

FORTS SWOOP AT GERMANS BY DAY

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way for nearly 48 hours with only minor interruptions. The RAF attack on Turin last night represented the fourth raid on northern Italy in five nights.

Cost Four Bombers
The Turin show cost the British four bombers. One of the bombers belatedly made its way back home after initially being marked down as lost.

Turin got what was officially called a "well concentrated" attack—which meant that many tons of explosives fell upon it, although perhaps not with such a paralyzing effect as in the recent raids on Milan.

Axis troops using the main Mont Cenis railway route must pass through Turin going north.

Blast Airdromes
British fighter planes simultaneously attacked Nazi airdromes and communications in France and the lowlands, and destroyed one enemy bomber over its base.

The three previous assaults on north Italy all were directed against the industrial center of Milan, which was reported in ruins as a result of the repeated concentrated bombings. Milan, apparently expecting another bombardment, had an alert again last night as the British raiders struck at Turin, Swiss radio reports said, but it proved a false alarm.

Rare Sight
Londoners were treated to a rare sight last night as the fleets of British bombers, setting out on their mission, flew directly over the capital—a course they seldom take.

Thousands in the streets cheered as the big planes roared over, one of the bombers signalling by flashing its cabin lights in the "V" for victory signal—three dots and a dash—all the way across the city.

Minor enemy aerial activity, meanwhile, was reported over the Thames estuary and a few bombs were scattered along the coast. Only one fatality and slight damage was reported, however.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Radio-phonograph combination. Plays 10 records. Phone 7292 after 8:30 p. m. 8-17

LOST—A ration book. Willis D. Hawkins, Rt. 3, Box 669-E. 8-19

WANTED TO RENT—1 or 2-bedroom unfurnished house or apartment. Responsible couple, no children. Phone 8081. 8-19

FOR SALE—Equity in 1936 Chevrolet coach, \$190. Phone 3027. 8-21

WANTED—Used cars for auto wrecking. Phone 8763. Roy Call Auto Co., 727 Commercial. 8-23

KLAMATH BUSINESS COLLEGE has just moved into the Melrose Bldg., 325 Main street. Enroll now for a complete business course. Fall classes start August 31. 8-17

2-ROOM partly furnished apartment with garage, \$11. 2335 Shasta way. 8-18

FOR THE BETTER grades of fuel oils, accurate, metered deliveries, try Fred H. Heilbroner, 821 Spring street, telephone 4153. Distributor Shell Heating Oils. 9-13m

2 BEDROOM HOME FURNISHED
Located in good district—hardwood floors, full cement basement, oil burner furnace, Venetian blinds, extra bedroom in basement, breakfast room and other features. Furniture nearly new. Full price \$4000. Terms. J. E. HOSKING
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FOR SALE—Medford Center Barber Shop in Medford. Newest and best equipped shop in town. Sickness reason for selling. 8-19

PHONE 6318 for Quality, Distilled, Clean burning ASSOCIATED BURNER OILS. Every gallon a full gallon of heat energy. BALSIGER OIL COMPANY. 8-31m

LLOYD W. RUSK—Contractor and Builder. Remodeling. 1621 Arthur St. Phone 3405. 8-12m

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in our recent bereavement.
Julia Gienger,
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Greens and Family,
Mr. and Mrs. L. Gienger and Family.



Even jail can have its attractions, if the keeper is a pretty redhead like Mrs. Myra Westray, who has taken over her soldier-husband's job as sheriff of DeWitt County, Ill.

Flying Fort Crash Kills Three Men in Blue Mountain Area

PENDLETON, Ore., Aug. 17 (AP)—A Flying Fortress from the Pendleton army air base crashed in the Blue mountains near Tollgate yesterday, killing three men.

A fourth crew member was believed to have parachuted, but searchers did not locate him at once.

The army public relations office said only four men were aboard the four-engine craft, which left the field on a routine flight at 10 a. m. and crashed in the mountains 14 hours later.

Mrs. James Ralph, a forest service lookout who witnessed the crash, said she saw one man parachuting to earth.

Names of crew members were not disclosed.

Premiere Ticket Supply Dwindles

The ticket supply dwindled rapidly in advance of the premiere showing of "This Is the Army" at the Pelican theatre Wednesday evening. A sell-out was believed assured.

Doors of the Pelican will be opened at 7 p. m. at 7:15 p. m., a Camp White military band will play a concert in front of the theatre. The show will start at 8 p. m., opening with a stage show program featuring Camp White entertainers.

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PORTLAND HOME TO EXCHANGE
for 2 or 3-bedroom home in Hot Springs district. Five-room modern home with floored attic, all hardwood floors, tile bath, fireplace, pipe furnace in cement basement, large corner lot enclosed with trees and shrubs, five fruit trees in back yard, also large sunken fish pond. Five blocks from Rose City park and golf course; one block to bus line, near school. This is a preferred location and immediate possession.
Price \$6500. FHA mortgage \$3500, payable \$32.11 month, which includes taxes.
R. C. DALE
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120 S. 9th Phone 6972 8-18

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At the Weston Hop Yards
3 miles west of Grants Pass, Oregon, on Lower River road. Main crop starts August 20th. Price \$3.50 per 100 lbs. Camp on Rogue river. Camps, trailer space and tents. Tables and benches, electric lights, swimming, and a commissary. Phone 2F5. Rt. 2, Box 342. 8-20

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Dead! THE THIRD FRONT!

Montgomery and Annabella
bomber's moon
Sent Taylor
PELICAN

Premiere Showing Tomorrow, 8:30 Pelican Theatre
* Proceeds * Army Emergency Relief

There's still a few tickets left!
—On Sale—
Pelican Box Office Or Call 4572

This is the Army
The Next Is a Big One!

RHYTHM...ROMANCE...RIOTOUS COMEDY!

Mister Big
Starring JEAN O'CONNOR, RYAN, BLAZE KNOX, Robert PAIGE.

WATCH THIS BOY! He's Going Places

'LONG TOMS' FIRE ON ITALY MAINLAND

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through the bomb-scarred streets of the sprawling hillside port less than three miles from Italy.

Already their 155-millimeter "long tom" artillery had shelled the enemy on the Italian mainland, said dispatches from the front.

The American third division in which Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower once commanded a regiment, reached the outskirts of the city about 8 p. m., yesterday, then stormed into the city this morning. This was the division which was first into Palermo.

Leap-Frog Nazis
Meanwhile a vanguard of the British eighth army, forced to deal with greater demolitions and to set back a strong enemy counter-attack, had leap-frogged to a point eight miles south of Messina by staging a commando landing.

The main force, an allied headquarters communique said, was at Santa Teresa di Riva, approximately 20 miles south of Messina.

Prisoners of War
"Not only all wounded but also several thousands of British, American and Canadian prisoners of war were taken to the mainland," it said. Maj. Gen. Hube was said to have been the German general in Sicily.

(Although admitting that the withdrawal was carried out in the course of "heavy fighting," the Germans pictured the evacuation as a "first class achievement" which had "concluded the fight for one outpost of Europe.")

Landings Help
The lightning advance of the Americans, 14 miles from Messina yesterday, too was facilitated by a sea-borne landing. This latest landing of amphibious troops by the U. S. navy, the fourth such attack in the last 10 days, was near Milazzo and was carried out yesterday morning without great difficulty.

Meanwhile, a naval communique announced that strong allied naval forces were blockading the foot of the Italian peninsula from the Gulf of Policastro, 150 miles up the west coast and half way to Naples, to Cape Rizzuto on the heel of the boot.

Bombard Coast
The sea forces have been sweeping nightly into Messina strait, it was announced, and have carried out a series of bombardments of the Italian coast.

Scales on the south side of the Gulf of Polastro was heavily shelled Saturday night, with 1000 shells thrown into the port in the space of 20 minutes.

Ships Sunk
Yesterday morning warships sank an armored lighter and two escort craft off Cape Bonifati, slightly to the south, and Vibo Valentia Marina, still further south, again was bombarded.

These were in addition to daily bombardments of the Sicilian coast by gunboats and destroyers.

American naval units drove off enemy motor torpedo boats north of Messina yesterday, the naval communique said, and British forces similarly put to flight other motor torpedo boat units near Cape Rizzuto.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 17 (AP)—The axis lost nearly 2000 airplanes in a futile attempt to defend Sicily, the northwest African air forces disclosed to-night as the campaign drew to an end.

Meeting Set to Talk Highway Routes

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police issue licenses to hawkers, phrenologist, fortune tellers, and like persons, without the matter first going through the council and a thorough investigation made.

The report concerning problems between the Klamath Heating plant and the city from Professor Gleason of Oregon State college was read.

The contract for the humane society was read to council members and it was decided that several points should be looked into and discussed before anything further was done on the matter.

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WAVE Recruiter



Yeoman Dorothy England, who will be here all this week at the U. S. navy recruiting substation in the post office, will describe to interested applicants the new billets in the navy's hospital corps, recently opened to WAVES. Opportunities in the hospital corps will be part of the list outlined for applicants by Yeoman England, who is from the Portland branch, office of naval officer procurement.

WMC Broadens List of War Essential Jobs

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—The war manpower commission today widened the scope of its list of 35 essential activities, making some additions and incorporating changes ordered from time to time in recent months.

The activities listed are entitled to preferences in the hiring of workers. They also afford eligibility for special draft deferment for irreplaceable employees, particularly those holding "key" positions.

The revised list, officials explained, did not drop any activities previously included, nor change the supplementary list of nearly 3000 key positions within the designated lines of work.

Changes included extension of coverage to production of construction materials, such as paint and gypsum products; manufacture of portable and pre-fabricated buildings; newsprint work, and production of crutches.

Many changes were technical, such as deletion of the word "rock" before "salt" in non-metallic mining, processing and quarrying work. One made processing of edible fats and oils.

The greatest broadening of coverage, already given in earlier announcements, was in production of pulp, paper and materials for packing and shipping products—but not newspaper, officials said—and production of textiles.

Badoglio Torn Between Peace, German Demands

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oa, Naples, Rome and other cities was intensified by crippled communications.

In Milan, where the people again demanded peace yesterday, storekeepers were ordered to open their shops although the city was still without electrical or gas services, press dispatches said.

An Italian diplomat was quoted as saying that German-Italian relations were now so strained that "it is scarcely an exaggeration to say the third reich henceforth intends to consider Italy as an enemy country."

Italian newspapers, arriving at the Swiss frontier, carry less German news and often omit the German communique.

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SICILY WEDGE IN EUROPEAN BASTION

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mainland, nip off Sardinia and Corsica or immobilize southern Italy while Greece is retaken.

The possibilities for the next move are virtually unlimited.

The Sicilian harbors of Palermo, Catania, Augusta and Syracuse are fully capable of accommodating the huge fleet necessary for another operation.

But that's one advantage in having Sicily—an accumulation of allied shipping there wouldn't necessarily mean the main thrust was coming from there.

It might disguise an expedition moving out from Tunisia toward Corsica, Sardinia or even southern France. Or it might mask one assembling in the Middle East and aimed at the Balkans. Our possession of Sicily automatically redoubles the axis problem of knowing where to commit their main forces on the shores of the Mediterranean.

Speedy Russian Drive Near Bryansk; Nazis Back Kharkov

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to the northeast of the city which may be the start of an encirclement drive as the one which led to the capture of Orel.

The column advancing in the north of Bryansk captured the town of Zhidra, 40 miles north and slightly to the east of Bryansk, the communique said. This force was in position to make a junction with other red army units advancing from Saps Demensk, 80 miles north and slightly west of Bryansk.

VFW Holds Meeting Thursday Night

The regular meeting of Pelican post number 1383, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held in the KC hall this Thursday evening, August 19, at 8 o'clock.

All members are asked to be present as there are important things to talk over. There are also important decisions to be made at this meeting.

Ickes Gets Green Light on 48-Hour Week for Miners

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—With President Roosevelt's approval, Interior Secretary Ickes was free today to order a 48-hour work week for any or all of the nation's coal mines which he has been administering since their seizure by the government.

The action, War Mobilization Director Byrnes declared in a speech last night, was taken "because of the threatened coal shortage." Ickes has estimated that 25,000,000 tons of coal were lost in the mine work stoppages last spring which preceded government seizure of the diggings.

The miners stood to make an additional \$9 a week—six extra hours at time-and-a-half.

Helen Cox Listed As Honor Student

FOREST GROVE, Aug. 17 (AP)—Helen Cox, Klamath Falls; Elizabeth Odie, Salem, and Frank Spencer, Cushman, were among 46 Pacific university students named today to the spring semester honor roll.

BIRTHS

ALLEN—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., on August 16, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, route 3, box 225-A, a boy. Weight: 4 pounds 13 ounces.

KLINE—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., on August 17, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kline, Route 3, Box 982-A, a boy. Weight: 7 pounds 10 1/2 ounces.

Continuous From 1:00 P. M.

NEW TODAY TOWER

REVELLE WITH BEVERLY MILLER
2nd Great Hit

"After Midnight With Boston Blackie" with Chester Morris Ann Savage

PINE TREE

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Quebec Conference Designed to Harry German Nerves

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It has been obvious all along. Dooten said, that these planners have been here. Probably most of their names never will be released, so as to avoid any disclosures which might be useful to the enemy.

Arrangements have been completed to receive the American chief executive here shortly for his sixth formal war council with Prime Minister Churchill.

Eisenhower May Attend
(Don Iddon, London Daily Mail correspondent, suggested in a dispatch from Quebec that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower may attend the meeting and added that he might already be in Canada, though he said this could not be confirmed.)

"There is a growing impression in Quebec that allied leaders and the military staff are waiting for something or someone—not just President Roosevelt," Iddon wrote. "It may be they are waiting for Eisenhower."

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)

Secretary of State Hull said today that he may go to Quebec to join conferences between President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill, explaining that his participation would mean that political aspects of the war situation were being discussed.

After Hull replied to the question about the possibility he would go to Quebec, another reporter at his press conference asked whether relations between the United States and Russia were involved in the Canadian discussions. The secretary replied he was not advised as to the particulars. Hull added that relations with Russia had been cordial and friendly, with a splendid spirit of cooperation in the prosecution of the war.

Rome Reports Invasion Fleet Off Sicilian Coast

OTTAWA, Aug. 17 (AP)—The Rome radio said today that a large allied invasion fleet had been sighted off Catania on the east coast of Sicily.

Invasion barges were declared laden with troops and tanks. The report, recorded by the Canadian Broadcasting company, was not confirmed by an allied source.

Navy Tells of Three Bombing Missions On Kurile Japs

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—The navy disclosed today that three rather than two bombing missions have been directed against Japanese positions in the Kurile islands in the western Pacific north of Japan.

The first raid was attempted on July 10. The second on July 19 and the third on August 12 were announced shortly afterward in navy communiques.

In the initial action, the navy said, the weather was bad, the planes had to fly blind and could not see the targets when the bombs were released and it was not possible to tell definitely whether the explosives actually fell on enemy positions or into the ocean.

Hannah Dempsey To Appeal Divorce

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Aug. 17 (AP)—Hannah Williams Dempsey filed in supreme court today a notice of intention to appeal from the interlocutory divorce decree obtained by her former husband, Lieut.-Comdr. Jack Dempsey.

The decree, awarded to the former heavyweight boxing champion on July 7, would have become final October 16.

Reservations Made For Army Men Here

Arrangements had been made at a local hotel Tuesday for reservations for 40 army aviation men for Wednesday night.

Purpose of the visit of the army aviators was not divulged.

LUMBER PRODUCTION TOTALS ANNOUNCED

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 (AP)—Lumber production in 1942 totaled 36,401,895,000 board feet, according to revised estimates issued today by the war production board.

Chief producing areas in 1942, with a breakdown of their total production figures: north Pacific, 11,456,542,000 board feet; south, 11,028,264,000 board feet; central pine (North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia), 4,016,467,000 board feet; central states, 2,610,242,000 board feet; south Pacific, 2,329,740,000 board feet; northern Rocky mountain, 1,363,509,000 board feet; Lake states, 1,246,764,000 board feet, and New England, 1,036,263,000 board feet.

CITY BRIEFS

Contact Police—City police are trying to contact Roy C. Johnston, about 51, and believed to be working in the woods around Klamath Falls. His wife, Mrs. Johnston from Wallaceton, Mass., would like to get in touch with him.

Forester Visits—Assistant State Forester Dwight Phipps is on an official visit to the Klamath area. On Tuesday, he and Charles Ogle of the Klamath Forest Protective association made a trip over forest areas east of here.

Return to Rodeo Springs—Monroe Kinsey and Malcolm Epley Jr., young forestry workers, returned to their station at Rodeo Springs in eastern Klamath county on Tuesday, after a brief furlough with their families in Klamath Falls.

Practice—The ritualistic chairman of the Women of the Moose announces that there will be ritual practice Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Moose hall. All officers, guides and escorts will please be present.

Card Party—The drill team of the Women of the Moose will sponsor a card party Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the Moose hall, to which the public is invited.

Missionary Society—The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet in the church parlors on Thursday at 2 p. m., for a business meeting, study hour and social hour. All circles unite for this meeting.

Friendly Circle—Agnes Lowe will be hostess to the Friendly Circle August 19. Members desiring transportation will meet at 12:30 at Nona Hall's, 915 East Main street.

American Legion—There will be a regular meeting of the American Legion, Klamath post No. 8, on Tuesday night, August 17, at 8 o'clock in the Legion hall. Progress of the bond drive will be reported. Preliminary plans for the initiation of officers will also be discussed and refreshments will be served.

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RAINBOW

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"Son of Fury"
"Rolling Down the Great Divide"
TOMORROW
The Mad Russian at his best!

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• LET'S HAVE FUN! •
with Bert Gordon • Margaret Lindsay

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