

# SOVIET TROOPS PUSH ON INTO WHITE RUSSIA

the Taman peninsula opposite the Crimea.

**More Towns Fall**

Terekhovka, only 22 miles southeast of Gomel, rail junction in lower White Russia, was captured by the red army attacking westward above Kiev, the communique said.

More than 230 villages were seized in that drive and 350 fell to red army columns which gained up to nine miles in the advance on Mogilev, 110 miles north of Gomel, it was said.

Nearly 300 localities were declared seized on the Vitebsk front, where another nine mile gain was scored.

The bulletin did not report any further progress of its armies hauled up on the east bank of the Dnieper opposite Kiev.

**MOSCOW, Sept. 27 (AP)—** Pushing on from captured Smolensk with the aid of a sudden spell of good weather, red army troops moved deeper today into White Russia, drawing hourly closer to the Gomel-Mogilev-Russia-Vitebsk German defense line on the banks of the Upper Dnieper river.

**Swampy Land**

The Russians have already reached the swampy, marshy, forest-covered land characteristic of White Russia. Progress from now on may be expected to be decidedly hampered should the arrival of fall bring rain or snow. It should be remembered that when the Germans plunged into White Russia in 1941 they were forced to by-pass much of this swampy land.

A dispatch to the communist party organ, Pravda, said that as the Russians approached Gomel, the fighting was becoming more violent, with the Germans throwing in large numbers of tanks in an attempt to halt the advance.

## Patricia Collier Injured in Auto Crash on Lake Road

Patricia Collier, 18, employed by the Southern Pacific, suffered a painful injury early Sunday morning en route to Lake o' the Woods when a car in which she was riding struck a tree in an effort to miss hitting a deer which ran across the road.

Miss Collier was admitted to Klamath Valley hospital where the attending physician performed surgery on her tongue which was virtually severed. Another passenger in the car required attention for cuts. Miss Collier is the daughter of Mrs. Helen Collier of Redmond.

## Man Is Not a Fighting Animal

By EARL WHITLOCK

It was recently stated, during a debate in the British Parliament, by some speaker, that man is naturally a fighting animal and that his fighting instincts would probably bring about war after war as long as this earth shall last. And nobody denied the assumption.

But it should have been denied, and promptly, for there is not the least ground for thinking that primitive man waged wars. None of the other animals do it, except, possibly, the ants and the bees. And under primitive man's mode of life, war was too dangerous a pastime—it could too easily have extinguished him completely. Primitive man wasn't at all anxious to make a down beat on the cranium of some other tribesman. He had plenty of troubles without that. Even his early weapons were made for the hunt first and were not used for war until centuries later.

Man responds very slowly, to be sure, but very surely, to his environment. In prehistoric times, war was too dangerous to be indulged in. And it is getting that way again. And in its increasing danger lies the most certain indication that, eventually, there will be lasting and permanent peace.

Next Monday Mr. Whitlock at the Earl Whitlock Funeral home will comment on "COURTESY PAYS."

## EDITORIALS ON NEWS

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Russia is the BIG FACTOR in the war from here on in Europe and in whatever may FOLLOW THE WAR.

There is still heavy fighting in Italy. Today's dispatches describe it as "ferocious." The Germans in the Naples area are resisting stubbornly. They have been resisting stubbornly from the start of the fighting.

Against bitter enemy resistance, it is announced today that in 24 days of fighting we have pushed one-sixth of the way up Italy.

The most significant news from Italy is that the Germans are abandoning Foggia, on the Adriatic side.

At Foggia, there is one important airport and 12 satellite fields. That is to say, it is a great air base. Foggia is about 600 miles from the Rumanian oil fields, which are now the Germans' principal oil supply.

Once we are established there, constant pounding of these oil fields may be expected.

## Former Bend Theatre Man Dies Suddenly in Condon

Oscar Whittington, retired Bend businessman and former owner of the Bend theatres, died suddenly Sunday night at Condon where he was visiting at the home of friends. Mr. Whittington is the step-father of Mrs. Charles Whisenant of this city. She left Monday morning for Bend.

Funeral services and burial will take place in Bend. Mr. Whittington, whose age was given as near 65, had visited here frequently. In addition to his wife and step-daughter, he is survived by two daughters in Portland.

## Thunderbolts Cover Forts over Emden

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que said. All returned safely, while one enemy bomber was destroyed over its base in Holland, the bulletin declared.

Flak was light as the Fortresses sent their bombs away over the targets, but no Nazi fighters rose to challenge them.

All American planes returned, but two RAF fighters were listed as missing from an offensive patrol over France earlier in the day.

## Plans Complete for Camp White Bond Sale Drive Show

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sing in a chorus to participate in a local prologue:

Conrad Schultz, Elmer Balsiger, Dr. C. J. Cox, Carl Schubert, Cliff Hogue, F. F. Fleet, Roy Rakestraw, Dr. C. F. Harris.

Marshall Cornett, Howard Dewey, Elton Disher, Jack Linnam, Malcolm Epley, Clarence Nelson, Glen L. Evans, Gary Cozad, Claude Davis, John Houston, Ray Ruger, Frank Peyton, John Ebinger, Vern Moore, Carl Urquhart, Charles P. Vandoren, Burge Mason Jr., Harold Franey, Jack Franey, Arthur Mason, Frank Ramsey, John A. Penny.

**Cooperation Praised**

E. B. Hall, Elks bond drive chairman, called attention to the Ivory Pine incident as an example of the fine cooperation Elks have received. He pointed out that this was a voluntary bond sale that netted a nice sum for the county quota.

During the evening, bonds were awarded to Butler Baugh, Walt Ellingson, Velmond Cary, George Butler and M. P. Kendall. At an auction conducted by Walter La Casse, Ivory Pine bond chairman, many generous purchases were made.

Two dinners at the White Lunch cafe, Bly, were bought at \$800 by Bill Rhea of Ivory Pine, Clark Abbott of Bly, Mrs. M. P. Kendall of Beatty and Hugh Patton of Weyerhaeuser camp 6 bought \$500 bonds, and Ed Phillipson at Beatty bought two \$500 bonds.

## Baseball

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 2 5 1  
Cincinnati ..... 3 9 1  
Lee, Matthews (7), and Semnick; Shoun and Mueller.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

R. H. E.  
Cleveland ..... 2 5 1  
New York ..... 5 6 3  
Reynolds and Rosar; Borowy and Sears.

R. H. E.  
Detroit ..... 6 14 1  
Boston ..... 3 9 1  
Trucks and Richards; N. New-some and Doyle.

The words "Back the Attack" are no mere slogan. They exactly describe what we must do, and do now, if we are to win this war.—Treasurer Secretary Henry Morgenstau Jr.

## FINSCHAHFEN JAPS RISK Pincer MOVE

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or less distant, was still a third allied ground element, a section of the Australian jungle troops who debarked on the coast six miles north of Finschhafen five days ago.

Today's communique from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters placed the force from Lae at Haniach harbor, nearly two-thirds of the way to Finschhafen from its starting point.

**Near Coast**

The inland army of the pincers from the north was said to have touched Sattelberg, northwest of Finschhafen and six miles from the coast, as long ago as September 24. Since then it may have approached much closer to the Japanese base.

But the main body of the seaborne Australians presented the enemy with his most pressing problem. These seasoned jungle fighters were reported to be scarcely three-quarters of a mile from the heart of Finschhafen itself and to have come up against the core of enemy defenses on the north—sturdy earthworks and elaborate trenches.

**Insure Post**

There, in the face of stiffened resistance, the pace of their advance slowed, but a headquarters spokesman gave the Japanese no cause to believe their positions were secure.

The drive was slackened, he explained, only so reinforcements could be brought up and the final attack made with full assurance of success.

**No Respite**

There was little respite, either, for enemy forces holding mountain positions in the interior of northeastern New Guinea or seeking to withdraw to less immediately vulnerable bases along the north coast of the island.

Allied Alracobra attack bombers and big four-engine planes made two sweeps September 24 and 25 along the upper Ramu river valley and supply trails linking it with Madang. Bridges were blasted, roads destroyed and troop centers set afire by 75 tons of bombs. Transport columns and bivouacs were ripped by scores of thousands of machinegun bullets.

## Germans Drop Victory Hopes, Says McNarney

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP)—The German high command abandoned hope of victory several months ago, and since then has concentrated on an attempt to stave off defeat and emerge with what at best could be only a stalemate, Lieut. Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, deputy chief of state, asserted today.

Addressing a conference of industrial and labor leaders and newspaper editors and publishers called by the war department, McNarney said the shift in German hopes was disclosed when Germany reduced drastically its production of bombers to concentrate on fighters.

"This step, taken months ago," McNarney said, "was the first visible evidence that Germany had abandoned the offensive and was seeking through defensive action what at best could only be a stalemate."

Throughout the productive ages the risk of death for a married man is less than half that for a bachelor, the disparity reaching the striking ratio of one to 10 for alcoholism in late middle life.—Dr. J. V. De Forde, New York State Health department.

Autumn is the time of year when father finally gets around to fixing that hole in the screen door.

## Top Pin-Up Team



Swiftest diaper pinner—on at servicemen's contest in New York was Seaman 2nd Class Glenn Soper—and he hadn't had any previous experience. His obliging partner was 13-month-old Maryann Fennelly.

## War Frauds Charged Shipbuilding Firm

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of \$2000 on each transaction which the court finds constituted a false claim, and double damage on each loss the government has sustained.

Dennis stated the defendants fraudulently charged to maritime and navy department construction, conversion and repair contract work the cost of materials, manufacture and labor for their own use, including time not actually worked by the employees.

## Tri-Partite Pact Observed by Axis' Defiant Shouting

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to follow the Italian lead in capitulating.

**Warning Issued**

In the warning addressed to those who believe that "one war partner can simply step out of the war if it no longer likes the drive," the newspaper Voekisch-er Beobachter, Nazi party organ, said:

"Any nation which today believes it is able to steer its small national or private ship safe and sound through the waves of world tempest will have to pay for it severely one day."

Otherwise, both Tokyo and Berlin propagandists said that Italy never really amounted to anything, but at the same time Japan extended recognition to the remnant of Benito Mussolini's fascist regime.

## FUNERALS

### FRED GOTTFRIED KONZACK

Funeral services for the late Fred Gottfried Konzack of Merrill, Ore., who passed away in this city on Saturday, September 25, 1943, following an illness of one month will be held in the First Presbyterian church at Merrill, Ore., on Tuesday, September 28, 1943 at 2 p. m. with the Rev. Donald D. Dod, pastor, officiating. Commitment services and interment family plot in Merrill cemetery. Friends are invited. Arrangements are under the direction of the Earl Whitlock Funeral home of this city.

### JOSEPHUS RABOURN

The funeral services for the late Josephus Rabourn, who passed away in this city on Saturday, September 25, 1943, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral home, 925 High street, on Tuesday, September 28 at 2 p. m. The Rev. Victor Phillips of the Methodist church will officiate. Commitment services and interment will follow in the family plot in Linkville cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Ward's Klamath Funeral home in charge.

## OBITUARIES

### GEORGE BERNHARDT JANSEN

George Bernhardt Jansen, a native of Klamath county, Ore., passed away in this city on Sunday, September 26, 1943 at 3:30 p. m. following an illness of one week. He was a native of Antelope valley, Klamath county, Ore., and at the time of his death was aged 28 years, 9 months and 6 days. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Thelma Jansen, and one daughter, Sandra, Genita Jansen of this city; his mother, Mrs. Sady Jansen of Swan Lake; two brothers, John Jansen of this city and Cornelius of Swan Lake; one sister, Mrs. Christine Neuberst of this city. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine street at Sixth.

### JOHN ROGER BRADBURN

John Roger Bradburn, for the last 50 years a resident of Bonanza, Ore., passed away in this city on Monday, September 27, 1943 at 8 a. m. following a brief illness. He was a native of Waldron, Scott county, Ark., and at the time of his death was aged 59 years, 7 months. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Anna Bradburn of Bonanza, Ore.; one sister, Mrs. Rose Keese of this city; four brothers, Alfred of Pelican City, Alex of Beaver, Ore., Barney of Reno, Nev., and Charlie Bradburn of Oklahoma. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral home, Pine street at Sixth. Notice of funeral to be announced later.

### JOSEPHUS RABOURN

Josephus Rabourn, a resident of this city for the past 33 years, passed away in Klamath Falls Saturday, September 25, 1943. The deceased was a native of Grant City, Mo., and was aged 83 years, 2 months and 13 days when called. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. D. A. Kenyon; one grandson; one granddaughter and three great-grandchildren of this city; two twin brothers, Joseph and John, both of Adrian, Mo.; one sister, Mary Keeton of Kansas City, Mo. The remains rest at Ward's Klamath Funeral home, 925 High street, where friends may call. Notice of the funeral will appear in this issue.

Anybody can buy all the war bonds they can. A real patriot buys some he "can't". People who drive at break-neck speed are liable to!

## CASSANO FALLS; EIGHTH ARMY NEAR FOGGIA

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for attacks on all parts of the Balkans and much of Germany's southeastern domain.

### Nazis Retreat

The German communique admitted that Nazi army groups were carrying out another of their retreats "undisturbed by the enemy" in the eastern sector after destruction of traffic installations, but declared attacks northwest and northeast of Salerno were repulsed.

In capturing Cassano, the Americans drove to a point 18 miles northeast of Salerno and only 10 miles southeast of Avellino, which with Benevento, forms two of the main hubs of German communications in the area east of Naples. Benevento is 15 miles north of Avellino.

### Plunge Up River

The troops of General Clark also plunged up the Sele river, farther to the east, for a gain of four and a half miles and captured Calabritto, a mountain community 27 miles east of Salerno. The town is just north of Valva, whose capture was announced yesterday.

In the central mountain sector, the British also were marking up steady progress and extended their lines beyond Muro, 18 miles northwest of Potenza and 38 miles directly east of Salerno.

### Straight Line

The allied lines thus ran almost straight across Italy in a northeasterly direction, with only a slight bow in the middle.

The British-American occupation had been pushed up approximately one-sixth the length of the Italian boot in 24 days.

Although the Germans were falling back northeast of Salerno, allowing the Americans to drive a wedge between their forces around Naples and those deeper inland, the fighting was bitter and at close quarters to the north and northwest of Salerno immediately along the coast.

### Storm Carries

Here the 5th army stormed and captured "limited objectives" in a sustained offensive, a headquarters spokesman said, but three or four miles of tough mountain going remained before the British troops there could break through to the open Naples plain. From their mountain crests, however, the British overlooked the plain.

Front line reports said the fighting there was more ferocious than anything seen in the Middle East, North Africa or Sicily since the British breakthrough at El Alamein in Egypt nearly a year ago.

In their new advance General Clark's Americans left the Salerno plain far behind and took mountain heights dominating an elaborate network of highways, some of which lead to Avellino, the center of resistance for the whole area inland from Naples.

### Slackening Signal

The slackening of German artillery fire was the first signal that the Germans were withdrawing, and the Americans at once began pressing the retreating enemy closely.

Messages from the front said the Americans now were consolidating their lines and straightening out their avenues for supplies, preparatory to the next big push, which might take them to an east-west road leading to Avellino only two miles north of their present position.

The enemy rearguards had demolished practically every bridge and road, however, and considerable repair work was necessary to open the flow of supplies.

## Legion Leader



Warren Atherton, above, of Stockton, Calif., is the new American Legion national commander. He was elected at the Omaha, Neb., 25th annual convention and succeeds Roscoe Waring, of Memphis, Tenn.

## Diplomatic Harmony Prevails as Welles Bows to Stettinius

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announced with "sincere regret" by President Roosevelt in a statement which gave Mrs. Welles' health as the reason. There had been reports for some time of fundamental differences between the undersecretary and Secretary Hull.

### Sudden

The appointment of Stettinius, who had not figured prominently in speculation over a possible successor to Welles, was announced with such dramatic suddenness that he had to cancel plans for attending a ship launching in San Francisco and fly back to Washington.

It is probable that he and Harriman will accompany Secretary Hull to Moscow next month for a meeting with the British and Russian foreign ministers, preliminary to a Roosevelt-Stalin-Churchill conference.

### Moves Told

In further preparation for important developments in foreign economic and relief fields, the president announced these moves:

The appointment of former Gov. Herbert H. Lehman of New York as special presidential assistant to complete plans for next month's organization meeting of the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration. Lehman has been mentioned as a likely director general for this international agency.

The consolidation, under Leo T. Crowley, of the office of economic warfare, the lend-lease administration, the office of foreign economic coordination, and the office of foreign relief and rehabilitation operations. Much of the latter office, now headed by Lehman, probably will be absorbed into the United Nations set-up.

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## GRAIN HARVESTING NEAR COMPLETION

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ticularly worrying about. Anderson said, is the continued good weather which is holding up the potato harvest. Usually by this time of the year the basin has had at least one good frost, but this year nights have not been cold enough to do more than freeze potato fields in spots. This will delay extensive potato picking probably until the middle part of October. Most years harvesting begins during the first week of October.

On the other hand, early spuds, which do not keep well, but which are all right for immediate use, are being harvested and shipped out in quite large quantities, Anderson said. These spuds are in demand by dehydration plants, military camps and metropolitan centers where they are used right away. These potatoes, however, cannot be shipped for any long distances, as there is danger of their spoiling before they reach their destination.

"Mighty glad to see you boys," must be a common expression with coaches these days.

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