

MAIN STRENGTH BUNCHED NORTH OF AUSTRALIA

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tralian troops which have smashed one Japanese army of 15,000 in New Guinea were declared to have driven the Japanese back about 30 miles from Wau, site of an allied airfield in northeastern New Guinea.

Wau is about 35 miles southwest of Salamaua, a coastal base which the Japanese have held since early last year. There was no official report, however, on how close the allied force was to Salamaua.

Airmen Strike

The Japanese still held numerous bases in the northwestern Solomons, New Guinea, New Britain and the Dutch East Indies to the northwest of Australia.

In other far Pacific areas, American airmen were busy striking blows in China and Burma. Brig. Gen. Claire L. Chennault renewed the offensive against the Japanese along the Burma road, after a month's lay-off due to bad weather, and spilled tons of bombs on warehouses and barracks at Mangshih, 30 miles west of the Salween river, where the Japanese have been making some advances against China's Yunnan province. Huge fires were set.

WMC Orders 48-Hour Week in Lumber Industry

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county, especially this summer, when a labor shortage would undoubtedly be felt.

"I really think it will relieve the potential labor tension here when the 48-hour week goes into effect. Right now we're not in such bad shape, but summer problems need to be considered now," Almeter said.

Lumbermen felt the 48-hour week would eliminate the third shift idea and give those men working on the third shift an opportunity to tie in with the other two shifts in local mills.

Aldermeier voiced the thought that the 48-hour week might result in longer hours for the lumber worker with greater resultant pay. This will make local lumber jobs more attractive, he pointed out, and will cut down the tendency of mill and lumber workers going to other industries where longer hours and more pay is the rule.



(U. S. Army Signal Corps Photo from NEA)

Don't call these fellows Japs—they're nice, or J. A.'s (Japanese-Americans)—two of the scores of loyal U. S. citizens of Japanese ancestry serving in our Army. These members of the 100th Infantry, formerly part of the Hawaiian national guard, man a machine gun post in a camouflaged sector of their training ground.

Falling Hair on Rising Sun



With a captured Jap flag for an apron, an American soldier visits the barber in New Guinea.

MORE ARRESTS OF EVAGUEES MADE SUNDAY

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security forces, and military police were not used.

12 Brought Here

Twenty-two evacuees who were removed from the project last week and brought to the jail here were moved out of the jail by WRA officials Saturday night. Their destination was not disclosed.

A few hours later, the 12 new prisoners were brought here. It is understood WRA officials regard the original prisoners as men who came under the influence of the alleged ring-leaders taken over the weekend. At the time of the first arrests, the young men held were described as "misguided boys."

Potatoes

PORTLAND (AP)—Potatoes, new, Florida, \$3.10-3.15; Texas, \$2.90 per 50 lb. box.

Potatoes, old—Cash and carry price: Deschutes, No. 2, \$1.40 per 50 lb. bag; local, \$3.00 cental.

CHICAGO, March 1 (AP-USA)—Potatoes, arrivals 78; on track 102; total U. S. shipments Saturday 1017, Sunday 72; old stock; supplies very light, trading very light account of lack of carlot offerings, market in confusion and turmoil; new stock, supplies light, demand light, market steady to firm; North Dakota Cobblers, U. S. No. 1, \$3.40; commercials, \$3.35; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs, seed stock, \$4.15; Wisconsin Chippewas, seed stock, \$3.25; Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, \$2.69; Idaho Russet Burbanks, U. S. No. 1, \$3.65; Florida Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, \$2.57-85 per bushel crate.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1 (AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes: 1 California, 1 Nevada, 7 Oregon, 2 Idaho, 2 Florida arrived, 2 by truck; 8 broken, 7 unbroken cars on track; no sales reported.

LOS ANGELES, March 1 (AP)—(USDA)—Potatoes: 2 California, 1 Colorado, 13 Idaho, 1 Texas, 7 Utah arrived, 2 by truck; 10 broken, 32 unbroken cars on track; Idaho russets No. 1 2.89, No. 2 2.59.

Overloading your tires has the same effect as under-inflation. A few extra pounds of air pressure should be compensated for the added weight.

Aeronautical engineers have perfected a "flight recorder" instrument which electrically computes and records data on new types of aircraft to speed their testing and simplify the pilot's hazardous job.

RENO, March 1 (AP)—Gerald G. Scholten, 22, of McClellan field, Calif., and Rebecca Bridges, 18, Klamath Falls, obtained a marriage license today.

American Vengeance Swift and Sure in New Guinea



(NEA Telephoto)

Here is how U. S. Army Air Forces are pounding the Lae area of New Guinea. Photographed from a plane hedge-hopping a mere hundred feet from the ground, a U. S. A-20 attack bomber strafes a road and grounded Japanese planes. That's a disabled enemy bomber at left. Wrecked Jap Zeros are pointed out by arrows. Army Air Corps photo.

Weird Skies Over Hamburg



Ask ask in the night sky over Hamburg painted this weird pattern of fire and light as Lancaster bombers soared over the German port on a raid. One of the bombers is seen in silhouette in this picture taken from another plane at a higher level.

House Completes Action on Tax Reduction Plan

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and 11.62 per cent starting with next year's payments; cut the property tax 10 per cent by giving school districts surplus income tax revenues; and give men in the armed forces an additional \$3000 income tax exemption. The senate has yet to act on all of them except the armed forces exemption bill, which has passed both houses.

There is a good chance that the legislature will pass and refer to the people two measures providing for a 3 per cent sales tax and a 30-mill property tax limitation.

The highway fund diversion bill probably won't provide any funds for cities until after the war, as it is doubtful that the motor vehicle revenues amount to \$11,000,000 a year until the war is over. The cities' bill originally asked for 15 per cent of revenues when the total exceeds \$10,000,000 a year, but the house highway committee pruned it.

Rep. Leig S. Finseth, Dallas, appealed for passage on grounds that cities contribute a third of the motor vehicle taxes and don't get anything back from it.

All tires, whether owned by A, B or C card holders, must be recapped if they are not in proper condition.

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RAF SWAMPS SUB BASE AT NAZAIRE

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RAF is using an increasingly great number of two-ton and four-ton bombs in such attacks. United States bombers hit St. Nazaire Feb. 16.

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ments. It will suggest to you that both are TALKING TO THE JAPS as well as to us—giving them a taste of "war of nerves."

Keeping them guessing as to WHERE the blow will fall.

GERMAN resistance in Russia is stiffening sharply, especially in the Donets basin, which lies on the flank of the route by which the Germans are retiring from the Caucasus.

They may be keeping open the gate for these forces to retire to the new German line along the Dnieper river—as Rommel retired to Tunisia.

Remember, the Russians have been on the offensive a long time. They may be outstraining their supply lines, necessitating a pause for reorganization.

RIBBENTROP and Mussolini confer in Rome. (Hitler himself used to confer with Mussolini.)

They give out a statement that they have reached a "complete agreement of views" to "wage the war with all necessary energy" until they have completely annihilated allied forces and "finally removed from Europe the deadly danger of bolshevism."

NOTE that saving Europe from bolshevism is the latest string in the German propaganda harp. They've been plucking at it for some time.

ON the subject of peace, Finland, like Finnegan, is "off agin, on agin." One day the Finns are going to make peace right away with Russia. The next day they're going to fight it out on this line if it takes forever.

This is the day they're going to fight.

Keep your fingers crossed on all this peace talk.

From Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Post, (Dorothy Brown), are greeting friends in Klamath Falls. They are visiting here for one week with their parents. Both are employed in defense industries in Portland. Prior to their leaving for the north Mrs. Post served as secretary to Mayor John Houston, and Post was with the First National bank here. Post is waiting his call to the U. S. army air corps.

Elastic Gold



Gold Coast may become Rubber Coast before the war ends. Native watches latex trickle down tree in the forests of Ashanti, which lost the race in rubber output to Malaya in 1899, but which have been reopened.

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