## **ENGLISH WIN** PAVES WAY TO JOIN PATTON

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Churchill told the house of com-Churchill told the house of com-mons in London that British ar-mor had reached open country yesterday after taking all the key positions in the Wadi el Aka-rit line, and that Rommel was retreating northward with Mont-symers in "hot pursuit." gomery in "hot pursuit." Prisoners Taken

(Six thousand axis prisoners had been captured, he said, after an artillery preparation from 500 guns, a concentration about equal to that which opened the El Alamein battle in Egypt last

(The Algiers radio, in a broadcast recorded in London, said to-night that the eighth army was continuing to advance with tanks and armored cars screening

waves of infantry. Comments Refused

(The German radio in a broad-cast heard by The Associated Press, said competent military quarters refused to make fore-casts on the battle which was said to be in "full swing." Ger-man commentators pointed out. however, that Gen, Sir Bernard L. Montgomery had never gone into action until he was sure of sufficient superiority in men and material.)

The Americans, attacking 40 miles to the west in an effort to link hands with Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's warriors and also to threaten Rommel's rear, launched heavy new st-

Desperate Trys
They tried desperately to dis-lodge entrenched German forces their formidable artillery

that the American tanks went forward about five-eighths of a mile yesterday and that the infantry continued its dogged push through the hills. Thirty Italians were taken prisoner.

#### Thoughtful Thieves Even Leave Gas in Peterson's Car

Thieves who stole County School Superintendent Fred Peterson's car in Salem last

Peterson's car in Salem last weekend were kind enough to drive it carefully.

Unable to find an inside parking place in Salem, the school chief parked the car on the street and removed the keys. When he went back for the car, it was gone.

it was gone.

He telephoned the police, and before long they notified him the car had been recovered in Portland. It showed no signs of mistreatment, when Peterson arrived in Portland on an un-scheduled bus trip to claim the machine. The thoughtful thieves had even left some gas in the

#### Selective Service Men Told Manpower Supply Increasing

WASHINGTON, April 7 (P)-Selective service directors of apthe senate military committee today that supply of manpower for war jobs is increasing through-out the nation.

Closeted with the committee and Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, for more than three hours, the state officials were reported to have attributed the marked improvement to the war manpower commission's recent edict calling up-on workers in 3-A classes to take essential jobs or face reclassifica-tion into 1-A.

#### Farmer Loses Thumb in Mishap

Gerald Wolf, Chiloquin, lost a thumb by amputation at the Klamath Valley hospital today as a result of an accident with a tractor on the Wolf farm on Wil-

liamson river.
Wolf's thumb was mashed when he was hooking a heavy tractor to another piece of equipment.



#### **Potatoes**

CHICAGO, April 7 (AP-USDA)—Potatoes, arrivals 70; on track 95; total US shipments 621; old stock; supplies very light; track trading very light account of lack of offerings of table stock; market unsettled; North Dakota Bliss Triumphs US No. 1 seed stock \$3.65; commer-cials seed stock \$3.40; Nebraska Katahdins commercials seed stock \$3.80; Montana Bliss Tri-umphs fair quality \$3.40.

SAN FRANCISCO, April SAN FRANCISCO, April 7
(AP-USDA) — Potatoes: 3 California, 4 Idaho, 2 Oregon arrived, 8 unbroken, 4 broken cars on track; 242 sacks arrived by truck; market firm; Klamath Russets No. 1, \$3.23; combination grade \$3.01; culls \$2.79; No. 2s, 25-lb, sack \$3.00 per 100 pounds; Idaho Russets, egg-size, \$2.60.

LOS ANGELES, April 7 (AP-USDA) — Potatoes: no arrivals by rail, 7 unbroken, 2 broken cars on track; by truck 3 Cali-

# JURY SELECTED IN

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85-year-old bailiff, D. S. Smith, to hold witnesses in an anteroom.

Lomax gave no reason for his request, nor did he indicate how long he wanted witnesses ex-cluded from the trial room. The first two jurors to be ex-

amined were dismissed, one man because he said he was an employe of the Southern Pacific, a second because he said he was

not open minded. The small courtroom, seating 180, was jammed with 200 inpositions and strong lines of machinegun nests planted in the rocks of Djebel Kreroun, nine miles east of El Guetar.

Latest reports said they had advanced after previous failures.

Dispatches from the front said that the American tanks went

Brinson's name was precipi-tated into the trial early when

Lomax asked the court if an order had been signed appointing L. Orth Sisemore, district attorney of Klamath county, Ore., as assistant prosecutor. The judge said he had signed no such order.

Lomax turned to Sisemore. seated beside Prosecutor Wein-rick, and asked "by whom were

you retained?"

Judge Lewelling told Sisemore to answer.

"By Brinson," Sisemore said. Sisemore first figured in the ase when he aided in investigations the afternoon of January 23, when the train was side-tracked in Klamath Falls, last stop north of the California line

#### **Probate Starts** On Ward Will

Probate procedure on the will of Andrew A. Ward, late funeral director of this city, has started.

Papers showed that the estate was valued at over \$10,000 but not more than \$20,000.

Marguerite Ward has been named administratrix and Clarence Humble is the attorney.





# **BIG JOB FOR**

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which is more than one-fourth of the \$4,000,000 Klamath basin people have invested in war and government bonds since the emergency arose,

Gravely describing the seriousness of the country's position in the war-ridden world, Sammons

"We have not won this war yet-not by a jugful."

He compared the country's danger with that which existed when Lincoln paced the White House floor at the darkest period in the Civil war.

"Don't Depend on Banks"
The country's quota for the
April drive is \$13 billion, and Oregon's quota is \$100 million. Sammons pointed out that the Oregon figure represents \$100 for every man, woman and child in the state, and said the treasury department wants average pur-chases of \$50 exclusive of those made by the country's banks. Sammons spoke off the rec

ord in emphasizing the gigantic job ahead of the nation in winning the war, and pointed out that men on the battle fronts and on the sea must have the support of "soldiers on the fi-nancial front" at home.

"It's a big job, but I know we can do it," said the state drive chairman, who is just back from a trip to Washington.
Attending the luncheon were

approximately 80 interested local people representing labor, business, agriculture, and the pro-fessions. Each person present was asked to act as a committeeman in carrying out the war finance campaign.

#### Nazis Claim Subs Sink 14 Allied Merchant Ships

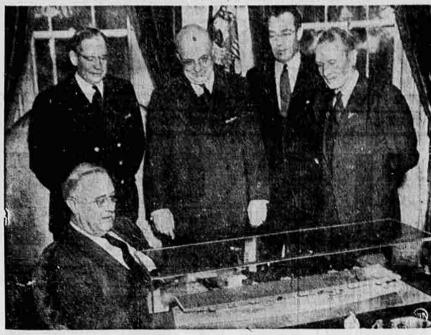
The Germans claimed today that their submarines in the At lantic and Mediterranean had sunk 14 fully-loaded allied merchant ships totaling 102,000 tons, and had also sent a de-

stroyer to the bottom.

The claim was made in a special communique by DNB, broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by The Associated

WOOL MEN PLEDGE

#### Kaiser To Build New Carrier-Six a Month



President Roosevelt is shown as he received a model of the dual-purpose aircraft carries soon to be put on the production line by Henry J. Kaiser and delivered at the rate of six a month by the end of the year. The vessels are destined to serve as airplane transports as well as carriers for naval duty. Shown with the president, seated, are, left to right, Rear Admiral Howard L. Vickery, of the maritime commission: Henry J. Kaiser: Artemus L. Gates, assistant secretary of navy for air; and Rear Admiral Emory Land, chairman of the maritime commis-

### **KLAMATH PRISONER** REPORT CONFIRMED

Two Klamath county men previously reported as prisoners of the Japanese, were included in an official prisoner list announced by the war department Wednesday.

They were: Captain Denton J. Rees, Klamath dentist, taken prisoner in the Jap invasion of the Philippines. His wife, Kathryn, now living at Oregon City, was for-mer county school nurse. Private James H. Orth, son

of Mrs. Edna Orth, Fort Klam-

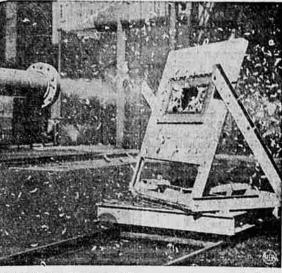
#### CONFERENCE OPEN

WASHINGTON, April 7 (/P) Elmer Davis, director of war in formation, said today the forth coming United Nations food conference will be open to the press.

#### WAR JOB ORPHANS

The office of defense health and welfare service says 341,000 children soon will need supervised care because mothers are Members of the Colorado being called into war industries. The figure is expected to investing 10 per cent of their gross income from 1,500,000 mothers reaches its expected sheep in War Bonds.

#### And the Feathers Fly



Testing airplane safety glass, this gun fires a four-pound dead fowl at speed of 110 miles per hour to simulate conditions under which bird in flight would smash against plane windshield. Ordinary glass, above, splintered under impact, while safety glass merely cracked, eliminating hazard to pilots.



## **TOMORROW!.. 2 TERRIFIC HITS!**



### REDS REPORT SHARP FIGHT ALONG DONETS

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The Germans' newest attacks

south of Izyum against a soviet bridgehead were announced to have cost them more than 500 dead and one of their front lines. No Surprise

Again as in previous days, the Russians said, the army forces did not give way to surprise at-tacks but held together and shifted strength quickly to the sectors under greatest pressure. (The German high command,

in its Wednesday communique broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by The Associated Press, said a German "offensive enterprise" in the central Donets region "reached the planned goal notwithstanding tenacious enemy resistance."

("In the course of a successful assault in the northern sector of the front," it added, "shock troops of a Spanish volunteer division blew up 14 Bunkers and were among the first group to returned with prisoners.")
Russian dispatches said the

German air force was operating in considerable strength up and down the Donets, but was losing heavily under attacks by Rus-sian fighter planes and antiaircraft batteries.

Iran and Iraq together produced 4.9 per cent of the world's oil in 1940.

#### **Allied Bombers** Sock Japanese In New Guinea (Continued from Page One)

land and on Alitit, in the Tanimbar islands, also to the northwest, as well as on enemy positions in New Britain and New Guines.

As allied filers drove home these thrusts to keep the Jap-anese off balance, an official announcement disclosed the return from Washington of the mission headed by MacArthur's chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Richard K. Suth-erland, and Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenney, allied air chief in the southwest Pacific.

Members of the mission said merely that they had presented details of the military situation in this area to Washington of-

### LIONS TAKE OVER MAY BOND SALES

The Klamath Lions club has accepted the responsibility of war bond sales in Klamath county in May. President Gene Hooker has named a committee

were among the first group to get behind the war project, and the May effort will be an expansion of the previous undertakings.

Sergeant Frank J. Huhin of the army recruiting office pro-vided a movie of the army. Guesta were E. Campbell, Dr. M. Cooper, W. Ray Lamb and Lion C. F. Fiske of Salem.

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