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KHARKOV STRUGGLE STILL RAGES

U. S. Fliers Bomb Rommel Positions

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA—(AP)—U. S. Mitchell bombers raided Marshal Erwin Rommel's positions Sunday...

Eden Confers With Officials

WASHINGTON (AP)—Britain's foreign secretary, Anthony Eden, here for conferences on war and post-war problems...

He planned to have lunch with Secretary Knox at the Navy department and to confer this afternoon with Sir Arthur Salter...

Sir Bernard Montgomery's forward elements on the Medenine Plains. Allied and enemy patrols probed opposing positions.

Perhaps referring to the Heinkel formation shot up by the Spitfires, the Italian high command communique broadcast from Rome...

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AS BUS OVERTURNS JACKSON, MISS.—(AP)—A passenger bus en route from Shreveport, La., turned over into a ditch near Clinton, Miss. Sunday night...

Bad News For The Snakes



Bombardier Cadets O'Brien and O'Brien, who are planning to go after some snakes themselves as soon as they win their wings...

New Threat To Australia Seen As Japs Mass Ships And Planes

The Japanese are massing ships, men and planes in a new threat to Australia, this time at their bases north of Akyab...

East Extender Of South Cowden In Ector Shows Gain

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor Union Oil Company of California No. 1 Mrs. E. R. Kone, one-half mile extension well in the South Cowden pool of Ector County...

Italy Claims Big Transport Is Sunk

By The Associated Press The Italian high command declared in a communique broadcast from Rome and recorded by The Associated Press Monday that the 23,500-ton liner Empress of Canada, laden with troops, had been sunk in the Atlantic by an Italian submarine.

Fierce Fighting Continues In Battle For Soviet City

Taxpayers Lining Up

By The Associated Press Income tax payers by the uncounted thousands—many of them first-timers—stood in ever-lengthening lines throughout the country Monday waiting to file their returns before the midnight deadline.

Reds Withhold Acknowledgement Of Fall Of Kharkov To Germans

MOSCOW—(AP)—Fierce fighting is raging in the Kharkov area day and night as Soviet troops struggle against large forces of enemy tanks and motorized infantry.

French Given Ultimatum

BERN, SWITZERLAND—(AP)—Axis occupation authorities in France have threatened to send German and Italian troops against several thousand heavily armed young Frenchmen, in hideouts along the southern shore of Lake Geneva...

Jap Ship Hit By Americans

WASHINGTON (AP)—American planes strafing the Japanese at Kiska in the Aleutians damaged several grounded enemy airplanes while in the South Pacific other fliers in an attack near Rendova Island destroyed a small Japanese vessel...

RAF Sweeps Over Germany; Bombs Four Nazi Trains

LONDON—(AP)—RAF fighters sustained the burden of the Allied aerial offensive against Europe Sunday night, the Air Ministry news service reported Monday, attacking railway communications in occupied territory and in Germany.

De Gaulle Satisfied With Giraud Speech

LONDON—(AP)—General Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Fighting French, expressed general satisfaction Monday over General Henri Giraud's speech of Sunday and reaffirmed his desire to study a means of achieving unity with the Algiers administration.

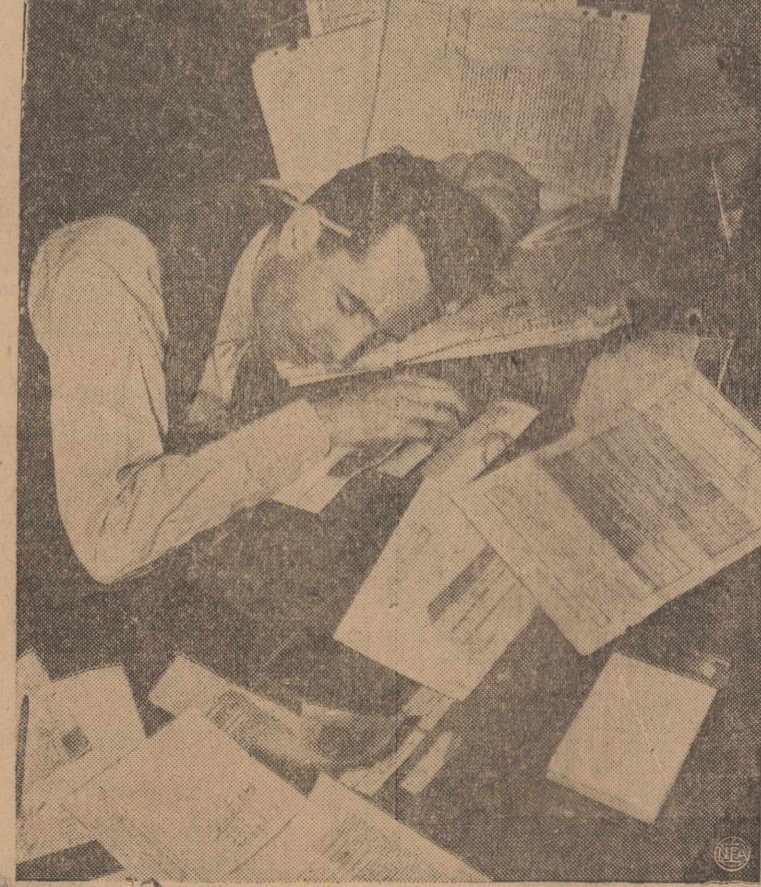
TEXANS GRADUATE

LUBBOCK—(AP)—Thirteen Texans are in the latest class of winged commandos who graduated at South Plains Army Flying School Monday.

WAR AT A GLANCE

RUSSIA—Nazis claim capture of Kharkov. AFRICA—Foes prepare for coming clash. PACIFIC—Allied airmen stalk Jap convoy.

He's Got Those March 15 Blues



Wake up, fellow! This is no time to be snoring. That income tax return must be in the mails and postmarked before midnight Monday night.

Skelly Oil Announces Changes In Personnel

Changes in personnel were announced Monday by James Fitzgerald, West Texas-New Mexico division manager of Skelly Oil Company.

Eighteen Persons Hurt As Bus Overturns

JACKSON, MISS.—(AP)—A passenger bus en route from Shreveport, La., turned over into a ditch near Clinton, Miss. Sunday night injuring eighteen persons, ten of them soldiers.

Wallace Plans Tour Of South America

WASHINGTON (AP)—Vice-President Wallace disclosed Monday his get-acquainted tour of seven Latin American countries will take him away from the capital more than a month.

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Odessa Girl Found In Snyder, Texas

Police received word Monday that Betty McNeil, 15 year old Odessa girl who disappeared last Friday night from her home, has been found in Snyder, Texas, where she is visiting friends.

Jap Ruler Returns To Japan From Nanking

The Tokyo radio reported Monday that Premier General Hideki Tojo had returned to Japan after a visit to Nanking to discuss 'important questions' with Wang Ching-Wei, Chinese puppet premier of the Nanking regime.

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War Bulletins

FOLKESTONE, ENGLAND—(AP)—Heavy gunfire was heard across the English Channel from the vicinity of Boulogne and Cape Gris Nez Monday, the bombardment continuing for some time at regular intervals.

CAIRO—(AP)—King George II of Greece and his prime minister, Emmanouil Tsouderos, have arrived here by plane from London. Reasons for the visit were not disclosed.

CHUNGKING—(AP)—The Chinese high command announced that the Japanese offensive along 100 miles of the Yangtze River has collapsed and that most of the 20,000 troops are in hurried retreat after a week of heavy fighting.

Hoover Says Aim Of War Is Lasting Peace

DES MOINES—(AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover told a joint session of the Iowa legislature Monday that the purpose of this war, the most terrible of three centuries is to make a lasting peace.

WILLIAM WRAY DIES

DALLAS—(AP)—William Hayes Wray, for thirty years treasurer of the Old Fellows Home at Corsicana, died Saturday night after a long illness. He was 74. Wray was a past president of the Texas Retail Merchants Association.

WEATHER WEST TEXAS: Cold Wave.









