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## 14 ENEMY SHIPS ARE SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN

### Soviet Armies March 17 Miles Toward Kharkov

#### London Schools Suffer Worst Blow Of War

Many Children Dead After Nazi Rooftop Raiders Drop Bombs; At Least 13 Enemy Planes Shot Down.

#### Arctic Weather Hits Prairies

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20 (CP)—Cold wave with temperatures reaching the lowest of the winter, continued across western Canada today. From the Prairie Provinces came reports of Arctic weather. Prince Albert, in Northern Saskatchewan, held the low point for the Prairies—below zero during the night. It was 54 at Saskatoon, and 52 at Edmonton, equaling the Alberta low, all-time low of Jan. 12, 1911.

#### Col. Ralston Injured In Road Accident

Car In Which He Was Riding Was In Collision With Snow Plow.

#### Ice Breaker To Carry Food To Magdalens

QUEBEC, Jan. 20 (CP)—J. Sasseville Roy, member of parliament for the Magdalens, has notified Transport Minister Michaud that government ice breaker would leave Halifax shortly with provisions for the island population.

#### Coming Events

- Talkies—Montague Saturday, 1-19-43.
- Free Sound Movies, Hunter River, Friday, 1-21-43.
- Talkies—Souris Monday, 1-19-43.
- Farmers wishing to ship dressed hogs advise McGowan & Boyle, 1-21-43.
- East Royals rink tonight, St. Avard's vs. Royals, Skate after, 1-21-43.
- Free Sound Movies, Broadbent, Thursday, Hunter River, Friday, 1-21-43.
- Card Party and Dance in St. Mary's School, Lot 22, Friday 22nd in aid of St. Thomas Aquinas Society, 1-21-43.
- Leading hogs this week, Albany Thursday afternoon, Emerald Friday until 11:30 a.m. G. O. Green and A. C. Green, 1-20-43.
- We are buying live and dressed chickens and low daily paying top market value. Phone or write for prices. Island Cold Storage, Ltd. 12-15-43.

#### New Gains In Drive On Rostov

#### Eighty-Nine Axis Divisions Reported Badly Mauled In Two Months Fighting.

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP)—Russia's rampant armies have gained 17 more miles in the sweep toward Kharkov, big Ukraine steel city, and further compressed huge Nazi causts in the drive on the German anchor base of Rostov, a special Soviet communique said tonight.

#### War Situation Last Night

(By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst.)  
With the Russian forces reported almost as close to Kharkov in the upper Don region as they are to Rostov on the lower Don approaches, apprehension is rising in Berlin. This anxiety is reflected by Nazi military and other commentators whose words are recorded by British and American listening posts.

#### Chile Breaks With Axis

SANTIAGO, Jan. 20 (AP)—As a contribution to hemispheric solidarity and long after the original indignation over Axis attacks on Chilean shipping had cooled, Chile today broke off diplomatic relations with Germany, Japan and Italy and began to round up Axis nationals.

#### Nazi Pinning Hopes On U-Boat Fleet

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP)—In an attempt to keep the tremendous scale of Allied war factories from the battlefields, Hitler was said by British naval observers today to be maintaining 200 U-boats at sea all the time.

#### Steel Strike Cuts Production

TORONTO, Jan. 20 (CP)—James S. Duncan, President of Massey-Harris Ltd., declared today that the steel strikes at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and at Sydney, are already beginning to cut down millions production.

#### Potato Shortage Threatens Toronto

TORONTO, Jan. 20 (CP)—A spokesman for a Toronto wholesaler sale potato firm said today this district is facing a possible potato shortage. He charged that disconcerting in the trade over existing Government regulations controlling prices was a factor, along with reduced facilities for shipment.

#### Royal Navy Promotions Announced

LONDON, Jan. 20 (CP CABLE)—Promotions of Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham, to the rank of Admiral of the fleet and three other high officers to the rank of Admiral were announced today. Admiral of the fleet is the Royal Navy's highest rank.

#### Labor Leaders Confer With Hon. Mr. Mitchell

Negotiations To End Three Steel Strikes Near Standstill Yesterday.

#### INTERNATIONAL AT A GLANCE

By The Canadian Press  
RUSSIA—Reds gain 17 miles in sweep toward Kharkov, Ukraine steel centre, and further compress Nazi armies in northwestern Caucasus as they drive for Rostov.

#### Oppose Peyrouton's New Appointment

LONDON, Jan. 20 (AP)—Obviously stirred by Marcel Peyrouton's appointment as Governor-General of Algeria, the French National committee met in a special session today and Fighting French headquarters declared the appointment would shock the French people as much or more than did the agreement with the late Admiral Jean Darlan.

#### Traffic Tie-Up Faces Calgary

CALGARY, Jan. 20 (CP)—The worst traffic tie-up in history faces Calgary today as the result of the cold wave, with street cars crippled. Thirteen street cars have been burned out by their motors, and it is not known how long the system can be kept in operation on a reduced scale.

#### Back To Work Movement Starts

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Jan. 20 (AP)—Stomping, shouting miners launched a new back-to-work movement in Pennsylvania's strike-bound coal fields tonight.

#### AID TO RUSSIA

TORONTO, Jan. 20 (CP)—The Canadian Aid to Russia Fund has received approximately \$807,000 from all sources, in cash and pledges. J. S. McLean, chairman of the National Committee, announced today. Today's receipts were \$56,139.22.

#### STUDENTS FOR CALL-UP

MONTREAL, Jan. 20 (CP)—A list of 66 names of McGill University students whose work "shows they should no longer be retained" was today made available to a regional National Selective Service registrar. It was announced by Principal F. Cyril James.

#### Blow Timed To Support Drive Against Tripoli

Fighting French Under Gen. Le Clerc Make Contact With 8th Army Pursuing Rommel.

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THE TREES LOOK SCHOLARLY NOW 'CAUSE ALL THE SAP'S IN THE GROUND -  
High tide this afternoon at 12:30 and tonight at 11:45.  
Sun sets this afternoon at 5:51 and rises tomorrow morning at 8:31.  
Full moon Jan. 21, 6:45 a.m. Summer tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.  
CAR FERRY SERVICE DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY  
From Borden—Leave 9:05 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.  
Leave Cape Tormentine—10:30 a.m. 1:15 p.m. 3:05 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 8:15 p.m.  
DAILY AIR SERVICE (EXCEPT SUNDAY)  
Charlottetown Summerside—Moncton  
Leave Charlottetown 8:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 4:30 p.m. 8:30 p.m.  
Arrive Charlottetown 1 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 7:05 p.m.

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