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NAZIS PICK SOUTHWEST COASTAL TOWN FOR ATTACK

Criticism Features Monthly Meeting Of City Council

Routine business transacted—Law enforcement set-up, relief, and city streets come in for discussion.

Italian General Quits Command In Albania

Rome, Jan. 13.—(AP)—After two months failure to hold off Greek attacks, Gen. Ubaldo Soddu relinquished command of Italian forces in Albania today to Gen. Ugo Cavaliere, Mussolini's current No. 1 military chief, in the third army shake-up since November.

An official announcement said Gen. Soddu, 57-year-old veteran of all Italy's wars since 1900, and under-secretary of war when sent to Albania, has been relieved because of his health.

Gen. Cavaliere, veteran of three wars, retains his position as chief of staff, a post in which the successful Marshal Bacioglio, who resigned at his own request in a high command shake-up Dec. 6.

Today's announcement claimed an Italian plane had torpedoed a big enemy ship in the Mediterranean.

This brought to nine the number of British ships listed as bombed or torpedoed since Friday.

(Authoritative quarters in London made no comment on the Italian claim, but the line of this sort has been turned out to be grossly exaggerated.)

200 Passengers Removed from Grounded Liner

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 13.—(AP)—Twenty of 200 passengers from her funnels, the 24,000-ton United States luxury liner Manhattan lay around nine miles north of here today while her 200 cruise passengers were taken off.

The coast guard cutter Vigilante and Molave tugged for several hours in an effort to free the steamship.

The passengers were taken off 20 at a time in a coast guard surf boat and transferred to the Vigilante for convenience to the Palm Beach inn dock.

The Seboard Airline Railway was commissioned to take north any who wished to return, with temporary quarters arranged for the others at the Palm Beach Biltmore Hotel.

Today's explanation of why the vessel grounded last night, some 250 yards from shore under a clear and moonlit sky.

The passengers, bound on a pleasure cruise from New York to San Francisco by way of the Panama Canal, displayed little excitement.

Coming Events

- *Talkies — Souris Thursday, L-248-1-14-31.
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- *Reserve July list for Dominion Day Races at Alberton, L-245-1-14-18.
- *The postponed meeting of the Hartsdale Orange Lodge at Brookfield, Thursday, January 16th at 8 p.m., L-253-1-14-11.
- *Annual Meeting of New Westshire District, Thursday, January 16th at 8 p.m., L-225-1-13-21.
- *The annual meeting of the Mount Stewart Presbyterian Church will be held on Tuesday, January 14 at 2:30 p.m., L-256.
- *The annual meeting of the Marshfield Presbyterian Church will be held on Thursday, January 16, at 8 p.m., L-267.
- *The Annual Meeting of the Hazelton Dairying Co., Ltd., will be held Wednesday, January 22nd at 2 P.M. A. Roy Jones, Secretary, L-251-1-14-21.
- *Buying live hogs as usual for winter months. Albany Thursday afternoon, Emerald Friday until 11 o'clock, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, A. C. Green, Albany, G. C. Green, Emerald.
- *Shipping Clubs that were unable to load hogs Monday, Jan. 13, should load on Wednesday afternoon. On the usual Tuesday forenoon. Packing plants require hogs at clubs should accommodate. Live stock Marketing Board, L-260-1-14-21.

Eight Premiers At Ottawa For Conference

Aberhart is Expected Today Before Conference on Siros Report Opens.

By C. R. BLACKBURN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—(CP)—Eight provincial premiers were gathered here tonight with more than half their cabinet ministers, in preparation for a Dominion-Provincial conference which its sponsors hope will be an important milestone in the Dominion's history.

Arrival of Premier William Aberhart and other Alberta delegates early tomorrow morning, a few hours before the conference begins, will complete the provincial representation.

Tonight arrangements were complete for consideration of the far-reaching financial and constitutional recommendations made by the Rowell-Sirois Commission after 1 1/2 years' work.

The provincial premiers were putting finishing touches on statements they will make tomorrow after Prime Minister Mackenzie King, general conference chairman, delivers the opening address shortly after 10 a.m.

Fiscal readjustments designed to effect the maximum efficiency in public financing and tax collection, and to bring about a uniform Canadian living standard, constitute the main questions to be debated.

Mr. King and his government went to see all the recommendations adopted, and have said so. Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba, and Premier W. J. Patterson of Saskatchewan also have declared their governments to be in favor.

Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario, leader of the heaviest taxed province, has been against dealing

Two Sailors Recover after Terrible voyage

NASSAU, The Bahamas, Jan. 13.—(CP Cable)—Robert Tapscott and Leroy Widdicombe, who travelled 2,500 miles in an open boat for 55 days after their ship, the Anglo-Saxon was sunk last summer near the Azores by a Nazi raider, were discharged from hospital today.

Burnt black by the sun, and suffering from hunger and exposure, the two were found on nearby Barbuda island last October 31. They had been under medical care during the last 10 weeks.

Tapscott, 19, expects to join the navy, and Widdicombe, 24, will leave for Canada where he hopes to enlist in the air force.

During their voyage companions, wounded by machine gun bullets from the raider, died. Two others, crazed by the heat and thirst, jumped overboard. They were left with a companion who finally committed suicide by cutting his throat.

Large Transfer Of British Securities In U. S. Is Planned

By IRVING PERLMETER
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—(AP)—One of the largest lump transfers of United States property in history was indicated today in an announcement by Treasury Secretary Henry Morgenthau that United States investment trusts were negotiating for the purchase of the United Kingdom's "direct" investments in the United States.

A few minutes before making the disclosure at a press conference, the secretary said Sir Frederick Phillips, under-secretary of the British treasury, "informed me they (the British government) are ready to do business." The proceeds, he said, will be used to pay for war purchases before the lease-lending plan takes effect.

Morgenthau said he was unable to estimate the amount of property involved, but a recent Federal reserve board estimate of these assets was \$850,000,000.

Morgenthau said he had already advised Sir Frederick the name of Cyril Quinn of New York, the representative of one "very large group of investment trusts."

Quinn was chairman of the tri-Continental Corporation, which was the leader of the first group of companies. He said he understood that the second group, which will be interested in the purchase also were welcome.

David Schencker, head of the Securities Commission's Investment Division, who has participated in the Quinn-Morgenthau conferences, said Quinn was chairman of the tri-Continental Corporation, which was the leader of the first group of companies. He said he understood that the second group, which will be interested in the purchase also were welcome.

A native of Albany, P.E.I., Mr. Arnett started work with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in 1907. Later he established his own contracting business here.

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Double Trouble for Italian Armies



Greek attacks near Valona and Elbasan in Albania, and British mechanized advance on Tobruk in Libya, gave Italian troops little time to strengthen fortifications at those key points in efforts to stem the twin tides of advancing allied forces. Maps show the Albanian and Libyan towns that are targets of British and Italian drives in the two areas where Mussolini's troops meet new defeats daily.

Steamer grounds Is re-floated

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 13.—(AP)—The old Long Island Sound excursion steamship Richard Peck, now a United States naval auxiliary, was ashore two hours in Upper Portland Harbor tonight but floated herself on the rising tide.

Hanson says Victory will Follow sacrifice

Conservative Leader Makes Ringing Plea To Civilians to do Part.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—(CP)—Victory will come to the cause of democracy out of sacrifice, Hon. R. B. Hanson, Conservative leader in the House of Commons, said tonight in an address broadcast over the national network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Mr. Hanson, whose address was one of a series in the C.B.C.'s "Over the Top" feature, said that 1941 may bring the "real battle of Europe" and the sacrifice necessary to victory.

"Strenuous days lie ahead," he said. "The year 1941 will be the most momentous in the history of Christendom. During this year the fighting forces of the Mother Country, aided and supplemented by those of Canada and the other self-governing dominions will strive to reach parity, if not superiority."

"When that time comes, then will the real battle of Europe begin; then will come sacrifice and out of sacrifice, victory."

"The hour has struck. Democracy is at trial. It must not be found wanting. There is in this conflict no grandstand for spectators. The vast civilian army behind our soldiers, sailors and our airmen are awakened to the need

Retired Minister Dies at Halifax

HALIFAX, Jan. 13.—(CP)—Dr. J. S. Sutherland, retired United Church Minister, died at his home here today. One time president of the Maritime Conference, Dr. Sutherland was prominent in United Church affairs, serving on various committees and boards.

A graduate of Dalhousie University and Pine Hill Divinity Hall here, he took post-graduate studies in Scotland. He held pastorates in Sussex, N. B.; Halifax, Fredericton, N. B.; St. John's, Nfld., and North Sydney, N. S.

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Confer on feed Problems; No Announcement

Expect Discussions at Ottawa to Continue Several Days.

OTTAWA, Jan. 13.—(CP)—Representatives of all the provinces conferred today with Hon. J. Gardiner, Dominion Agriculture Minister, on the problem of feed grain supplies in relation to farm producing costs.

Mr. Gardiner, just back from an agricultural meeting at London, Ont., called today's session, taking advantage of the presence in Ottawa of the various provincial ministers who will attend the Dominion-Provincial conference opening tomorrow.

No statement was issued after the opening sitting but an announcement was anticipated at conclusion of the discussions, which may go on for several days.

A second meeting brought together provincial agriculture ministers who are in Ottawa and representatives of those who are not attending the main conference.

The discussions were directly related to Canada's aim of supplying increased butter, cheese and bacon to the United Kingdom this year.

As efforts to step up production have been made, there have been reports that the supply of feed grains at a cost reasonably related to the return on produce, is on the short side.

Quebec, Ontario, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island all were reported to be faced with the same farm problem—keeping production costs from going up when butter, cheese and bacon prices have either been pegged or are governed by agreements with the British food ministry.

Mr. Gardiner suggested some time ago that the Dominion government was prepared to pay half the transportation costs on feed grain from

One death from Storm in Maine

PRESQUE ISLE, Me., Jan. 13.—(AP)—The winter's worst storm in Aroostook County caused one death and brought from state police tonight an "urgent warning" to motorists to stay off the highways until road temperatures are down were expected.

Sgt. Llewellyn Ouellette said a wind of near 50 mph velocity, rapidly was clearing the country's travel arteries with drifting snow.

Frank Peters, 33-year-old salesman from a Brattleboro, Vt., shoe company (Dunham Brothers) who killed when his automobile crashed the rear end of a snowplough in one of the heaviest snow squalls of the day.

Ouellette, reporting numerous lesser accidents, said the Presque Isle Port Fairfield highway was blocked and that most of the other roads in the country were most difficult to travel.

Worst Storm Of Winter on Atlantic

Two U.S. Freighters in distress — Five Liners are delayed.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—(AP)—The worst storm of the winter battered Atlantic shipping today, leaving two United States freighters in distress and delaying scheduled arrivals of five passenger liners.

While other ships were unable to make headway until the storm moved north, the 4,800-ton freighter Coelesta radioed that she had sighted the West African damaged freighter Kebar, 5,620 tons, after "bucking heavy seas" throughout the day.

The West Kebar, shortly after 9 p.m. AST, "released" the Coelesta to continue her voyage. At the same time, the West Kebar asked the coast guard to stand by. Five cutters, including the Cheilan which expected to reach her by midnight, had been dispatched to her aid.

Latest reports to their New York agents from the West Kebar and another West African Line freighter, the 4,883-ton Oho, also in trouble, indicated both would be able to ride out the storm and reach their destinations late Wednesday night or early Thursday morning under their own power.

The West Kebar, damaged and taking in No. 4 hold, was about 300 miles southeast of New York, bound for Boston from Morovava, Liberia, with 12 passengers and 36 crewmen.

A deck motor launch had been carried away by high waves whipped by a 45-mile-an-hour gale. It was believed a deck cargo of machinery logs had washed overboard. There was no report on the condition of a consignment of wild animal in her hold.

The skipper of the Oho, "down by the head" and apparently taking

British Continue Heavy Blows At Enemy Refineries

LONDON, Jan. 14.—(Tuesday)—(CP)—The German air force concentrated on a southwest coastal town Monday night and early today, unleashing a high explosive bombs and thousands of incendiaries which townspeople said made the night "very much like a grotesque fairyland."

It was feared the casualty list would be heavy.

In singling out the town for the main raid of the night, the Nazis followed their custom of splashing it with incendiaries to light the way for bombers which unloaded the heavy explosives.

The women's ward of one hospital suffered a direct bomb hit and another hospital was damaged. Two surface shelters also were hit, as was a church.

In addition to the southwest town, one in the west reported raiders overhead and three places in South Wales were attacked, two with high explosives and the third with machine guns.

Other favorite targets of the Nazis, including the Liverpool area, also were attacked Monday night, but London, the objective of a heavy "fire raid" last night, was free of alarm long past the usual time for nocturnal visits.

The after-dark attacks started after a day of quiet in which the government announced "nothing to report."

Civilians by the hundreds gave firemen a hand in smothering Sunday night's 3 1/2-hour fire-bomb shower and the government announced the heavy attack was quickly brought under control.

A town in southwest England was pummeled for several hours in another Sunday night raid. An official report said "a small number of persons" was killed.

The first bodies were brought out Monday from the ruins of a London subway crossing hit by a German bomb Saturday night. Workers still probed the ruins for additional possible victims and cranes swung tons of debris from the gaping crater.

British expect Italian defeat In East Africa

LONDON, Jan. 14.—(Tuesday)—(CP)—An Italian defeat in East Africa appears so highly probable that the British Government is ready not only to grant safe conduct to "stragglers" for the removal of women and children from those Italian possessions the Press Association said tonight.

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R. A. F. ranges Far in advance Of Wavell's Army

By ERIC BIGIO
Associated Press Staff Writer

CAIRO, Jan. 13.—(AP)—Royal Air Force squadrons ranging far ahead of Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's land forces, have gained control of the air as far as Benghazi, or over a third of Italy's north African colony, British sources said tonight.

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WOULD YOU CALL A DIVORCE TRIAL THE 'MOANING OF THE TIED'?



TORONTO, Jan. 13.—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	2B 0
Victoria	43 48
Edmonton	22 28
Regina	15 24
Winnipeg	0 6
Toronto	8 15
Ottawa	3B 4
Montreal	0 12
Quebec	3B 10
Saint John	10 21
Halifax	16 27
Charlottetown	13 27

Maritime East: Strong winds and gales; partly cloudy and cold; some snow near Cape Breton

Synopsis: The weather has been fair and cold in Ontario. It has become a little colder in Manitoba and Saskatchewan with light snow-falls or flurries, while in Alberta it continues fair and mild.

High tide this morning at 11:58 and tonight at 11:21.

Sun sets this afternoon at 4:42 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:35.

Last quarter moon Jan. 20, 6:01 a.m.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

CAR FERRY SAILINGS
Leaves Borden 9:45 A.M. 1:00 P.M.
Returns Tormentine 11:00 A.M. 3:15 P.M.