washington \$62,555; Sequoia \$133,925; Yosemite, California \$317,960; Boulder dam recreational area \$91,590.

The budget asked \$131,300 for forest protection, and fire prevention and prevention of spread of forest insects and tree disease.

CAN'T REMEMBER DATES
SANTA FE, N. M. (AP)—Pete Baca has been celebrating someone else's birthday all these years.

Baca, 33, got his birth certificate recently and found out he was born on June 28—not May 28.

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