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REPORT 8TH ARMY ONLY 5 MILES FROM TRIPOLI

Reds Advance Straight West Below Voronezh

Bad Fire Rages In Saint John

35 Killed In Crash Of U.S. Transport

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Thirty-five men were killed when a United States transport plane bound for Africa crashed on the desolate coast of Dutch Guiana in South America the war department announced today.

It was the worst disaster in American aviation history. Never before had a single crash cost so many American lives. The victims included—Eric Knight, English-born novelist who wrote "This Above All"; F. Foxworth, crack G-man who worked on the Lindbergh kidnapping.

William Hodson, New York City Welfare Commissioner, and aboard were 17 United States Army Officers bound for overseas stations, six civilians in addition to those named, and nine members of the crew.

The ship, flying south, crashed on a remote section of the Guiana coast last Friday, killing everyone aboard. The news was delayed because of the time required to reach the scene and determine the extent of the casualties and then notify the next of kin.

Maj.-Gen. Harold L. George, commanding general of the House of Commons today that Great Britain looked "forward" to the day when the whole South American continent will have ceased to be in range with our common enemy.

Coming Events

- *Talkies—Montague Saturday, 1-19-43.
- *Talkies—Souris Monday, 1-19-43.
- *Eastern Star Bridge postponed until Feb. 5, 1-22-43.
- *Farmers wishing to ship dressed hogs advise McGuigan & Boyle, 1-15-43.
- *Dance in Summerfield Hall, Friday, January 22nd. Auspices C. W. L., 1-19-43.
- *Auction Sale Dickerson Road, Brudeney, takes place on Saturday, 1 P. M. If day is my following Monday, 1-22-43.
- *East Royalty Rink tonight, West Royalty vs Charlottetown; Dunstaffnage vs Royals, Skate after, 1-22-43.
- *Loading hogs this week. Albany Thursday afternoon; Emerald Friday until 11:30 a.m. G. C. Green and A. C. Green, 1-20-43.
- *We are buying live and dressed chickens and fowl daily, paying top market value. Phone us for prices. Island Cold Storage, Ltd., 12-15-43.
- *Livestock Marketing Board taking hogs at Charlottetown every week day. Special price paid for young sows suitable for breeding purposes, 1-22-43.
- *Livestock Marketing Board requiring young sows suitable for breeding purposes. Will pay cent per pound over regular base price plus \$1.00 premium, 1-22-43.
- *Moose Bros. Freetown, loading hogs at Summerside every Monday 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Kensington 2624 Tuesday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and at Freetown each Tuesday 12-3 p.m. This loading schedule will be followed until further notice. Livestock Marketing Board, 1-2-8-15-22-29.
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SAINT JOHN, N.B., Jan. 22.—(CP)—A disastrous fire broke out this morning in the uptown section of the city. Early indications were that most of the buildings on the north side of King Square would be wiped out while several others on the adjoining Charlotte Street area were damaged badly. It was believed that patrons of several small hotels in the district had gotten out safely and no loss of life was anticipated.

New Manpower Regulations Today

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—(CP)—New manpower regulations, consolidating the previous civilian Selective Service and military call-up regulations, have received cabinet approval and will be announced tomorrow, it was learned tonight.

Four Girls Die In St. John's Fire

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., Jan. 21.—(CP)—Four girls believed to be waitresses, were killed here early this morning when fire destroyed the Old Colony Club, swank dining and dancing spot on the outskirts of this city.

Construction Workers Exempt

SENIORITY CLUB, Que., Jan. 21.—(CP)—Construction workers have been exempted from National Selective Service regulations requiring seven days notice by employer and employees before employment is terminated. Labor Minister Mitchell today advised President J. B. Sterling of the Canadian Construction Association.

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Reach Point Only 85 Miles From Kursk

Latest Listing Of Casualties Puts Nazi Dead And Captured At 700,000.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—(Friday)—(CP)—Red army troops striking straight west below Voronezh have reached a point only 85 miles southeast of Kursk, thus threatening the entire Nazi 1941 front extending from Central Russia to the Sea of Azov, according to a Russian communique broadcast by Moscow and heard by the Soviet Monitor today.

23 Soldiers Leave Province

The following soldiers, all privates from No. 62 C.A. (B.T.C.), "Beach Grove" left recently for training camps elsewhere in Canada: L.S. Avery, Beaulieu; J.F. Boylan, West Devon; J.S. Clark, Baltic; A.H. Goslin, West Cape; A.J. Doherty, Charlottetown; D.M. Doyle, Tignish; J.R. Gallant, Divar; W. Grant, Summerside; J.L. Gilbert, Souris; N.H. Johnson, Summerside; J.B. Macdonald, Grand Tracadie; J.T. Macinnis, Summerside; D.J. McQuarrie, Charlottetown; A.A. Peters, North Rustico; J.C. Fineart, Divar; J.A. Quinn, Summerside; W.R. Sanderson, Greenwich; H.T. Bailey, Souris; W.A. Chaisson, Beaulieu; D. Gallant, Oyster Bed Bridge; J.A. Gallant, Wellington; J.A. MacKinnon, St. Peter's Bay; K.K. McCormack, St. Margaret's.

Ralston's Injuries Fairly Serious

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—(CP)—Defence Minister Ralston suffered more serious injuries than were at first discovered when his automobile collided with the rear of a snowplow yesterday. It was announced today by defence headquarters.

"Aid To Russia Sunday" Jan 24

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War Situation Last Night

(By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst)
With a British-Fighting French trap formed by a juncture of the British 8th Army and the French from Lake Chad southeast of Tripoli, Field Marshal Erwin Rommel can hope to reach Tunisia only with a handful of the men and equipment with which he once menaced Alexandria.

Yet the inevitable Axis surrender of the last fragment of Italy's once vast African empire would do little in itself to shorten effectively Allied sea communication lines. That can stem only out of clearing northern Tunisia of the foe to gain relatively free use of the Mediterranean routes for Allied shipping, lopping some 14,000 miles off sea highways threatened with increasing U-boat menace.

The crucial battle for control of the Mediterranean must still be fought in Tunisia.

Whatever Rommel can salvage of his Africa Corps to join forces with Nazi defenders of the vital Bizerte-Tunis triangle of the Tunisian hump would bolster the Axis lines against the hour of all-out Anglo-American-French attack in the north, perhaps within a month as the rains cease.

Report Germans Begin To Desert Nazi Party

Travellers Reaching Sweden Claim Many Begin To Lose Faith In Victory.
By Edwin Shanke
Associated Press Staff Writer
STOCKHOLM, Jan. 21.—(AP)—Travellers reaching Sweden from Germany said today that many Nazis from officials down to small fry ward heelers are beginning to remove their badges, down their lapel buttons, because they are losing faith in victory and fear the consequences.

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New Training Plane Given Test Flight

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—(CP)—A Canadian-designed flying glass-rover and top, P-41 and Whitley aircraft which received its first test flight under R.C.A.F. auspices today.

Designed specifically for training navigators, wireless operators and bomb aimers, the aircraft has a fuselage made of milled plywood veneer and top, P-41 and Whitley engines which replace the Jacobs engines in the Ansons now in use in R.C.A.F. training establishments.

The plane also embodies some 50 refinements in equipment based on the training experience of the R.C.A.F. in the operation of the Combined Training Organization, formerly the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

Unlike the old Anson used for pilot training the new machine has no dual controls but dual controls may be installed. Its normal crew is a pilot, usually a staff pilot, a navigator-instructor, two navigators and a wireless operator student.

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Great Fires Are Raging In Last Italian Port

Allied Forces Maintain Close Contact With Fleeing Axis Army.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—(Friday)—(CP)—The Daily Mail's Madrid correspondent, quoting reports there from North Africa, said today that great fires were raging in Tripoli, main Axis base in Libya, and that the British 8th Army's advance units were only five miles outside the city.

Tripoli was said to have been damaged heavily by Allied air raids and also by German demolition squads. Coastal defence batteries were reported destroyed.

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Steel Strike Negotiations At Standstill

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—(CP)—Negotiations looking toward settlement of the strike of steelworkers in three major Canadian plants were at a standstill tonight after a day in which there was no apparent move toward narrowing the breach between demands of the United Steelworkers of America and a seven-point settlement proposal advanced by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

45th Naval Casualty List

OTTAWA, Jan. 21.—(CP)—The Royal Canadian Navy in its 45th casualty list of the war today reported one man accidentally killed and gave the name of a Sub-Lieutenant who died in Camp Hill hospital at Halifax.

Airwomen Win Honor Certificates

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—(CP)—Honor certificates were presented today to five airwomen graduating from No. 2 Composite Training School here.

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YOU CAN BE FULL O' PEP AN' GINGER AN' STILL NOT BE 'HOT STUFF'



High tide this afternoon at 1:14 and tonight at 12:29. Sun rises this afternoon at 5:53 and sets tomorrow morning at 8:30. Last quarter moon Jan. 20, 4:13 a.m. Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

CAR FERRY SERVICE DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY
From Borden—Leave 9:05 a.m., 11:40 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 7:30 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.
Arrive Charlottetown 1 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 7:05 p.m.