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COUNTING THEM OUT.

Near a village on the road to Tunis. is one of the many prisoners of war assembly and distribution centres. Taking the tally of Axis captives and getting them shifted out of the country is a colossal undertaking. There's the matter too of Germans not eating with Italians - they feed separately.

According to General Eisenhower's latest estimate the total now exceeds a quarter of a million.

New arrivals have to be counted in; batches for transfer have to be counted out. They only need to make 'em pass through a gap in a hedge and insomnia would be wiped out.

If you have a relative over there who was never any good at arithmetic, this is his toughest time. The poor feller will be cross-eyed counting them out.