

INVASION APPEARS IMMINENT

Six Day Week Set For Coal Industry

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Fuels Administrator Ickes Tuesday ordered a six-day week throughout the coal mining industry as work generally was resumed after a week-end strike crisis.

Rubber Plan Is Defended

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Rubber Director Jeffers contended Tuesday that prosecution of the synthetic rubber program had "dragged forward" aviation gasoline production and said any curtailment of his program would be "a tragic error."

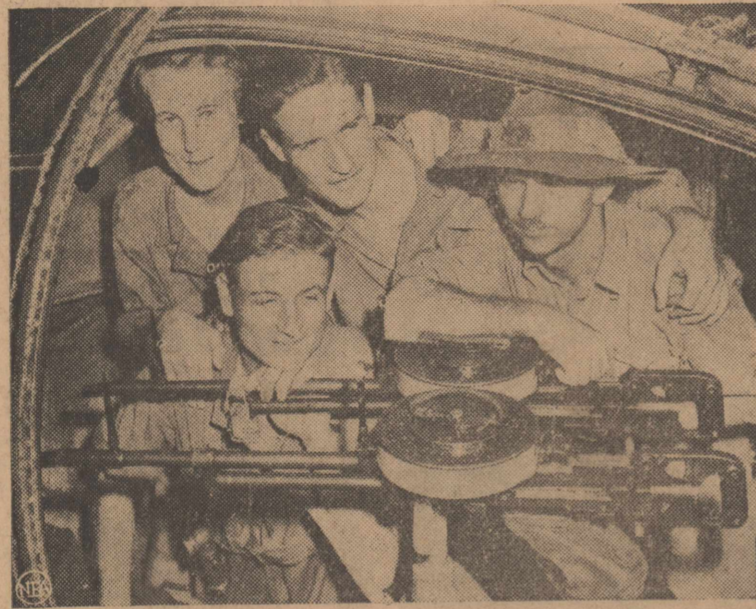
Heated Debate Marks Session On Income Tax Bill

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Tempers flared anew Tuesday as the House neared a showdown vote on pay-as-you-go taxation, and the floor session was only after Speaker Rayburn (Tex.) ruled that one member in violation of another "demagogue" violated House rules.

High School Students Supply Funds To Buy Seven Jeeps For Army

Midland High School students purchased sufficient War Bonds and Stamps in the recent campaign to buy seven jeeps for the Army, G. B. Rush, principal, announced Tuesday.

How Four Men Outsmarted The Japs



Marooned for 10 months on Jap-held New Britain Island, three U. S. airmen and an Australian volunteer rifleman met in the jungle...

Americans Occupy Two Pacific Islands

WASHINGTON — (AP) — American forces extending their hold on the Solomon Islands have occupied the Russel Islands which lie immediately northwest of Guadalcanal, the Navy reported Tuesday.

Carter Deep Well Runs Tubing After Drilling Out Plug

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor — Permian Basin oil men Tuesday awaited results of first test through tubing of the Amon G. Carter No. 2 Pure-J. B. Walton, C SW NE section 1, block B-3, psi. discovery well...

PARIS, TEX. — (AP) — Sgt. Martin W. Hollingsworth, 38, Crystal Springs, Miss., artilleryman, was killed here Monday night when a truck in which he was riding overturned during blackout maneuvers.

U.S. Units Still Gain

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP) — Swift-driving American troops, quick to capitalize on their middle position after the seizure of Mateur...

French Drive Forward — In the northeastward push, the Americans crossed the River Tine, despite the destruction of a bridge by the withdrawing forces of Col. Gen. Jurgen Von Arnim...

Yanks Push On — There was no indication as yet how far the advanced elements of the American forces might be able to proceed toward Ferryville without meeting strong resistance.

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No Regrets



Smiling Nazi paratrooper seems quite undismayed by his capture by allies in Tunisia.

Japs Lagging In Production

A Japanese official called attention Tuesday to American and British war production and asserted that the Mikado's army now had reserve material left for only "a short period of the war."

Other Pacific War Developments: Australia — Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters disclosed that admittedly "heavy" Allied losses suffered in a battle Sunday over the Arafura Sea off Darwin, Australia, were caused by violent winds — not by Japanese fighting skill.

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Allies Reported Gathering Ships

By The Associated Press — While American troops threatened to stove in the enemy's whole northern zone of defenses in Tunisia, Axis jitters over a possible Allied invasion of Europe rose to a crescendo Tuesday.

The German controlled Vichy radio told of Allied sea-borne movements at Gibraltar and off Algeria and suggested that a large-scale invasion attempt against Sicily and Sarinina was imminent.

Battle Rages In Kuban Area

MOSCOW — (AP) — The battle for the Kuban Delta, an area reaching roughly from Novorossisk on the Black Sea northward to the Sea of Azov, is in full swing and it is not unlikely this is the beginning of the great struggle of the summer.

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WEATHER

Little temperature change.

War Bulletins

LONDON — (AP) — Premier Mussolini was reported Tuesday to have sent an urgent appeal to Hitler for aid to repel a possible invasion of Italy from the south.

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN — (AP) — The railway station at Stuttgart in Southern Germany was wrecked during a recent RAF raid, a traveler from Germany reported Tuesday. He said he left his luggage at the station three hours and when he returned there was no luggage and no station.

NEW DELHI — (AP) — U. S. Army fliers shot down six Japanese aircraft and probably destroyed seven others in a battle over Hunan Province in China, Allied headquarters reported Tuesday.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Roosevelt Tuesday proclaimed June 14 as Flag Day and asked the people to fly the Stars and Stripes this year along with the flags of the United Nations where feasible.









