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YANKS SMACK ROMMEL'S ST

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

today with all eyes fixed on two of the world's great riversthe Nile and the Volga.

IN the valley of the Nile Rommel goes into action againresumably with an army of out 140,000 men and something over a thousand tanks. (This force is probably half again as big as the army he had in his last drive, which carried him within 80 miles of Alexandria.)

Montgomery said yesterday,
"This registration will be
only an effort to learn the
facts. Up to now no one knows
that we will have a fuel shortage or how bad it is. The registration will be only exploratory, of course, and OPA cannot guarantee wood for fuel."

Cities where the fuel signum He is said to have parachute troops this time. He had none, or at least used none, before.

ROMMEL started the fight this time. Well informed military sources

in London say he started earlier than he really wanted to because the British rate of reinforcement has been greater than his and he had to get going before it was too late.
These London "sources" think

he prospect of checking him is od, but the British are distinctly guarded in their state-ments. They permitted them-selves to become optimistic the last time, and the results were humiliating.

It's a fairly safe bet that Brit-ish reports of the progress of the present battle will be conserva-tive.

THE British have American help in Egypt-chiefly air forces.

American fighter planes are reported this morning to have BROKEN UP heavy formations of German dive bombers, forcing them to drop their bomb loads

and flee.
Their dive bombers are the Germans' most potent air

A NOTHER point is mentioned cluded Japanese barracks, a in today's rather scanty dis- warehouse area along a railway A NOTHER point is mentioned in today's rather scanty distinctes about the Egyptian fight
Two large fires and at least and the same were left burn-

NEUVER, fighting his battles in the past in distinctly the Napoleonic manner. This time he is confined in the narrow space between the Mediterranean and

the Quattaro salt sink.

Time will tell how he handles

CHUNGKING, Wednesday,
Sept. 2 (P)—Chinese forces aim-

ing is said to have reached the city's outer defenses. The Russians are resisting stubbornly, and give no indication of a crit-

ical change in the situation.

Hitler is obviously throwing everything he has into a last

inal effort to take the city and ut the Volga transport line.

Some idea of the great length of the Volga may be gleaned from the fact that the fighting at Rzhev is on its upper reaches.

Curiously enough Stallagrad. Curiously enough, Stalingrad is on the west bank of the Volga and the Russians are defending It with their backs to the river.
Rzhev is on the east bank of the upper Volga and the Germans e defending with THEIR backs

are determined to the river.

History tells us that fighting with a river in the rear is always dangerous.

AMERICAN planes and Aus-

Nazis Deepen Stalingrad Wedge "Exploratory" PLANES STRAFE Fuel Sign-Up Scheduled JAPS LEFT IN

PORTLAND, Sept. 1 (AP) -

Extent of Oregon fuel shortage

ing-will be determined by registration, similar to that for sugar, in 29 Oregon cities Sept. 9-12.

and the advisability of ration-

Announcing that the registra-

tion will be done by volunteer help at local price rationing boards, state OPA Director G. Montgomery said yesterday.

AMERICANS LASH

BASE IN BURMA

Chinese Drive Closer

Air Base

CHUNGKING, Sept. 1 (AP)-

United States planes attacked the Japanese airdrome at Myit-

kyina in northern Burma yes-

three small ones were left burn-ing along the railway in the main storage area," the com-

All the planes returned safely.

CHUNGKING, Wednesday,

munique said.

Sungyang and Lishui.

OILER KILLED

ALTURAS, Calif., Sept. 1 (P) C. W. Fischer, an oller at a lumber mill in Canby, was killed

To Big Chekiang

Allied Fighter Planes Attack Jap Air Base at Lae

MILNE BAY

B- MURLIN SPENCER.
GEN. M'ARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, AUSTRALIA.
Sept. 1 (AP) — Allied fighter
planes roared above the Milne
bay jungles of eastern New
Guinea today heavily strafing any Japanese remnants left by the veteran Australian land troops who were mopping up the

Cities where the fuel signup will be held include: Portland, Baker, Roseburg, Hood River, Klamath Falls, Eugene, Salem, Woodburn, Pendleton, Hermis-ton, The Dalles, Grants Pass, Albany and Corvallis, A severe night attack was made on the Japanese air base at Lac, 400 miles to the north-west, and skirmishes on land developed at nearby Salamaua. Other sharp fighting was reported at Kokoda at the base of the towering Owen Stanley range half way to the most advanced allied base at Port Moresby.

Japa Disappear
The known Japanese surviving the allied ambush at Milne
bay were pushed back into a
narrow peninsula florith of the bay. Day long reconnaissance flights failed to uncover any evidence of Japanese troops, installations or stores beyond in the thick jungle. The pilots, however, saw three damaged barges and three tanks bogged in the muck and mud, all mute

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terday for the second day in succession, a communique from Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters announced today. Objectives of the bombers, which had a fighter escort, in-Manufacture of Liquor Halted; No Shortage Seen

CHICAGO, Sept. 1 (P)—Manufacture of whiskey, gin and other beverage spirits was ordered halted by November 1, but the nation was advised to but the nation was not threat of a day there was no threat of a Fred Peterson. hard drink drought.

himself in these different circuming a nut-cracker offensive at Japanese-held Kinhwa have driven one column to within nine miles of that big Chekiang formed the National Alcohol ON the lower Volga, the Germans are reported to be moving up tremendous new forces of men and machines for the final assault on Stallingrad. The fighting is said to have reached the While the column on the west and assault on Stallingrad. The fighting is said to have reached the was the closer, the more rapid quirement of 476,000,000 gal-advance was credited to the lons next year.

force in the south which was said to have reoccupied six towns in a 30-mile sweep above liberated needed to make synthetic rub. needed to make synthetic rub-ber—butadine—and the balance would be used to produce smokeless powder and for other essential military and civilian

MacNamara said there was late yesterday when a log hook worked loose and hit him on the head. He is survived by his widow here, and his mother, Mrs. Ron Smith of Marshfield, lons—mainly bourbon and rye

Draft Boards Ordered to Pool Single Men in State

The selective service director said state officials should ar-

Speed-Up Necessary

Hershey's memorandum to tate directors also instructed local boards to complete.

Hershey reiterated a selection

AMERICAN planes and Australian troops are hunting down the remnants of the Japs who landed at Milne bay and lied to get out again.

Sharp fighting is reported at Kokoda, where the Japs are seeking to reach Port Moresby by crossing the mountains with a lard force.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 (AP)

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey to be said, because "the serious day instructed state selective attained in the selective service system be duction calls so that married men would not be drafted in some localities while single men were still uncalled in others.

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The selective service director director director director director day instructed state selective service system be said, because "the serious military situation" requires that the selective service system be which "will be equal to or in excess of the monthly calls made in August, September and October of this year."

R. H. E.

lend force.

Allied (US and Australian)
lanes are pounding the Jap
New Guinea bases at Lae and
Salamau.

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New Salvation Army Leader Here

Major W. C. Curry (left) has arrived to take over leadership of the Salvation Army here, succeeding Major Norman Bowyer of the Salvation Army here, succeeding Major Norman Bowyer (right) who goes to Phoenix for divisional work. Major Curry has hed 29 years continuous service in the Army and has recently served as territorial revivalist in 11 midwestern states. Mrs. Curry and their two daughters, Madeline and Louise, are moving here with him.

County Schools Open; Attendance Slightly Off

County school classes opened Tuesday, with scattered figures indicating some decrease in en-rollment in the nearby suburban schools but returns insufficient to indicate a general trend.

Altamont elementary school reported 322 students; Altamont junior high, 367; Shasta, 306. All of these figures are somewhat under the count made last year after two weeks of school, but no comparative figures for the first day last year were available.

ern part of the county reported Nations. 240 students, a slight increase One o

Sacred Heart academy, Cathwar production board's ckey conversion branch, in-

Klamath Union high school hive coke ovens, today joined American and Band city elementary schools several thousand timbermen in northern Ireland.

At Klamath Union high school,

High school students are divided as follows: freshmen, 362; sophomores, 271; juniors, 239;

Slight increases over the first day occurred in some of the clementary schools and the jun-tor high school gained 10.

Baseball

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 1 (P)— The Brooklyn Dodgers rapped out a 4 to 2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates today as out a 4 to 2 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates today as Kirby Higbe, who hadn't de-feated the Buccaneers all season,

Brooklyn

Pittsburgh 2 5 1 Highe and Owen; Klinger, Wilkie (6) and Phelps. AMERICAN LEAGUE
R. H. E.
3 8 0

RASH OF STRIKES

Steel Production Is Threatened; Lewis Action Seen

By MARBEN GRAHAM rash of strikes involving truck drivers, timbermen, cranemen and various shopworkers threat ne first day last year were ened today to interfere with the production of steel in this industrial workshop of the United

One of the most serious disturbances occurred in the great Connellsville coke region stretch-ing over a 50-square mile area to the south, the heart of Amer-ica's metallurgical soft coal deposits.

Join Timbermen

There, in Uniontown, several hundred drivers of trucks who deliver the coal to more than half of the district's 9500 bee-

school for this year on Tuesday. 60-cents an hour pay,

Both groups have received awards by the war labor board granting most of their demands but each case involved price adjustments not yet made.

Key to Situation "You men hold the key to the whole situation," Thomas P. Mc-Tigue, regional director of the

construction workers, division

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Deer Season Start To Depend on Weather Conditions

If weather conditions reduce the fire hazard, Oregon's deer season will open as scheduled, it was stated here Tuesday by T. R. Conn, Lakeview attorney and member of the state game commission.

Conn was here in connection with meetings of the Pine In-dustrial Relations committee. He represents Lakeview lumber concerns in this organization. about four months an meat will be rationed.

Secretary of Agriculture Wickard announced last night that the food requirements committee had decided on rationing mittee had decided on rationing when you add in the increased will be a nadequate meat supply when you add in the increased will be a nadequate meat supply when you add in the increased will be a nadequate meat supply when you add in the increased will be a nadequate meat supply and the supply when you add in the increased will be a nadequate meat supply a nadequate meat supply and the supply and

British Vessel R. H. E. Sunk in Atlantic

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 (A) The navy announced today that a medium sized British merchant vessel had been torpedoed and JAPAN springs another mystery.

Hershey's memorandum to state directors also instructed negotiated the non-aggression ireaty with Russia, RESIGNS (Continued on Page Two)

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Hershey's memorandum to submarine early in August in the Atlantic several hundred miles off the order of dependency defer (Continued on Page Two) Meanwhile, a conservation campaign, possibly including "meatless days," will be instituted to limit civilian consumption of red meats to about the "Continued on Page Two)

AXIS MOVES

Reds Say Heavy Casualties Inflicted On Invaders

By EDDIE GILMORE
MOSCOW, Sept. 1 (P)— The
Russians said today the Germans had deepened a wedge toward Stalingrad from the southwest and infiltrated that city's northwestern defenses, but empha-sized the casualties suffered by the invaders all along the front.

the mid-day communique indi-cated Germany's loss of at least 48 tanks and about 2000 killed

positions" before the Kotelni-kovski-Stalingrad pincer claw, the soviet information bureau said. Tank crews were declared to have repulsed numerous attacks on other sectors of that

Village Regained
Red army men still menacing
the axis flank within the Don
bend waged both offensive and defensive warfare and reports from the Caucasian battlefields

German naval parties are at-tempting to raid the Caucasian coast in conjunction with the overland drive from Krasnodar, (Continued on Page Two)

IRA Attack on Yank, British

BELFAST, Sept. 1 (AP)-United States troops have been or-dered to stay off the streets of Belfast tomorrow, it was an-neunced officially today as ten-sion mounted with a report that the outlawed Irish republican army was planning attacks on American and British troops in

There was no explanation of Placed Under the announcement of the order Fourth Command but presumably it was issued to lessen any chance of incidents among American forces and pro-I. R. A. elements in Belfast. Neither was there any indication how long the order would re-

main in effect.

Earlier in the day police reported that a great cache of arms and explosives captured near here Sunday night was to have been used by the I. R. A. in attacks on the American and British forces.

A police statement said the special manifesto issued by the IRA calling the presence of (Continued on Page Two)

Ore, base of the second air force had been placed under the form and of the fourth air service command with headquarters at Sacramento, Calif.

All second air force personnel is being withdrawn from the Pendleton base, Forrest said, and added that Col. Frank W. Wright, former Pendleton commander has been assigned to the Salt Lake City air base, but did not specify in what capacity.

Nation-Wide Meat Ration

as the best method of assuring an equitable distribution of what he termed the largest livestock production in history.

"Meatless Days"

When you add in the increased supply of poultry, and cheese, and dry beans we have, it provides a top-notch protein diet for us."

Rig Daward

Engagement of the Hon. Gerald Lascelles, 18-year-old neph-ew of King George VI, to June Morris, 17-year-old canteen worker, was announced in Lon don. Lascelles (above), is at work in a munitions factory.

Scattered details reported in

After fighting in which about 406 Germans were killed, "one soviet unit withdrew to new

were highlighted by a declara-tion that soviet cavalry recap-tured a nazi-occupied village south of Krasnodar.

Troops Rumored

Royal, only sister of the king.

TOGO RESIGNATION

HELD SIGNIFICANT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 (P)-

quarters in Washington today
Possibilities

There were various interpretations as to what might lie (Continued on Page Two)

SPOKANE, Sept. 1 (AP) -

Col. Nathan B. Forrest, chief of staff of the second air force, an-

nounced today the Pendleton, Ore., base of the second air force had been placed under the

Pendleton Base

Engaged

Axis Drive Nicks Eight Miles Into El Alamein Flank

By The Associated Press LONDON, Sept. 1—An eight-mile German drive into the minefields on the southern flank of the El Alamein line in Egypt, of the El Alamein line in Egypt, rimming the Qattara depression, was reported today in a Reuters dispatch from Cairo as new United States air forces went into action in what appeared to be a developing major battle.

Against another German thrust, evidently seeking a soft spot in the center, the British were said to have held firmly.

Yank Crews The newest American medium bombers on the North African front—B-25's like those which bombed Tokyo—went into their first action with complete American air crews in a bombardment of axis transport columns while He is the son of the Earl of Harewood and the Princess of axis transport columns while supporting American fighter pilots dispersed unusually large

German dive-bomber formations, Armored vanguards of per-haps 141,000 axis troops between El Alamein and Bengasi were said to be locked with light British forces, in what may be Jop Foreign Minister the opening phase of a struggle for mastery of the Nile valley, Suez and the whole Middle and Near East.

Field Marshal Erwin Rommel had begun a large-scale of sons" and his office has been taken over by Premier General had begun a large-scale ofHidekt Tojo, the government fensive, synchronized with the
information department aninformation department an-

Parachute troops which arrived in North Africa at the same time as the 164th division also are believed to be attached

Italians in Batch
Two Italian armored divisions,
the Ariete and the Littorio of
8000 men and approximately 150 Resignation of Japan's foreign minister Shigenori Togo and concentration of more power in the hands of the war premier Hideki Tojo aroused keenest in-terest in official and diplomatic

> cause the British rate of reinforcement had been greater than his own despite the long sea journey from the United King-

> made an assault impossible and his position untenable.

Pear Harvest

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TOKYO (From Japanese Broadcasts), Sept. 1 (P)—Foreign Minister Shigenori Togo has resigned "for personal reasons" and his office has been taken over by Premier General jo Takes Over

nounced today. The foreign minister's resigna-tion was presented to Emperor Hirohito by Premier Tojo to-night at the imperial palace. to this force.

8000 men and approximately 150
tanks each, also supply some of
the enemy armor. There are six
Italian infantry divisions of 10,000 men each in North Africa.

Early Start

It was the view of wellinformed British military sources that Rommel began his offensive earlier than expected because the British rate of rein-

Rommel's supply line however has been constantly harried by air attack. He is believed to have resolved to attack before further allied reinforcements

McNary Urges Soldier Help In

WASHINGTON, Sept. I (P)—Senator MeNary (R-Ore.) urged Lieutenant General John L. De-Witt, head of the western defense command, in a telegram today to permit soldiers on furlough from a cantonment near Medford, Ore., to aid in handling pears for cold storage at Medford.

The senator said pear grow-

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 (P)—
Americans will be asked by the government soon to forego the extra steaks and chops they are able to buy with their record-breaking pay envelopes, and in about four months all meat will be rationed.

Secretary of Agriculture

Medford.

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The senator said said pear one pound to the British civilian, 12 ounces to the German.

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