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NAZIS SAID RETREATING FROM CRIMEA

More People Subscribe To Fifth Loan, Figures Show

Island Total For First Three Days Was \$400,950

Residents of this province subscribed a total of \$400,950 to the Fifth Victory Loan in the first three days of the campaign, it was learned last night.

Subscriptions were coming in "much better" than at the start of the fourth loan, of which \$2,000,000 was subscribed in 15 days.

The figures issued last night were not broken down into districts.

OTTAWA, Oct. 20 (CP)—Individual subscriptions to Canada's \$1,200,000,000 Fifth Victory Loan in the first two days of the 18-day campaign totalled \$6,857, compared with \$1,446 in the corresponding period of the last loan, national headquarters announced tonight.

In addition the dollar total was \$3,341,800 greater than the previous loan's total at \$128,577,150—an average of \$23,300,000 a day for the first two days. A daily average of \$66,666,666 is required to meet the loan objective in 15 days.

War Situation Last Night

By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst

Events along the whole length of the Hitler's "blood wall" defence front on the Dnieper were moving at a pace that makes possible within days or even hours a greater Nazi military catastrophe than Stalingrad.

As Moscow pictures the situation in the south, and it is unclouded by Berlin, a powerful segment of the Nazi army is virtually trapped in the upper elbow of the Dnieper bend. The principal westward escape route was cut by Russian capture of Perekop, 30 miles west of Dnepropetrovsk. The single remaining rail crossing for roundabout supply or flight from the closing trap is in deadly danger.

The Russians are a bare 50 miles from that cross-country, and less than 50 miles from the Krivoi Rog rail hub. Its fall would isolate not only the whole Dnieper bend, but inevitably force Nazi retreat from the Melitopol front south of the bend, and from the Crimean peninsula.

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Half Of Germany's Big Cities Damaged

LONDON, Oct. 20 (CP)—Half of Germany's leading cities now have been severely damaged by Allied bombing, an R.A.F. commentator said today, 17 of them so badly they are more of a liability than an asset to the war effort, tying up more men in repairs than in production.

Fourteen additional cities were said to have been damaged heavily by blitz-period standards, with Hamburg having received its second day of damage today, an R.A.F. spokesman said. Cologne is equivalent to Coventry, Cologne to 17 Coventrys, Dusseldorf to 12 and Essen 10.

Fine Display By Navy On Market Square

Bluejackets from the Queen Charlotte were on hand at Market Square yesterday afternoon to answer the questions raised by a large and interested number of citizens who milled about the whale boat on view as part of the "Navy Week" display which the officers and ratings are putting on with a view to giving the Victory Bond Campaign a more hearty and enthusiastic support.

Although the downpour of rain in the evening made it impossible for many to take advantage of the opportunity to look over the display in detail, large numbers of theatre goers paused to take a glance at the impressive nature of the display under a series of spotlights, under guards in full equipment, assigned that duty from the crew of the Queen Charlotte.

It is understood that for the balance of the week, a display will be made of this or a similar nature by the navy during each afternoon and evening, and particularly on Friday it is believed that the display will be viewed by visitors from the country with interest and pleasure.

Berlin Takes Gloomy View

By Judson O'Quinn (Associated Press Staff Writer)
LONDON, Oct. 20 (AP)—Moscow dispatches said tonight that a large-scale German evacuation of the Crimea is under way as the Russians raced to outflank the Peninsula from the north and tore at the last thin protective shell from the east.

Reuters news agency said that information brought back to Moscow through the German lines indicated that Nazi divisions garrisoned in the Crimea are fleeing through the last railroad open to them, via the Perekop land bridge.

The Germans were desperately piling reserves and bombers into the Dnieper River to the north but the Russians, already west of the Crimea, sent spearheads six miles farther on, killed 1,500 Nazis and reached down a railway to within 35 miles of a major objective—Krivoi Rog, key railway junction and iron mine centre.

The implications of the Soviet advance behind the Dnieper sank in, according to Swedish correspondents in the German capital. The correspondents said the German High Command representatives broke the news to them solemnly and made no effort to hide the fact that Germany's situation is critical and did not insist that the breach could be repaired.

Generous Legacies Made By Late Mr. H. R. Hilson

Under the terms of the will of the late Mr. Howard R. Hilson, recently probated, many generous bequests were left to friends and former business associates. These include the following bequests:

Mr. M. M. Bowden, Vancouver, \$6,000; Miss Madeline Bowden, Vancouver, \$2,000; Mrs. Frank Cairns, Lower Freetown, \$4,000; Miss George MacFarlane, Bedouque, \$2,000; J. Harrison MacFarlane, Bedouque, \$2,000; John S. West, Spokane, Wash., \$1,000; Mrs. C. West, Inverfall, Alberta, \$1,000; Mrs. Bernard Hill, La Pas, Man., \$2,000; Hugh J. Montgomery, Wetaskiwin, Alberta, \$2,000; Mrs. Dorothy Montgomery, Wetaskiwin, \$1,000; D. Hooper Robinson, Vancouver, \$4,000 (predeceased testator); Victor H. Shaw, Charlottetown, (predeceased testator), \$1,000; Everett Shaw, Brackley, \$1,000; Miss Elida J. Brackley, Murray Harbour, \$2,000; Mrs. Pearson Hamilton, Montague, \$2,000; Miss M. Gertrude Condy, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Miss Beattie L. Dawson, (Mrs. Herrick), Charlottetown, (since deceased) \$1,000; Allison MacLeod, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Earl MacLeod, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Miss Jean MacLeod, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Robert E. Sutherland, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Mrs. Roberta Earl, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Earl C. Baker, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Maurice Martin, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Leslie Gillespie, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Edson Clow, Charlottetown, \$1,000; George Worth, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Miss Dorothy MacFarlane, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Reginald Younker, Charlottetown, \$1,000; D. R. Scott, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Arthur Cover, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Edmund Horne, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Arthur T. Vinnicombe, Halifax, \$1,000; Miss M. McKay, Murray Harbour, \$1,000; Mrs. James Sharnam, Murray Harbour, \$1,000; Mrs. Fred Borden, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Gordon Macdonald, Charlottetown, \$1,000; William G. Gillespie, Charlottetown, \$1,000; Henry Perry, Atlantic City, N. J., \$1,000; To be paid in installments to Hudson MacLeod, Charlottetown, \$1,000; to Nelson Hooper, Charlottetown, \$1,000.

Nazis In Ugly Mood In Italy

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, Oct. 20 (AP)—In the ugliest of moods and venting their wrath on the Italian civil population, the Germans fell back from the scorching Volturno Valley today to a new mountain line along Massico ridge after being threatened by a swift Allied advance in five miles on their flank.

Reconnaissance showed heavy concentrations of German troops on the north of Liberatore, which itself five miles north of the Volturno, and a major battle may be developed there by a Nazi counter-attack, said a dispatch by Reiman Morin, Associated Press correspondent on the 5th Army front.

More Meat Than Ever But Still Not Enough

OTTAWA, Oct. 20 (CP)—The 1942 book of meat statistics was closed today with its strange story of a year when the supply was insufficient to go around.

The agricultural department has issued a review of the "meat book" which reveals:

1. While complaints of beef shortages were being heard in 1942 in any other year in Canadian history.
2. Although cattle marketings were about 56,000 near less than in 1941, the average carcass weight was much heavier—200 pounds compared with 157—and the total beef yield was sufficient to create a record.
3. Enlarged consumer demand was chiefly responsible for the temporary shortages. Another factor was the reduction in pork supplies available for home use because of heavy shipments to the United States.
4. Unusually heavy supplies were turned to purchase of beef.
5. More cattle—and heavier—were being marketed in 1942.
6. Meat rationing in effect Ottawa authorities said they believe the 1942 difficulties will not be repeated.
7. In the effort to supply Britain with bacon last year, about 75 per cent of total slaughterings of hogs was processed for export.
8. In addition to increased home demands for meat, new and outside requirements had to be met. These included large quantities for the armed forces in Canada and ships' stores, by the Red Cross for prisoners of war by sea routes, and for the supply of British possessions where normal sources of meat were reduced.
9. Time development projects like the Alaska Highway.

British Press Is Disturbed

LONDON, Oct. 20 (CP)—The British Press is disturbed by a speech and assured every day that the government is determined to "curb their freedom" it appears that something along this line was done.

The government asked 6,000 women from all over the country to come to London to listen to talks from Prime Minister Churchill and other ministers. But the press was not invited.

"The press in general is taking a serious view of the government's action," reported World's Press News, weekly journal of the press, advertising, paper and printing fraternity.

The Institute of Journalists passed a resolution "expressing apprehension and concern at the present situation in excluding the press from the government action appropria- Since the government action appropria- Since the government action appropria-

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COMING EVENTS

- *Talkies—Murray River Thursday, 10-18-31.
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- *Dance in Glenham School, Friday, October 22nd, 10-21-11.
- *Auction 45 Parkdale Fire Hall Thursday, October 21st, 10-21-11.
- *Rummage Sale Trinity Social Hall, Saturday 23rd, 6 o'clock, 10-21-31.
- *Box Bait and Dance at North Wilshire Fair, October 22nd, 10-20-21.
- *L. O. B. A. 800s supper Salvation Army Hall Tuesday, November 3, 10-21-11.
- *MacRae's Mills, Heathcaldale, closed from October 20th to November 1st, 10-20-21.
- *Bazaar, High Tech, Bongo, Danes, St. James Church, Town Hall, Georgetown, Tuesday, October 26th, 10-21-31.
- *Wanted to buy live and dressed chickens and fowl. Paying top market prices. Island Cold Storage Co. Ltd., 9-26-11.
- *Chicken Supper, Bongo, Danes, St. Mark's Hall, Lot 7, Wednesday, October 27th, Supper begins, 8 P. M., 10-21-41.
- *Murray Harbor Shipping Club leading hog, Monday afternoon, October 26th, D. Ray Brooks, Sec., 10-21-11.
- *Rummage Sale, 3 o'clock, Thursday, October 21st, 10-21-11. Building, West Royal Institute.

Trial Of De Marigny Reaches New Pitch

By E.V.W. Jones
Associated Press Staff Writer
NASSAU, Bahamas, Oct. 20 (AP)—The trial of Alfred De Marigny reached a new pitch today as the accused man's lawyer sought to cast doubt on the testimony of a key witness.

Harold V. Christie, a key witness, about the slaying last July of Sir Harry Oakes.

Hurling questions at Christie, chief counsel Cadogan Higgs drew out shouted replies in a cross-examination centred upon the witness' account of finding the corpse in a rooming house.

Christie, a millionaire's body when he went to awaken him for breakfast.

The prosecution brought a bench in the barrack prisoner's dog and wrapped his arms about his knees as he listened to the cross-examination.

Christie, a real estate dealer and long time friend of Sir Harry, had told yesterday that he had seen Oakes' estate and getting a terrific shock the next morning when he awoke the next morning when he found that he had been slugged and set afire.

Seek to Shake Story
Higgs after a series of questions designed to shake Christie's story pointed to a photograph of his body and suggested that Christie's efforts

Prices Board Order Re Drawn Poultry

OTTAWA, Oct. 20 (CP)—The Prices Board today issued an order, effective tomorrow, providing that drawn poultry may be sold at 10 cents a pound above the maximum price for the same kind of dressed poultry not drawn.

The Board said that the bird's head, feet and all internal organs must be removed before it can be sold at the price set for drawn poultry. The cleaned gizzard, heart and liver may be included in the weight of the drawn bird.

Where a retailer draws a bird at a customer's request after it has been weighed and sold undrawn he may charge not more than 10 cents for doing so, the Board said.

DENTISTS TO CONFER
QUEBEC, Oct. 20 (CP)—Hon. Henri Groulx, provincial minister of health and social welfare, will preside tomorrow at the official opening of the first convention of dentists in the province in Truro, Town Chateau Frontenac.

The meeting will last three and a half days, with 100 dentists from all parts of Canada and United States are expected in Quebec today.

Four-Motored Plane Is Still Missing

MONTREAL, Oct. 20 (CP)—Contrary to an earlier report, a big four-engined Liberator, reported missing between Gaspe and Montreal, has not yet been found, an operations officer at the Royal Air Force Transport Command Station at nearby Dorval said tonight.

He said that since broadcasts announcing the missing plane, there had been many reports the aircraft had been sighted but so far none had proved to be correct. He added the search by plane and land was continuing.

N. B. SUBSCRIPTIONS
SAINT JOHN, N. B. Oct. 20 (CP)—Victory Loan subscriptions in Nova Scotia totalled \$2,868,800. It was announced at provincial loan headquarters. The figure represented 16 per cent of the \$38,000,000 provincial objective.

Rockefeller To Sell Oil Shares

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 (AP)—John D. Rockefeller has arranged to sell \$25,000,000 worth of his holdings of Standard Oil stocks to permit expansion of his investment.

Standard Oil Company of California, 50,000 shares of Standard Oil of Indiana and 150,000 shares of Sinclair Oil Corporation.



Cadet Leo Berrigan, of Clyde River, P.E.I., who received his certificate at the Canadian Army Officers' Training Centre, Brockville, Ont., October 16.

BULLETIN

LONDON, Oct. 21 (Thursday)—(CP)—A number of fast, high-flying German planes swept over London from several directions early today, causing the fifth alarm here in as many nights and probably the heaviest anti-aircraft barrage heard in a long time.

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Nazis Predict New Landings

LONDON, Oct. 20 (CP)—An Allied landing in the area of Rome, which lies but 15 miles from the Tyrrhenian sea coast, is imminent, a P. N. B. dispatch broadcast from Berlin said tonight.

"Fervent efforts have been observed recently to make the port of Naples serviceable by day and night shifts" was cited in the broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press.

"The remarkably increased Allied shipping traffic at the southwestern coast of Italy seems also to lend emphasis to this assumption," it said.



BOSTON, Oct. 20 (CP)—Main forecast: Continues cool Thursday and Thursday evening, intermittent light rain or drizzle Thursday and in southern portion Thursday evening, fresh to occasionally strong winds along the coast.

High tide this afternoon at 5:54 and tomorrow morning at 6:37. Sun sets this evening at 4:06 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:24. New moon October 28, 9:59 p. m. Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

DAILY AIR SERVICE
Charlottetown—Summerside—Moncton
Leave Charlottetown 7:35 a. m.
12:00 noon, 4:30 p. m.
Arrive Charlottetown 1:10 p. m.
5:45 p. m., 7:05 p. m.

SUNDAY SERVICE
Leave Charlottetown 12 noon.
Arrive Charlottetown 5:45 p. m.
P. E. I.-N.S. Ferry Service Daily including Sundays
Leave Wood Islands—10:00 a. m.
2:15 p. m.
Leave Cariboo 12:15 p. m., 4:15