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SOVIETS - FINNS IN CLASH

Allies Sure Of Ultimate Victory In Present War

Secrets Of Magnetic Mine Known, British Premier Announces In First Empire Broadcast Since War Begun.

LONDON, Nov. 26—(CP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain today declared Great Britain's peace aim as the establishment of a "new Europe," but declared in a voice of challenge that the Allies had first a war aim—the defeat of "that aggressive, bullying mentality which seeks continually to dominate other peoples by force."

At the same time he said during a speech broadcast to the Empire that the British Commonwealth's unity in war "gives as moral as well as material strength" and that Britain has "full confidence in our ultimate victory."

"Members of the British Commonwealth are united as they never have been before in all their history," the Prime Minister said. It was his first broadcast to the Empire since that fateful Sunday 12 weeks ago when in firm but tragic tones he announced that a state of war existed between Britain and the Reich of Adolf Hitler.

He told his fat-flung audience that none of Britain's sea losses "affects our overwhelming naval superiority," and then he made this important disclosure:

"Already we know the secrets of the magnetic mine and we shall soon master the magnetic mine as we have already mastered the U-boat."

Mr. Chamberlain sought to meet criticism of Britain's war news. He said that "we shall not follow the German example of either concealing our own losses from you or inventing enemy losses which do not exist."

MEMORIAL TO LATE PASTOR ZION CHURCH

Impressive Ceremony At Unveiling And Dedication Of Stained Glass Window.

Erected "to the glory of God and in the memory of His servant George C. Taylor," a beautiful stained glass window, illustrating the Call of Christ to his Disciples, was unveiled and dedicated in Zion Presbyterian Church at the regular morning service yesterday. The window is in the alcove above and to the right of the Pulpit, and is a magnificent example of the glass-makers art. It bears the text: "Come ye after Me and I will make you to become fishers of men."

Pastor of Zion Church from 1912 till 1928, the late Rev. George C. Taylor was a member of the 105th Battalion overseas, and was widely known and esteemed not only by returned soldiers and members and adherents of Zion Church, but by all classes throughout the City and Province. During his residence here after the War he took a leading part in the annual Remembrance Day services, and was untiring in his efforts to promote the welfare of returned men.

The consecration, yesterday morning, which taxed the capacity of the church, included the Royal Canadian Legion, the Canadian Legion, the Artillery corps, the Field Ambulance, and the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, the Legion.

R. A. F. Makes Flights Over German Bases

LONDON, Nov. 26—The Air Ministry reported tonight that Royal Air Force planes made successful reconnaissance flights over important German naval bases Saturday.

The flights were completed without loss to the R. A. F. despite bad weather conditions and intense anti-aircraft fire. It was the second time in three days that British planes covered the north-western German zones, including Heligoland and Wilhelmshaven.

The ministry's communique said one pilot got directly above Wilhelmshaven with his camera in action before ground batteries could open fire. He, and the others, had to fly through a heavy barrage of fire before they completed their jobs.

The planes encountered violent storms and ice formed on the wings on their journey home.

Will Inquire Into Naval News Leakage

LONDON, Nov. 26—(CP)—Official sources disclosed tonight that Sir Walter Monckton, K. C., has been asked by the government to inquire into an alleged leakage of secret naval information, which evaded censorship here and was published by a New York newspaper.

The news concerned damage to the cruiser Belfast in the Firth of Forth. It was known here Wednesday but was held up by the censors, being finally released for publication here last night.

"The Admiralty do not always announce damage to warships," the Evening News said. "Their main reason for this secrecy is that the information may be of great value to the enemy; all cables abroad which made any reference to the Belfast's misadventure were censored."

"When the war started London was attempting to establish representatives of newspapers abroad were warned that on no account must they attempt to 'smuggle' censored news out of Britain. It is regarded as certain that any individual against whom smuggling of censored news was proved would be asked to leave the country."

The News added that the Admiralty had been asked to disclose the damage to the Belfast, which the national interest demanded should not be made known to the Germans.

Germany Seeks To Side-step New Blockade

LONDON, Nov. 26—The Sunday Times reported today that Germany was attempting to establish manufacturing plants in Estonia to surmount the two-way sea blockade. Goods ostensibly of Estonian manufacture, but actually produced in Germany, would thus be shipped through the blockade with Germany gaining vital foreign currency, the Times said.

LEADERSHIP SHORT COURSE IS CONCLUDED

Twenty-seven students end month's training at St. Dunstan's University.

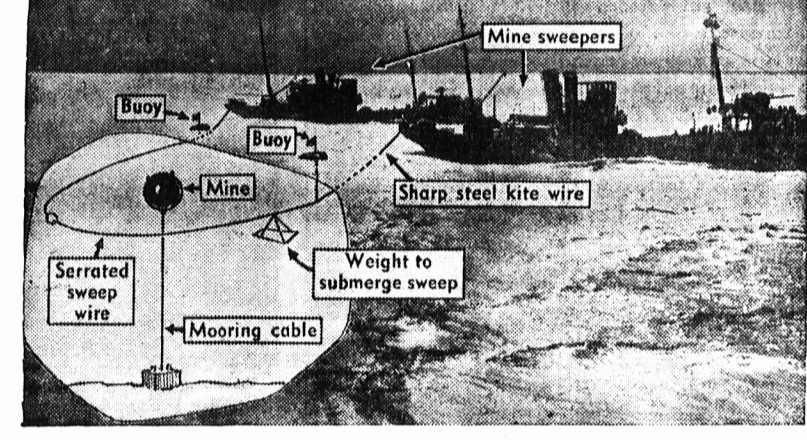
Closing exercises, tinged with the sorrow of parting, yet anticipating the challenge of social leadership, marked the end of the Leadership Course at St. Dunstan's University on last Saturday morning.

Twenty-seven students, for the past month, had been attending lectures in which speakers with nationwide reputations had participated. They engaged in public speaking, in credit union practice, and had taken part wholeheartedly in sport and recreation programmes, in an attempt to learn the skills and techniques so lacking in rural communities today.

Addressing the students, Dr. Murphy, Rector of St. Dunstan's, stated, "You have entered upon your work in a serious manner, and have succeeded well." He congratulated the class upon their sincere co-operation, and congratulated Mr. W. R. Shaw, the Director of the Youth Training, upon the selection of the students who made up the course. The rector of the University spoke only briefly, but in words charged with emotion, and concluded his address by stating, "Today is the young man's day. It is for you to carry the torch."

Mr. W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Director of Youth Training in the province in an address illuminated by humour

How Britain Fights Mine Menace



Here's one method of mine sweeping being used by the British. They seek to clear waters of the horned bulls of TNT that raised havoc with shipping off the English coast. Sharp wire cuts through mooring line of hidden mine, blowing it to sea.

Christmas Seal Drive Launched Last Evening

Work Of T. B. League Praised By Special Speakers At Meeting.

The Christmas Seal campaign was launched at a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Prince Edward Island Tuberculosis League held last night in the Prince Edward Theatre under the distinguished patronage of His Honour, Lieutenant Governor B. W. LePage.

Mayor E. A. Foster presided at the meeting and those occupying the platform included: His Honour Lieutenant Governor B. W. LePage; Premier Thane A. Campbell; Hon. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan; His Excellency J. A. O'Sullivan, Bishop of Charlottetown; Rev. G. Caryie Webster, President of the P. E. I. Ministerial Association; and Mr. John E. Cameron, President of the Prince Edward Island Tuberculosis League.

The object of the evening was to launch the Christmas Seal Sale, which has been accomplished. The chorus were: "Laudamus," and "Land of Hope and Glory." Mr. Raymond sang "The Blind Ploughman." He was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Raymond. This musical program was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience and much credit is due the singers for their pleasing renditions.

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Shipping Losses:— Two Large Craft Sent To Bottom

By J. F. Sanderson
Canadian Press Staff Writer
LONDON, Nov. 26—(CP) CABLE—Allied shipping suffered two severe blows during the weekend in the loss of the British armed merchant cruiser Rawalpindi and the Polish luxury liner Pilsudski.

The Admiralty announced the sinking of the Rawalpindi and it was reported that 280 lives were lost aboard this 16,697-ton ship, formerly a crack P. and O. liner.

The Pilsudski, 14,294 tons, struck a mine in the North Sea, and it was believed that seven persons were missing.

(A statement issued at Paris by the Polish Telegraphic Agency said the Pilsudski was torpedoed by a U-boat.)

A British destroyer landed 76 persons believed to be from the Pilsudski at a north eastern coastal port, and later it was learned that in all 171 survivors were landed.

The Pilsudski was disclosed to have been under charter to the Admiralty.

Other Losses
Other losses announced were the freighter Hookwood, 1,537 tons, hit by a German mine at an unrevealed point, and the trawler William Humphries, believed to have gone down after being shelled by a submarine. The crew of 18 has not been heard from since Tuesday when they took to a boat.

It also was reported that the 6,336-ton Swedish tanker Gustaf E. Rueier had been disabled off the

Russia Makes Demands After Alleged Attack

Finland Is Calm After Incident While Denying There Was Any Shooting.

MOSCOW, Nov. 26—(AP)—Tass, Russian News Agency reported tonight three Russian soldiers were killed and seven wounded by Finnish artillery fire on the Russian-Finnish border.

(Havas News Agency said that immediately after reporting of the incident the Soviet Premier and Foreign Commissar, Vyacheslav Molotov, sent a note to the Finnish Government demanding withdrawal of Finnish troops 15½ miles from the Russian-Finnish frontier.)

The Tass report as read over the Soviet radio said the incident occurred at 3:45 P. M. (8:45 A. M. AST) today near a place named as Maimila.

"The provocation caused tremendous indignation among troops stationed in the area of the Finnish artillery attack," Tass said.

ARMIES MARK TIME IN SNOW AND COLD

Militarists Learn Only Small Nazi Forces Remain In Eastern Territories

(By Alex De Holstein)
(Havas Staff Writer)
PARIS, Nov. 26—(CP) Havas— Allied and German armies marked time on the western front today as snow and cold hampered operations.

"Patrol activity during the night in the Vosges Region" was reported by the morning war communiqué. This evening the High Command announced "reduced activity by patrols and artillery."

Information reaching the French general staff indicated that only an army of occupation, sufficient to maintain order, remains in German-occupied Slovak and Polish territories. This information appeared to dispense of rumors that the Germans were concentrating on their southeastern borders after the breakdown of trade negotiations with Rumania.

Reich troops in the region comprise four groupings, the largest of which is stationed in Poland, these sources said. A slightly smaller unit is in Slovakia, while others are located in Bohemia-Moravia and Austria. These are not newly-arrived divisions, informed quarters here said, nor do they possess strong motorized elements, all of which remain on the western front.

The army of occupation in Bohemia-Moravia possesses a few light tanks of the type that proved vulnerable and generally unsatisfactory in Spain. They will serve to hold a poorly-armed populace in check, it was believed in French military circles, but not to initiate any large-scale assault.

German troop movements near the Belgian-Netherlands frontiers constitute only a spreading of reserves, and do not indicate a withdrawal from border positions threatening the lowland countries, French military sources said.

German troops on the western front today carried out an operation which appeared to have been assigned to them purely as punishment.

Italy Grants Leave To Many Soldiers

Orders Strike At Main Dodge Plant At Detroit

DETROIT, Nov. 26—(AP)—R. J. Thomas, president of the congress of industrial organizations' United Automobile Workers' union, Saturday ordered a strike at the main Dodge plant of the Chrysler corporation which has been shut down for 51 days because of a dispute over terms of a working contract with the union.

The Dodge plant, a key unit of the Chrysler corporation, was one of the first to close in the controversy, but the corporation and the union have differed over whether a "strike" or a "lockout" prevailed.

In announcing the strike order, Thomas said "full-time picket lines will be established and any persons attempting to enter the plants for work will be regarded as strike breakers."

Approximately 155,000 Chrysler and Chrysler supplier plant workers have been made idle by the dispute.

Motion Picture Strike Averted

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 26—A strike of 35,000 motion picture technicians which threatened to plunge United States theatres into darkness as well as close the studios was averted Saturday as producers agreed to a 10-per cent wage increase.

A stipulation that the increase would remain effective only until next Feb. 15, when the wage question would be reopened for consideration, was accepted by officers of 24 American Federation of Labor Unions of Studio Craftsmen.

Arthur Purvis To Coordinate War Purchases

PARIS, Nov. 26—Appointment of Arthur Purvis of Montreal, president of Canadian Industries, Ltd., as head of a new Anglo-French committee to coordinate British and French purchases in the United States was officially announced tonight.

(Mr. Purvis' appointment as head of the British purchasing mission in the United States was announced some weeks ago.)

In Canada, it was announced, French as well as British orders for arms and airplanes will be made through the intermediary of the Canadian war supply board, headed by W. R. Campbell of Windsor, Ont.

Jean Monnet, French financial expert and former undersecretary-general to the League of Nations, was named by Premier Daladier and Prime Minister Chamberlain as president of the allied economic coordinating committee.

This committee was established Nov. 17 to coordinate French and British war buying to prevent competitive buying in foreign markets. It also will deal with questions of principle or priority in economic matters. The members who will serve under Monnet will be appointed later.

In addition to the coordinating committee, it was arranged that time it is considered necessary the interested British and French cabinet ministers will meet either in London or Paris.

Questions of general policy will continue to be settled by the Allied Supreme War Council.



TORONTO, Nov. 26—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Dawson 1 4
Toronto 2 43
Ottawa 12 38
Montreal 20 39
High tide this morning at 11:22 and tonight at 10:43.
Sun sets this afternoon at 4:22 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:13.
Full moon November 26, 5:54 P. M.
Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

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Coming Events

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- *Concert and Dance, Bradbane Hall, Monday, November 27th, in aid of library. L-902-11-24-27.
- *Zion Church turkey supper and bazaar Thursday. L-1017-11-27-41.
- *Auction and dance, Vernon Hall, Dec. 1st, Auspices library. L-1006-11-27-31.
- *Grain crushed 10c per hundred. H. J. Clements, East Royalty. L-1012.
- *Card party and dance in Kelly's Cross, Wednesday, Nov. 29. L-1007-11-27-21.
- *Kinkora Hall bingo and dance Friday night, Dec. 1st. L-1010-11-27-21.
- *Crushing Grain at Scott's Mill, St. Avaris, 9c per hundred. Crushed course or fine. L-975-11-26-21.
- *We are open to buy a quantity of well finished veal calves to dress 80-125 lbs. If having any to offer write or phone Island Cold Storage Co. Ltd. L-892-11-24-41.
- *Used bags—We require 1000 good used mill feed bags within the next few days. Livestock Marketing Board. L-996-11-25-21.