

# SOVIETS GRAB VITAL PORT, FOUR CITIES

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river Desna, captured three towns on the west bank and was now fighting for the town of Novgorod-Seversk, 100 miles southeast of Gomel.

This drive, breaking an important German defense line, appeared headed toward Gomel, rather than Bryansk, 95 miles northeast.

The fall of Chaplino marked a racing 80-mile advance in two days since the capture of Stalino and threatened to trap the retreating nazis to the north and the south by cutting the roads to Dnieper-Opetrovsk and Xaporozhe—only bridges over the lower Dnieper.

Mariupol's capture returns to Russian hands all of the three great ports on the Sea of Azov—Mariupol, Rostov and Taganrog.

The port and metallurgical industry center, only 100 miles short of the railway to the Crimea, fell as the result of an amphibious and airborne operation in which Russian seamen and airmen landed west of the town.

The special order announcing the wholesale gains, signed by Premier Joseph Stalin, gave no clue to the fate of the defense forces, many of which likely were trapped by this cut-off maneuver.

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## EDITORIALS ON NEWS

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have some sort of grip on it. Yesterday's rumors that we are landing there have not been borne out in the news today.

**THE** Germans are said to have seized (how FIRMLY doesn't appear) the Dalmatian and Albanian coasts on the east side of the Adriatic. (These coasts are the back door to the Balkans.)

There are reports from two separate sources today that a powerful allied convoy, protected by warships, is steaming through the Ionian sea into the Adriatic to land an invasion force before the Germans can get firmly set there.

There's a fairly dependable report that we've landed another invasion force at Taranto, the naval base inside the heel of the boot.

(A part of the Italian fleet is supposed to have been holed up there.)

AS to the rest of the fleet, the air is full of wild stories.

A part of it is said to have fled the base of La Spezia, below Genoa, and to be raiding GERMAN CONVOYS in the Ligurian sea, above the island of Corsica. The Germans claim to have inflicted severe damage on the fugitive Italian ships with their bombers.

Other fugitive Italian warships are said to have shown up at Gibraltar and surrendered to us.

**WHAT** would German convoys be doing in the Ligurian sea? Maybe reinforcing Corsica and Sardinia. Or maybe TAKING OFF GERMAN garrisons.

**ROMMEL** is said to be in command in northern Italy. Whatever Italians may have done there, the Germans seem to be in possession of the Brenner pass.

There are rumors that the passes over the Alps into France are held by Italians, who are stopping troop trains.

The Balkans are seething, but no explosions are reported.

**LITTLER** comes out of his hole to make a speech, the gist of which is that Germany is wild and Italy, which never was much good to her anyway. (The speech has the flavor of sour grapes.)

**ANY** guess today has to be a wild one, but it certainly looks like Germany has decided to make a fight for it in Italy.

Take a look at your map. Size up Italy's vastly long coastline. Remember that we have control of sea and air in the Mediterranean, and seem to be able to LAND wherever we choose to make the attempt. We have strong, well-equipped forces all around the Mediterranean.

The Germans, if they elect to fight for their lives in Italy, will have high and rugged mountains, with few and difficult passes, IN THEIR REAR.

**MAYBE**, if our leaders were choosing the place for a showdown fight with Germany, they MIGHT CHOOSE ITALY.

## FUNERALS

### NEIL JACKSON HOWARD

Funeral services for little Neil Jackson Howard of Malin, Ore., who passed away on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, will be held in the Assembly of God church at Tulelake, Calif., on Sunday, September 12, 1948, at 2 p. m., with the Rev. George M. Kasparian, pastor, officiating. Commitment services and interment family plot in IOOF cemetery, Merrill, Ore. Friends are invited. Arrangements are under the direction of the Earl Whitlock funeral home of this city.

### JAMES LYMAN LOGUE

Funeral services for the late James Lyman Logue, who passed away in this city on Wednesday, September 8, 1948, following an illness of two weeks, will be held in the Bonanza church, Bonanza, Ore., on Saturday, September 11, 1948, at 2:30 p. m. Commitment services and interment follow in family plot in Bonanza cemetery. Friends are invited. Arrangements are under the direction of the Earl Whitlock funeral home of this city.

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**PINE TREE**

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## Balkan Tinder-Box Flares; Hitler Cries About Italy

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said to have newly occupied Albania and the whole east Adriatic coast.

A tiny, mountainous country bordering Greece and Yugoslavia, Albania fell to Italian invaders in 1939.

A Swiss broadcast said allied landings in Albania were imminent.

### Italian Naval Forces Surrender

Surrender of the first units of the Italian fleet was reported in dispatches from La Linea, Spain, which said two Italian light cruisers, two destroyers and two auxiliary aircraft carriers arrived at Gibraltar and gave up to the allies.

On the Italian front, capture of Italy's great port of Naples, 100 airline miles south of Rome, appeared imminent as allied headquarters announced that U. S. 5th army troops who swept ashore in the Naples vicinity 24 hours earlier had crushed German resistance in the area.

### Naples Fighting

A bulletin from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters said the Americans smashed five German counterattacks in the Naples region.

Strong nazi forces were hurled back in the immediate vicinity of Salerno, 20 miles south of Naples on the Gulf of Salerno, and the Americans and British troops then pushed inland.

Berlin reported that a violent sea-air battle was in progress off the Italian west coast between German bombers and a powerful flotilla of Italian warships fleeing to join the allies.

### German Shipping Attacked

A nazi broadcast said the Italian naval formation "on Anglo-American orders was attacking German shipping between Sardinia and Corsica," and asserted that German planes had sunk a battleship and a cruiser.

"Another battleship, a cruiser and a destroyer were severely damaged by bomb hits," the broadcast said.

"The battle with this naval formation is still in progress."

### Heads Toward Allies

Radio Rome said three 35,000-ton Italian battleships, along with a flotilla of cruisers and destroyers, had left the naval base at La Spezia on the northwest Italian coast and were heading toward allied ports.

Berlin had previously asserted that units of the long shore-

bound Italian navy had "joined the German navy to continue the fight."

Unconfirmed reports reaching Madrid from the Swiss-Italian frontier said British troops, under the protection of U. S. warships, had landed at La Spezia.

### Rapid-Fire Developments

Other rapid-fire developments included:

1. A flurry of contradictory reports arose over the status of Italy's King Vittorio Emanuele III.

Stefani, the official Italian news agency, denied unconfirmed Swiss frontier reports and a Berlin broadcast asserting that the 73-year-old monarch had abdicated in favor of his son, Crown Prince Umberto, 39.

Berlin said the king had "resigned."

### Sabotage Urged

In a broadcast beamed to the Italian people, urged them to strike at German lines of communication and declared:

"The next seven days will be decisive."

3. German troops, moving to block a possible allied thrust into the Balkans from southern Italy, were reported by the Hungarian news agency to have occupied Albania and the entire eastern Adriatic coast.

## Mexican Help For Spud Harvest to Arrive Sunday

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from Malin, and just across the road from John Craven's ranch. Facilities for migratory laborers will be available at the Mexican labor camp, Glenn Ratcliff of the Portland WFA office revealed.

Growers who ordered men for the tenth of the month should make plans to start their crews on September 13, if possible, Assistant County Agent Bob McCambridge said, and growers who ordered their men for September 20 can start to use the workers any time after they arrive.

However, if the grower who made the request cannot use the men before the 20th, an effort will be made to place the workers so they can begin work immediately and continue there until they are needed by the grower who requested them.

**Transportation** from the labor camps to the fields is to be provided by the grower, and McCambridge suggested that they complete plans for adequate transportation as soon as possible.

**Sentence to Be Passed on Moss Friday Afternoon**

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ing connected with the writing and cashing of bad checks and that he had at one time spent 30 days in the city jail on a misdemeanor charge.

Rose Ellen Tucker pleaded not guilty to the larceny charge. She was placed under \$2000 bond.

## OBITUARY

### NEIL JACKSON HOWARD

Neil Jackson Howard, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. Howard of Malin, Ore., passed away near his home on Wednesday, September 8, 1948. He was a native of Lambert, Mont., and at the time of his death was aged 9 years, 3 months and 10 days. Surviving, besides his parents, are two brothers, Charley Jay and Lawrence; Ray Howard of Malin, Ore.; also the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howard of Eugene, Ore., and Mrs. Alice Herbst of Lambert, Mont. The remains of little Neil Jackson rest in the Earl Whitlock funeral home, Pine street at Sixth. Notice of funeral to be announced in this issue of the paper.

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## AERIAL ASSAULT ON CONTINENT PAUSES

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dividual plane flights—were flown by Flying Fortresses, Liberators, Marauders and Thunderbolts in the joint non-stop bombing of Nazi airfields in France and channel emplacements and in collaboration with the unprecedented dress rehearsal of a cross-channel invasion.

The RAF fighter command alone flew more than 1500 sorties yesterday.

## Retroactive Pay Disputes to Get WLB Rehearing

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were companies petitioning for a rehearing.

The rehearing on the case will be before a panel of the war labor board with Dean Wayne L. Morse acting as chairman.

Disputed points will be settled for the individual company, and the decision will affect only that company. Various points were referred to the panel by different companies, some disputing the retroactive pay decision and others asking the panel to decide on some contract matter.

Decision on the retroactive date of pay came through August 18, setting July 13 as the beginning date. The order was made effective August 28, and companies were ordered to pay the retroactive increases to employees within ten days.

## Bond Buying Leaps With Grant Game Ticket Sale

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000 buy, and Crane Mills of Bly bought \$20,000.

Balsiger Motor company bought a \$10,000 bond.

Eagles lodge bought a \$500 bond, and the Klamath Falls Firemen bought \$1000.

### Random Sales

Here are some others picked at random from sales at banks, the bond headquarters, chamber of commerce, etc.:

Scottish Rite Masons, \$3000; Loren Miller of Fort Klamath, \$1000; Ray Cyr of Quartz Mountain, \$500; G. C. Palmer of Chemung, \$500; Louie Pollin, \$1000; Henry Semon, \$1000; A. M. Collier, \$500; Robert Brett, \$1000; Walgreen's, \$2000; Floyd Rich, \$500; E. C. Adams, \$700; R. K. Hannon, \$1000; Oscar Moeller, \$500; Mike and Elizabeth Shanahan, \$1000; Herald and News, \$5000; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shepherd, \$2200. These were only a small portion of the bonds sold.

Andrew M. Collier, county war savings chairman, said that at the close of business Thursday, first official day of the drive, county sales had reached \$350,000, and several of the larger sales announced today had not yet come in.

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