

SUPERFORTS RAIN FIRE ON OSAKA

War's News

FRANK JENKINS
ARNOLD tells us about plans to fight the B-29s. Our correspondent reports that the conference in Guam, Japan will be COME AND UTTERLY DEED in air attacks that by (two weeks from now) the rate of two million bombs a year."

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Fires Set On Indian Reservation

THREE BLAZES START; TRACKS OF MEN FOUND

Hikers Keep Out Of Sight, Avoid Roads

Three incendiary fires have been set on the Klamath Indian reservation by two men whose tracks were found for a distance of several miles, Indian Agent John Arkell reported today.

Arkell said the tracks showed where the men had hiked southward along the main telephone line through the reservation, keeping out of sight in the brush as much as possible and avoiding roads.

The tracks were lost at the Williamson river bridge, about 25 miles north of Klamath Falls.

The fires were set in brush near the telephone line. Due to condition of the brush at this time they were failed to make headway and were controlled without damage.

Two of the fires were set within a distance of half a mile, and the other was 4 1/2 miles north. The blazes were generally in the area between Chiloquin and Klamath Agency.

One Tall Man
The tracks included one of the men was much taller than the other, taking much longer strides. One wore a shoe of about 11 1/2 size and the other a 9 1/2 size.

Fact that the tracks showed (Continued on Page Two)

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Record Crowd At Flag Day Ceremonies



Nearly 2000 attended annual Elks Flag Day exercises here Thursday night. The crowd watched marine marching units parade and heard Col. George Van Orden, commanding officer of the Marine Barracks, tell the story of the flag on display. —USMC photo.

Big Three Conference Scheduled To Be Held In Berlin; Date Not Disclosed

SMALL NATIONS ASK CHARTER REVISION

LONDON, June 15 (AP)—Maj. Clement R. Attlee disclosed today that the Big Three meeting will take place in Berlin.

Attlee, former deputy prime minister and present leader of the labor opposition, made the disclosure in a letter to Churchill accepting the prime minister's invitation to attend the "prospective conference in Berlin."

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP)—The White House confirmed today that the forthcoming "Big Three" meeting will take place in the vicinity of Berlin.

White House Press Secretary Charles G. Ross made the announcement following a disclosure by Maj. Clement Attlee, British labor party leader, in London, that Prime Minister Churchill, Marshal Stalin and President Truman planned to get together in the heart of conquered Germany.

"In view of the British announcement," Ross told a specially called news conference, "I will say that the meeting of the Big Three will take place in the vicinity of Berlin."

Ross was asked, in view of the British disclosure of the date, whether he would give the date of the meeting.

EISENHOWER FAVORS PEACETIME DRAFT

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP) Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower advised a house committee today that "fairness to the country and to the individual's chances of survival in war" demand universal military training in peacetime.

The views of the supreme allied commander in Europe were set forth in a letter to Chairman Woodrum (D-Va.), of the postwar military committee.

The letter was made public as Secretary of War Stimson testified in support of peacetime draft proposals.

"In spite of all technological (Continued on Page Two)

GANDHI TO STEP ASIDE AS LEADER

BOMBAY, June 15 (AP)—Mohandas K. Gandhi said today the freeing of eight imprisoned members of the congress working committee was the occasion for him to step aside as leader and let them "take up the thread" of independence plans.

CHINESE CHASE JAPS ALONG COAST

CHUNGKING, June 15 (AP)—The Chinese high command announced today that Chinese forces which have pursued the Japanese 175 miles from Fochow along the East China coast had attacked the Chekiang province port of Wenchow.

The Chinese said the enemy garrison at Wenchow, 220 miles south of Shanghai on the Wu river, already was beginning to retreat.

Observers here had expected the Japanese to evacuate Wenchow, a potential death trap, once the forces which had abandoned Fochow reached there.

Queen's Riding Tryouts Slated Here On Sunday

Grand premier of Klamath Buckaroo Days four-day rodeo celebration will be held at the fairgrounds this Sunday afternoon, June 17, free to the public. The show will commence at 2 p. m.

The queen's riding tryout will be the main event of the preview show, when candidates for the honor of reigning over the rodeo, conducted under the sponsorship of the American Legion, will qualify for the title of queen.

Von Ribbentrop Captured; Says Fuehrer Is Dead

By DANIEL DELUCE

FIELD MARSHAL MONTGOMERY'S HEADQUARTERS, Germany, June 15 (AP)—Nazi Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop was captured yesterday as he slept nude in a Hamburg boarding house, bringing to a close the most intensive manhunt in Europe since V-E Day.

Von Ribbentrop, understood to be wanted by the governments of at least 10 nations to stand trial for war crimes, was the last top-ranking Nazi known to be alive who had eluded capture. A metal can of poison was found strapped to his body, but he surrendered this voluntarily.

The dandified former champagne salesman who became the engineer of Hitler's arrogant foreign policy, had been hiding in Hamburg since April 30. The man who had imposed his diplomatic will on Europe had not a friend in all of Germany's second largest city who would assist him actively in obtaining a place of refuge.

Von Ribbentrop volunteered the information that he had intended to hide until British feeling about him died down, and then attempt to save his life in a trial. He went to a wine merchant friend, he said—a man who had known him 25 years. The merchant shunned him. Von Ribbentrop, using the name of "Riese," got lodging with an unsuspecting landlady.

FUEHRER "DEAD" MONTGOMERY'S HEADQUARTERS, Germany, June 15 (AP)—Joachim von Ribbentrop shared a Hamburg apartment with a psalty 35-year-old brunette divorcee and claimed to his captors he was on a "mission from the dead Fuehrer" when captured. It was disclosed officially tonight after the former German foreign minister was captured.

The same wine merchant was brought to British intelligence headquarters late yesterday and there pointed out his erstwhile friend. But identification was made even more certain.

By keeping the arrest secret over night, British sleuths who had tailed Von Ribbentrop across much of western Germany managed to arrest his sister. Today in a tearful and hysterical scene she identified the foreign minister.

Ribbentrop first had been traced to an area of northern Germany near the Danish frontier, where he was known to have passed in disguise. The story, as released today, did not bare what had happened to him between the time he left Berlin and the time he arrived in Hamburg.

Ribbentrop was taken under guard in an RAF transport plane from the Lueneburg airfield at 12:30 p. m. to be interrogated by supreme headquarters authorities. Correspondents will not be allowed to interview him.

KUHS Grid Coach



Paul Angstead, above, accepted the post of head football coach at Klamath Union high school yesterday. Angstead has an impressive record here. He coached the Wildcats last year to six victories and one defeat in football and to 18 triumphs and one loss in basketball. He succeeds Marble Cook who resigned this spring.

ANGSTEAD ACCEPTS POSITION AS COACH

Paul Angstead, assistant principal at Klamath Union high school, yesterday accepted the post of head football coach of the Pelicans. Superintendent Arnold L. Gralapp said this morning.

Angstead was chosen for the job of head football coach for a number of reasons, Gralapp said. He is familiar with the duties of coaching here and possesses a fine record as junior high coach and mentor of the Wildcats. In football last year, his Wildcats won six and lost one and in basketball the 'Cats' rang up the enviable record of 16 victories against one defeat.

He came here in 1937 and was supervisor of elementary physical education in Klamath Falls grade schools for five years. He was associated with junior high for two years and has held the position of assistant principal of KUHS for one year. Prior to his work here he was connected with physical education work in the CCC program.

Angstead will succeed Marble Cook, who resigned this spring as coach. Ten applications were received for the post now held by Angstead, Gralapp said, with most of them coming from out of state. Assignment of assistants will be made soon by Principal Stanley Woodruff and Athletic Director Joe Peak.

Angstead said today that the Pelicans "would be in there pitching" during the 1945 grid season and that football practice would start early in September or "as soon as possible."

ARNOLD SAYS B-29S TO STEP UP AIR RAIDS

War Industries Burn After Attack From Air

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
Associated Press War Editor
Superforts set fire to Osaka in a 3000-ton incendiary raid today as Gen. H. Arnold promised bombing attacks would be stepped up to a rate of 2,000,000 tons a year, making Japan "a terrible place to live in."

Japanese ground forces began to crack up on Okinawa, fled on Borneo, and withdrew on two vital China fronts, but still fought stubborn delaying actions in the Philippines.

American military leaders were quoted in Washington as expecting that "either Japan will surrender within the next 90 days or the war will be of long duration—a matter of attrition." The words are those of Rep. Cannon (D-Mo.), chairman of the house appropriations committee.

B-29s Just Starting
General Arnold, chief of army forces on a tour of Superfort bases in the Marianas, said "We are just starting with the B-29s" which will wreak "utter destruction" on Japan.

In about two weeks, he promised, power of their attacks will be stepped up to 2,000,000 tons a year. This means that every two weeks the Superforts will let loose a bomb tonnage equaling the entire weight of explosives they have thus far rained on Japan.

Already, said B-29 Commander Maj. Gen. Curtis Le May, Superforts have heavily damaged the five cities that Arnold said must be destroyed—Tokyo, Yokohama, Nagoya, Kobe and Osaka. "It is just a matter of time," Le May said, "until we get everything of value in Japan."

Hit War Industries

Today they got machine tool, chemical, propeller plants and (Continued on Page Two)

EARL HEUVEL TO BE RETURNED TO STATE

District Attorney Clarence A. Humble said this morning that federal authorities would bring Earl Heuvel, former Klamath Falls police chief, to Portland from Little Rock, Ark., as soon as necessary transfer formalities are completed. Heuvel was arrested June 7 in Kensett, Ark., on a funder warrant by the FBI charging unlawful flight to avoid prosecution here. He is now held in the Little Rock jail.

After Heuvel is returned to Portland, the federal district attorney's office will decide whether he will be prosecuted on the federal charge of fugitive from justice or whether he will be turned over to Klamath county authorities for prosecution under the indictments returned by the Klamath county grand jury, Humble said.

Heuvel is under indictment here on four charges, namely, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, two charges of sodomy, and one charge of rape. He was under \$1000 bond when he fled the county to avoid prosecution, Humble stated.

He is under bonds set by the circuit court on the four indictments to the sum of \$21,000.

E Bond Sales Behind Schedule

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP) Ted R. Gamble, director of the treasury's war finance division, reported today that E-bond sales in the 7th War Loan are about 10 per cent behind schedule.

Gamble appealed to all war finance committees to step up E bond sales activity, and to report the prospect of wiping out what he described as the "small deficit."

Sales to individuals now total \$5,510,000,000, or 78.7 per cent of the quota.

E-bond sales, however, are lagging with 62.4 per cent of the \$4,000,000 quota reached. The E-bond sales total \$2,488,000,000.

Saratoga Battles Again Despite Terrific Damages

By POPE HALEY
WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP) The Navy disclosed today that the old aircraft carrier Saratoga had sustained tremendous damage in the early stages of the Iwo Jima battle.

The Saratoga, which was the only aircraft carrier to survive the direct bomb hits, in some by suicide-planes, the carrier, causing 315 casualties, including 123 killed, missing or wounded, and 192 wounded.

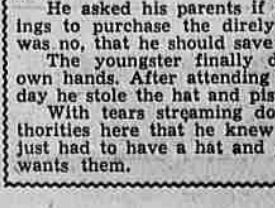
Worst Hit
"The Saratoga," said the yard's hull superintendent, "was the most extensively damaged vessel of the Puget Sound navy yard had received. She received more varied types of damage all at once than any ship we've seen since Pearl Harbor."

Twice Damaged
The Saratoga's oldest surviving deck gun, affectionately known to the crew as "Sara," had been twice suffered damage from torpedoes at the Iwo Jima action the first time she ever received crippling damage.

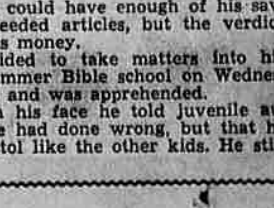
Contestants In Queen Contest



Beverly Wampler



Lora Cross



Jeannette Protsman

Thrift Carried Too Far

Every other kid in the neighborhood had a 15-cent sailor hat and a 58-cent pistol except one freckle-faced 9-year-old boy. His allowance is 25 cents a week and he had saved up over a dollar.

He asked his parents if he could have enough of his savings to purchase the direly needed articles, but the verdict was no, that he should save his money.