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CANADIANS FINISH JOB WEST OF RHINE

NAGOYA HIT HEAVY AERIAL BLOW

These pictures of Calcar, in Germany, captured by the First Canadian Army, shows result of bitter fighting that enveloped the town before it finally fell. What was once a thriving little town on the Rhine is now a pile of rubbish. British troops of the First Canadian Army were first to enter the town and here, (top) a fighting patrol just rounds a corner into what is left of the main street of Calcar. These men are still under fire from a German battery on the far bank of the Rhine. When infantry cleared Calcar, armoured vehicles and supplies poured into the town to back up the attack. Lower photo shows the difficulty First Canadian Army vehicles had in negotiating the rubble-filled streets. These first pictures of the fall of Calcar were taken by Canadian Army Film and Photo Unit cameramen.—(Canadian Army Photo).

Incendiaries Used To Start Fires In 5-Mile Area

By ROBBIN COONS

GUAM, March 12—(Monday) —(AP)—Striking while Tokyo still nursed burning wounds of a heavy Superfort attack only 48 hours before, a massive force of approximately 300 B-29s loosed 2,000 tons of incendiary bombs on Nagoya—Japan's third largest city and most important aircraft centre—in the early morning darkness today.

The weather was clear, just as on the Tokyo raid, returning crews reported. Immense destruction appeared certain although returning fliers said the fires did not seem as large as those set in Tokyo.

The incendiaries fell over a congested five-square mile area in the centre of the city as the mammoth planes bombed from the low altitude of 5,000 feet.

Headquarters revealed today that the Saturday Tokyo strike, which employed 2,300 tons of bombs and left 15 square miles of the city in flames, was the first time the superforts had bombed at the 5,000 level. The planes are designed for high altitude work.

The daring of the venture may have contributed to the baffling of the enemy's defences.

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Named Protestant Naval Chaplain

THE REV. J T. IBBOTT

pastor of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Charlottetown, who has been appointed Protestant naval chaplain of H.M.C.S. "Queen Charlotte."

Prior to coming to Charlottetown last October, Mr. Ibbott had been pastor of Trinity Anglican Church in Halifax for five years.

The appointment of Mr. Ibbott has been made to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. A. LeDrew Gardner, former pastor of St. Paul's, who left Charlottetown last October to assume the pastorate of an Anglican church in Saint John.

War Situation Last Night

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON, Associated Press War Analyst

Crossing the Rhine in strength by American troops to pose an Allied invasion threat to central Germany held the news spot light this week end but there were developments elsewhere gloom-filled for Japan.

That the Rhine puncture could speed up by months the moment when the final weight of Allied power can be turned against Japan was only one phase of the changed war scene. In bomb-burned Tokyo, at least, the mobilization in Washington of highest level American naval commanders in the Pacific and with them the top-ranking American army and diplomatic figures from China could only be construed as eminous.

Something more than discussion of who's going to be who among the American commanders when the time comes for the next forward step against Japan must have caused that muster of trans-Pacific brass hats. Whatever it was, it boded Japan no good.

It has been generally assumed by most military observers that the next phase of the attack on Japan, whether it comes as a direct invasion of the Japanese islands themselves or via China, was not to be expected for some months. Admiral Nimitz during his Washington visit more or less confirmed that. He said a wider "base" of approach would be needed than has been gained. The implication is that Iwo Jima is only one of several Pacific or East China Sea Islands destined to be ripped from enemy control.

Naval task forces have already been lashing at islands of the Ryuku Chain which forms a stepping stone bridge from Japan to Formosa. That line also forms an outer barrier guarding the raw material supply line upon which Japan's home war industries now must depend since her communications with the South China Sea have been rendered precarious.

Admiral Nimitz added that the blockade of Japan to throttle her war industries would not be complete until her communications with the Asiatic mainland also were cut. That may be an indication of where the next naval advances are to be expected.

The Ryuku Chain is an outpost protection for Japan-bound cargo craft from northern China. It could become a deadly menace to that supply line if any of the islands that form the chain were to fall into American hands for advance air and submarine base purposes.

Japs Warned War Situation Serious

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11 — (AP) — Gen. Kuniaki Koiso, addressing the Imperial Diet today, warned the people of Nippon that they must prepare for the time when their "sacred motherland" will become a battleground.

The remarks were reported by the Japanese agency Domei in a radio broadcast recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

Koiso declared "the present war situation is very serious." He called upon the Japanese people to renew their confidence in "sure victory" and to prepare to fight in "defence of the national structure and the sacred motherland, whatever hardships may be in store for them."

The Premier spoke of "reckless enemy advances" in the Philippines and on Iwo Jima and said American air raids, by Superfortresses and carrier-based planes, on the Japanese homeland, had reached "serious proportions." But, he added, his Government would speedily adopt "bold measures" to meet the situation.

New Order For N. B. Certified Seed Potatoes

HARTLAND, N.B., March 11 — (CP)—Quoted Friday night as saying New Brunswick potato shippers had received a new order from the French Government for 15,000 tons of certified seed potatoes, H. H. Hatfield, M.P., said tonight the reported figure was erroneous and should have been 1,500 tons.

Electrical Development Programme For Province Announced By Mar. Co.

Plans for a half-million dollar construction program in Prince Edward Island by the Maritime Electric Company, Ltd., were outlined to a Guardian representative on Saturday by the company's provincial manager, Mr. V. A. Ainsworth.

"Sufficient material has been received, or arranged for, to permit the Company to proceed this year with its plans for constructing an electrical power extension from Charlottetown to Borden, via Bonshaw," Mr. Ainsworth said. "This extension, when completed, will provide a firm source of electrical power from the Company's steam plant in Charlottetown, to Borden, Tryon, Albany, and other districts now being served by a small power plant at North Tryon, which is over-loaded. Power from the new source will result in reduced rates to consumers in the territories mentioned, and will make available a steady source of electrical energy to farmer and other residents along the South Shore. This line will also serve as a main feeder to provide power to farmers along intersecting roads as a further development.

"The Company has many other rural extensions already planned, which will be constructed as permits have been granted and materials become available.

New Equipment

"A large new integral-furnace, Babcock and Wilcox boiler has been ordered for installation at the Company's steam generating station in Charlottetown, and permits for this construction are now being arranged. Much research work has gone into the design of this

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Yanks In New Landing In Philippines

MANILA, March 12 — (Monday) — (AP) — American troops have landed near Zamboanga on the southwesternmost tip of Mindanao island, most southerly of the Philippines, after heavy warship bombardment and aerial pounding, Gen. MacArthur announced today.

The landing forces quickly captured four villages and were advancing on Zamboanga city.

The landing, made against only light opposition, was in the vicinity of Wolfe airdrome—only 200 miles northeast of British North Borneo.

Gen. MacArthur said most of the enemy garrison on this second largest island of the Philippines was "caught off guard and has fled to the hills in disorder."

Bridgehead Across Rhine Is Expanded

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

PARIS, March 11 — (AP) — United States 1st Army troops and tanks expanded their Remagen bridgehead more than a mile south today, and the Germans said the Americans had seized 11 miles of the Rhine's east bank after spanning the river with numerous pontoon bridges.

American artillery was blazing away on the far side in close support of the infantry as the push began gathering momentum after overruning eight east bank towns.

Germany's Rhine line was imperilled on a 150-mile front, as the 1st Canadian and United States 9th Armies crushed the last enemy pocket at Wesel. Powerful preparations for a new crossing were in progress behind a dense smoke screen extending 40 miles westward from Wesel.

The Germans were being beaten back from artillery range of the bridgehead's lifeline, the Ludendorff bridge. Don Whitehead, an Associated Press war correspondent, reported from the front that enemy fire, intense Saturday and last night, had begun to slacken.

In the first estimate of the size of the bridgehead, Whitehead put it at three miles deep and nine miles wide, with the towns of Ercel, Linz, Rheinbreitbach, Unkel, Bruchhausen, Ohlenberg and Daltenberg in American hands.

The Germans said the bridgehead was four miles deep and 11 miles wide, and declared the Am-

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Germans Put Up Desperate Fight On Eastern Front

BY ROMNEY WHEELER

LONDON, March 11 — (AP) — The vast eastern front, from Danzig westward to Stettin and southward to Hungary, flared tonight with desperate German resistance as Wehrmacht, S.S. (Elite Guard) and Volkssturm troops sought to check the Russian advance.

The Germans proclaimed determination to make a death stand in every important city. Contesting every yard of soil, they fell back to Danzig, Gdynia and into Stettin, defending each suburb and outlying strongpoint behind hastily-built barricades and gun positions.

Heinrich Himmler's defence strategy apparently doomed these cities to becoming rubble and ashes like Warsaw and Budapest.

$25,000 Fire In Army Building

OTTAWA, March 11 — (CP) — A two-alarm fire early today destroyed a large wing of the Ottawa Coliseum being used as an army sergeant's mess with damage estimated at about $25,000. No one was injured.

One of the adjacent wings occupied by the Canadian Postal Corps was evacuated but was not damaged.

Military authorities said a military court of inquiry would be held.

Total Of 21,000 Prisoners Taken During Drive

By ROSS MUNRO

WITH THE 1ST CANADIAN ARMY ON THE RHINE, March 11— (CP Cable)—Canadian and British troops of the 1st Canadian Army have finished their job west of the Rhine. All organized resistance at the last German bridgehead between Coblenz and the Netherlands border collapsed opposite Wesel at 10 p. m. Saturday night.

British and Canadian troops then closed up to the river on the bend west and south of Wesel, which is on the Rhine's east bank at the northwest corner of the Ruhr.

Five to six hundred prisoners were taken Saturday in the final burst of fighting, bringing the total for the 1st Canadian Army in the northern Rhine offensive to about 21,000. Nearly 10,000 of these prisoners were paratroopers—the best the enemy has in the west. They are even considered better than the crack S. S. which Canadians fought at Caen and Falaise in Normandy.

During 31 days of battle from the time the offensive began east

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S'side Air School To Be Used In New Plan

OTTAWA, March 11 — (CP) — Air Minister Gibson announced tonight that an agreement has been reached between the Canadian and United Kingdom Governments whereby additional aircrew will be trained for the R.A.F. on a limited contract basis following completion of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan March 31 and the satisfying of all aircrew needs for three of the participating nations.

There will also be a Canadian "shadow" scheme to look after normal replacements and keep in being an establishment which will be useful after the war.

The announcement said that although all details of the contract between the two governments have not yet been settled, training will begin immediately at eight schools formerly operated under the air training plan.

The schools are: No. 10 Elementary Flying Training School, Pendleton, Ont.; No. 23 E.F.T.S., Yorkton, Sask.; No. 3 Service Flying Training School, Calgary; No. 18 S.F.T.S., Gimli, Man.; No. 16 S.F.T.S., Hagersville, Ont. No 3 Air Navigation School, Portage La Prairie, Man., No 1 Central Navigation School, Rivers, Man.; No 1 Reconnaissance and Navigation School, Summerside, P.E.I.

The new agreement will automatically expire March 31, 1946, but may be terminated earlier on two months' notice by either of the participating governments.

Prime Minister King, Roosevelt Hold Conference

BY C.R. BLACKBURN

WASHINGTON, March 11—(CP) Reactions of the Canadian Government to the Dumbarton Oaks security agreement which will be the basis of the San Francisco conference on world organization for peace were discussed by Prime Minister MacKenzie King and President Roosevelt at a long, week-end conference.

The Prime Minister, who maintains his customary refusal to discuss details of his mission when in Washington, probably will make a report to the Canadian Parliament when it meets March 19.

He went alone to the White House soon after his arrival from Ottawa Friday afternoon and remained until Saturday night. The customary daily calendar of the President's callers for Saturday was blank and it was assumed he and his guest had plenty of opportunity for long talks.

These were believed to centre about the United Nations conference opening in San Francisco April 25 and the proposals expected to be presented by Canada and others of the so-called middle powers for changes in the Dumbarton Oaks agreement to give

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Mosquitos Bomb German Capital

LONDON, March 11 — (AP) — Speedy R.A.F. Mosquitoes hit Berlin tonight for the 23rd. consecutive night in the round-the-clock battering of the Reich, dumping 4,000 - pound blockbusters into the already ravaged capital.

Press Wireless Station Moves To Gernany

NEW YORK, March 11 — (AP) —Press Wireless, Inc., established direct wireless communication with Germany yesterday and Wes Gallagher of the Associated Press foreign staff filed the first dispatch. Press Wireless moved its station PV from Holland across the German border to provide service for press services, newspapers and radio chains. The mobile station also transmits radiophotos and voice broadcasts.

Coming Events

**Unloading car coal Monday and Tuesday. P. J. Noy. 3-12-2i

**Come to Pleasant Valley Concert in Fredericton Hall, Tuesday, March 13. 3-12-1i

**Loading hogs every Thursday for Davis & Fraser Ltd. Merlyn Divine. Peakes. 1-23-tf

**Loading hogs for Davis and Fraser Ltd., every Tuesday until train time. Earl Jay, Mt. Stewart. -27-tf.

**Receiving Hogs at Crapaud for Davis & Fraser's every Tuesday until 11.00 o'clock while road is passable. R. N. Dawson. 3-10-2i.

**Loading Hogs Thursday, March 15th as follows: Summerside till 1.30 P. M. Kensington till 3 P. M. Elmer Wigmore, Breadalbane, Friday till 11.30 A. M. Borden Bagnall, Hunter River, Friday till noon. MacEwen & Caseley. 3-12-2i.

**Come to Darlington Women's Institute dance at Wiltshire Hall, Monday, March 12. Proceeds to help Red Cross. 3-9-12-2i

**Garden Seeds. All the latest best varieties. Send for free catalogue. Arthur Vesey. 3-5-tf.

French Woman Smuggled Out Buzz Bomb Plans

By MONTAGUE TAYLOR (Reuters Staff Writer)

PARIS, March 11 — (Reuters)— Under the very noses of the Germans while they were still in France, a small, raven-haired French woman smuggled to Britain the first plan of the V-1 flying bomb, thus putting at the disposition of Allied scientists vital information about the latest German invention, it was revealed here today.

For security reasons her name cannot be disclosed. Thousands of Frenchmen know the woman who holds a law degree, as "La Souris", The Mouse. The name was given her because of her secret signal—a delicate scratching on a window pane or door.

Today she sits in a room in a famous Paris legal building—the same where she worked the successful coup to obtain the V-1 plans and smuggle them to Britain. Here also she schemed and plotted to hide and put on their way back to England at least 20 Allied airmen who baled out over France and were brought to her for safety.

Here, too, she originated a grand scheme for procuring duplicates of Vichy police stamps and identification papers. But this quiet little woman in her early 30's will not have you talk of such things.

As we chatted in this room of memories she told me:

"There were three of us—an elderly woman secretary whom we called 'chicken', and an English woman from Mauritius whom we named 'Mauricette'".

"We made friends with a skilled French technician and he got us the plans. I was lucky because I was five minutes late for my rendezvous to hand over the plans for their passage to England and I saw the messenger being led off by the Gestapo. But soon there was another courier."

News Briefs

LONDON, March 11 — (CP)— Earl Lloyd George remains very weak at his home in Wales.

OTTAWA, March 11 — (CP) — Defence Headquarters tonight announced the appointment of Brig. A. C. Spencer of London, Ont., as commander of Camp Borden, Ont., with acting rank of Major-General, succeeding Maj.-Gen. F. F. Worthington, who has become general officer commanding, Pacific Command.

CALCUTTA, March 11—(CP)— Veteran troops of the Indian 19th Division have tightened their grip on Fort Dufferin inside Mandalay, the Southeast Asia Command announced today. At the same time headquarters disclosed the British 36th Division have captured Mongmit, 92 miles northeast of Mandalay, threatening Japanese escape routes to the east.

OTTAWA, March 11 — (CP) — Munitions Minister Howe tonight issued an urgent appeal asking Canadians not to visit Halifax or Dartmouth, N.S., and their environs. "The situation in these places today is acute," he said. "Accommodation can only be supplied in the Halifax area to those who must travel on war business or for essential purposes."

GUAM, March 12 — (Monday) — (AP) — Most of the rugged northeast end of Iwo Jima was captured by United States marines yesterday, and the remaining Japanese defenders were fighting viciously to hold the northern tip of the strategic island only 750 miles from Tokyo. Resistance in the 1,000-yard deep triangle at the north end was described as heavy in a communique today.

BRAKEMAN KILLED

MCADAM, N.B., March 11 — (CP) — Ronald Howard Burgess, 23, Canadian Pacific Railway brakeman from Saint John, was killed instantly here Saturday night when he fell from the top of a box car of a Saint John—McAdam freight train.

Beethoven's Birthplace Is Virtually Destroyed

BONN, Germany, March 11 — (CP) — The birthplace of the composer Ludwig van Beethoven, the opening notes of whose fifth symphony have been used by the Allies as a symbol for victory, was virtually destroyed in the fight for this old university city.

N.B. SUBSCRIPTIONS

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 11 — (CP) — New Brunswick subscriptions in the Red Cross campaign up to noon Friday were $44,217. The Provincial objective is $200,000.

TORONTO, March 11 — (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures:—Vancouver 38, 44; Edmonton 17, 40; Regina 25, 43; Winnipeg 32, 40; Toronto 24, 39; Ottawa 10, 33; Montreal 15, 28; Quebec 18, 26; Moncton 38, 25; Halifax 15, 31; Charlottetown 6, 25.

FORECASTS:

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence: Mostly cloudy and somewhat milder with occasional light snow or rain.

Lower St. Lawrence and Lake St. John: Fair and somewhat milder, followed by light snow at night.

Gulf, North Shore, Bay Chaleur and Maritime West: Moderate winds; fair with not much change in temperature.

Maritime East: Moderate to fresh winds; fair and moderately cold.

High tide this morning at 10.4 and tonight at 10.10.

Sun sets this evening at 7.01 and rises tomorrow morning at 7.18.

New moon March 13th, 11.51 P. M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

DAILY AIR SERVICE

Charlottetown — Summerside— Moncton

Leaves Charlottetown 7.45 A.M., 11.30 A.M., 5.45 P.M.
Arrives Charlottetown 12.55 P.M., 5.30 P.M., 8.45 P.M.

SUNDAY SERVICE

Leave Charlottetown 12.15, 5.45 P.M
Arrive Charlottetown 3.20, 8.10 P.M

CHARLOTTETOWN— NEW GLASGOW (Daily Except Sunday)

Leave Charlottetown 1.10, 4.00 P.M.
Arrive Charlottetown 2.35, 5.20 P.M.

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