

# GI'S DESTROY TWENTY TANKS IN SMASHES

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two miles of the hinge town of Lesay. On the inland side of their front, Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley's men opened another attack at dawn against the road junction of St. Lo, digging out entrenched Germans with bayonets. They struck from points two miles north and four northeast of St. Lo, and cut the road from St. Lo northeast to Bayeux in the push closing in from the east side of town.

**Pushed Back**  
To the east, British-Canadian lines were pushed back between the Odon and Orne rivers, and the village of Louigny southwest of Caen was lost, supreme headquarters said. German armored resistance has been especially strong in the Caen sector.

But the British held solidly to their line in the trans-Odon river salient, and to "Crucifix Hill" northeast of Esquay despite the most violent efforts of Marshal Rommel's 11 divisions to retake it. A whole German regiment of up to 3,000 men was liquidated, and hundreds were captured.

**Push Forward**  
Footslogging American first army infantry pushed forward slowly on a 48 mile front below the throat of the Cherbourg peninsula within two to four miles of St. Lo, important provincial capital of 15,000. St. Andre-de-L'Epine was by-passed, enveloped, then captured.

For the second day running, the GIs struck at dawn but this time after only slight artillery preparation. They advanced slowly over soggy fields and marshland littered with burned out German tanks, thrown swiftly into the fray. The German intention, a front line dispatch said, had been to press with tanks through the narrow beachhead to Isigny on the sea and thus split Lt. Gen. Omar Bradley's front.

On the west coast below La Haye du Puits, the GIs cleared the great forest, Mt. Caestre, to the southeast.

Medium and light American bombers intervened explosively in the ground fighting, striking the fuel supply of Marshal Rommel's tanks and trucks behind the line. They also strafed German reserves moving up to St. Lo, and hit a bridge near Paris.

# Roosevelt Reported Ready to Request Wallace For Second

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vention is free to make its own choice.

**Lays Weapon Aside**  
Four years ago, he refused to accept renomination until Wallace was guaranteed a second place. But the president laid aside the weapon he used in 1940 when he announced yesterday that:

"If the convention should... nominate me for the presidency, I shall accept. If the people elect me, I will serve."

**To Fend for Self**  
The 1944 strategy emphasized a belief of many democrats that, with a presidential pat on the back, Wallace will be left to fend for himself against a dozen other potential nominees.

Thus it looks like a horse race, with Wallace in the pole position; for his backers claim he is assured of 319 of the 589 convention votes required for renomination.

**Opposition Exists**  
Plenty of opposition to the Iowa exists within the party, however, particularly in its southern elements. And Capitol Hill heard talk of organized campaigns for such other possibilities as Senate Majority Leader Barkley and Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas.

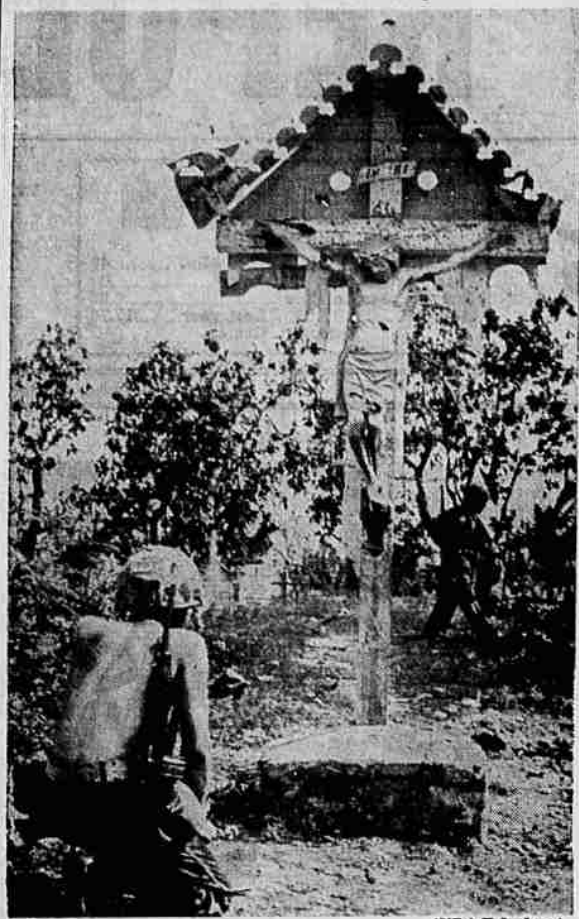
Wallace, just back from a trip to China and Siberia, is staying away from his office. But he is seeing numerous politically-minded people at his hotel.

He lunched with Mr. Roosevelt yesterday, soon after the latter's fourth term announcement, played a couple of sets of tennis in Washington's searing heat, but had nothing at all to say about his own political position.

He did issue a statement declaring Mr. Roosevelt's fourth term announcement "a great relief" to tens of millions of Americans and to hundreds of millions in the allied world.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

# Devout Yank on Saipan



During the lull in Saipan fighting, this devout Yank pauses for prayer before shrapnel-punctured crucifix in Chamora cemetery, near battered Garapan.

# CHINESE DIVISIONS MEET AT MOGAUNG

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Hertz valleys and south of a line running from Mogaung to Myitkyina except for stubborn remnants of the Myitkyina garrison. These still are clinging to deep dug perimeter defenses but their elimination is merely a matter of time.

**Air Activity**  
Considerable air activity was reported despite the monsoon. Americans bombed an airfield at Lashio, terminal of the Burma road.

A strong Japanese force near Chepu, southwest of captured Ukhrul, has been routed after a two-day battle. The Southeast Aisa command announced today, and the position of enemy forces remaining in India was declared becoming rapidly worse.

Escape routes south and southeast of Ukhrul were blocked at many points. Following on the heels of two beaten Japanese divisions, British troops have pushed to Onghim, nine miles to the southeast, in an advance after the final dispersal of enemy units threatening Nohima and the Imphal plain.

# Turkish Entry Into War Eyed In Ankara

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should enter the conflict, plus a definite idea of precisely what would be expected of her.

**Points Unanswered**  
The Turks are convinced that failure to participate in the war would be against the nation's long-term interests, but they also feel that failure to get satisfaction at least upon the first of the two points mentioned might result in even greater future ills.

The allied representatives admit both points are difficult because of the uncertainty about the post-war world and the hesitancy of allied military leaders to reveal their military plans to a neutral whose capital still is overrun with enemy representatives.

# Lt. Noble to Leave On New Assignment

Lt. Jack Noble, public relations and recreation officer at Camp Tulelake, will leave Thursday for the east coast for an overseas assignment. Lt. Noble has been at Camp Tulelake since September, 1943, and through his work he has many contacts with the people of the Tulelake district and Klamath Falls.

His successor as public relations and recreation officer at Tulelake is Lt. Wayne M. Holmes, who also has been at Tulelake since last September.

# TROOPS KNOCK LARGE HOLES IN NAZI LINES

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tactically to the nazis, although resistance continued there.

As the Russians sped onward, the German radio commentator Kurt Dittmar last night gravely warned the German people that "the supreme test" now has come, since "the distance between us and the battlefield has almost vanished."

**State of Alarm**  
(The office of war information quoted the Stockholm newspaper Tidningen as reporting the "highest state of alarm" in East Prussia.

(Afton Tidningen said the Germans had closed the frontiers and mined all approaches, adding that "the people fear Russian parachutists will land before the actual attack on East Prussia."

**Workers Shifted**  
(The article declared further that 300,000 foreign workers in East Prussian factories have been shifted to the interior of Germany because of fears they might "attack the German troops in the back.")

Bright hot and clear weather gave the Russian Stormoviks, Boston bombers and the new soviet medium bombers a chance to get out in tremendous numbers against the retreating German columns. An observer just back from the front said the Stormoviks have been chopping German communications to shreds.

This observer, an allied officer, said the terrain of White Russia in which the soviets now are operating is excellent for air attack since it is covered with deep forests, lakes and swamps, forcing an army to use easily seen lines of communications.

# Large Increase In Postal Receipts Noted

Postal receipts for the first six months of 1944 showed a startling climb of almost \$21,000 over receipts for the same period of time last year, according to figures disclosed Wednesday by Postmaster Burt Hawkins.

A total of \$94,015.40 was collected by the postoffice the first half of this year against \$73,151.58 for the first six months of 1943. Receipts for last month alone totaled \$17,353.67, nearly \$500 more than the figure for June, 1943, which was \$12,496.53.

Postmaster Hawkins attributed the large increase in receipts this year to the fact that Klamath's population has become considerably larger with the influx of construction workers to this area as well as the establishment of the Marine Barracks and Klamath naval air station here.

# Japs Evacuate School Children

NEW YORK, July 12 (AP)—The Tokyo radio said today that approximately 300,000 school children had been evacuated from Tokyo to rural districts since July 8 in line with the Japanese government's plan to move children from important Japanese cities as a precaution against further American air raids.

The broadcast, recorded by the federal communications commission, said that "thus far, third to sixth grade school children having provincial relatives have been evacuated from important cities throughout the country, while school children who have no local relatives have been evacuated in groups throughout the islands."

# Mrs. Emma Dodson Dies In Prineville

Word has been received here of the death of elderly Mrs. Emma Dodson at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neece (Bertha Dodson) of Prineville.

Mrs. Dodson was an old-time resident of Lakeview and had made her home here for many years, attending grade and high schools here. Funeral services for Mrs. Dodson will be held this Saturday in Prineville.

# Road Commission Denies Lights On South Sixth

PORTLAND, July 12 (AP)—The state highway commission opened bids on four highway projects today after denying a Klamath Falls request for a lighting system along South Sixth.

The commission ordered trial run safety tests to determine if it should grant the Curry county Pomona grange permission to use large trucks on the Lower Coast highway.

It took under advisement a request of the North Lincoln county chamber of commerce for curbs along the Oregon Coast highway at Ocean Lake, Delake and Taft.

# Governor Wins Washington Vote

SEATTLE, July 12 (AP)—Governor Arthur B. Langlie won the republican nomination for second term, with more votes than all the other four candidates in both parties, on returns from nearly 2000 of the state's 3184 precincts today.

Democrats nominated Rep. Warren Magnuson and the republicans chose Tacoma's mayor, Harry A. Cain, an army major on military leave overseas, to compete for U. S. Senator Homer T. Bone's seat next November.

Nearly complete returns showed a close race between Robert H. Harlin and Fred J. Wetrick for first district congressman, with Hugh de Lacy, Washington Commonwealth Federation president, leading his nearest competitor, Howard Costigan, by 2000 votes for the democratic choice.

# Tokyo Radio Reports Attack

NEW YORK, July 12 (AP)—The Tokyo radio in a broadcast reported today by the federal communications commission, said that between July 1 and 10 "770 enemy aircraft" had raided Guam and admitted that "some damage was suffered by our side."

The broadcast asserted 94 of the planes had been downed—a claim totally unsubstantiated by American announcements of air losses at Guam.

A later Tokyo broadcast, also recorded by the FCC, quoted an imperial headquarters communique as saying that the Japanese air force in the China area had "shot down" 11 United States planes between July 3 and 11 against a loss of seven planes.

# Four Enlist In Navy Here

Courtney (Jack) Dawes of 3542 Summers lane has been sworn into the navy with the high rating of machinist mate first class, according to Dan Schreiber, navy recruiting officer here. Dawes was an employee of the Southern Pacific company before he enlisted.

In addition Schreiber announced the enlistment of three more 17-year-olds. They are Kenneth Fickett of the Evans apartments, Michael J. Leahy of 144 Main, and G. L. Hamblin, Jr. of 1820 Johnson.

# VITAL STATISTICS

HINDMAN—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., on July 11, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hindman, Bonanza, a girl. Weight: 6 pounds.

DOD—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., on July 11, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Dod, Malin, a boy. Weight: 7 pounds 8 ounces.

RUGG—Born at Hillside hospital, Klamath Falls, Ore., on July 11, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hugo, Malin, a boy. Weight: 7 pounds.

# Sailor Bills



(U. S. Navy photo from NEA)

In new roles and uniforms, Lt. Bill Dickey of Yankees, left, and Ensign Bill Hulse, America's, left, will 4:06 miler, examine model of battleship at Naval Training School, Fort Schuyler, The Bronx.

# Dewey Bricker



If there's anything in a name, Dewey Bricker, above, Frankfort, Ind., railway conductor, should be a dyed-in-the-wool Republican, but he's a staunch Democrat. However, he says he's undecided how he'll vote, come November.

# Two-Week Tour Gives Yanks View Of Red Efforts

MOSCOW, July 12 (AP)—A two-week flying tour of the vast Russian interior beyond the Ural has given a group of Americans a first-hand view of the red army's central Asia arsenal and all said they were impressed by the tremendous energies unleashed in the soviet war effort.

The group included Eric Johnston, president of the U. S. chamber of commerce, who is now en route back to America; Blaw Calder, first secretary of the U. S. embassy, and four correspondents.

# Robertson Trial Underway In Court

Trial was underway Wednesday in circuit court for Dolphus Lee Robertson who is being tried on a larceny by embezzlement charge. Robertson is accused of taking in the neighborhood of \$300 about a month ago from the Rialto where he was employed.

The jury had been selected by noon today.

Handling the state's case is District Attorney L. Orth Sismore and Deputy District Attorney Clarence Humble. F. O. Small is attorney for the defense. Circuit Judge David R. Vandenberg is hearing the case.

The word "sherry" comes from Spain. Spaniards called their favorite wine "jerez," and Britons spelled it "sherris," later changing it to "sherry."

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# JAPS SMASH NEAR TINGTAK IN OFFENSE

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was in progress in the Hengyang area and charged that the Japanese again were using poison gas there.

A delayed dispatch from a forward base of the U. S. 14th air force quoted Brig. Gen. Clinton D. Vincent, 29-year-old commander of the eastern China composite wing, as saying that the Japanese drive in Hunan province had been stopped and the next job for the Chinese-American ground and air combination was to rout or destroy the foe.

**Underestimate Power**  
Chinese quarters in Chungking, however, were revising their view that the crisis in Hunan was past in the light of the Japanese advance in Kwangtung province. Vince said that the Japanese woefully underestimated the power the 14th air force would bring to bear against the Hunan drive.

As a result, the dispatch said, Vincent's wing shattered the Japanese supply line virtually unopposed, although the Japanese were known to hold a numerical superiority in planes available there.

**In Striking Distance**  
The Japanese came within striking distance of Yingtak through a 25-mile advance from recently occupied Tsingyun, 40 miles north-northwest of Canton. In Hunan province, where the Chinese are trying to dislocate Japanese plans by flank attacks and operations in the enemy's rear, there appeared to be no decisive change.

One thing became clear—that reports circulated last week of a general Japanese retreat in Hunan were quite incorrect. The Chinese held on to Hengyang and scored local successes in other sectors, but no such thing as a large scale Japanese withdrawal occurred.

# Rucker Arraigned On Burglary Charge

Ansel O'Neill Rucker was arraigned in justice court Tuesday on a charge of burglary not in a dwelling.

He is accused, according to the complaint, of entering the carpenter shop of Joe Kellefer of Bly on July 9 with the intent of committing larceny.

In court, Rucker waived preliminary hearing and he was committed to the county jail in lieu of \$1000 cash bail.

There is a raccoon ranch at Milan, O., which breeds between 1500 and 2000 animals for forest distribution annually.

"If more coffee is desired, place spoon in saucer; if you've had enough, let it remain in the cup," states an 1880 etiquette guide.

Forty-five million quarts of milk are delivered daily to homes and stores in the United States.

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# CIO Says Oregon Delegates Bound To Wallace

PORTLAND, July 12 (AP)—The 21,800 write-in votes given Vice President Henry A. Wallace in the Oregon primary bind delegates to the democratic national convention to vote for his renomination.

So declared the CIO executive board and the CIO political action committee for Oregon in a joint resolution adopted yesterday.

The CIO bodies instructed Douglas Anderson, the union state political action director, and a convention delegate, to report names of delegates who do not vote for Wallace.

# Shipyard Worker Charged With Murder

SEATTLE, July 12 (AP)—Heberling, 34, married shipyard worker, today was charged with first degree murder of Harry Louise Lindstrom, 14-year-old neighbor, formerly of Miami, Fla., who was beaten and stabbed to death in her bedroom Monday. Detective Capt. Wesley N. Miller said Heberling confessed he slew the girl to stop her screams when she resisted a criminal attack.

Heberling, recovering from self-inflicted wrist wounds, was questioned about Seattle's woman found throttled to death.

The girl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lindstrom, were in seclusion with friends at Tacoma, pending Lutheran funeral rites here late today.

# Troop Train Deaths Reach 34

JELICO, Tenn., July 12 (AP)—The death toll from a troop train wreck in Narrows gorge near here Thursday night rose to 34 today with the army announcement of the death of Pvt. Ray W. Parker of Trenton, O.

Parker's death in Oak Ridge hospital was the 31st fatality among army enlisted personnel.

# Incorporation Plan Before Commission

A plan to incorporate the district south of town in the area of South Sixth into the city was brought before the planning commission at its meeting Tuesday afternoon. A survey is being made in the district and action will soon be taken.

Another item brought before the members of the commission was the drainage of a flat in the Altamont district. This flat is now in the nature of a swamp.

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