

Blackout Signal

One 5-minute blast on sirens and whistles is the signal for a blackout in Klamath Falls. Another long blast, during a blackout, is a signal for all-clear. In precautionary periods, watch your street lights.

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Weather News

February 3—High 38, Low 28
Precipitation as of January 20, 1943
Stream year to date 11.67
Last year 7.90 Normal 8.40

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Nazi "Dunkerque" Hinted

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Germans Say These Yanks Their Prisoners



This photo, published in a Berlin magazine, is described by Germans as showing American troops captured in Africa marching to a concentration camp in Sicily after being flown across the Mediterranean. The German publication reaches London via a neutral source.

Five Flying Fortresses Missing After Daylight Bombing Trip Into Germany

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Flying Fortresses raided northwest Germany today and encountered a strong formation of Nazi fighters. Five of the big US bombers are missing.

It was the second time the big American bombers have carried the war into Germany by daylight. In their first raid the naval base of Wilhelmshaven and Emden-shipping industries were bombed on a heavy scale eight days ago.

NELSON ESTIMATES MANPOWER NEEDS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the war production board told the senate military committee today the nation would draw upon a "pool" of 6,400,000 persons this year to meet growing demands of the armed forces and war industry.

Berlin Claims 15 US Paratroopers Escorted to Madrid

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP)—The Berlin radio asserted today that fifteen United States parachute troops who landed by mistake in Spanish Morocco have arrived in Madrid by air from Melilla under guard.

Japs Claim Heavy U. S. Losses in South Pacific

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP)—A Japanese communique reported by DNB in a German radio broadcast today asserted one cruiser had been sunk, one had been heavily damaged and 33 planes shot down in a Japanese attack on "enemy naval forces" south of Santa Isabel island last Monday.

ENEMY FLEETS MANEUVER FOR BIG SHOWDOWN

Navy Silent on Continuing Action at Sea

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Increased aerial activity in the Solomon Islands with two Japanese raids on American positions on Guadalcanal was reported by the navy today in a communique, which told also of American planes hitting at the enemy both on Guadalcanal and at Munda, 180 miles away.

The communique gave no report on damage in the night bombing raids nor was any new information given on sea and air skirmishing reported previously as underway throughout the Guadalcanal area.

The communique, number 271: "South Pacific: (all dates are east longitude) "1. During the night of February 1st-2nd Japanese planes, in groups of from one to four, bombed United States positions on Guadalcanal island."

"2. On February 2nd: Jap Attack "(A) United States ground forces on Guadalcanal island continued the advance to the west and occupied elevated positions west of the Bonegi river. Considerable enemy equipment was captured and 39 Japanese were killed."

"(B) During the night of February 2nd-3rd, Japanese planes again bombed United States positions on Guadalcanal.

"3. Details concerning recurrent engagements between United States air and surface forces and those of the enemy will be announced as long as such information might jeopardize the safety of our forces in the area of operations."

Maneuvers Continue
Like two heavyweight boxers feeling each other out, flicking tentative but punishing jabs here and there, United States and Japanese naval units are maneuvering in the southwest Pacific for a stance from which to throw a haymaker.

From this corner there was only word that air and surface engagements "are continuing," but it appeared from the navy's restraint that a titanic struggle was shaping up for control of Guadalcanal island with its all-important airfield.

John Lewis' UMW Calls for \$2 a Day Increase in Wages
WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Girding for a showdown on the government's wage controls, John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers today called for a \$2 a day wage increase for the nation's 450,000 soft coal miners.

Londoner Gets Her First Banana
LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Elizabeth Taylor, 4, received her first banana today—a gift of Britain's princesses—and her only remark as she eyed it dubiously was "do I have to eat it?"

Lake Salary Boost Goes to Governor
SALEM, Feb. 4 (AP)—The bill to increase the salaries of Lake county officers and the South Lakeview justice of the peace was passed by the senate today and sent to the governor.

Definite Floor Prices Established for Spuds
Government price support and an incentive payment, disclosed Thursday, should have a "considerable effect" in increasing potato acreage this year in the Klamath area, County Agent C. A. Henderson said today.

Registration for Fuel Oil to Be Feb. 15-17 Here
Registration dates for fuel oil rationing have been set for February 15, 16 and 17 in Klamath Falls, the war price and rationing board announced Thursday.

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Holman Drafts Bill to Relieve Labor Shortage
WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP)—Senator Holman (R-Ore.) said today he was preparing legislation designed to relieve the manpower shortage in farm and mine production by releasing "surplus" federal employees for combat duty or war industries.

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