

LOST. The taste in Jap mouths at distributors and others with Law rence Smith, representative of the OPA here from Portland. Guadalcanal and on the New Guinea beaches is the hitter taste of frustration and death. The 14-cent milk will contain

IT isn't a pleasant taste. They don't LIKE it.

That is why they are trying so desperately to relieve their endangered forces. The bitter taste of frustration and death isn't a good foundation on which to build an EMPIRE OF CON-QUEST. . . .

WE mustn't gloat. It's far too

ye mush t grown soon for that. This very situation presents a that is REAL. The Japs danger that is REAL. LISBON, Dec. 4 (A) - Discan't afford frustration and death. Such things are BAD patches from Lourenco Marques, Portuguese East Africa, said to-FOR PRESTIGE. If they are to have axis submarines had sunk hold the empire they have selzed, three United Nations vessels in not to mention their other amshark-infested waters of the In bitious projects, they must MAINTAIN their prestige. the 10,799-ton British liner

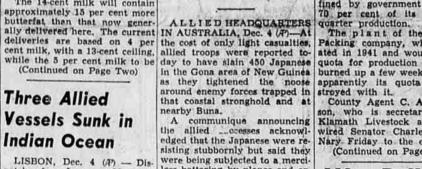
They have ample forces at Llandaf Castle, ome. As compared with ours, The Llandaf The Llandaf Castle was re home. their communication lines are ported to have been bearing a short and well defended. They thousand South African troops hav decide that it is compelling-ly necessary to crush our out-posts NO MATTER WHAT THE went down off Zululand and FDR Warning

COST. That would mean and ALL OUT battle in the South Seas with us (because of dis-tance) on the short end. what The work down off Zululand and only 40 survivors were known to have been landed. The 6796-ton British liner Nova Scotia, riven by two tor-

**Three Allied** 

Indian Ocean

**Vessels Sunk in** 



were being subjected to a merci-less battering by planes and artillery designed to soften their defenses. **Posts** Captured Allied airmen also ranged

across the sea northwest of Aus tralia to strike a heavy blow a the Japanese base at Koepang (Continued on Page Two)

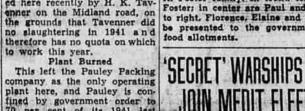
Loosed on Jap

**Parity Change** 

nearby Buna.

FDR Warning WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 (AP)-

Adoption by the house of a bill



Positions piant here, and Palley is con-fined by government order to 70 per cent of its 1941 last, quarter production. The plant of the Klamath Packing company, which oper-ated in 1941 and would have a quota for production this year.

quota for production this year, burned up a few weeks ago and apparently its quota was destroyed with it. County Agent C. A. Hender-

son, who is secretary of the Klamath Livestock association, wired Senator Charles L. Mc-Nary Friday to the effect that (Continued on Page Two)

## War Bulletin

LONDON, Dec. 4 (AP)-The Morocco radio said today the "larger part" of more than 50 enemy tanks which the axis used in its counter-attack in the Tebourba sector were destroyed or damaged and that axis parachutists who landed in the allied rear had been rendered powerless in short

order. "Violent fighting" is going on in the Mateur sector, the broadcast said, while allied aviation is attacking axis air**Tunis Supply Line** Rises to 6

shipping sunk by allied sea and air battles rose to six Tunisiabound supply vessels, three de-stroyers and a torpedo boat, all apparently sunk within a 24nour span.

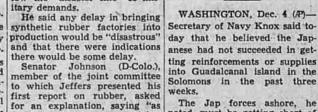
JOIN MEDIT FLEET

Axis Shipping Toll on

These holes in the enemy's sea communications across the Sicilian narrows, announced in British communiques of successive days, countered frantic axis ef-fort, to get new men and sup-(Continued on Page Two)

## **Five Arrested On Shipyard Job**

Rubber Administrator William Jeffers reported today that because other war construction is competing for critical materials the nation's supply of crude rub-ber and synthetics may fall be-low the "disaster line" of mil-



**Jeffers Warns** 

**Of Disaster in** 

**Rubber Output** 

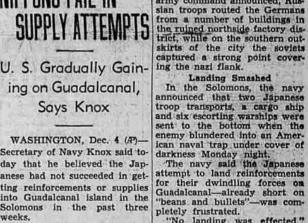
WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 (AP)-

I read that, you say any delay will be disastrous, then you say

Jeffers replied: "Either we get the material to bring the synthetic plants into production, or there will be a delay withing Summing up navy reports of almost constant patrol activity by American forces on the island since the navy's great can visual delay which in my opinion will be disastrous."

Jeffers complained that other fering with the task of obtaining vital machinery for synthetic Salesmen Gasoline

by American forces on the island since the navy's great sea victory of three weeks ago, Knox told a press conference that "we're (Continued on Page Two)



anese had not succeeded in getting reinforcements or supplies into Guadalcanal island in the Solomons in the past three

NIPPONS FAIL IN

weeks. The Jap forces ashore, he noted, must be getting short of supplies. Summing was effected," 'No landing was effected," the navy said, and only a few Japanese sallors, rescued from (Continued on Page Two)

## Former Premier, **French Tennis** Star Arrested

LONDON, Dec. 4 (A)-Reu-ters said the Rome radio broadcast a Vichy report today that Edouard Herriot, 70-year old premier of the French republic.



<ul> <li>satisfaction from the fact that our fighting men have made the Japs taste the bitterness of Bataan.</li> <li>IN Russia and in Africa the big I tides that so thrilled us when they turned OUR WAY have spent their initial force and what we are watching now is the necessary but less spectacular</li> </ul>	FRANCE RAIDED living.	at fury. Six         ere shot down         phase of the         the broadcast         N. Dec. 4 (P)         M. Dec. 4 (P)         N. Dec. 4 (P)         bit forces oper- Tunisia have         ber of prison- opartment re- onsolidating         Formation         Selling Charge         LOS ANGELES, Dec. 4 (P)         Selling Charge         Los ANGELES, Dec. 4 (P)         N. Dec. 4 (P)         Several hundred shipyard work- ers for fees aggregating between         Seized by federal bureau of in- vestigation agents at Long Beach, Calif., last night were the inspector, Charles W. Held; W.	to his understanding of Presi- dent Roosevelt's endorsement of the statement of a committee headed by Bernard M. Baruch, that rubber was the country's "most critical problem." Jeffers mentioned the con- struction of high-octane gasoline plants as one program compet- ing with the rubber plants for materials. Higher Spud Price	A Jeffers spokesman said he took this to mean the salesmen would get more gasoline than now allowed them under their eligibility for "B" ration books. There was no indication how ber 2, after he had written a let-
<ul> <li>satisfactorily, there will be other sweeping tides of success. But before they can come we must do the cleaning up and the consolidating.</li> <li>These jobs have to do largely with communications and supply —getting more men and materials to the hot spots FIRST and</li> </ul>	Ceditor's Note: The drams has been told of the Japanese air and naval defeat in the Bolomons from November 1215 during which as of their ships were such. But We traveled low over the the rear seat, got	anal Battle d, landed and i crawled from on the pontoon	Ceiling Decided, OPA Tells McNary WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 (P)— Oregon, Washington and Califor- nia potatoes will be given a high- er price ceiling, Senator Mc- Nary (R-Ore.) said he was in- formed by the OPA vesterday.	nuch the increase would be or on what terms it would be al- lotted. Pro-Nazi Vichy Regime Strips Petain of Power
ting his men and materials there. His centers of last-ditch re- sistance must be smashed. TAKING the long view, Africa looks like a center of axis last-ditch resistance. El Aghella	battle's end, teiling how a scaplane requed American survivors, including Bob Brusco of Bainier, Oregon.) By WILLIAM HIPPLE SOMEVUHERE IN THE SOLO. had to Lick up the living first.	training which was not given, s possible. He swung onto the s covered with his eyes made r him to see ping for breath a few minutes, crawl onto the	OPA officials have not decided what the new price will be but an order will be issued Decem- ber 10, McNary said. Growers had protested that present cellings were too low to leave a fair profit after produc- tion and handling expense was deducted.	By The Associated Press NEW YORK, Dec. 4—Marshal Petain, a prisoner of the nazis in all but name, virtually has been stripped of power and a new all-out collaborationist reg- ime is emerging in Vichy under the guidance of Pierre Laval, the Associated Press was informed to day by usually reliable
An allied spokesman says to- day the Germans are estimated to have about 14,000 combat troops in the Bizerie and Tunis battle area and "evidently in- tend to stay in Tunisia until the last moment."	equ pment on American-held ing we were going to shoot him. Guadalcanal island. Again our naval forces threw them back. Today I hopped into the sec- ond seat of a seaplane piloted by Lieut, (J. G.) Hubert (Patches) Perry, of Phoenix, Ariz, who An unwilling Jap is dangerous Buddy I	d spotted anoth- beated the pro- grabbed my leg crawl onto the Found shape from ex-	Oregon Still Ranks No. 1 in Lumber WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 (P) Oregon and Washington pro- duced 34.6 per cent of all the	sources. The identity of these infor- mants may not be divulged but they are known to have had ac- cess to authoritative Vichy cir- cles, including persons in high diplomatic places and one man until recently a member of Pe- Hitler intended to tear up the

past two days has been heavy and losses on both sides severe. The edge in the impending test
 area, the water was a mass of
 brances, we had orders to pick with a club. So now Perry We soon saw our first Ameri-me something through cracked

of strength, he says, will go to (Continued on Page Two)) oil littered with boxes, cans, can sailer in the water. He was shell cases, life rafts, life jack- waving weskly. We waved (Continued on Page Two)

I put my ear close to his

## MERRY TO Buy Christmas Seals

board feet.

told c' decelt and coercion ty Laval and his cohorts to bend the old marshal to their will and usual business trip to Paris, but The bureau said Oregon con-toid c' deceit and coercion ty linued to rank as the number Laval and his cohorts to bend one lumber producing state with Washington second. of Petain's own resigned admis-

This former cabinet member France's free zone

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