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BRITISH LAUNCH TERRIFIC DAYLIGHT AIR ATTACKS

Nazis Try Plan To Use Soviets Against Blockade

Huge grain agreement is reported; Russia seeking supplies in Argentina.

Minimum price For Butter, is Announcement

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 10.—(CP)—Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Federal Minister of Agriculture, disclosed today that minimum prices for butter will be set in the summer months, and shortly afterwards he said such action was being considered by the government.

Comedian dies in Hotel room

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Joe Penner, comedian of radio, stage and screen, died in his hotel room here today.

War—25 Years Ago Today

(By The Canadian Press)
JAN. 11, 1916—Herbert Samuel succeeded Sir John Simon as British Home Secretary. French troops landed on the island of Corfu in the Ionian Sea, Russian invasion of Turkish Armenia began.

Coming Events

- Moonlight skate Graham's Road rink tonight. Excellent ice. L-20.
- Dance Pleasant Grove Hall January 16. If not fine, following night. In aid of Red Cross. L-24.
- Hockey tonight at New Glasgow rink. Hunter River vs. Glasgow Row Road. L-23.
- U.S. Shipping Club loading ship Monday afternoon, January 12th. W. D. Ross, Secretary. L-212-1-11-11.
- The Annual Meeting of the Whitehill Dairymen Co. will be held at the hall on Monday, January 13th at 2 P. M. Roland Easter, Secretary. L-130-1-9-31.
- Union District L. O. L. meets in Lion Lodge Room, U.S. January 14th at 2 P. M. R. C. McPhee, District Secretary. L-209-1-11-11.
- Crapaud District L. O. L. meets in Prince Arthur Lodge, Crapaud, January 14th at 2 o'clock sharp. Basil C. Holm, Secretary. L-131-1-9-11.
- R.R. C. A. F. Recruits wanted—Lieu. Molyneux at Cox Hotel, Souris, Monday, 12th and Tuesday, 14th, receiving applications from recruits of Souris and area. L-147-1-9-31.

Hepburn favors Open discussion On Siros report

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—(CP)—Premier Hepburn today declared that all discussions and deliberations on the Rowell-Siros report at Ottawa next week should be "right out in the front yard and not behind closed doors."

British strike Initial blow Against Tobruk

Associated Press Staff Writer
CAIRO, Jan. 10.—(AP)—British batteries in Libya shelled Italian-held Tobruk today in the initial blow of an attack patterned after that which reduced Bardia, 50 miles to the east, five days ago.

Further sharp Reduction in Butter stocks

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—(CP)—Further sharp reduction in the amount of butter in Canada was reported today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Greeks push Toward port Of Valona

ATHENS, Jan. 10.—(AP)—While Greeks at home rejoiced in the streets over fresh victories in Albania the forces at the front sent back word they had pushed past about a dozen kilometers toward Valona—last important port in southern Albania still held by the Italians.

International At A Glance

(By The Canadian Press)
LONDON.—Raiders hit at south coast; R.A.F. in mightiest daylight offensive strikes at wide area in occupied France.
MOSCOW.—Russia signs new series of trade treaties with Nazis; said to involve large sum, vast grain shipments.
WASHINGTON.—Roosevelt asks special powers to give vast aid to Britain.
CAIRO.—Britain's Libya batteries shell Tobruk; R. A. F. bombs warships at Messina, Sicily.
LONDON.—Prime Minister Churchill confers with Harry Hopkins, Roosevelt's special emissary.
ATHENS.—Kilistra, strategic gate to Valona, falls to Greeks.
CONFIRMATION UNDER RAIDS
ETON, England.—(CP)—While a "spotter" kept watch for enemy planes, from the roof of the school chapel, 19 Eton College boys were confirmed by the Bishop of Lincoln.

Canadian Officers Decorated



Two Canadian soldiers recently decorated for exceptional bravery are Capt. D. W. Cunningham (left) and Lieut. J. M. S. Patton of Hamilton. The two men, at the risk of their own lives, removed a time bomb from a factory, saved it from probable destruction, and kept its war production unimpaired. They received the George Cross "for conspicuous bravery in carrying out dangerous duties."

British South Coast Town Under Furious Attack

Many casualties feared; London free of raiders.

Steamer with P.E.I. Potatoes Badly battered

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The 32-year-old Canadian freighter Colony Trader limped into port today for repairs after battling a North Atlantic gale for three days.

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Approves Siros Recommendations Involving Labor

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Jan. 10.—(CP)—Labor Minister McLarty recommended tonight that proposals of the Rowell-Siros Commission involving the Department of Labor should be put into effect.

One Definite Step

He said the Dominion already had taken one definite step in this regard by enacting the Unemployment Insurance Act. If the Rowell-Siros report were adopted, it also would have to provide unemployment assistance.

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50 Bombers, 500 Fighters Blast Nazi Territory

Only few enemy fighters try assault on R.A.F. Bombers' escort; British Coast rocks from blasts on German side of Channel.

By George Tait
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Jan. 10.—(AP)—In the mightiest daylight offensive ever launched by the Royal Air Force, 50 British bombers delivered a swarm of ground-shaking assault today over 1,000 square miles of northwestern France.

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TORONTO, Jan. 10.—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Dawson 43 9
Victoria 46 54
Edmonton 13 34
Regina 2 16
Winnipeg 4 9
Toronto 27 32
Ottawa 16 29
Montreal 16 19
Quebec 14 17
Saint John 15 29
Halifax 18 35
Charlottetown 6 29

FORECAST
Maritime East: Strong winds and gales with snow or part rain.
Synopsis: The weather has been moderately cold in Ontario with light to moderate snow in many districts while in the Prairie Provinces it has been fair and mild in Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan and moderately cold in Manitoba and eastern Saskatchewan.
High tide this morning at 9:45 and tonight at 8:45.
Sun sets this afternoon at 4:30 and rises tomorrow morning at 7:37.
Full moon Jan. 13, 7:04 a.m.
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. 3:35 P.M.

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