

NAZI ATTEMPT TO DIVERT RED ATTACKS FAILS

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fantastic figure," these quarters declared. "At present we have the facilities for sending 800 planes on raids, and these can be expanded."

Meanwhile, the Russians declared that the German offensive against Arctic Murmansk, port of entry for United States supplies to Russia, had been thwarted by the sinking of 95, 115 tons of German shipping in the Barents sea during April.

Nazi losses in April and May were listed as 22 ships, including two destroyers. In addition a submarine and three transports were reported damaged.

On the Kharkov front, Russian claims of German tank losses rose to nearly 600, counting 400 previously reported.

British military quarters said a successful German counter-offensive toward Izyum and Barvenkova, 80 miles below Kharkov, would be a serious threat to "a very tender spot" in the red army's drive on Kharkov, but the Russians indicated that so far they had lost no momentum.

The important factor, however, was the undisclosed size of the German counter thrust. Unless it were a full-scale offensive, the nazis could expect little more than to distract the Russians advancing on Kharkov or to out-flank a secondary Russian movement toward Loozova.

This secondary Russian thrust, in itself, is a drive to out-flank the German defenders of Kharkov.

Hitler's field headquarters acknowledged that Marshal Semion Timoshenko's armies were pressing new attacks against the big steel city, but asserted they had been repulsed.

Olene

The Boyd Bruners will be moving from Olene to Henley within the next week. They have purchased the Henley store from Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Landis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cates and family, formerly of Dairy and now living in Medford, visited at the home of Marion Barnes on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Cates' sister, Mrs. Ben Trippett and small son Tarry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sturman arrived at the A. L. Marshall home last Wednesday evening and will remain until Sturman is called to Hamilton field. Mrs. Sturman is the former Helen Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cornutt (Harriett Bruner) are now at home at the Esplanade apartments in Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grimes were dinner guests at the O. L. Brown home on Monday evening.

RENO LICENSE

RENO, May 20 (AP)—Marriage licenses issued here included: Donald A. Courtwright, 24, Portland, and Edna M. Neal, 29, Klamath Falls.

*The President says we should take VACATIONS!



*Excerpt from Statement by President Roosevelt: "It has been proven beyond doubt that human beings cannot sustain continued and prolonged work for very long without obtaining a proper balance between work on the one hand and vacation and recreation on the other."

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Black Baron, English sheep dog, and Blue Boy of Dorn, tiny Yorkshire terrier, carry off honors at Los Angeles dog show.

Extension Unit News

POE VALLEY-OLENE

Home Extension Units met at the home of Mrs. Herbert Stover Friday, May 15. This was an all-day meeting with Mrs. Winifred Gillen as instructor.

Dry Cleaning and pressing of clothes in the home were demonstrated by Mrs. Gillen. There were eight members present.

An election of officers was held in the afternoon. Mrs. Marion Barnes presided as chairman due to the absence of Mrs. Francis Freuer.

Mrs. Frank Sullivan was elected chairman for the ensuing year with Mrs. Curtis Gebhardt as vice chairman and Mrs. Beau Tucker secretary-treasurer. Pot luck luncheon was served during the noon hour.

This is the last meeting of the year. The newly elected officers will all meet at the Altamont school Monday, May 25 to plan the meetings for the coming year.

Use of Reclaimed Rubber Next Test For U. S., Claim

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ical gloves which have to be the purest of new rubber.

For years the public has been using many articles made of anywhere from 50 to nearly 100 per cent reclaimed rubber, and not realizing it.

How old can rubber be before it loses its stretch, life, strength and reclaim value?

Used tires and tubes are good for reclaim after five years, and probably much longer. The other articles now to be tried are unpredictable. Some few probably will be useful after years of service, others almost worthless.

In some respects reclaimed rubber is better than fresh rubber. It stands exposure to light and weather better, two tire requirements, but it can stand less abrasion, another tire requirement.

How often can rubber be re-processed before losing its last useful resiliency? Again no one knows, because we never have had to try.

The reclaim process starts with cutting a tire in two half doughnuts. The tire bead metal is then sliced. The tire is then chopped and cracked into bits and a magnet draws off any remaining scrap metal. Caustic soda softens the material and a digester dissolves the fabric out of the rubber.

Washing, straining, refining and finishing then produce a lump of reclaimed rubber.

For the household scrap the same general process can be used, but with complications due to mixtures of varying kinds and possibly for such things as removing the colors.

The bureau of industrial conservation, Washington, has organized the 48 states. A further organization is planned in each town and city.

Men painted their fingernails to show to which political party they belonged in the old days of Grecian glory.

CURTIN WARNS DANGER NEAR FOR AUSSIES

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that all the U. S. bombers reached their destinations safely, and declined to shed light on the secret of the bases from which the bombers took off.

The German radio, stolidly accepting President Roosevelt's humorous suggestion, said Doolittle "carried out the attack from the airbase Shangri-la, which was not otherwise described by Roosevelt."

Mr. Roosevelt's reference was to a fictional Asiatic sanctuary portrayed in James Hilton's novel, "Lost Horizon."

Japan Worried

Palpably worried over the prospect of renewed attacks on Japan, the Japanese were reported continuing their southward sweep in Chekiang province, on the China coast south of Shanghai.

Bases in Chekiang would be in close range for raids on Japan.

Meanwhile, British headquarters announced that the RAF's offensive against Japanese forces in Burma "continues to increase in scale and frequency."

Man Jailed at Ventura for Resort Thievery Here

The sheriff's office reported Wednesday that Robert John Caldwell, wanted for a series of cabin break-ins at Rocky Point and Lake o' the Woods, is in jail at Ventura, Calif.

Deputy Sheriff Dale Mattoon notified Ventura authorities that Caldwell should be held for action from here. A warrant for his arrest has been out for several months.

The officers said that Caldwell and Robert Feller were accused of breaking into a half a dozen cabins at Rocky Point and two others at Lake o' the Woods. Feller was arrested shortly after the robberies, and was sentenced to five years and paroled by Judge Vandenberg.

Deputy Sheriff Mattoon said that when people return to their summer homes at nearby mountain lakes, additional robberies may be discovered.

Lucky Thursday—The Lucky Thursday club will meet May 21 at the home of Nona Hall, 915 East Main, for luncheon at 1 p. m.

If the earth had no atmosphere, we would be subjected to a constant bombardment of shooting stars.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DEAR GRADUATE: You can get a good job at good wages in a short time if you will now enroll for a standard business course at the Interstate Business College, 432 Main, Klamath Falls, Oregon. 5-20

FOR SALE—Equity in 2-bedroom house, 2 years old. Ph. 4298. 5-22

ACCORDION—20 years American-British circuits. VICTOR, 779 Old Fort road. 5-28

FOR SALE—Tricycle, cost \$12.50, for \$4.50. Phone 8754. 11144f

LARGE APT.—Close in. Partly furnished. Phone 6640. 5-20

GOVERNMENT employee wishes to rent unfurnished 2-bedroom house. Close in or Altamont district. P. O. Box 856. 5-21

FOR SALE—100 sacks Netted Gem seed potatoes. George Brothman, Malin, Ore. 5-23

3-ROOM modern house, \$15, 905 N. 4th. Phone 6612. 5-20

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Small modern house, close in, easy payments. Call 5415. 5-22

OIL TO BURN—For Union heating oils phone 8404, Klamath Oil Co., 615 Klamath. 5-30mtf

ANSWERS TO WAR QUIZ

1. Flag is that of Peru.
2. United States and New Zealand are organizing a joint naval force.
3. Panay is name of the island and the gunboat.

HOWARD SPEAKER AT GRADUATION TONIGHT

Dr. Charles H. Howard, president of the Oregon College of Education at Monmouth and former Klamath Falls educator, will be the speaker at commencement exercises to be held for Klamath Union high school seniors in the boys' gymnasium at 8 o'clock tonight.

The valedictorian address will be given by Eugene Love, the salutatorian addresses by Louise Howie and Gordon Ledingham. Percy Murray, chairman of the school board, will present diplomas.

Boost in Income Surtaxes Approved By House Group

WASHINGTON, May 20 (AP)—The house ways and means committee has agreed on new individual surtax rates ranging from 12 to 81 per cent, compared with present rates of 6 to 77 per cent.

These new rates, combined with lower exemptions and higher normal rates, have been estimated to yield an additional \$2,756,000,000 in revenue and would double the income tax bill of those in the lowest salary brackets.

Representative Cooper (D-Tenn.) announced the committee's action, which he said was taken yesterday, and reported that the committee currently was discussing a treasury proposal for tax collection at the source.

Tables prepared for the committee showed, for example, that a single man with a \$1500 net income who now pays \$69 would pay \$171 under the new schedule and a single man with a \$10,000 net income who pays \$1493 at present would be faced with a \$2295 tax bill next year.

Likewise, a married man with no dependents and a \$1500 net income who now pays nothing would pay \$45 and the married person with \$10,000 net income and without dependents, who now pays \$1305, would have to pay \$2064.

Langell Valley

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles McBeth, who are proud parents of a daughter born May 16 at Hillside hospital. She has been named Reta Mae and weighed seven pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Haney have a new five-pound baby son, born at the Klamath Valley hospital on May 18. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond and the Haney's first child.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jackson and Sharon and Malcolm of Yreka and Mrs. Peggy Douglas and Terry of Klamath Falls spent Sunday at the R. M. Teare home.

Mrs. Hoyt and Mrs. Evelyn Hoyt of Klamath Falls spent Sunday with Evelyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Campbell.

Mrs. Lester Leavitt spent Friday with Mrs. Owen Pepple and Mrs. Charles Wells at Bonanza. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Greene of Klamath Falls spent Sunday with the Lloyd Gift family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harris of

BRITISH HAMMER MANNHEIM PLANTS

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works and the Daimler-Benz Engineering works.

LONDON, May 20 (AP)—Bombing Germany is the best way of assisting Russia "until such times as we are able to make a carefully planned attack upon the continent of Europe, which we intend to do," Sir Stafford Cripps told the house of commons today.

Answering criticism in the second day of a war debate in which Prime Minister Churchill is not participating, Sir Stafford, who is the government leader in the house, declared the government was ready to face a vote of confidence if "any substantial body of members" desired it.

Leslie Hore-Belisha, former war secretary and a sharp critic of Britain's war leadership, urged establishment of a separate ministry of defense, which now is under Churchill.

Germany Straining To Keep Up With Allies, Says Writer

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the first two years. Now, however, vital tin is being scraped almost to the bottom, the loot from the Ukraine admittedly will not be available this year and the entry of the United States into the war along with allies' unexpected economic striking power has pushed the nazis' production to the very limit.

No less than twelve government agencies try to pound war production out of industry and tell the laborer where he must work. All of Hitler's recent speeches have urged demanding greater sacrifice for greater production.

Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels and the nazi party wheelhorses have been beating the drums for more work and more results and there has been ruthless extermination of saboteurs.

There is no way to determine just how hard sabotage has hit the German war plant or German war production but Hitler himself has shaken his fist at saboteurs, threatening to track them down and exterminate them.

However, there are clues. New decrees have threatened death for false reports on raw materials, labor reserves or needs in manpower or supplies to fill war contracts.

Gestapo guards watch every vital factory, every bridge, water-works, gas and electric plant. Gestapo troubleshooters are posted in apartment buildings and stores as a precaution throughout German cities.

San Jose, Calif., are here to attend the high school graduation of their son Bud.

Frank Pepple left Monday morning for Seattle to visit his son, Howard, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nichols of Bonanza, Otto Freeze of Everett, Wash., and Mrs. Wes Dearborn and children visited Sunday with Mrs. Ruby Brown and family.

Amos Powers left Monday for his home at Chico, Calif., after spending several months at the Frank Pepple home.

The oldest town in the world is said to be the ruins of Tepe Gawra, in northern Mesopotamia.

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Radio Day by Day

(Pacific War Time)

NEW YORK, May 20 (AP) (Wide World)—Listening Wednesday night BLU-6 Herbert Hoover on "The Limitations on Freedom in War"; 7:30 boxing, Johnny Colan vs. Anton Christoforidis.

MBS—6:15 war production series, new time; 6:30 pass in review, army camps.

What to expect Thursday: NBC—3:30 Presbyterian general assembly. CBS—6:45 a. m. Thus We Live, Red Cross.

Five Gallon Limit on Gas Storage Cited

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ordinance reads: "Section 4—Whenever a greater quantity than one quart or a lesser quantity than five gallons of gasoline or distillate is stored or kept within the city of Klamath Falls by any person, persons, firm or corporation, said gasoline or distillate shall be contained in an approved metal safety gasoline can or container."

A gallon of gasoline, vaporized, has a tearing power of 83 pounds of dynamite and this danger would exist in scores of places in the city should indiscriminate storing of gasoline be permitted, the chief warned.

Penalty Fixed

The "approved metal safety can" must have an underwriters' label on it, Ambrose stated.

"I have had information given me that people are storing gasoline in their garages and basements, and if I locate gasoline in any but the underwriters' cans, these people will be brought in to court and charged with violation of the ordinance. The penalty runs from \$5 to \$100," Ambrose stated.

5-Gallon Limit

Ambrose pointed out that the ordinance fixes a limit of five gallons on gasoline in storage above ground, even in an approved container, and does not permit the accumulation of such containers to store larger quantities. Underground storage of larger amounts is permitted but only after strict specifications as to location, container and ventilation are complied with, the chief said.

Ambrose made this statement after learning that one person had mistakenly interpreted the ordinance as limiting stored gasoline to five gallons per can.

Dry flies for trout fishing are now being made of cellophane.

KLAMATH HAS PART IN TOKYO BOMBING

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in on the first raid over Japan. Corporal DeShazer, son of Mrs. Hulda Andrus of Madras, has visited here frequently. He joined the air force two years ago, trained at the Pendleton air base, and later was transferred to Columbia, S. C. The family last heard from him on March 28.

Froud as punch are Mr. and Mrs. William B. Barnes, 234 South Fifth street, whose son, Lieutenant Zed Barnes, has been with the bombing unit until the crews' departure on their mission. Some time ago Lieut. Barnes sent his parents a picture of himself with Major J. A. Hilger taken in Pendleton. Major Hilger was second in command to "Jimmy" Doolittle on the historic flight over Tokyo. Men at the Pendleton air base were high in their praise of their major who was described as a quiet fellow, slight in stature but with "plenty of punch."

WASHINGTON, May 20 (AP)—Five Oregon men were on the American bombing mission to Japan April 18.

They, and the next of kin, are: Corp. Jacob DeShazer, Mrs. Hulda Andrus, mother, General Delivery, Madras, Ore.; Lt. Robert S. Clever, Portland; Lt. Dean Davenport, Portland; Lt. Robert G. Emmens, 1443 E. Main street, Medford; Lt. Everett W. Holstrom, Mrs. J. L. Whitsett, mother, 2439 Jefferson street, Eugene.

GRADUATES

PORTLAND, May 20 (AP)—Among six Oregon men in a class of aviation cadets to be graduated shortly at the Stockton field, Calif., flying school are Edward L. Larson of Beaverton; Robert O. Olson, Medford; Norman W. Pohl, Chiloquin; Fielding K. Weatherford, Medford, the district army office here disclosed Tuesday.

About 6000 French prisoners are confined in French Guiana.

There are about 1,500,000 registered cattle brands.

Rice accounts for 80 per cent of Thailand's exports.

There are 72,721 4-H clubs in the United States.

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Editorials on News

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the saddest casualty of the war.

MEANWHILE, Curtin of Australia says today:

"The tempo of the Pacific struggle is increasing and our fighting men hourly face the supreme test."

In the clatter and roar of the fighting in Russia, don't lose sight of the Pacific.

Certain Grades of Lumber 'Unfrozen' By WPB Order

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20 (AP)—Certain grades and kinds of lumber frozen by the war production board last week to increase supplies for war needs have been released, lumbermen at a government auction here were informed today.

R. L. Hennessey, war department buyer, announced on behalf of the WPB that all grades of lumber below those classified as the 8000-E series have been unfrozen.

Lumbermen said the order will release an assortment of grades and specifications but detailed study will be necessary to determine whether it affects much lumber actually needed for mining operations and construction of bulk grain warehouses. Purchase of approximately 125,000,000 board feet is expected during the auction.

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