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EXPECT NAZI MARCH INTO BULGARIA ANY MOMENT

Famous Scientist Is Missing Sir Frederick Banting on board plane unreported since Friday.

Seven Italian Supply ships Are sunk

LONDON, Feb. 23 (CP)—The admiralty announced today that seven Italian supply ships have been sunk to the bottom of the Mediterranean in recent submarine operations and disclosed indirectly that Britain has sent some of her latest model undersea craft into the sea to hunt for the ships.

Free French join British in drive in North Eritrea

By Eric Bigio Associated Press Staff Writer

CAIRO, Feb. 23 (AP)—British imperial soldiers and French Free French Senegalese troops who rushed to join the British in pushing into northern Eritrea in the allied drive on the railway town of Cheren, a military headquarters communicate announcement.

Coming Events

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Nazi Army Major Hurls bottle at U. S. Minister

SOFIA, Feb. 23 (AP)—United States Minister George H. Earle said tonight that a German army major "threw a champagne bottle which just missed my head" in a cafe skirmish Saturday night when the Nazi officer objected to the orchestra striking up his requested number—"Tipperary."

Eight Canadians On R. A. F. list Of casualties

LONDON, Feb. 23 (CP Cable)—Eight Canadians were listed in the Royal Air Force's 60th casualty list, issued tonight. The list contained 335 names, including that of a member of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force who died on active service.

American-made British bomber Flies to Canada

NEW YORK, Feb. 23 (AP)—An American crew flew to Canada today on a 20-ton, 12-engine Consolidated bomber which arrived here last week following a non-stop flight from San Diego, Calif.

Tells Canadians To See Flow Of Goods Continues Scour whole world for ships to carry war materials to Britain, Lord Beaverbrook's plea.

B. C. oysters in Montreal

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 (CP)—British Columbia oysters were offered on Montreal markets for the first time today as a result of an order which prevented importation of United States oysters after last Dec. 2.

Strong Forces Of Nazi Warplanes Stab At Britain

Force thrown into air battle over week-end similar to opening of offensive last summer.

Spoke Yesterday



LORD BEAVERBROOK

Who spoke to Canada yesterday in a stirring message.

Turks claim Interest in Foreign moves

ANKARA, Feb. 23 (AP)—Turkish Foreign Minister Sukru Saracoglu declared tonight "Turkey will be unable to remain indifferent to foreign activities which might occur in her security zone."

King Alfonso Rallies slightly

ROME, Feb. 23 (AP)—Former King Alfonso XIII of Spain, whose strength ebbed so low last night that he had to be carried to his life, rallied today enough to take solid food.

DIES OF INJURIES

WINDSOR, N. S., Feb. 23—Mrs. Annie Dimock, a Hants County school teacher for 40 years, died in hospital today from the effects of a fall last night. She was 81.

WIDOW OF SENATOR DIES

YARMOUTH, N. S., Feb. 23 (CP)—Mrs. Sara Hatfield, 68, widow of Senator Paul Hatfield of Nova Scotia, who died six years ago, died at her home today.

BULLETIN

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Monday)—CP—Strong squadrons of German fighters and bombers roared across Dover Strait Saturday and Sunday in what the Press Association viewed as the start of the Nazi spring air offensive.

SOMEWHERE ON THE NORTHEAST COAST OF ENGLAND, Feb. 23 (CP)—A spectacular head-on battle between raiding planes and anti-aircraft batteries was fought here today. The raiders gave this place its heaviest attack of the war.

Force also busy with raids on the "invasion coast." Fog restricted visibility but bombers roared over the southeast coast reported anti-aircraft fire in the Boulogne and Calais districts.

A group of 20 Messerschmitts flying in the usual four- abreast raiding formation roared over the mist-shrouded English Channel and were seen plainly through gaps in the clouds. They wheeled to the right as they approached the British shore and continued north.

Several smaller formations arrived at intervals crossing paths with earlier, home-bound raiders. Spitfire patrols were active over Dover Strait throughout Sunday morning and British bombers also were seen flying out to sea.

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LIMA, Peru, Feb. 23 (AP)—A Condor airliner stranded last week in the Secura Desert arrived here today from Chiclayo with its original 15 occupants, three of whom made a 60-mile trek across the desert in search of aid.

THE three were John Lear, Associated Press writer, Pilot Hugh Wells of Shrewsbury, Mass., and a Peruvian engineer, Hermann Baumann. The Condor liner itself was flown out of the desert after being refueled.

More than one Million to buy War certificates

SMITH FALLS, Ont., Feb. 23 (CP)—Finance Minister Flisley announced tonight at a War Savings rally that more than 1,000,000 Canadians now have pledged themselves to regular purchase of War Savings Certificates for the duration of the war.

Suggests Churchill Visit U. S.

LONDON, Feb. 23 (CP Cable)—A suggestion that Prime Minister Churchill fly to the United States to confer with President Roosevelt was put forward today by the Sunday Dispatch.

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Private Traffic Halted; pontoons On Danube River

London expects move hourly; Opposition develops in Bulgaria to German arrival.

LONDON'S VIEWPOINT

LONDON, Feb. 23 (CP Cable)—At any moment now, London observers believe, the German army may goose-step into Bulgaria to join the vanguard who have penetrated peacefully that Balkan country disguised as tourists and technicians.

SOFIA, Feb. 23 (AP)—Police halted all automobile traffic in the Sofia district early this afternoon and began a nation-wide hunt for Bulgarians spreading anti-German leaflets. These were among accumulating signs of impending Nazi military entrance into this country.

On Saturday Nazi general staff officers in civilian clothes, their black military boots shining under the raincoats, began establishing themselves in Sofia and from the city's leading hotels they peered out at groups of angry students shouting against the "German occupation of Bulgaria."

Reports from Hungary said German troops still were continuing the moment begun last Dec. 27 across that country into Rumania, just across the Danube River from Bulgaria. These reports said 45 German pursuit planes were based on Hungarian airports near the railway lines, presumably to protect the movement which is reported to have maintained an average of about 40 military trains a day.

Seven top leaders of the Farmers' peasant party, including Stancho Tenev, former assistant police chief of Sofia, were arrested in the capital as the police began their round-up of Bulgarians issuing leaflets against Germany and calling on the peasants to resist any Nazi occupation.

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MUST CARE FOR CROPS

LONDON (CP)—Under a new Defence Regulation farmers who neglect to take reasonable steps to keep harvested crops in good order are liable to a fine not exceeding \$20.

TALLER CHILDREN

STOCKHOLM (CP)—The Swedish Racial-Biological Institute has proved that the average weight and height of boys and girls of specified ages has increased considerably in the last 50 years.

IF YOU CAN ONLY OWN ONE BOOK LET IT BE A BANK BOOK

TORONTO, Feb. 24 (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: City, Temperature. Rows include Dawson, Victoria, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Saint John, Halifax, Charlottetown.

FORECAST

Maritime Provinces: Fresh winds; partly cloudy with scattered snowflakes and stationary or a little lower temperature.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown. CAR FERRY SAILINGS Leaves Borden 9:45 A.M. 1:00 P.M. Leaves Tormentine 11:00 A.M. 3:15 P.M.

BLOSSOM OF CANADA FLOUR Matchless for Baking Bread

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