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BATTING DOWN THE NAZI DRIVE AT VERDGE OF STALINGRAD

Heaviest Air Attack Helps Nazi General Change Mind Drive Termed 'Just a Feeler'

By ASSOCIATED PRESS CAIRO, Egypt. (AP)—Cautious probing by Marshal Erwin Rommel's African Corps has encountered a fury of air attack, artillery fire and harassment by mobile forces, and four days after the British expected an Axis offensive the showdown battle for the Nile had failed to develop.

Morgenthau Puts Anti-Inflation Plan Up To Senate Far-Reaching Levies Would Allow For Rebate, Touch Lowest Income

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Treasury Secretary Morgenthau asked the Senate Finance Committee today for legislation to levy an additional \$5,500,000,000 in taxes on individuals, over and above the \$6,271,000,000 tax bill passed by the House, with provision for a \$4,500,000,000 post-war rebate to individuals.

RAF Sets Fire to Nazi Rail Center, Karlsruhe Fliers Celebrate With Big Raid

LONDON—(AP)—A strong force of RAF bombers ushered in the third anniversary of Britain's declaration of war against Germany with two one-day raids upon the upper Rhine-land centered at the railway shops city of Karlsruhe, the British said today.



U. S. TROOPS IN LONDON—United States troops march along Fleet Street in their first parade in London since the AEF landed in Britain.

Invaders Move Nearer City On All Sides Hard-Pushed Forces in Black Sea Sector Fall Back Under Attack

MOSCOW.—(AP)—The German assault against Stalingrad from the northwest stood checked at the very approaches to the Volga city today, but to the southwest the Red Army again recoiled before the massed tanks which drove a menacing wedge into the most stubbornly defended positions.

was he surprised? Whether Rommel was puzzled by the British tactics, was playing a game of his own, or was made hesitant by the storm of artillery fire and the thunderous bombardment of his armored and supply columns which greeted his move, observers could not say.

FDR Challenges Youth To Action Axis Offers Nothing but Death. President Declares to Assembly

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—President Roosevelt called upon world youth today to join the fight of the United Nations to "mold the shape of the new world, . . . toward the highest goals that men have ever achieved."

stands on plain The German news agency DNB said in a Berlin broadcast dispatch that bombs were dropped at several places "to the left of the Rhine."

Allies Sign New Reciprocal Pacts Nations Close Agreements Designed To Clarify Mutual War Assistance

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The United States, Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand and Fighting France concluded today a series of reciprocal aid agreements designed to clarify the principles of mutual assistance in their common struggle against the Axis.

British Even Sub Score U-Boat Toll Hits Peak in July, August

LONDON.—(AP)—July and August were record-breaking months in the destruction of Axis submarines, and, moreover, British ships have practically made up Britain's admittedly heavy warship losses, Fleet Lord of the Admiralty A. V. Alexander declared today.

Bulletin RYKJAVIK, Iceland.—(AP)—African Army units in their first combat with hostile aircraft after a year in Iceland, shot down a German Heinkel-111 Juik Kurier plane near Rykjavik today.

Jap Pacific Forces Shift Siberian Invasion Speculation Grows

A mysterious slump in Japanese strength in the Southwest Pacific, coupled with the continued withdrawal of enemy invasion armies in China, renewed speculation today that Japan was preparing to spring a big-scale attack elsewhere in the Pacific.

Poison, Drunk By Mistake, Fatal to Two

SALISBURY.—(AP)—Two Salisburyans died last night from the effects of a strong poison they drank accidentally, according to Dr. F. W. Sear, Roman county coroner, who with police officers made an inquiry at the home.

OPA Wars On Packers Suits To Be Filed For Price Violations

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration announced today that it would file suits in Federal courts in eleven cities today in connection with a campaign against alleged violators of price ceilings on beef and veal.

Scores Held After Irish Disorders BELFAST, Northern Ireland.—(AP)—Police detained scores of persons last night in connection with political suspects growing out of disorders which accompanied the execution yesterday of Thomas Williams, member of the outlawed Irish Republican Army, for the slaying of a constable.

WEATHER Continued mild temperature tonight.

Number Of Women In War Work Will Double, Stimson Declares

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary Stimson reported today the War Department intended to meet a growing manpower shortage by possibly doubling the number of women war workers in Army arsenals, repair shops and filling clerical and supervisory posts, and Stimson told his press conference many more could be absorbed.

French Down Second Allied Plane in Morocco

RABAT, French Morocco.—(AP)—A second British plane within a week has been shot down by French air defenses over the southern region of this African possession, it was announced today.

Three Years Embattled London Hails Arrival Of U. S. Air Forces Over There As Peak Event

LONDON.—(AP)—The advent of U. S. Army Air Forces in the European theater was acclaimed by the RAF today as one of the outstanding events of the third year of the war—a year which the British Army said had brought an Allied invasion of Europe within the range of practical possibility.

Guide to Good Reading HAMILTON FISH IN ACTION

Rep. Hamilton Fish of New York, a man Congress could do better than, and only subject of a revealing sketch on today's editorial page. A reporter found him in his quarters on the night of his re-election victory, and his little sitting of an hour is a most interesting event of the last twelve months said.