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FASCIST THRUST ON EGYPT BELIEVED NEAR

FRESH ITALIAN TROOPS MOVED UP TO BORDER

Move May be Timed With Invasion Attempt on Britain by Nazis.

CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 12 (AP)—Artillery fire rumbled on the Egypt-Libya border tonight with increasing intensity after fresh Italian troops moved up near the border and British forces prepared for a possible Fascist offensive into Egypt.

The firing echoed after British forces returned from reconnaissance flights to report the new movement of Fascist forces into the Egyptian interior.

The Italians also were reported strengthening their lines on a triangular area between Azeiz, Bardia and Fort Capuzzo. The latter recently has been subjected to heavy shelling by British naval units operating off the coast.

Bolstering British units, Egyptian forces moved up near the Libyan border after having been withdrawn two months ago.

Egypt thus far has not declared war on the axis powers.

Many military observers believe the Italian invasion—when it comes—will be timed with Hitler's possible troop thrust against Britain.

Reports circulated in Rome tonight that the Italians already had begun the attack on Egypt but the ministry of information in London, issued the following statement as a note to editors: "There is no official confirmation of the report that an Italian offensive against British forces in Egypt has already begun."

Italian troop and supply concentrations at Bardia and Fort Capuzzo in Libya have been seriously increased by recent British attacks and Graziani is believed striving to get his offensive preparations complete before he is further hindered.

British sources believe the martial has abandoned hope of fresh reinforcements from Italy, since Britain is holding an almost airtight blockade on the Italian coast.

But the possibility of Italian action seems strengthened by the fact that the heat of the desert is dissipating now. Nights are so cool that soldiers sleep under three blankets.

Lately the Italians have been showing more initiative with their attacks, and their bombing of Mersa Matruh in Egypt.

Attacks on this British base frequently have been heavy but damage and casualties have been slight. British forces have been retaliating almost daily, bombing heavily the principal Italian Libyan coast bases.

"Wait and see" attitude has been adopted by British authorities. They are fully prepared to meet any Italian drive.

223 Million Mark Passed In War Loan

Renewed Enthusiasm Shown In Fourth Day By Purchasers Of Bonds.

OTTAWA, Sept. 12—(CP)—Steadily mounting, tonight's preliminary subscription total for the first four days of the second war loan campaign stood at \$223,129,400.

In announcing this progress towards the \$300,000,000 objective, Ottawa headquarters stated that dealers across Canada today reported renewed enthusiasm for the loan, in response to Finance Minister Alesky's appeal for more popular subscriptions.

The selling organization now is making direct appeals to individual investors, stressing the necessity of carrying the loan to its full objective or more, to provide Canada's fighting forces with equipment.

As a result of this new appeal, many small subscribers were reported to have enlarged their earlier subscriptions today.

Dealers and brokers said their totals for the day covered more individuals than on any day since the loan opened last Monday.

For an hour and 32 minutes, the British bombers rode the sky over the centre of Berlin.

In London it was stated that the Anhalter Railway station and the big Tempelhof air-drome in Berlin were bombed.

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(By Douglas Amaron, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

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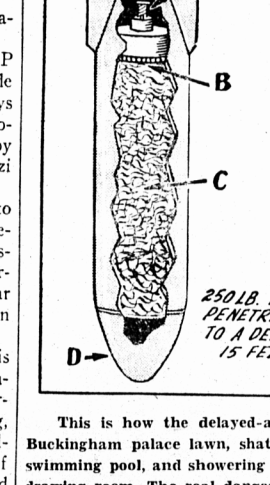
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Palace Damaged By Bomb Like This



This is how the delayed-action bomb worked which exploded in a Buckingham palace lawn, shattering windows, damaging the princesses swimming pool, and showering glass in the King's study and the Queen's drawing room.

The real danger of these bombs is that they are hidden deep in the ground. The fuse (A) is in the tail. As soon as they hit, a trigger is released which acts on an acid container. The acid eats through a metal plate (B) until it reaches a fuse, which then fires the explosive (C). The bomb has a sharp armor-piercing nose-cap (D). The deeper it penetrates the heavier the explosion and the greater the damage.

Wait For Time Bomb To Explode

LONDON, Sept. 12—(CP)—A "suicide squad" placed sandwiches tonight around a Nazi time bomb in the snow of St. Paul's, while residents of the city wait for it to explode.

The sandwiches were put in position to break the force of the blast, and when it comes, and to protect the cathedral where women, Wellington and others of England's heroes were entombed.

The Dean left the Cathedral, and persons living nearby were warned to get out of their houses.

The delayed-action projectile is similar to one which tore off a corner of Buckingham palace yesterday, when they are discovered, picked "suicide squads" usually make up of men from the Royal Engineers, try to smother them with sandbags and earth.

The bombs contain no clock. The timing apparatus consists of a cylindrical plate on which acid begins to eat when the bomb is released from a plane.

Plead Guilty On Liquor Charges

HAMPTON, N.B., Sept. 12—(CP)—Seven men charged with conspiring to defraud the Crown by illegally manufacturing liquor, pleaded guilty before Judge L. P. D. Tilley in the County Court today, and were remanded to Sept. 26 for sentence.

The seven men were Alan Leger, Leonard Leger, James Gaultin and Hector Cormier, all of St. Anthony, and Alphonse Daigle, Rexton, N.B., and Robert Bullock and Charles Green, Saint John.

NAZI RAIDS ON LONDON BLUNTED

LONDON, Sept. 13—(Friday)—(CP)—German planes, backing terrific anti-aircraft fire, stabbed at London repeatedly last night and early today, dropping high explosive bombs and incendiaries which crashed in the central area.

But the heavy barrage erected over the city apparently succeeded as one of the previous night in blunting the main force of the attack. Time and again mass formations of planes upon meeting the curtain of burning searchlights turned away from the city to lose their bombs on London's outskirts.

Just after 3 a.m. (11 p.m. ADT, Thursday) the most determined thrusts of the night were made against mid-London. Showers of heavy bombs and incendiaries rained down in two directions and the anti-aircraft racket was deafening.

A hail of anti-aircraft shrapnel fell on rooftops and streets. Police and air raid wardens remained above ground during this interno of firing to report fires and locate any tea firemen whose incendiary bazes began.

Now and then a house or building in some obscure city corner exploded. The ground trembled both with German bombs and the alarming of the "Arnie" defenders.

Some witnesses reported that the attacks were believed to be damaging than any night since the raiding began last Saturday.

Daylight hours had been a peaceful here, in contrast to the air terror that had come from the five preceding days of attacks which through Wednesday killed 1,175 and wounded some 4,720. An official bulletin said 125 were killed and 250 injured Wednesday afternoon and 40 killed and 170 injured Wednesday night.

Whatever the reason—whether it was the Nazis were resting momentarily from the long strain of the assault—the city up to nightfall had but a single alarm.

Added to the constant terror of new raids were delayed-action bombs which apparently exploded in the capital. Two exploded, killing rescue workers.

It was disclosed that German raiders wrought damage near the Bank of England, to the Church of St. John the Evangelist and in Regent Street.

Russia's Museum where millions have gaped at the wax figures of world celebrities, also was damaged.

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British Have Plans Complete To Meet Nazis

Army Will Hurl Germans Back Into Sea—Air And Naval Forces To Play Big Part.

(By Drew Middleton, Associated Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, Sept. 12—(AP)—An army of 2,000,000 tonrimmed Britain's mist-shrouded coastline and hundreds of airfields or likely landing spots in expectation of an imminent Nazi invasion attempt.

Intelligence officers of all three services confirmed Prime Minister Churchill's warning yesterday that a German attempt is considered a possibility perhaps in a week's time, and that Nazi power barges and other ships are concentrated from Norway to southern France along the continental coast opposite Britain.

Four of five neutral military observers here also believe Germany will make the long-awaited drive within 10 days.

All five, however, think Britain is strong enough to throw off any attacking force.

Their predictions were based on the Royal Air Force's constant superiority in the air over British soil, the navy's almost untouched resources of men and guns, and on the army.

"When the invasion comes some Germans will get through," one neutral declared. "Just as some bombers get through. The navy and Royal Air Force never said they wouldn't. But there won't be many and I believe the army equal to the task of throwing them into the sea."

He said the army would attack German landing forces while the navy and R.A.F. working in close co-operation would cut the forces off from communications with their continental bases.

The army's defence against any invasion is based on two principles—primary attacks which seek to hold the invader on beaches or ports, and a secondary attack of greater strength delivered by armored contingents and columns of mobile infantry.

Coastal defences include many grim appliances which have been constructed in great secrecy in the last three months. With these the army hopes to slow the German advance so that orders to "shoot them in their boats" can be carried out.

The most impressive single defence factor is the vast amount of fire power concentrated on every potential landing place.

LONDON—R.A.F. continues to pound Berlin, Hamburg, Bremen and coastal invasion bases.

Expect Notice Today To Men 21 To 24 Years

All Doctors Asked to Co-operate in Examination of the Men

OTTAWA, Sept. 12—All the 300 medical practitioners in Canada have been asked to co-operate in the National War Services Department in selecting 23,570 physical fit men for the first 30-day compulsory military training period scheduled to open Oct. 9.

Notice has been sent to 10,500 registered doctors by R. L. LaFleche, Minister of National Defence Services, appointing them "examining physicians" and instructing them in their duties.

This department, which carries out national registration in month, has the responsibility of delivering to the National Defence Department physical fit men for compulsory training at 30 centres in such numbers and at such times as they are requested.

Gen. LaFleche said a proclamation would be published, probably tomorrow, notifying all single men of 21 to 24 inclusive they are liable to be called for compulsory training.

Immediately thereafter registration will begin.

IT'S A LONG ROAD THAT HAS NO PARKING



TORONTO, Sept. 12—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	46	49
Victoria	52	64
Edmonton	47	75
Regina	46	70
Winnipeg	43	76
Toronto	47	69
Kingston	49	61
Ottawa	42	62
Montreal	49	64
Quebec	51	61
Saint John	50	57
Halifax	57	64
Charlottetown	57	60

Synopsis: The weather has continued cool over Ontario with light showers in some districts. It has been fair throughout the west, moderately warm in southern Manitoba and Alberta with a little lower temperature in other sections.

High tide this morning at 7:48 and tonight at 9:12.

Sun sets this evening at 6:16 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:36.

Pull moon Sept. 16, 10:41 p.m. Summerside tide 13 minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS: Leaves Toronto 9:45 A.M., 1:30 P.M., 4:45 P.M., 8:15 P.M. Leaves Toronto 9:45 A.M., 1:30 P.M., 4:45 P.M., 8:15 P.M. (A. S. T.)

Coming Events

- Rate for Notices in this column: 3 cents per word.
- Dance at Fortune Hall, Friday 13th, Admission 25 cents. L-76-9-11-31.
- Dance in New Perth Hall, Monday, September 16th, Webster's Orchestra. L-178-9-13-21.
- Bingo and dance, Kelly's Cross Hall, Friday, Sept. 13th. L-135-9-12-21.
- Kings County Orange Parade, Orwell Head Church, September 15, 1 P. M. L-166-9-13-11.
- Hazelbrook Bazaar and Chicken Supper, Wednesday, October 9th at Parsonage. L-170-9-13-11.
- Dance, new barn of Cecil Campbell, September 13th, 1940. The last dance. L-168-9-13-11.
- Come to the dance in French River Hall, Friday night, Sept. 13. Admission 25 cents. Violin, Bob and MacKenzie. Proceeds for war purposes. L-179.
- Come to Patriot Red Cross Concerts in Craignud, Sept. 14th; Hunter-River, 16th; New Glasgow, 17th; Morell, 18th; Murray River 19th; and Montague 20th. L-189-9-13-71.
- Collecting live hogs as usual Thursday and Friday every week. Emerald, Albany, and all surrounding districts. Send postcard or phone collect. A. C. Green, Albany, B. C. Green, Emerald. L-66-9-10-14.

HEAR NAZIS DEMAND CATTLE FROM FRENCH

By J. C. Stark Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12—(AP)—The French government was reported today to have demanded that Germany and Italy, in diplomatic quarters here it was believed the commission's report that he beat 476,641 to 151,101 Almazan by 2,167,741 votes in the July 2 election.

Mexico now has two presidential elections, each to be held in congress, and in this instance it is the seeds of civil conflict.

The quarrel between the two general officers who is to succeed Lazaro Cardenas for the six-year term starting Dec. 1, moved a step closer to a showdown in the uproarious appearance of deputies and the gallery for Avila Camacho and Catala for three Almazanista deputies who voted to reject the electoral commission's report.

Deputy Alejandro Carrillo, editor of the Labor newspaper El Popular, apparently referring to the talk of revolution implicit in the dispute, emphasized in an oration that "the army and all other sectors are loyal and solidly behind Camacho."

The gallery responded: "Down with Almazan!" Deputy Carlos Ornelas, of the "Nationalist" Mexico City, was hooded and hissed when he declared, "On behalf of the Almazanistas in the chamber, I must oppose the commission's report because I believe the winner was Gen. Juan Andres Almazan."

Almazan left the country after the riotous July election, a congress of his own followers, who insist they are Mexico's legally-elected legislators, has proclaimed him president-elect.

Almazan's departure from Mexico was followed by widespread precautions and rumors of an impending revolt to throw Cardenas out of office and seat, Almazan even before the Dec. 1 inauguration.

(Foreign interests in Mexico which have undergone widespread speculation under Cardenas are said by Avila Camacho's backers to have supported the Almazan candidacy. Almazan's rights opposed by much of the Socialist Reform under Cardenas.)

The vote of a third candidate, Sanchez Pal, former Minister of National Economy under Cardenas, was given as 8,849.

This little more than 2,500,000 of Mexico's 16,500,000 population voted in the presidential election, according to official figures.

FIVE LANGUAGES, BUT NO SPEECH

BOSTON, Sept. 12—(AP)—Candidate Joseph W. Doherty speaks five languages—English, French, Spanish, Portuguese and Greek. But none of them was helping him today in his quest for the Democratic nomination for state treasurer. Lawmaker has laid him low, with the primaries only five days away.

Utmost In Quality "SALADA" TEA

SEND SQUADRON TO ALASKA

HAMILTON FIELD, Calif., Sept. 12—(AP)—The 16th pursuit squadron of the United States Army Air Corps is to be transferred to Alaska. It was learned authoritatively today that the squadron is being assigned to that territory under the National Defence program.

SWISS TO REMAIN NEUTRAL

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Sept. 12—(AP)—President Marcel Pilet-Golaz, speaking today at the Swiss Merchandise Fair, declared that Switzerland is determined to remain neutral, no matter what sacrifices are entailed.