

# ADOLF HITLER EMERGES FROM LONG SILENCE

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A German war-dead memorial day gathering at the Zeughaus (military museum) in Berlin, the fourth such assemblage since the war began, that 542,000 German soldiers had been killed since the start of the conflict.

Premier Josef Stalin has set the total of German dead on the eastern front at 4,000,000, and Germany's own admissions of losses in their entrapment and defeat at Stalingrad would appear to make Hitler's total figure for two years of war unduly low.

Army Strengthened  
Hitler told his people the army, despite its losses, was being rapidly strengthened by additional classes of service men and the return of wounded men who had recovered.

At the same time, he said, war production at home, spurred by the new "total mobilization" of the German people, was rising as a result of the utilization of older men, youths and hundreds of thousands of women and girls.

Overcoming Crisis  
Thanks to the sacrifices and heroism of our soldiers on the eastern front we have succeeded in overcoming the crisis definitely into which our army had been plunged undeservedly," Hitler said.

He assured his listeners: "Our front has been stabilized and we have taken measures which will secure in the months ahead of us success until final victory is achieved."

# DEMOCRATS BEGIN CANVASS ON TAXES

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A year proposal. He said he could find no more than six republicans against the Ruml plan. A coalition of dissident democrats with republicans has been in virtually complete charge of legislation on the house floor since the convening of the 78th congress.

On the other hand, Rep. Disney (D-Okla.) said "we will have more republicans voting against the Ruml plan than democrats for it."

The house has 209 republicans and 222 democrats.

# COAL CONTRACT HUNG ON RETROACTIVITY

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and the union and the operators have made counter proposals for continuing negotiations for a month. The UMW offered to continue with the proviso that any contract would be retroactive to April 1, but the operators suggested that the retroactive date be fixed by a governmental agency.

O'Neill said at the conclusion of this morning's closed sessions that coal ceiling prices might have to be raised if the union's demands were granted.

Butter Rationing Sends Housewives On Buying Spree  
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probably see a great increase in consumption of Klamath county grown vegetables and fruits is the opinion of green grocers.

# American Tanks Driving Wedge Into Rommel's Line

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the mammoth allied ground and air offensive which threatens to encircle Rommel in the south. (A British radio broadcast, recorded by CBS, said the powerful aerial action with which the British eighth army opened its attack on the Mareth positions "was very much like the beginning of the battle of El Alamein," dust storms and rain clouds which had hampered operations for days vanished Saturday, it said, and the all-out onslaught was launched in clear weather.

Tanks Top Up  
A column of General Patton's forces thrust due east from El Guetar mopped up Bou Hamran eight miles nearer the coast, and captured more than 100 Italian prisoners. Heavy shellfire by American batteries forced some of the coastal plain.

American casualties in the operation were surprisingly light—one source said they numbered no more than 50—but ambulances shuttled from the front to base hospitals all day carrying ailing wounded.

Supply Problem  
London observers expressed belief that difficult communication and supply problems would hold down the pace of the American advance eastward in central Tunisia from Gafsa. Cautioning against over optimism, one said there was still the job of clearing the enemy from numerous hills in the vicinity of Maknassy. Speculation on the Mareth line operations were discouraged in British military quarters, which said the offensive would take some time to unfold.

Montgomery's crack at the Mareth line, which began Saturday night, was officially reported to be "continuing satisfactorily," but no details were immediately available at allied headquarters.

Air Offense Starts  
The aerial offensive, opened with clearing of the dust storms and rain storms that alternately had harassed the opposing armies, found RAF Bisleys bombing the Tebagha airdrome and its four satellite fields 15 miles northwest of Gabes five times Saturday night. Wellingtons meanwhile struck in force at the docks of Ferryville, in the Bizerte harbor 10 miles from that axis-held naval base.

Boston and Baltimore bombers kept up their shuttle service over the Mareth positions Sunday, duplicating with nine raids the destructive tactics employed to open the battle of El Alamein. Dispatches said great damage was inflicted on enemy positions and transport without appreciable enemy interference.

# Churchill Sketches Dream Of Post-War Order, Peace

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of nations, the United States and Soviet Russia, supplemented probably by regional federations of smaller nations in Europe, because "in Europe the most of the causes which have led to these two world wars."

European Council  
The European council must "eventually embrace the whole of Europe, and all the main branches of the European family must be partners in it," Churchill declared.

Although military affairs were given a secondary place in the speech, Churchill packed a surprise "punch line" at the end—a line not contained in his prepared text—when he revealed that the British eighth army under Sir Bernard L. Montgomery was "on the move" against Field Marshal Rommel's Africa corps at the Mareth line in southern Tunisia, where military observers have been awaiting a decisive clash for days.

Times Reaction  
First reaction of the conservative London "Times" to the prime minister's speech was: "It will be a grave disappointment

to the people of this country if no forecast of forthcoming reforms can be offered while the war lasts."

The laborite "Herald" said Churchill had taken "a progressive conservative" view of post war problems and added it did not believe "our troops in Tunisia will learn with resentment that the civilian population at home is discussing future social issues as well as present military ones."

Peace Remote  
But Churchill postponed well into the future fruition of his social plans when he declared Britain is not diverting her attention from the war to a "peace which is still remote," and urged "ever more vigorous prosecution of our supreme task."

# HERSHEY HITS OCCUPATIONAL DEFERMENTS

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shey was given permission to go into detail at an executive session on Harness' inquiry about factors involved in deferment of members of the moral rearmament movement in New York.

OWI Deferments  
Harness said 750 draft-age employees of the office of war information had been deferred by local boards and 127 OWI workers had not even been classified for the draft.

"I wonder how that could happen," the Indianan commented. "I do, too," Hershey replied. Asked by Chairman Costello (D-Calif.) if many government workers could be replaced by women or men over draft age, Hershey said there was no doubt about it.

The selective service head said approximately 4,000,000 classifications are made monthly by draft boards, and that of 39,000,000 registrants, between 18 and 45 years of age, 7,000,000 are over 38 and 22,000,000 are between 18 and 37.

# AUSTRALIANS SAY NIPPONS SURE TO HIT

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sent limping as a result of two bomb hits from an attack in the Solomon sea. Other raids were made on Gasmata and Cape Gloucester, New Britain, and Madang and Finschhafen, New Guinea. Another enemy ship was left in sinking condition at Borgen bay.

In one of the periodic tiffs between Moscow and Tokyo the soviet newspaper Pravda asserted that Japanese newspaper stories that a soviet ship in the East China sea had been sunk by an American submarine were false.

In Burma allied bombers continued their "milk runs" over Donbalk on the Mayu peninsula north of Akyab, Rathedaung in the same area, the airfield near Toungou in central Burma, and other targets, including a railway line in a gorge in the Katha district, but there was no change in the ground positions.

# ARRAIGNMENT OF TITUS DELAYED

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Arraignment of Bly's justice of the peace, W. E. Titus, charged with first degree murder, will probably not be held for at least two weeks because of Titus' condition at a local hospital, it was learned from county authorities Monday.

Titus is improving after sustaining three shotgun wounds in the shooting affair in which his wife, Erma, was killed at Bly a month ago. His physician has told the county officials Titus cannot be moved to the courtroom for at least two weeks.

The Bly justice was indicted by the county grand jury last week.

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# HUNDREDS FORCED TO EVACUATE HOMES IN RIVER FLOOD AREA

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sandbag fight to keep open the highway north of Hattiesburg to Meridian, Miss. Muddy waters swept away sandbags placed along highway edges through the Bouie and Leaf river lowlands.

Rescue parties near Bogalusa, La. sought the body of Boyd Knight, 26, believed drowned when his boat capsized while he and a companion were rounding up cattle in low swamps.

Extensive flood damage threatened in Alabama as the Coosa, Alabama, Warrior, Tombigbee, Cahaba and Conecuh rivers rose steadily above flood stage. The Montgomery, Ala. weather bureau warned residents to leave lowlands along the Alabama, Tallapoosa and other flooded streams in that area.

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# MARKETS AND FINANCIAL

## RAIL BIDDING GIVES MARKET BRIGHT VIEW

By VICTOR EUBANK  
NEW YORK, March 22 (AP) — Bidding for rails, gold mines and scattered industrials gave the stock market a somewhat brighter appearance today although many leaders were unable to shake off small minus signs.

Carriers, which were buffeted by last week's selling, apparently were benefited by opinions the better grade issues may have been over-liquidated.

While declines were plentiful near the close, gains of fractions to a point or so were well distributed. Transfers were around 800,000 shares.

At new tops for 1943 or longer were Dome Mines, McIntyre Porcupine and Willys-Overland Common and Preferred. In front were Santa Fe, Great Northern, Southern Pacific, U. S. Steel, Chrysler and J. S. Steel. DuPont was a soft spot. Allied Chemical stumbled, as did Westinghouse, Goodrich and Montgomery Ward.

Bonds were narrow. Closing quotations:  
American Can ..... 78  
Am Car & Fdy ..... 32 1/2  
Am Tel & Tel ..... 139 1/2  
Anaconda ..... 27 1/2  
Calt Packing ..... 24 1/2  
Cat Tractor ..... 46  
Commonwealth & Sou ..... 1  
General Electric ..... 35  
General Motors ..... 47 1/2  
Gt Nor Ry pfd ..... 28 1/2  
Illinois Central ..... 11 1/2  
Int Harvester ..... 63 1/2  
Kennecott ..... 32 1/2  
Lockheed ..... 23 1/2  
Montgomery Ward ..... 37 1/2  
Nash-Kelvy ..... 8 1/2  
N Y Central ..... 13 1/2  
Northern Pacific ..... 11 1/2  
Pac Gas & El ..... 27  
Packard Motor ..... 4  
Penna R R ..... 29  
Republic Steel ..... 16 1/2  
Safeway Stores ..... 36 1/2  
Sears Roebuck ..... 65  
Southern Pacific ..... 20 1/2  
Standard Brands ..... 6 1/2  
Sunshine Mining ..... 5 1/2  
Trans-America ..... 7 1/2  
Union Oil Calif ..... 18 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 60 1/2  
U S Steel ..... 53 1/2  
Warner Pictures ..... 10 1/2

WHEAT  
CHICAGO, March 22 (AP) — Selling by commission houses and cash interests, some of which apparently represented hedging, sent wheat prices into lower territory today. Rye and oats slumped with the bread cereal.

Wheat closed 1-1/2 lower, May \$1.44 1/2, July \$1.45 1/2, corn was unchanged at 11 1/2, oats declined 1-1/2 and rye was off 1-1/2.

BOSTON WOOL  
BOSTON, March 22 (AP-USA) — Medium wools were purchased 1-1/2 Michigan at greased prices of 47 cents for clear and 40 cents for rejects. In Illinois 46 cents were paid for clear and 38 cents for rejects. Sales of Montevideo wools of half blood and 1/2 grade were made in volume at a greased in bond price of 40 cents.

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# Markets and Financial

## LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., March 22 (AP-USA)—CATTLE: Salable 1050, total 1300; calves salable and total 100; around 165 cattle carried from Saturday; market uneven, generally steady to strong; canner and cutter cows slow, some bids lower; medium-good fed steers \$14.50-\$16.00, canner steers \$11.00-\$13.00; medium-good fed heifers \$13.50-\$14.50, common heifers down to \$10.00; canner and cutter cows \$7.00-\$9.00, fat dairy type cows to \$10.00 and above; medium and good beef cows \$11.00 and \$13.00, young cows to \$13.25; medium-good bulls \$12.00-\$13.75; odd head \$14.00-25; good-choice vealers \$15.50-\$16.50.

HOGS: Salable and total 1400; market active, mostly 60 above Friday or 75 above week ago; good-choice around 180-225 lbs. mostly \$16.25, negligible lots \$16.35; 240-300 lbs. \$15.50-75; light lights mostly \$15.50; good sows \$14.25-75; good-choice feeder pigs \$15.50-\$17.00.

SHEEP: Salable 1200, total 2150; market active, fat lambs 25-50 higher; good-choice fed lambs \$15.50-75, common-medium grades \$11.00-\$14.00; good-choice ewes \$8.00-\$9.00, common-medium grades \$5.50-\$7.50; one spring lambs \$16.50, first of season.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, March 22 (AP-FSMN)—CATTLE: salable 150, Active, steady to strong; two cars 900 lb. and 1100 good steers \$16.00-25; heifers absent; load Nevada range cows \$12.50, bulk common cows \$10.00-75, most cutters \$9.00-10, canners largely \$8.0-50; medium sausage bulls \$12.00-13; calves none, nominal; good to choice vealers quoted \$14.50-15.50.

Hogs: salable 150. Around 20-25c higher; load good to choice 290 lb. barrows and gilts \$16.05, extreme top; odd good sows \$15.00.

Sheep: salable none; nominal; good to choice woolled lambs quoted \$14.50-15.50; medium to choice woolled ewes quoted \$8.00-9.00.

CHICAGO, March 22 (AP-USA) — Salable hogs 10,000; total 15,000; active, 15c to mostly 25c higher than Friday's average; top \$19.60; bulk good and choice 180-360 lbs., \$15.70-85; most good and choice 160-180 lbs., \$15.00-75; bulk good 360-550 lb. sows, \$15.40-65.

Salable cattle 13,000; salable calves 1000; fed steers and yearlings strong; fairly active; bulk \$14.75-17.00; early top \$17.50; several loads \$17.00-40; some held above \$17.50; stock cattle scarce; firm; southwest medium to good yearlings \$14.00; heifers steady; bulk to choice offerings \$15.65; bulk \$14.00-15.25; cow market active; weighty cutters \$10.50 down; strictly good beef cows to \$14.50; crop very small; supply bulls below trade requirements; and \$14.75 paid freely for weighty sausage offerings; vealers fully steady at \$16.00-17.50.

Salable sheep 5000; total 5500; fat lambs slow, practically no early sales; generally talking around steady or \$16.00-16.50 on good to choice woolled offerings; best held \$16.65 upward; under-tone steady on sheep.

One of Mark Twain's favorite dishes was saucisenkrautkottelbiensauerkrautkranzwurst, a variety of German sausage.

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# Portland Produce

PORTLAND PRODUCE — (AP)—BUTTER: PORTLAND, Ore., March 22 (AP)—BUTTER: AA grade prints, 5 1/2 lbs., cartons, 52 1/2; A grade prints, 5 1/2 lbs., cartons, 52 1/2 B grade prints, 5 1/2 lbs.

BUTTERFAT—First quality, maximum of 4 of 1 per cent acidity, delivered in 70-lb. tubs, 52 1/2; second quality, maximum of 5 of 1 per cent acidity, 52 1/2; valley route and country points, 52 1/2; less than first or 50c; second quality at Portland, 50 under first of 50-50c.

CHEESE—Selling price to Portland retailers: Oregon triple, 30c lb; best, 30c lb; triple to wholesalers 27c lb; best, 27c lb; F.A.B.

EGGS—Nominal price to retailers: A large 41c; B large, 40c; A medium, 39c; B medium, 38c; A small, 37c; B small, 36c.

LIVE POULTRY—Buying prices: No. 1 grade leghorn broilers, 1 1/2 to 2 lbs., 25c; colored broilers under 2 1/2 lbs., 25c; Do No. 1, 25c; colored broilers, over 2 1/2 lbs., 25c; broilers, under 2 1/2 lbs., 25c; over 2 1/2 lbs., 25c; colored broilers, 4 to 8 lbs., 25c; over 8 lbs., 25c; No. 2 grade broilers, no less; No. 1, 25c; early carry, large broilers over 2 1/2 lbs., 25c each.

RABBIT—Production selling: Average country killed, to retailers, 45c lb; live price to producers, 32c lb.

COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers, 100 lb., 25c; 25c; vealers, fancy No. 1, 16c; good heavy, 16c; rough heavy, 15c; runner-cutter cows (new cullings), 15c; No. 1, 15c; early carry, 17c; No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 15c; good, 15c; ewe, poor, 15c.

ONION—Green, 1.00 doz. bunches; Oregon dry, 1.50; Idaho, large, 3.50 50 lb. bag; Idaho, small, 3.50 50 lb. bag; Texas, 3.50 50 lb. bag; new, 3.50 50 lb. bag.

POTATOES—Old table stock—cash and early price: No. 1 (A) Russet, 5.50; No. 2, 4.50; No. 3, 3.50; No. 4, 2.50; No. 5, 1.50; No. 6, 1.00; No. 7, .75; No. 8, .50; No. 9, .25; No. 10, .10.

CHICAGO, March 22 (AP-USA) — Potatoes, arrivals 73; on track 95; total US shipments Sat. 766, Sun. 57; old stock, supplies very light; track trading very light account of lack of carlot offerings; market unsettled and in confusion; new stock, supplies very light, demand moderate; market firm; no track sales reported; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs US No. 2, seed stock \$3.60; Michigan Chippewas US No. 1, seed stock \$3.50; Maine Chippewas US No. 1, seed stock \$4.00.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 22 (AP-USA) — POTATOES: 9 California, 1 Florida, 12 Idaho, 12 Oregon arrived; 5 broken, 17 unbroken cars on track; market firm, Klamath russets combination grade 2.90, U.S. No. 2 2.79.

LOS ANGELES, March 22 (AP-USA) — POTATOES: 1 California, 1 Colorado, 6 Florida, 23 Idaho, 1 Oregon, 1 North Dakota, 1 Maine, 8 Utah arrived, 4 cars by truck; market steady; Idaho russets No. 2 2.59.

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