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GREEKS REPORT FASCIST ARMY CORPS ANNIHILATED

Biggest Naval Victory Seen Influencing Many Fascist Loss Of Capital Ships Will Have Sobering Effect On Other Nations.

(By J. F. Sanderson, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, Nov. 14—(CP Cable)—Pilots and air crews of the fleet that won the Italian naval base at Taranto, in the heel of the Italian boot, and decimated Mussolini's battleship squadron, not only won Britain her biggest naval victory of the war but started something that may have extremely wide repercussions.

While land planes of the Royal Air Force were attempting to finish the job started by the torpedo-carrying machines of the fleet air arm and shatter the battered hulks dotting Taranto harbor, an attempt was made here to assay their work on the wide field of strategy and tactics.

An authorized source said the R.A.F. attack on Taranto last night was "highly successful." There was clear moonlight and warships in the harbor could be seen without difficulty.

The eastern part of the main docks in the inner harbor was heavily bombed, it was stated, and at one time seven big fires blazed together.

Nazis Admit British Planes Bomb Berlin

BERLIN, Nov. 15—(Friday)—(AP)—Eight or 10 waves of British bombers attacked Berlin last night and early today, German sources acknowledged. They claimed at least four planes were shot down.

One plane was downed in Berlin and two British airmen who baled out were captured, the Nazis claimed. The other three were said to have been downed before they reached the city.

The doomed plane over Berlin was plainly visible in the moonlight and under the concentrated beams of searchlights. The lights and tracer bullets made the city as bright as a carnival midway. Aerial shells pattered on the roofs and pavements as the British plane dodged and turned.

Half a dozen other British bombers were caught in the searchlights but escaped.

Observers who braved the perils of the falling shell fragments and bombs saw several others at a distance, flying toward the city through terrific gunfire.

Between waves of attackers, some occupants of cellar shelters rushed into the streets to gather shell fragments for souvenirs, but patrolmen herded them back to safety.

Through it all, a tone cyclist was observed, pedalling homeward, apparently oblivious to the metallic clatter and boom all around him.

Last Message From Captain Of Jervis Bay

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT, Nov. 13—(CP)—Capt. Foray Fegan's last wireless message from the armed merchant cruiser Jervis Bay wrote a fitting epitaph for a British naval man.

As he went into action against the big German raider that destroyed his ship, survivors here related today, he radioed his convey:

"Am closing up closer to the enemy."
He went down with his ship.

Coming Events

- *Talks—Mt. Stewart Saturday, L-397-11-13-31.
- *Public Meeting—Tuberculosis League, Sunday evening, 8:45 P. M. November 17th, Prince Edward Theatre. Impassioned speaker. Music. No admissions or collections.
- *Reserve Wednesday, December 4th for St. Peter's Cathedral Tea and Sale, L-470-11-16-23.
- *Reserve November 27th, North Tynon Presbyterian Church Supper, L-385-11-15-11.
- *Charity Valley Y.P.U. chicken and goose supper in hall, Wednesday, Nov. 20th. If not fine Thursday, L-491.
- *Coke sale, S. A. MacDonald's, Saturday, Nov. 16. Children's table, King's Daughters, L-492-11-15-21.

Two Hospitals Hit In London Night Attacks

Axis Raids Dwindle to Quietness in Early Morning.

LONDON, Nov. 15—(Friday)—(CP)—Two London hospitals suffered the heaviest blows loosed upon London last night in a regular Axis night raid, which was otherwise comparatively light and which early today dwindled into quietness. The second one struck was announced simply to have suffered "some casualties."

The first was hit by four heavy bombs, one of which smashed down directly upon a wing devoted to the chronically ill. An undetermined number of persons were killed and wounded there.

Hit, too, was a suburban department store, in which hundreds of shoppers were standing. They had had no opportunity to take cover, for at that time no air raid warning had been sounded.

Aside from these individual cases, there had been no heavy damage here up to early this morning.

A southeast town reported a school, a church and an amusement park damaged and at least one fatality. There one raider crashed in flames; another was shot down by Hurricane fighters.

Three steps in a defence campaign were thus unofficially discussed tonight:

Fighter patrols are regularly taking off in the late afternoon to attack the night raiders as they set out from occupied France.

Spitfires and Hurricane fighters are escorting flights of R. A. F. bombers every suitable day across the Channel to harass the air fields used by night raiders.

More and more fighter pilots are being trained, like their colleagues of the bomber command, to become expert in night flying.

The ground guns lifted a heavy barrage for a time last night. It slackened until there was only sporadic firing and then it rose violently again at the same time as the reports from the coast had told of big waves of Axis planes heading for London.

The day has been much kinder; no major attacking squadrons were able to reach the city and late in the afternoon 20 Spitfire fighters actively raided a swarm of 40 German Junkers dive bombers, and an escort of Messerschmitt fighters, which sought to attack Dover harbor.

Fifteen Junkers were shot down, the Air Ministry announced—13 of them by a single squadron of 12 Spitfires—while British losses during the entire day were only two planes. Total German losses during the day were 19.

Suggests Nfld. Join Canada As Wartime Move

N.S. Senator Says the Matter Might be Considered at January Conference at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Nov. 14—(AP)—Senator William Duff of Nova Scotia suggested in the Senate today that Canada should institute negotiations with Newfoundland to see if the British colony could be taken over by Canada as a wartime aid to Britain.

In view of the heavy war burdens sustained by the United Kingdom, he submitted, Canada might well relieve Britain of the responsibility for administering the colony.

Canada and the United States already were acting jointly to look after Newfoundland's defence, and this was another reason why the colony, lying close to Canada in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, might be taken into the Canadian confederation.

If negotiations were started now, (Continued on page 10, Col 4)

Attacks Aimed At Putting Italy Out Of Sea War

Taranto Base Again Raided; Berlin Is Bombed; Return Visits Paid To Former Targets By Royal Air Force.

E.J. Of Four-day Cold Wave Seen

LONDON, Nov. 14—(AP)—In a new aerial offensive apparently intended to put Italy out of the war as a naval power, the Royal Air Force launched an early today made a new attack on the naval base at Taranto, starting at least seven big fires in a rain of high explosives and incendiaries.

While the big bombers were attacking under clear moonlight skies, other British planes, the Air Ministry said today, bombed Berlin, 1,000 miles away to the north.

Still others struck at Italian strongholds and outposts from the Libyan desert to Albania—particularly on Italian ports used as supply bases for the invasion of Greece.

In the pattern of destruction thus spread out on areas of two continents, these were among the results:

In Italy: The docks and harbor of Taranto—hit, the Air Ministry said, by R.A.F. bombers following the trail of naval planes which on Monday night crippled three Italian battleships and four other warships. This new raid was described as "highly successful."

Every British attacker was reported to have returned to base—perhaps Malta or Crete. At the same time, circumstances of Monday night's raid made it appear that the planes of three British aircraft carriers—the Eagle, the Illustrious, the Ark Royal—are in position to strike again and again at Italy.

In Germany: Berlin—which had an eminent Soviet guest in the Russian Premier and Foreign Minister, Vyacheslav Molotov—attacked, and fires started in the night. Among objectives bombed in the capital, the Air Ministry said, were

War—25 Years Ago Today

NOV. 15, 1915—British submarine E-20 unreported since Oct. 20 presumed lost in the Sea of Marmara. Serbians and Bulgarians locked in great battle southwest of Uskub.

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Huge Purchases Agreed Upon With Britain

Canadian Farm And Fishery Products Will Find Largely Increased Outlet Overseas.

Suggests Nfld. Join Canada As Wartime Move

N.S. Senator Says the Matter Might be Considered at January Conference at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Nov. 14—(CP)—The agreements call for minimum British purchases from Canada next year of \$12,000,000 worth of canned and frozen fish, \$3,500,000 worth of bacon and pork by-products, \$3,500,000 worth of evaporated milk, and \$4,541,000 worth of canned and processed fruits and vegetables.

Fish classified in brackets, call for: canned salmon \$5,338,000 (\$5,517,273); other canned fish \$2,145,000 (\$1,973,000); frozen cod \$3,361,000 (\$4,027,000).

Wiltshire sides account for \$67,300,000 of the bacon and pork by-product, compared to \$22,227,291 in 1939. Britain will take Canada's entire surplus of Wiltshires, estimated at \$21,000,000 pounds, compared to \$21,000,000 pounds delivered last year. The price under the new agreement will hold a "favorable relationship to last year's average price," Mr. Gardiner said, without divulging the schedule.

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Premier Of Egypt Dies

CAIRO, Egypt, Nov. 14—(AP)—In the midst of reading King Farouk's speech from the throne expressing loyalty to Great Britain, Premier Hassan Sabry Pasha crumpled to the floor and died today at the opening session of Egypt's parliament.

Pasha's voice faltered and grew weaker as he read; then he fell. The minister of health, Dr. Aly Ibrahim Pasha, administered first aid but the premier was already dead—of apoplexy, the doctor said, affected King Farouk ordered that the body be removed to the premier's home in the royal ambulance.

Before getting out for the meeting of parliament, the King had investigated the premier with the insignia of the Grand Collar of Mohammed Ali, highest of Egyptian honors. The premier was wearing the collar when he died.

He collapsed only three feet from the king, whose eyes filled with tears when he was told the premier was dead.

The government ordered a state funeral for tomorrow.

Reading of the speech was continued by the president of the Senate. In it the king said Egypt had made her ally, and that her policy is to maintain friendship with all nations except Britain's enemies.

A former minister of communications and minister of marine and war, Sabry Pasha was called upon to form coalition cabinet after Italy entered the war. His cabinet, formed June 28, consisted of members of all parties except the Wafdists, a nationalist group opposed to participation in the war.

Dog Meat To Be Used For Food By Nazis

BERLIN, Nov. 14—(AP)—The meat of dogs was legalized for human consumption today for greater Germany, effective Jan. 1, 1941.

Inspection of dog meat will be made under provision of a new law effective on that date when that commodity is to be controlled in the same manner as meat from cattle, goats, horses and other domestic animals.

Dogs and hogs after being slaughtered are to be examined for evidence of trichina. The same applies to wild dogs, bears, foxes, river wolves, badgers and other meat-eating animals intended for human consumption.

Horse meat now is available in some restaurants and is served without the customer having to surrender his previous meat points, demanded for beef, pork and other meats.

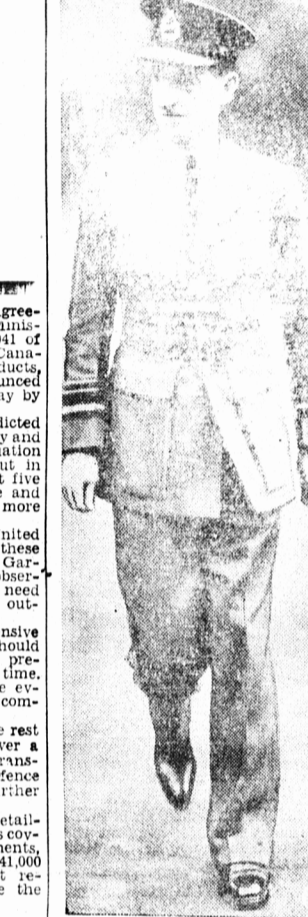
Unlicensed and unclaimed monies presumably will furnish an additional supply of low-cost meat, although many better canines are trained for military service with armed forces.

Ottawa, Nov. 14—(CP)—The Deputy Under-Secretary of State announced today that a death sentence imposed on William Moulton for the murder of a fellow private in the Canadian Active Service Force had been commuted to life imprisonment. Moulton is under sentence to be hanged Nov. 19 at Quebec, Ont. He was convicted of having shot Arthur Phillips during an argument.

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Britons are expecting ever-increasing R. A. F. counter-attacks against their foes, inspired by Sir Charles Portal, new Chief of Air Staff, who is known as an apostle of attack. As head of the bomber command, he drew up the "master plan" of blasting German embarkation ports and supply bottlenecks which is largely credited with a saving of invasion.

Eight Canadians On R.A.F. 52nd Casualty List

LONDON, Nov. 14—(CP Cable)—Names of eight Canadians were included in the Royal Air Force's 52nd casualty list issued tonight:

They were—

Killed in Action

PO. N. N. Campbell, whose father A. J. Campbell, lives in St. Thomas, Ontario.

PO. Edmond K. Leveille, of Winnipeg, (Leveille's father, Edmond Leveille of Winnipeg, was advised that his son was dead Nov. 2. Mr. Leveille was informed that his son had been serving with the R. A. F. in Egypt).

Missing

PO. W. E. N. (Bud) Keller, of Oakville, Ont. (Keller's surname had been changed from W. E. N. Keller to W. E. N. Keller by deed poll. His father, E. N. Keller, of Oakville, Ont., announced Oct. 16 that his son was missing after a raid over German territory).

PO. William Henry Nelson, of Montreal, whose wife, Mrs. Marjorie Nelson, lives near Ripon, Yorks, England. (PO Nelson was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for courage and devotion to duty May 30. Nelson was cited for carrying out many flights over enemy territory, showing the "greatest determination and courage.")

Wounded and Injured in Action

Sgt. W. B. Smith, a native of Banff, Alta.

Killed on Active Service

PO. Harvey G. McCallum, whose father, Duncan McCallum, lives in Dugald, Man. (McCallum's father received word Oct. 17 that his 27-year-old son had been killed on active service in Southern Rhodesia).

PO. Charles E. Staples, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staples, live at St. Stephen, N. B. (Staples' parents had been advised Nov. 4 that their son was killed in an airplane accident in England).

Died on Active Service

PO. J. L. Maude-Roxby, native of Kelowna, B.C., whose father lives in Kamloops, B.C.

HALIFAX, Nov. 14—(CP)—Robt. W. Payne, six, died in hospital here last night, sixth victim of diphtheria since the disease struck the city two months ago. There were 33 patients in hospitals in the city suffering from the disease, medical authorities said, although the situation was well in hand.

Defenders Taking Initiative Along Entire Front Line

Italian Troops Reported Hurrying From Yugoslav Frontier In Attempt To Stem Counter-invasion.

(By Max Harelson, Associated Press Staff Writer)

ATHENS, Nov. 15—(Friday)—(AP)—The Athens radio announced early today that an Italian army corps of two divisions had been annihilated in the Pindus Mountains rather than the one division as previously reported. Two divisions normally have a complement of 30,000 men.

The radio announced that in addition to the Fascist division which penetrated Greek territory, another division which attempted to come to its aid was wiped out.

The Greek army now is taking the initiative along the entire front, the announcement added.

A high command communique said 11 Italian warplanes were shot down during the day and that another 10 planes "probably have been damaged beyond repair."

Taking the initiative in the air as well as on the ground, the high command said its planes bombed the Italian invasion base at Koritza, 10 miles inside Albania, and that planes on the ground were destroyed.

More than 100 prisoners and war materials "of all descriptions" were seized.

Greek planes were said to have swept low over marching Italian columns, scattering them.

The high command charged that Italian planes "indiscriminately bombed" a number of interior Greek towns, inflicting civilian casualties, including some dead, and demolishing a number of buildings. Hospitals also were reported hit.

In all the day's widespread operations, the Greeks said they lost only one plane.

Fascist troop reinforcements were reported hurrying from the Yugoslav frontier toward southern Albania in an effort to halt Greek advances in that area which military experts said were assuming proportions of a counter-invasion.

In every Greek account, the Italian war on Greece thus had become a disaster for the invaders on this, the 19th day of the campaign.

Briefly summarizing the position, a government spokesman said the Greeks were advancing all along the 100-mile front, and were known to be on Albanian soil at numerous points.

"The news from the front is excellent," he remarked. "Our troops push the advance in all three main sectors of the front."

In the centre of the battle line, the Greeks were declared in dispatches from the front to have cut out a new salient in the south in areas abandoned by the Italian right wing—the defenders were reported to be mopping up; above

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Cape Breton Boy Sentenced To Hang Jan. 22

SYDNEY, N. S., Nov. 14—(CP)—Fifteen-year-old Robert Smith, convicted of the murder of an elderly farmer, was sentenced today to hang here next Jan. 22.

The country schoolboy from Rear Big Pond, found guilty of the fatal shooting of Angus (Kondyke) MacIsaac, 65, on Sept. 25, was sentenced by Mr. Justice W. L. Hall in Supreme Court. A Petit Jury had convicted him last week, adding a recommendation of clemency.

Dan Angus MacIsaac, 14, his alleged companion in a robbery attempt at the farmer's home, was acquitted of murder yesterday.

Maritime Federation Of Agriculture Succeeds Chamber

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 14—(CP)—At a meeting here today the Maritime Chamber of Agriculture went out of existence and was succeeded by the Maritime Federation of Agriculture to be affiliated later with the Canadian Federation of Agriculture.

Directors named were: New Brunswick—Jack Walsh, Moncton; M. J. Fournier, Green Point; T. A. Best, Stanley and A. R. Jones Sr., John; Nova Scotia—W. J. Oulton, Windsor and J. H. McKenhan, Cleveland; Prince Edward Island—R. A. Proffit, Freeport; J. W. Boulter, Charlottetown; and W. J. Reid, Kinkora, W. H. McEwen, Moncton, was appointed auditor.

Trains Collide Between Truro And Halifax

MILDFORD STATION, N. S. Nov. 14—(CP)—Two trains of the Canadian National Railway collided tonight at a siding here, midway between Halifax and Truro, but none of the crews or passengers on either train was hurt seriously.

The collision occurred as the second section of the eastbound Ocean Limited and the Sydney Express out of Halifax attempted to pass at the siding. Cause of the accident was not clear, pending an investigation by railway authorities.

Muir Higgins of Truro, a brakeman on the Sydney-bound train, was knocked out by the impact but his condition was not serious. A few others were bruised.

Forecast

Maritime East—Fresh winds; cloudy with occasional showers.

Synopsis: The weather has been mostly fair and cold in Ontario and Manitoba and comparatively mild in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

High tide this morning at 11:13 and tonight at 10:47.

Sun sets this afternoon at 4:32 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:50.

Last quarter moon Nov. 22, 12:36 p.m.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS

Leaves Borden 8:45 A.M., 1:00 P.M.

Leaves Tormentine 11:00 A.M., 3:15 P.M.

MANY A FELLOW WHO BLOWS HIS OWN HORN COMES OUT OF THE LITTLE END OF IT

