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# ALLIES EXPLOIT SURPRISE LANDINGS

## Eisenhower Has Double Barreled Job

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (C P) — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower has assumed command of all United States forces in the European theatre of operations in addition to his duties as supreme commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force, Allied headquarters announced today.

European theatre headquarters statement said Gen. Eisenhower's action in taking over the post formerly held by Lt. Gen. Lesley J. McNair was in order to free McNair and men for immediate field duty.

Gen. Eisenhower appointed Maj. Gen. C. H. Lee his deputy commander in the European theatre in addition to his duties as commanding general of the services of supply, and named Maj. Gen. W. B. Smith as chief of staff in the European theatre in addition to his duties as chief of staff of the supreme headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Force.

Gen. Smith has arrived in Britain and has assumed his duties.

Gen. Eisenhower will continue to devote the major portion of his time to his post as supreme commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force.

Col. Royal Lord of Worcester Mass. and Washington has been appointed deputy chief of staff for the European Theatre in addition to his duties as chief of staff of services in supply for the European theatre.

## Tito's Men Wipe Out Nazi Column

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (C P) — Yugoslav guerrillas said today they had annihilated a strong German column and had shown a new front in the Tito-Graçhovo sector of western Bosnia and were continuing a bitter street battle for the mountain stronghold of Tuzla in eastern Bosnia.

The broadest communiqué said the guerrillas had "backed off" from the Tito-Graçhovo sector of western Bosnia and were continuing a bitter street battle for the mountain stronghold of Tuzla in eastern Bosnia.

## COMMUNIST PARTY HYMN

MOSCOW, Jan. 23 — (AP) — The "Internationale" has become the hymn of the Communist Party. It was sung for the first time at a party meeting at the end of a meeting on the anniversary of Lenin's death. The song had been the official anthem of the Soviet Union but is being replaced by the "Internationale".

## CAN SUPPLY IMPROVES

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (C P) — Reflecting Britain's improved position in certain stocks of light ferrous materials, housewives in certain areas are being allowed to throw out their tin cans instead of saving them for collection.

## COMING EVENTS

- Leading Hogs at York Station, Tuesday morning, January 24th, 10:30 a.m. Live stock 1-22-21.
- Garden Seeds, all the latest and best varieties. Send for free 1944 Catalogue. Arthur Vessey, York. 1-17-44.
- Reception Friday Feb. 4th, for Trinity Y.P.U. One Three Act Play, "Aunt Tilly Goes to Sea". 1-22-21.
- Unloading car of Barley meal today also taking orders for Bulk Wheat and Oats to arrive soon. N. Aubrey Cutcliffe. 1-22-21.
- Notice—Leading live hogs for Dais & Fraser at Summerside, Thursday 27th until 1 o'clock, Friday 28th at Kensington until 2 P.M. B. C. Green, Kersland. 1-18-44.
- We expect to be unloading car of barley and No. 5 Wheat early part of week Jan. 24. Watch for further announcement. Live Stock Feed Agency. 1-22-21.
- I expect to be unloading car of choice, bulk barley early part of week of Jan. 24. Book orders, bring hogs. Lemuel Oraswell, Hunter River. 1-22-21.
- Burns Anniversary Concert in Odell's Hall, Summerside on Thursday, Jan. 27th. Banquets, Scottish, Dancing, Singing, and Play. 1-21-24-21.
- Commencing Thursday, Jan. 27, will be leading live Hogs weekly for Summerside and Prince, as follows: Summerside 10 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.; Kensington Hill 3 P.M. to 5 P.M.; Hunter River 5 P.M. to 7 P.M. Maurice Case will be in charge of leading at Summerside. Dominion Gov't Bonus effective beginning this week. H. S. McEwen. 1-24-21.

# GERMAN ATTACK ON CONVOY BEATEN OFF

## Nazis And Italian Fascists Reported Fleeting Rome

German Headquarters Said Moved To Florence; Enemy Fortifying Rome's Outskirts.

## BULLETIN

LONDON, Jan. 24 (Monday) (AP) R. A. F. bombers in two waves, one apparently of medium strength and the other strong, roared toward Europe last night, following daylight assaults by Allied raiders over France and the Netherlands.

## Vice-Admiral Nelles Arrives In London

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (CP Cable) — Vice-Admiral Percy W. Nelles, until recently Canada's chief of naval staff, arrived in London from Canada by air today to assume the rank of senior Royal Canadian Navy flag officer in Britain and the job of directing the Canadian naval operations in opening the second front in Europe.

## Commons Likely To Discuss Banking

OTTAWA, Jan. 23 — (C P) — Methods and principles of banking promise to provide material for important debates in the House of Commons during the session which opens this week.

## Bracken Urges New Deal For Farmers

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 — (CP) — John Bracken, national leader of the Progressive Conservative party, asking for "a new deal" for the Canadian farmer, said Saturday one-third of the Canadian population depends on agriculture while they are only getting about one-fourth of Canada's resources.

## Italian Populace In Demonstrations

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 23 — (AP) — The new Allied amphibious attack on Rome inspired the Italian populace in northern Italy to violent demonstrations, particularly in the industrial cities.

## Isley Delivers Political Speech

MONTREAL, Jan. 23 — (CP) — Finance Minister J. L. Isley, said Saturday "I think Liberalism, not Conservatism or Socialism will provide the best solutions for post-war problems."

## New Allied Landings Appeared Peaceful

ALGIERS, Jan. 23 — (CP) — Reuters — P. M. Carr of Newfoundland, describing Saturday's Allied landings on the Italian coast south of Rome, said "the scene appeared too peaceful to be an invasion."

## War Situation Last Night

By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst

Significance of the Anglo-American wedge driven between German forces on Italy's west coast hangs hazily on Allied ability to enlarge the penetration at top speed.

## Four Safe After Leap From Plane In Dark

HALIFAX, Jan. 23 — (CP) — Four R. C. A. F. flyers who parachuted from a training plane over Halifax County on Saturday night after three of them had slept most of the previous night in the woods.

## Targets On French Coast Bombed Again

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (AP) — Medium and heavy bombers officially numbered at "several hundred" blasted Nazi mystery installations in the Pas De Calais area and two other fields in France today in what was truly an international show.

## Humphrey Bogart Tagged By Italians

WITH THE A. F. F. IN ITALY, Jan. 23 (AP) Actor Humphrey Bogart is tagged for life as far as Italians are concerned.

## SARIS POPULAR

NEW DELHI — (CP) — Saris replaced silk stockings as Christmas gift No. 1 from British and United States servicemen in India. Stockings were scarce and the men like saris, so thousands were sent away last Yuletide.

## "SALADA" COFFEE

"Now that's what I call good coffee!"

## Enemy Said Decisively Defeated

(By ROSS MUNRO) (Canadian Press War Correspondent)

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (CP) — German planes using new radio-controlled glider bombs and a swarm of U-boats attacked an important Atlantic convoy recently but were decisively defeated with damage to only two of the convoy's ships.

## Prince Robert In Battle

H. M. C. S. Prince Robert, now converted into an auxiliary aircraft carrier, was in the latter part of the action when the Nazi aircraft attacked with Glider bombs.

## More Escorts Join Convoy

Further surface escorts were ordered to join the convoy "The Calcutta" in addition to the H. K. Hill, well-known Canadian yachtsman and former stockbroker whose wife now lives at Kingsport.

## Use Glider Bombs

Finally fifteen Nazi planes, attacking 600 miles from the Ile D'Ouessant off the westernmost tip of France, converged on the convoy and pressed home determined attacks for 2 1/2 hours, damaging two ships.

## Well Known Amherst Stock Breeder Dies

AMHERST, N. S., Jan. 23 — (CP) — Stanley Logan, 78, one of the best known farmers and stock breeders in the Maritimes, died here Saturday. He was chairman of the Land Settlement Board for his area and also had been one of the founders of the Maritime Winter Fair and the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association.

## IRON-LUNGER BUST

GOBOWEN, England — (CP) — Miss Marjorie Wedley, 18, is the "iron lung girl" of this Shropshire village. Taking treatment for a spine disease that treated to cripple her, she lived in the lung since June 1942 and her head has seen movies, watched tennis, cricket and hockey matches and follows church service every Sunday.

## Red Army May Trap Quarter Million Nazis

LONDON, Jan. 23 — (A P) — Russian troops attacking south of liberated Leningrad smashed to within five miles of the key junctions of Krasnogvardeisk and Tosno today, threatening the early capture of those towns through which perhaps 250,000 Germans must flee if they are to escape destruction.

## Burglars Blow Up Safe In Halifax

HALIFAX, Jan. 23 — (CP) — Unknown thieves blew up the safe of the Maple Leaf Dairy Ltd. here sometime Saturday night, stole \$4,000 in cash and Victory Bonds, and brought to five the number of unsolved safe-blowing jobs in the city during the last three months.

## Death Yesterday At Montague Of Mr. L. B. Mellish

The death occurred at his home in Montague yesterday morning of Mr. Lester B. Mellish, well-known retired business man. He had been in failing health for several years. He was about 66 years old.

ASK POTATO EMBARGO BE LIFTED

ANDOVER, N. B. Jan. 23 — (C P) — The Victoria County Council passed a resolution Saturday requesting the Provincial Department of Agriculture to take action towards having a federal embargo on exportation of seed potatoes removed. Holding of these potatoes was detrimental to growers in the county, stated the resolution.

## Unusual Accident Takes Boys Life

NEWCASTLE, N. B. Jan. 23 — (CP) — An unusual type of accident took the life of Walter Kenny, 12, of Red Bank, after he saw a street show in a theatre at Sunny Corner. Unknown to the driver, he and two other boys climbed aboard the rear end of a car. In backing, it crashed into a post. The other boys fled clear but Kenny suffered a broken neck.

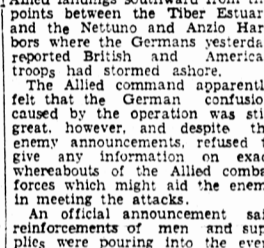
## Push Inland From Beaches South Of Rome

By Edward Kennedy

## ALGIERS, Jan. 23 — (AP) — Allied forces, exploiting a surprise "left hook" invasion south of Rome, have punched several miles inland, headquarters announced today, while Axis broadcasts told of new landings along an 80-mile stretch from the Tiber to the Gulf of Gaeta just behind the Germans' trans-Italian line.

The Vichy radio said the Allies had landed at Terracina and in the Gulf of Gaeta area directly behind the German front. If true, this represented an extension of Allied landings southward from the points between the Tiber Estuary and the Nettuno and Anzio Harbors where the Germans yesterday reported British and American troops had stormed ashore.

## THE GUY WHO KEEPS HIS MOUTH SHUT 10-DAY WON'T HAVE 10 SQUARE INCHES TO MORROW



High tide this morning at 11:04 and tonight at 10:13. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:56 and rises tomorrow morning at 8:28. New moon Jan. 25th 12:24 p.m.

High tide this morning at 8:54 and tonight at 8:08. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:44 and rises tomorrow morning at 8:38. New moon Jan. 25, 12:24 p.m.

## DAILY AIR SERVICE

Charlottetown — Summerside — Moncton  
Leave Charlottetown 7:35 a. m. 12:00 noon, 4:30 p. m. 1:10 p. m. 5:45 p. m. 7:05 p. m.

## SUNDAY SERVICE

Leave Charlottetown 12 noon. Arrive Charlottetown 5:45 p. m.