

DANISH UNREST STIRS GERMANS

Wave of Sabotage Brings Threats of Death Penalties.

LONDON, March 31 (U. P.).—Growing sabotage in Denmark brought threats today of stringent Nazi measures to stamp out unrest. Stockholm dispatches said the Germans threatened death penalties, seizure of hostages and community fines to stop incendiary fires and bombings.

Denmark previously had been spared these acts of suppression while the Nazis built up propaganda about their treatment of the Danes. The Danish press recently carried warnings against sabotage. Now the Nazis acted with an air of being forced to.

Reliable Danish sources here said the Germans may even eliminate local control of Denmark's civil administration. Ninety fires have occurred the past three months, these sources said.

Five youths were said to have overpowered two policemen and taken their uniforms in Copenhagen while two others entered a firm making German uniforms, poured paraffin on the workshop and stocks and set it afire.

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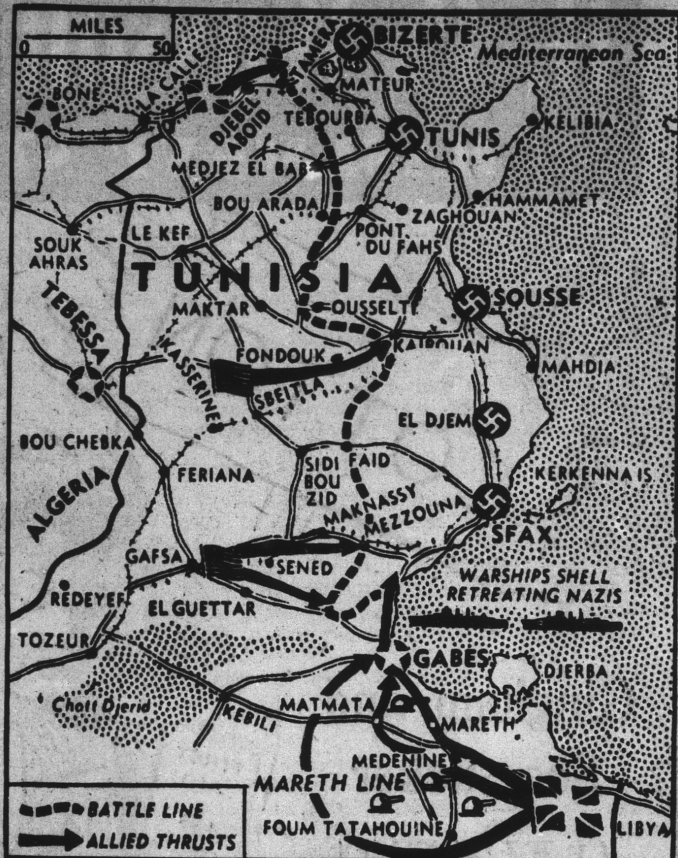
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UPTOWN 12th & College
"Dr. Renault's Secret"
"UNDYING MONSTER"

Rommel Trap Narrows



Although the fleeing Marshal Rommel is believed to have withdrawn the main body of his army north of Gabes, the Nazi leader still faced entrapment today in the Sfax-Sousse sector where American and French columns pressed toward the coast. In the north the British first army advanced to within 35 miles of the key port of Bizerte.

HEADS DEPAUW A. W. S.

Times Special
GREENCASTLE, Ind., March 31.—Miss Margo Stark of Indianapolis has been elected treasurer of the Association of Women Students for 1943-44 at DePauw university. Miss Barbara Gauger, Decatur, Ill., was chosen president.

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"DR. GILLESPIE'S NEW ASSIST."

Sheridan 6118 Open 6:45
Fredric March-Yvonne De Carlo
"I MARRIED A WITCH"
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Allan Jones "MOONLIGHT IN HAVANA"
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FINNS ON VERGE OF STARVATION

Plight May Force Little Axis Ally Out of War Soon.

Holger Hansen recently arrived in London after serving as United Press correspondent in several Scandinavian countries and the following dispatch is based upon personal experience and talks with high Finnish food officials.

By HOLGER HANSEN
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, March 31.—Finland is on a starvation diet that may force her out of the war soon. Her state is no better than that of some of the occupied countries in Europe. Germany has failed to deliver promised food and war-borne problems are oppressing the Finnish people.

Personal observation and interviews with Finnish officials convince this correspondent that if this sort of thing goes on in Finland much longer, the nation's ability to resist will be undermined and Germany will lose a valuable, if small, ally.

Four Sausages Per Month
The Finnish meat ration is down to 10 cents worth a month. That's about four sausages—when they're obtainable. There's enough milk for babies under a year old and enough fish for everyone at times. But those items are the only bright spots in the blackest of picture.

Official rations in most countries are lavish compared to Finland's. There is a black market but only the very rich can patronize it. Taxes are five times the pre-war level. Americans probably were more under their present rations than the Finns get. Bread, for instance, is limited to eight ounces per day per adult but only one ounce of that can be wheat bread and stores go for days without having any at all to sell.

Cigarettes Limited
The coffee ration (Finland's "coffee" contains about 15 per cent of the real thing) is eight ounces per month.

The monthly tobacco ration is eight weak cigarettes a month. The ration of dried fruit is eight ounces per month. The period usually lasts four months or so. Eggs, pork, nuts, mackerel, rice, preserved meat, cocoa, fried peas and beans can be bought in the cities. There is a severe shortage of medicines.

BALKANS READY TO TALK PEACE

But the 3 Axis Supporters Come Under the 'Total Surrender' Edict.

WASHINGTON, March 31 (U. P.).—Three Balkan satellites of the axis—Hungary, Bulgaria and Rumania—are weary of war and are attempting to soften the impact of ultimate defeat by peace feelers through neutral channels, it was learned in diplomatic quarters today.

It can be said on indisputable authority that the united nations have no intention of dealing with any peace representations or even of discussing the matter. The "unconditional surrender" pledge of the Casablanca conference applies to the satellites as well as to Germany, Japan and Italy.

The United States has not received any peace overtures because this government has not followed up the reports that come to the attention of American diplomats in neutral capitals from time to time.

Of three Balkan states, Rumania has been hit hardest by the war. Her armies have been decimated by the Russian campaigns.

Hungarians Fearful
Hungary's position is not quite so desperate, since the Hungarian army is largely intact. However, Hungarians are becoming fearful of the results of a Russian victory and on at least one occasion started a short-lived peace offensive.

Nazi storm-troopers and gestapo agents are swarming through the Balkans, attempting to keep the satellite nations in place and to nip any defections. The opening of an allied second front in Europe is expected to complicate that situation tremendously.

TRUMAN SENDS NEW FAULTY STEEL DATA

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Senator Harry Truman (D. Mo.), chairman of the war investigating committee commonly referred to by his name, sent to the department of justice today new evidence which he said involved higher officials of Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp. in charge of faulty steel shipments and the use of "fake" metallurgical analyses.

The evidence was in a sworn statement of 35 typewritten pages obtained here last Saturday by committee investigators from Edward L. Robinson, assistant to the manager of the Pittsburgh district of Carnegie-Illinois. Senator Truman declined to make the Robinson statement public at this time, but transmitted it to Assistant Attorney General Tom C. Clark, who heads the justice department's war frauds unit, and he expressed the hope "that you will bring all of the guilty parties promptly to justice."

Meanwhile, it was learned in official quarters here that Carnegie-Illinois had suspended three employees whose testimony was received in a public hearing here the preceding Tuesday.

Warns Husbands Against 'Dating'

CLEVELAND, March 31 (U. P.).—The Jack & Heintz Co., paternal Cleveland war plant, today warned married male employees against "dating" girls and women who work in the company's shops.

William S. Jack, the company's outspoken president, said he took his "gloves off" in a talk to his "associates" over the public address system in the plants.

"If these men need dates so badly, let them take their wives out to dinner and a movie," he said. "We'll not stand for married men playing around, whether or not they are encouraged."

PARATROOPERS IN NORWAY
STOCKHOLM, March 31 (U. P.).—The Nazi-affiliated STB news agency reported today from Oslo that British-Norwegian paratroopers had established headquarters at Hardanger Vidda, a mountain plateau west of Bergen, from which they were raiding industrial works such as the power at Rjukan.

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Today's War Moves

By LOUIS F. KEEMLE
United Press War Analyst
Progress of the war in Tunisia and the continued allied air offensive over Western Europe gives new and encouraging evidence of Germany's major weakness in the present phase of the war and in the great battle for Europe which is to come.

The Luftwaffe is on the downgrade and the allied air force is coming up so fast in strength that it is only rarely that the Germans are able to get sufficient planes into action in any sector to outmatch the allies.

That has been especially true on the Tunisian front, where allied aircraft have played a major part in the victory now developing. Allied planes from the western desert air force and the Tunisian-Algerian command have blanketed the skies, shattering axis communications and transport and playing the part of flying tanks in conjunction with the ground forces in front line combat.

German efforts in this line have been comparatively feeble. Out of their carefully husbanded air strength, they threw in a considerable force against the American in Central Tunisian front in mid-February, but it was not enough and they were driven off after early successes.

The reason for Germany's air weakness lies in the heavy demands of the Eastern front. With perhaps half their air power tied up there and suffering continual losses, the Germans were strained to the utmost to meet the growing needs of Western Europe, Tunisia and the whole Mediterranean area.

As a result, Germany has been unable to cope with the devastating allied air raids on her cities and essential industries. This great destruction has not yet been fully felt on the far-flung fighting fronts, but it is bound to show up when the invasion of Europe starts and Germany is fighting for existence against both Russia in the East and the allies in the West.

Allied air dominance then is likely to prove the decisive factor. Germany is not shy of manpower and probably can throw in an army of at least 6,000,000. About half of that will be needed for Russia and southeastern Europe, still leaving a formidable force for the allies to mow down in the West. Allied air strength may turn the trick.

SOVIETS GAIN IN SMOLENSK PUSH

Take Favorable Positions Balked in Donets.

MOSCOW, March 31 (U. P.).—Red army troops advanced to seize favorable positions northeast of Smolensk in a bayonet charge today, while Soviet artillery broke up German preparations for a new assault against Russian defense lines on the Kharkov front.

Everywhere, however, activity was on a reduced scale as mud bogged down tanks and other vehicles and slowed infantry movements.

Soviet artillery on the Kharkov front destroyed four German tanks and dispersed an infantry battalion. In the northwest Caucasus, the Russians pushed the German bridgehead closer to the coast today with the capture of a defense base, where they killed 150 officers and men. Supporting Russian bombers blasted enemy troop concentrations, inflicting heavy losses. Two German planes were shot down.

1ST RUBBER FACTORY BEGINS OPERATIONS

BATON ROUGE, La., March 31 (U. P.).—Climaxing one of the fastest building schedules of the war program, the first synthetic rubber plant completed under government supervision since the Baruch report began production here today.

Final installations have been completed and the flow of butadiene, styrene and other necessary chemicals through the miles of piping and processing equipment began less than five months after blue prints were taken over by the builders, and the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

COMMUNIQUE

(Issued March 31, 1943)
The eighth army are continuing to advance northwards and occupied Metoula and Oudret early yesterday morning. Advanced elements made further progress during the day and have made contact with hastily-prepared enemy defenses.

In the Gafsa sector, our forces made a slight advance to the east, encountering mine fields.

In the north, our forces have recaptured Sedjenane and taken prisoners. During the night of March 29-30 our bombers attacked roads behind the enemy's lines.

In the Maknassy sector yesterday, light bombers made two attacks on La Poutonerie air field and continuously bombed concentrations of enemy troops and vehicles. Scoring 500 tons on one raid destroyed two Messerschmitt 109's and on another the P-40 (Warhawk) escort shot down four P-40's and five Messerschmitt 109's. In the same sector fighter-bombers and fighters made many attacks on enemy vehicles and other targets.

In the northern sector fighter-bombers attacked enemy positions. In the course of offensive sweeps by fighters one Messerschmitt 109 was destroyed.

Light and medium bombers of the desert air force bombed the airfields of El Mam and Sfax.

From all these operations seven of our planes were shot down, but one pilot is known to be safe.

BROTHERS ARE HELD IN POSTAL THEFTS

Two Indianapolis brothers today face probability of federal charges for looting a postal substation of money, war stamps and blank money orders which they allegedly filled out and cashed.

The brothers, according to a statement to detectives, broke into the substation at 637 E. 16th st. March 18, took \$400 in money and stamps and the blanks, broke open the safe and obtained a postal seal to stamp the blanks.

They traveled through the Midwest cashing the orders and were identified on information from a Louisville tavern keeper. They were caught here yesterday and held on vagrancy charges pending further investigation.

PUSHES FIGHT ON LAND

WASHINGTON, March 31 (U. P.).—Senator George D. Aiken (R. Vt.) said today he would continue to put before the people evidence of "extravagant and illegal" acts of the U. S. maritime commission despite overwhelming senate ipso facto yesterday of Chairman Emory S. Land.

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