

HEAVY FORCE MASSSED FOR NEW ASSAULT

"Inauguration of United Air Lines proposed Pacific inland route between Portland and San Francisco will give a much-needed transport service and be a large contribution toward post-war employment," Harvey Hancock, assistant to the president of United Air Lines told a delegation of Klamath Falls businessmen here today.

Hancock and a group of United officials and civil aeronautics administration representatives arrived at the preliminary survey to inspect the airfield along the proposed new route, of which Klamath Falls would be an important part.

The Mainliner transport which flew the party here from Seattle had just been returned to United by the army and was being flown to San Francisco for training purposes and reconditioning prior to being placed on regular scheduled service. In addition to Hancock, the party included C. C. Richerson, regional manager of operations; Capt. W. D. Williams, western superintendent of flight operations; Ray Gohr, western flight supervisor; Ernest Weiss, superintendent of mechanical operations; Glenn Vance, supervisor of cargo; Capt. Elmer Taylor; Capt. William Groehn; Pascal Cowan, manager news bureau and Ray Hess and O. G. Johnson, civil aeronautics board airport engineers from San Francisco.

United Air Lines has filed an application with the CAB to inaugurate regular service from Portland to Bend to Klamath Falls to Chico to San Francisco. Hearings before the CAB will be held at Washington, D. C. on October 16.

"The effort that your community has put forth in submitting briefs to the civil aeronautics board will be invaluable in obtaining air transportation for your city," Hancock said.

He pointed out that should the application be granted, actual service would have to await the receipt by United of additional equipment from the army.

"Shortly after the outbreak of hostilities, the airlines of the country turned over to the government a great portion of their planes. Although a number of these have since been returned, we are still far short of the fleets we had in 1941," said Hancock.

Hancock disclosed that his company is even now planning ahead for post-war development and expects to be employing approximately 20,000 persons within four years after cessation of hostilities. Present plans call for the use of the present Mainliner as well as four-engine transports similar to those now in use by the air transport command.

Naval, Air Blows Continue Softening Of Guam

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"First magnitude" by pointing out Japan expended more than 1000 planes during the campaign and also sustained a naval defeat in efforts to hold it.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, in reporting carrier plane raids Monday on Guam and Rota, disclosed the enemy air bases there have been so effectively smothered that no fighter opposition was encountered although a bomber was shot down over Rota.

The raiders fired rockets into military installations along the west shore of Guam, first U. S. territory to fall into Japanese hands at the outset of the war, and cratered Rota's runways.

Nimitz also announced a 50-ton bombing of Truk Monday by army Liberators from the Marshalls, concentrating on a naval base at that bypassed enemy stronghold in the central Carolines.

On the nature of liberal education in the next 25 years depends, in a measure, the future of American civilization and, so much as we are involved in the world, perhaps of the world itself. Prof. Irwin Edman of Columbia U.

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Arrows indicate allied attacks along the front in France. American edged ahead to capture Graignes south of Carentan and took Pont Herbert north of St. Lo. A German counterattack threw the British out of Maltot on the beachhead across the Odon river southwest of Caen. (AP wirephoto).

MUNICH BLASTED IN THIRD BOMB RAID

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ed that opposition from the German air force was encountered for the first time in the series of attacks on Munich and Saarbrücken, and that 10 bombers and five fighters of the eighth air force were lost while eight enemy aircraft were shot down.

Munich is a transportation center for railroads and roads between Germany, Italy and France and the attack fitted into the rapidly snowballing campaign threatening to cripple German transport over all western Europe, the same as it now is disrupted in the northwest corner.

9000 Tons of Bombs
The Munich area now has received about 9000 tons of American bombs in three days, making it probably the most intensely bombed region on earth.

Berlin said also a fleet was striking from Italy, as on the last two days.

Strike Rails
A large fleet of 1300 RAF bombers without loss before dawn struck two of the most important rail centers in central France. Other British bombers from Italy battered the Brescia rail yards in northern Italy by night. The Finns said Russian air forces joined the general melee by bombing their port of Kotka east of Helsinki.

Saarbrücken is a major steel and coal center nearly athwart the western German border on a main trunk line to Paris, 200 miles due west. Mosquitoes during the night had stung targets in the nearby Ruhr.

Fighters Convoy
Up to 500 fighters convoyed the thousand American bombers to Munich and Saarbrücken, making the total forces slightly less than the 2000 or so planes which struck Tuesday and Wednesday. As on the last two days, the planes flew through murky weather and bombed through clouds.

Air force officers said that German communications in northwest Europe are so snarled that traffic to the Normandy front must be worked laboriously by routes south of Paris.

The allied "cavalry of the sky" has been systematically wrecking traffic-lines in southern Europe, from the Balkans to the Atlantic. The bombardment of Munich is a logical part of this campaign which has struck heavily and repeatedly at rail yards in Budapest, Vienna, Bucharest, Sofia and Yugoslavia.

**More Flying Bombs
Fall on England**

LONDON, July 13 (AP)—The Germans fired a fresh batch of winged bombs against England today as the bombardment of London stirred a flurry of parliamentary questions in commons and some members renewed demands for a secret session on the problem.

Deputy Prime Minister Clement R. Atlee curtly rejected a suggestion that the government had been caught unprepared and napping. As to a secret session, Atlee said "at present the prime minister does not see that he can usefully add anything to what he has said."

Cream supplies energy to the body. Milk is fairly low in calories and is not a fattening food. One quart of milk furnishes as much energy as nine eggs, or as three-fourths of a pound of beef-steak.

**EARLY NEWS BY
LOWELL THOMAS**
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Japanese Forces Gain In Drive On Canton Railway

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Yengyang, in an attempt to cut enemy communications on the Siang river, which supply the enemy around Hengyang.

Chinese troops battling forward in the Salween river sector have taken the last important position outside the city walls of Tenchung. Japanese strong point, the Chinese high command announced today.

Heavy Casualties
Chinese units in the same sector inflicted heavy casualties on Japanese attacking Chinese positions east of the Burma road town of Mangshih and forced the enemy to withdraw, it said.

The U. S. 14th air force gave aerial support to the Chinese on widespread fighting fronts. Some American planes entered the battle in Kwantung, where they inflicted considerable damage on Japanese river shipping.

In Hunan province other American planes further disrupted enemy supply lines and the 14th air force was given a large share of credit for arresting the Japanese advance.

**Prussia Danger
Grave As Reds
Smash Forward**

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miles of Russian guns to the northeast.

Withdraw
LONDON, July 13 (AP)—The German radio said tonight that Nazi troops were withdrawing along the border of the general government of Poland and that soviet tanks have broken through the "thin German security line" west of Baranowice.

Baranowice is on the main route from Minsk to Brest Litovsk, 122 miles northeast of Brest Litovsk.

Daugavpils, gateway to the Baltic sea and Riga, was feeling increasing pressure of two huge approaching Russian armies. Already its garrison was like one surrounded in Wilno in Lithuania, bracing for the coming blow.

Latvian Offensive
The newest disaster to befall the Germans was Gen. Andrei I. Yeremenko's offensive against the Latvian republic, which in its first two days gobbled up more than 1000 villages in a breakthrough which front dispatches said was now 100 miles wide and 25 miles deep north of Gen. Ivan Bagramian's first Baltic army.

Yeremenko, fresh from his victories in the Crimea, moved to within 18 miles of the border of the Latvian soviet republic on the main Velikie Luki-Riga railway.

1000 Nazis Killed
A Moscow communique said more than 7000 Germans were killed and about 1500 taken prisoner in a single day's fighting on the new sector.

Front dispatches pictured this latest offensive as well under way and said the Germans were falling back pell-mell.

(The Berlin radio, apparently preparing the German people for news of a large-scale withdrawal along the entire eastern front, said: "It is obvious that the front cannot remain as it is. There are two alternatives. One is a large-scale counter-offensive and the other the adaption of the entire front to new lines. Since we are on the defensive in the east, the second alternative is the one to be applied.")

The Mexican dragon-lizard has a five-inch body and an 18-inch tail and can run across water on its hind legs without sinking.

BRADLEY MEN STRIKE BLOWS AT ROAD TOWN

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head across the Vire river by pushing forward a half mile west of Pont Herbert and a mile south. They were approaching Meenil Durand, three miles northwest of St. Lo.

They also retook the village of Le Desert, which had been in No-Man's-Land, and turned back sharp German counter-attacks.

Squeeze Mounted
A similar squeeze was being mounted against Lessay, 21 miles northwest of St. Lo, where the Americans were pushing forward on two sides of their objective.

Southwest of La Haye du Puits and northwest of Lessay, they cleaned out a coastal area, advancing a mile to Bretteville-Suray, which was now in American hands, and occupying Besterie.

Through Vesly
To the northeast of Lessay the doughboys pushed through Vesly to a point only two miles from the town.

Farther to the northeast, a four-square-mile salient was wiped out as the Americans pushed forward south of swamplands from captured Gorges and St. Germain, 4.8 miles north and three miles northeast, respectively, of the road junction of Periers.

Pinch Salient
Eastward across the Periers-Carentan road, Bradley's teams further pinched another salient between St. Lo and Periers by capturing St. Andre d'Bohon and Gournay.

Meanwhile, the situation around Caen at the eastern end of Normandy battlefield remained a stand-off, with the British capturing Maltot, four miles southwest of Caen in the bitterly contested Orne-Odon triangle, but losing Colombelles, 3 1/2 miles northeast of Caen, in another of the bloody battles that have marked this sector.

Panzer Concentration
Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's 21st army group headquarters announced that the "bulk of German panzer strength, amounting to more than five divisions, still is concentrated in the Caen area."

(The Paris radio said 32 divisions had been concentrated in the 14-mile stretch from St. Lo to Caumont to the east, and a Nazi front-line correspondent reported that the allied artillery barrage was the heaviest yet encountered).

170,670 Reported In Coast Guard

WASHINGTON, July 13 (AP)—The coast guard reported today a total personnel of 170,670 as of March 31, with New York having the largest representation of all states—19,946.

Statistics showing the number of coast guard personnel, including SPARS from all states, placed Pennsylvania in second position with 12,274 and Massachusetts third with 11,783.

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Turk Cooperation Foreseen

WASHINGTON, July 13 (AP)—Laurence Steinhardt, American ambassador to Turkey, said today that we could expect "much closer cooperation" from Turkey soon.

Steinhardt, who left Ankara a week ago, saw President Roosevelt this morning and said he discussed the general situation with him.

Reports from Ankara in the past two days indicated intense diplomatic activity there forecasting some spectacular development.

Steinhardt said he had returned to report on Anglo-American-Russian conversations with the Turks which began a few weeks ago and are still going on.

BATTLE CASUALTIES NEAR 1918 TOTALS

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killed; 77,499 wounded; 38,142 missing and 38,197 prisoners. The navy list is composed of 20,362 killed; 14,127 wounded; 9433 missing and 4461 prisoners.

In Italy, army casualties since the landing last September amount to 70,399 through July 3, an increase of 5407 since the report covering the period through June 15. Of the total, 12,655 were killed, 47,457 wounded and 10,287 missing.

Bonomi Government To Find Rome In Chaotic Condition

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allied entry, but there still is plenty of it. At many restaurants one can get a good meal for \$3 to \$10, and many allied soldiers pay the prices.

Prices of goods sold to allied soldiers have tumbled in many cases since the fifth army came into the city.

Contrasts Noted
Rome today is a city of contrasts—an extremely dreary place in some regards; in other respects gayter than in many years. Dancing, which the fascists banned for the duration of the war, has started again in some hotels and clubs. It is more of a playground for off-duty officers and soldiers than any place in the Mediterranean theater since Cairo.

The opera and theatres are running, and movie houses are doing a big business. And the Italians are seeing their first new American films since before the war.

Garrison Troops Called For Duty

NEW YORK, July 13 (AP)—The German high command was declared by the Stockholm newspaper Svenska Dagbladet in a Bern dispatch reported to the OWI today to be levying upon Nazi garrisons in occupied lands for front line troops.

Units from the German Balkan army as well as German soldiers from Holland and Norway, the newspaper said, have been sent to reinforce the German lines in Russia, Normandy and Italy.

Russian Freighter To Be Removed

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13 (AP)—The army engineers were authorized by the secretary of war today to remove the Russian freighter which capsized at drydock here June 24 and now lies half-submerged against the wharf.

The one-time private yacht of the czar was officially abandoned by Capt. Ivan Sergeev—an action which relinquishes all Russian rights to the ship. A federal statute provides that a vessel abandoned in navigable waters may be removed by the war department at federal expense.

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