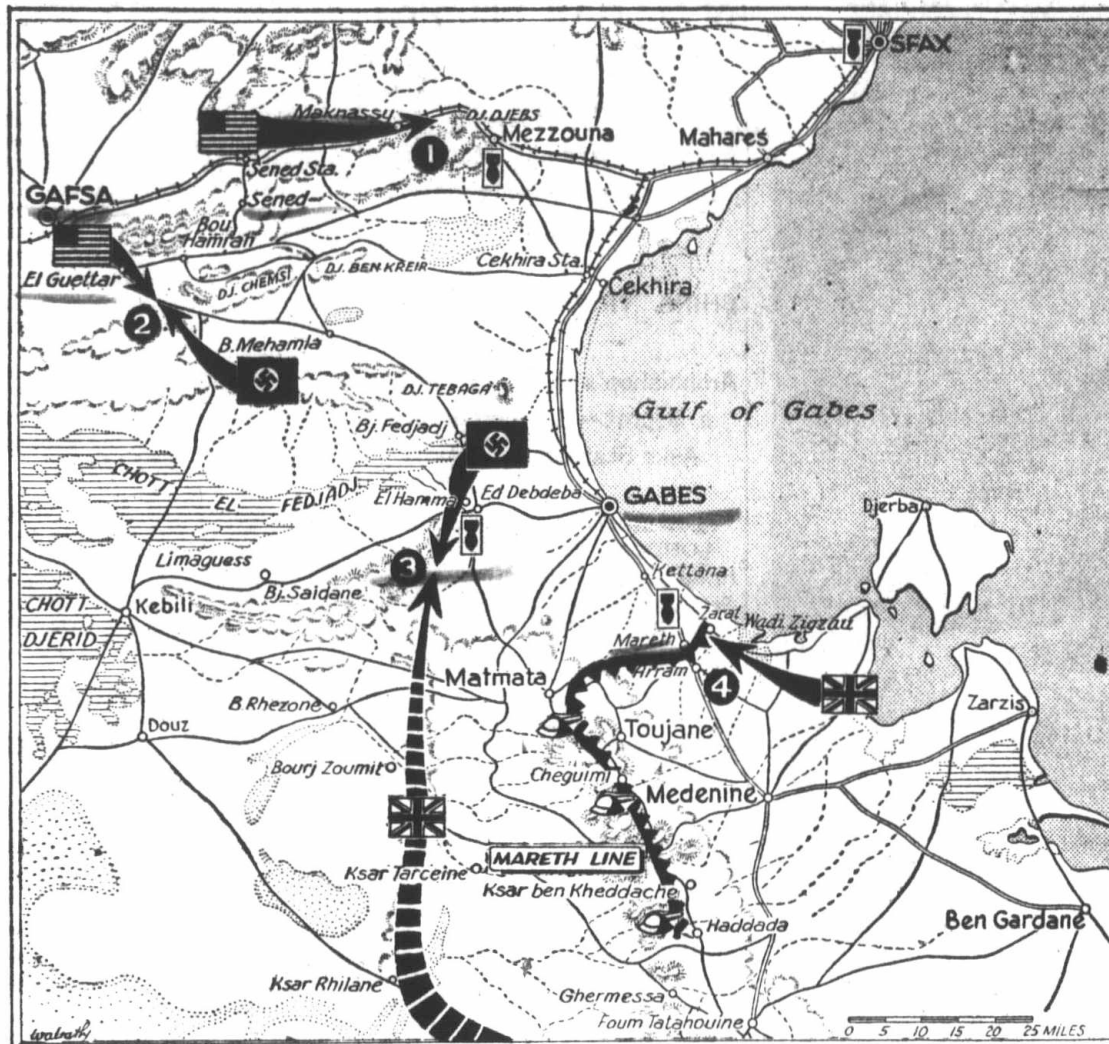


AMERICANS AND BRITISH PUT ON PRESSURE IN SOUTH TUNISIA



Having occupied Maknassy, United States forces were approaching Djebel Djeb (1) in their dash for the coast. Their flank was momentarily endangered by a German counter-attack southeast of El Guettar (2). At the same time the British Eighth Army not only breached de-

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fenses of the Mareth Line near Zarat (4), but also swept northward behind the line to a point ten miles from El Hamma (3). Allied fliers swarmed over Axis-held areas, attacking points indicated by the bomb devices.