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# GREAT AIR BLOWS STRUCK AT GERMANY

## Italy Expects Invasion; Balkans Also Possibility

Are Greece and Crete Potential Invasion Targets?



The Axis partners in Europe are looking anxiously across the Mediterranean where the United Nations are reported to be concentrating invasion forces. The blow may fall on Italy, or it may fall in the area shown on the above map. There is the possibility, too, that a double-pronged attack will be launched against Mussolini's jittery country and into the Balkans through Greece.

### War Situation Last Night

By Glenn Babb, Associated Press War Analyst  
Gen. George C. Marshall told the Governor's conference at Columbus, Ohio, Monday that "one of our greatest puzzles is how the Japanese can stand the beating they are taking in the air—no other words adequately describe the situation in this respect."  
The United States chief of staff, a conservative speaker, put his finger on one of the factors that may bring a drastic change soon in the aspect of the Pacific war. The Japanese, who had a few thousand carefully chosen, highly-trained and experienced airmen when they launched the Pacific war, were able to spread their Empire almost to the shores of Australia largely because they were able to knock the Allied air force out of the skies over the Philippines, Malaya and the Netherlands East Indies. Now the position is reversed and the Japanese air force all around the south and southwest Pacific has been reduced to such a position of inferiority that its every appearance in force becomes a suicide mission.  
Marshall gave half the reason: "Evidently our equipment is excellent and our pilots, gunners, bombardiers and navigators are superb." Other authorities have suggested the other and perhaps more significant half. The few thousand first-rate airmen who gave the Japanese air superiority during the first few months of the war are gone. And while Japanese industry doubtless is able to replace the planes knocked down, Japanese pilots who have been lost.  
This Allied superiority in the air is one feature of a situation in the south and southwest Pacific which suggests strongly that some dramatic developments against Japanese outposts and perhaps some of her more important southern bases is in the making.

### Conservative Candidates For 3rd King's

Mr. H. F. McPhee of Charlottetown and Leslie S. Hunter of Dundas were nominated Progressive Conservative party candidates for the next general election at a largely-attended meeting at Garding last night.  
The nomination of Mr. McPhee, who represents the district now as councillor, was moved by Samuel Wood and seconded by Ed. Munn. His nomination was unanimous.  
Two names were suggested as assemblymen, Mr. Lincoln Dewar of New Perth being nominated by Daniel Murphy and seconded by James Collins. Mr. Hunter's nomination was moved by John L. Sullivan and seconded by James Shaw.  
Mr. Dewar withdrew to make Mr. Hunter's nomination unanimous.  
Senator J. A. MacDonald was chairman while Mr. Bentley Creed was secretary.  
Stirling addresses were given by Hon. Dr. W.J.P. MacMillan, provincial premier, Mr. McPhee, Mr. Hunter, and Mr. Dewar.

### Heavy Raids Continue By Day And Night

Formations Of R.A.F. Heavy Bombers Heard Heading Outward Again Last Night.

LONDON, June 23—(Wednesday)—(AP)—Formations of R.A.F. heavy bombers were heard flying over Britain's southeast coast toward the continent early today, indicating the pounding of German industry was being continued.

By ALAN RANDAL (Canadian Press Staff Writer)  
LONDON, June 22 (CP)—The German industry, on which Hitler was banking so heavily two years ago today when he sent his hordes into Russia, smoked and burned in the Ruhr Valley on this anniversary of a terrific bombing by hundreds of Allied bombers.

The anniversary assaults were thunderous. Seven hundred British and Canadian heavy bombers cast down last night what the Air Ministry called "one of the heaviest raids so far released on any German target."  
This was a mighty assault upon the Ruhr area, in which two-ton blockbusters were falling at the rate of five every minute from Lancasters, Halifaxes, Stirlings and Wellingtons.  
On the heels of the British-Canadian planes, a daylight formation of United States four-motored Fortresses, they dropped incendiaries and explosives on a German Buna rubber factory near Beckinghausen and a Nazi motor plant at Antwerp in Belgium.  
This daylight attack and other far-ranging operations in the Ruhr struck also at docks in Rotterdam—were sent home with the aid of uncounted numbers of fighters from the Canadian, British, American and other Allied commands and the total Allied losses were 20 bombers and four fighters against

### Is Critical Of War News No Assembly

TORONTO, June 22—(CP)—Mrio Hodgins of New York, advertising manager of Time magazine, said today that the "United States has been routing, crushing, blasting, hurling back, blitzing, smashing, wiping out, shattering and annihilating the foe in headlines almost every day since its involvement in the war."  
"And in so doing we have been feeding our public a dangerous and insidious narcotic," he said in an address to the advertising and sales club of Toronto. "If too much of the press persists in that then either our best readers will turn away from us in disgust or despair or the government will find plausibility in saying 'this must stop.'"  
Mr. Hodgins said he thought "it is serious that the war has taught the cynics of journalism the unfortunate truth that optimized news, no matter how unjustified, sells better on the newsstands than the truth if the truth is pessimistic."

### Brief Air Raid

LONDON, June 23—(Wednesday)—(CP)—London early today had a brief air raid warning—its 5028th of the year and 648th of the war. Raiders, striking at Southeast England this morning were reported to have dropped bombs in one place.

### Seed Growers In Convention

Canada-Wide Representation At Opening Sessions Yesterday.

Delegates to the annual convention of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association yesterday were urged by their president, E. E. Egan, Upper Canada, N.S., to continue their work "in helping to feed the hungry people of the world," as a contribution to both war and peace.  
"Our work on our farms, laboratories and institutions, he said, "must go on through all the turmoil and strife and change of a world at war."  
The convention, which is being held at St. Dunstan's University, held morning and afternoon sessions yesterday. Representatives were present from every province.  
A cordial welcome was tendered the visiting delegates at the noon luncheon by Premier J. A. Murphy and Rev. Mgr. J. A. Murphy, D.D., rector of the University.  
The morning session was taken up with routine business, including the president's address and reports of provincial directors, following G. G. Strickland, Ontario; for British Columbia, A. M. Wilson, field crops commissioner, for Alberta; S. H. Vigor, field crops commissioner, Regina for Saskatchewan; R. H. Cottingham, Petersfield for Manitoba; Andrew Johnston, Renfrew, for Ontario; Paul Methot, department of agriculture, Quebec; for Quebec; M. P. Harrison, department of agriculture, Fredericton, for New Brunswick; Heber Profit, Alberton, for Prince Edward Island. A report prepared by Kenneth Cox, department of agriculture, Truro, was read by the secretary, R. G. Weimer, and the secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. T. G. Weimer, reported that war-time conditions, including lack of labor, had reduced the membership in the Association. It still numbers 2,714.  
By province membership was given as: British Columbia, 110; Alberta, 274; Saskatchewan, 1,051; Manitoba, 290; Ontario, 502; Quebec, 1,000.

### Appointments Announced

OTTAWA, June 22—(CP)—Appointment of Brig. J. K. Melville, 54, of Ottawa, as chief engineer of the Canadian Army overseas, succeeding Maj-Gen. C. S. L. Hertzberg 57, of Toronto, was announced by Defence Headquarters tonight.  
Simultaneously defence headquarters announced appointment of three other senior officers of the overseas Army to important new posts.  
The other appointments:—  
Brig. C. Churchill Mann, 38, of Toronto, who won the distinguished service order at Dieppe, assumes command of a Canadian infantry brigade. He was formerly Brig. adier, general staff.  
Col. W. J. McGill of Ottawa, who will be 36 next Saturday, is promoted to the rank of brigadier and appointed Brigadier, general staff. He was formerly assistant deputy adjutant general at Canadian military headquarters in London.  
Lt. Col. A. B. Connelly, 35, of Wolfville, N.S., is promoted to the rank of brigadier and appointed chief engineer of a Canadian corps. Formerly he was chief engineer of a Canadian armored division.

### Eyewitness Tells Of Big Raid

BERNE, June 22—(AP)—The British raid on Friedrichshafen Sunday night was "so potent," it was reported today, that an eyewitness, 10 miles away on the Swiss side of Lake Constance, was blown from the window of his home and three feet back into the room.  
The report was published by the Neue Zuercher Zeitung, whose frontier correspondent said he heard 15 heavy explosions.  
"Houses shook and trees outside swayed as though by a powerful gust of wind," he said and he was twice thrown back from his window by air pressure.

### Smooth Sailing For All your Baking When you use



### Movie Salaries

PHILADELPHIA, June 22—(AP)—Actress Claudette Colbert was paid \$350,000 by Paramount Pictures Inc. of New York, for her services during 1942, the company's annual report to the Securities and Exchange Commission showed today.  
Fred McMurray, actor, received \$347,333 and Bing Crosby \$336,111. Crosby also was paid \$298,946 by Decca Records, Inc., during 1942, according to a Decca report filed June 8.

### Judge Halts Fraud Trials

SYDNEY, N. S. June 22—(CP)—Declaring that it would be a "farce" to stage the trials with the current panels of jurors, Mr. Justice M. E. Archibald today travelled to the October term of Supreme Court three criminal cases involving Mayor D. J. MacLean of Sydney and Nathan Siegel of nearby Glace Bay.  
Mr. Justice Archibald brought the court term to an end after a petit jury had acquitted Max Marcus, Sydney insurance man, of a charge of attempting to obtain \$688 by false pretences from the Anglo-Canadian Insurance Company of Toronto. The mayor was awaiting trial on the same accusation. Yesterday, Harry Hirsch of Sydney was acquitted of the same charge.  
He told the Marcus jury the question of how they arrived at the acquittal verdict was "one of the mysteries which I find difficult to understand and solve."

### Can Delay T-2 Form Until July 31

OTTAWA, June 22—(CP)—Revenue Minister Gibson told the House of Commons today the T-2 form filed by business firms in connection with their income tax may be delivered July 31, instead of June 30, without penalties imposed.  
All other income tax returns for the year ended last Dec. 31 must be filed on June 30.  
Mr. Gibson said he understood the T-2 form which had to be accompanied by an auditor's certificate, required considerable time to prepare.

### Ontario Has High Loss Of Fruit Trees

TORONTO, June 22—(CP)—M. M. Robinson, director of the Ontario Food Distribution Council, said today some estimates of damage from the winter freeze and wet spring in Ontario to fruit trees placed "tree loss at well into 1,000,000 trees."  
He said, in a statement, that as a result of the extreme damage to the Ontario and British Columbia tree fruit crops, the Prices Board and the Federal Department of Agriculture, through the Food Board were planning diversion of some fruits, especially peaches, to the processors.

### Bracken Winds Up N.S. Tour

AMHERST, N.S. June 22—(CP)—Winding up a strenuous 10-day tour of Nova Scotia, Hon. John Bracken rested tonight in this border town after a busy day that carried him into seven of Cumberland County's agricultural, mining, fishing and industrial communities.  
For the national leader of the Progressive Conservative party, the day marked a quadruple event. Besides being his last full day in Nova Scotia, it also was his 60th birthday, his 34th wedding anniversary and the birthday of his air force son, Gordon.

### COMING EVENTS

- Show—Crappaid Thursday, 6-22-21.
- Show—Canoe Cove Friday, 6-22-21.
- Dance—Corran Ban Hall Friday, June 25th.
- Kensington Talks Wednesday June 23rd, 9 P.M.
- Dance—Orwell Cove Hall, June 30th. Millview Orchestra, 6-23-21.
- Dance at Corran Ban Hall Friday night, June 25th.
- Dance, St. Peter's Bay Friday 25th, Clifford's Orchestra, 6-23-21.
- Dance Cornwall, York Point Women's Institute, York Point School, June 30th. Lunches sold, 6-23-29-30-31.
- Hauling cream on Tuesdays and Fridays for summer months. Robert MacKenzie, Glasgow Road, 6-22-21.
- The Merry Minstrels from Charlottetown in Gardigan Hall Thursday, June 24 at 8.30. 6-23-21.
- Dance—Beaton's Warehouse, Wednesday, June 23rd. Proceeds war work. Door prize. If not fine following evening, 6-22-21.
- Barn Dance at Cecil Campbell's, Burlington, Wednesday, June 23rd. A dollar door prize, 6-23-21.
- act play presented by local talent at South Rustico Hall, Thursday, June 24th. Good specialties, 6-23-21.
- Starting Wednesday, July 7th my store will be closed on Wednesday afternoons until further notice. B. Davison, Bradairene, 6-23-25.

### Tell Of Gathering Of Invasion Craft

German Press Chief Betrays Anxiety Haunting Axis Peoples.

### Wavell Reaffirms Pledge To India

LONDON, June 22—(CP)—India's new viceroy, Field Marshal Sir Archibald P. Wavell, reaffirmed today Britain's pledge of Dominion status to India after the war and denied any intention of setting up a military rule.  
"There certainly is no intention to set up anything in the shape of a military rule or to withdraw or weaken in any way the pledges and offers already made to India by His Majesty's government," he said.  
LONDON, June 22—(CP)—Munitions Minister Howe said in the House of Commons today that the release of more steel for bicycles manufacture would not help the output of more machines as the difficulty has been to obtain components, chiefly pedals and brakes, from the United States.  
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### For Income Tax Payers' Convenience

For the benefit of Railway employees and others whose duties prevent them visiting the Dominion Income Tax Office during the regular office hours the Charlottetown Office will open from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M. from June 21st to 25th inclusive and June 28th, 29th and 30th.

### KILLED BY LIGHTNING

DOAKTOWN, N. B. June 22—(CP)—Mrs. Lawrence Storey was killed instantly today by lightning. The house was not burned. Mrs. Storey is survived by her husband and eight children.