

two Tunisian strongholds will be considerably "delayed." With activity overhead greatly increased on both sides, the Allies have also temporarily lost their control of the air although eight Axis planes were shot down and fifteen damaged yesterday with no Allied losses. The battle for Tunisia was described as being in a "state of flux."

There has been a huge tank battle in which both sides suffered heavy losses. This engagement took place fifteen miles west of Tunis and lasted through two days and two nights. United States and British forces are now regrouping for another battle.





CRASH AT HALIFAX HALIFAX-Two girls and three men, taking a flight in a bomber as a prize in connection with the Victory Loan campaign, were killed when the plane crashed.

OTHER NORTHERN ROADS FORT WILLIAM-J. Pierrepont Moffatt, United States minister to Canada, speaking here, said that other connecting roads would be considered on completion of the main highway through Canada to Alaska.

CANADIANS DECORATED OTTAWA - In an investiture Burns Lake celebrated its twentyin the ballroom at Government first anniversary. House yesterday the Governor-General presented honors and who took part in the erecting of decorations to sixty-eight Can-

Members of the crew of a Royal Canadian Air Force bomber from an East Coast squadron who are credited with a successful attack on a Nazi U-boat in the North Atlantic. LEFT to RIGHT they are Pilot Officer J. Leigh, Toronto, the second pilot; Flying Officer, R. B. Martin, Toronto, navigator; Flying Officer D. F. Raymes, Toronto, captain; and Pilot Officer J. S. Johnston, Ottawa, wireless-operator-air gunner. Two other wireless operator-air gunners, Sergeants J. J. Gilfillan and F. H. Bebee, participated in the attack but were not present when the photograph was taken.



LISBON, Dec. 4 (CP) - Disnatches from Lourenco Marques, Portuguese East Africa, said today that Axis submarines sank variation from 214,103,939 board three United Nations vessels in feet in the same period last year. the Indian Ocean this week including the 10,000-ton British building of the church. He noted liner Llandaf Castle reported to the many changes that had taken have been carrying one thousand same month of 1941. South African troops toward Durban on leave. Dispatches said November was as follows: that only forty survivors are Fir ... Mrs. James Clark sang "The known to have been landed. Cedar

their price level of September-October, 1941.

In addition to tea, coffee and oranges, there will be reductions in the prices of fluid milk and beef The consumer will pay 2c a quart less for milk and the profit margin on beef will be taken by some retail dealers "to reasonable lim-

In conclusion Mr. Ilsley stressed the fact that the government's policy was to reduce cost of living for all and not for the few.

OF LOGS He also stated that profit margins on many commodities would be reduced and that this would contribute greatly to the general reduction.

This new policy will be costly, its Timber scaling in Prince Rupert actual cost to the treasury may forest district for 1942 has reachexceed forty millions. ed an aggregate of 216,880.079 board In his fifteen-minute address feet which shows a minimum of Mr. Ilsley summarized the first the Red Army as the Russian coun-

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20,268,325

858,617

94,944

tion on the central front east of Velikie Luki and west of Rzhev

today in a desperate effort to stop the Russian offensive knifing deep into Nazi lines. Front line dispatches said many of the German infantry units were hastily formed from technicians, engineers or air force ground crews and were led by pupils and teachers from officers' training schools. The noon communique of the Soviet information bureau said the Germans were launching

repeated counter-attacks on the central front but declared that all were repulsed and the Red Army offensive was continuing.

MOSCOW, Dec. 4 — The entire German position in the Don-Volga corridor has been undermined as a result of further reverses suffered by the invaders at the hands of

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Ira Dilworth to be Guest Speaker At Chamber of Commerce Dinner

Taking over of radios station CFPR by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation next week will be marked by the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce which has invited Ira Dilworth of Vancouver regional director of CBC, to be present as an honored guest and speaker at the regular monthly dinner next Monday night, Mr. Dilworth is coming north from Vancouver in connection with the taking over formalities and will be here for a few days.

Two Hurt Here When Scaffold Has Collapse NEW X-RAY

Harry Halliday is a patient in the Prince Rupert General Hospital suffering severely from shock and William Filyk is also being treated there for broken toes and hand injuries as a result of an accident at the local dry dock this morning when a scaffolding col- The Prince Rupert General Hoslapsed The two men were thrown pital as a result of a new instal-

adians for valor in the war. It the church in 1921, spoke to the was the largest investiture ever occasion, calling to remembrance held in Canada. Some of the the various steps taken in the awards were posthumous and were presented to relatives.

MAY BE LEADER

WINNIPEG-John Diefenbaker, well known Saskatchewan member of parliament, has announced that he will be a candidate for leadership of the Conservative party if it is offered to him at the forthcoming convention here.

COMPULSORY UNNECESSARY EDMONTON - Major General B.W. Browne, head of Canada's Reserve Army, does not believe compulsion will be necessary for the reserve. The reserve army has a definite job to do, Browne declared.

Stability of the Church." The Air Force concert party -"The Tailspins," did not get away from Rupert as they expected on Monday. However, they took ad-

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back this way again soon.

Church at Burns

During the service Fred Stanyer,

place and paid tribute to its up-

lifting influence in the commu-

Rev. Adam Crisp spoke on "The

TEA FOR CHRISTMAS

reserve pool of tea has accumu- dinner or otherwise, the prices of vember.

lated in the country.

WOMEN PART-TIMERS

LONDON, Dec. 4 (P)-It is conser- the Services Officer, Wartime wativaly estimated now that Brit- Prices and Trade Board, Marine

Church in the Wildwood" and Miss Colleen Zielke sang "Daily Build-ing." MAY SERVE XMAS MENU

> But Restaurants Must Mave Permission to Serve New Items

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4-With the vantage of every spare moment while here and on Monday put on a Christmas season approaching, concert for the Midlands, on Tues- the services administration of the day for the Grenadiers, and on Wartime Prices and Trade Board Wednesday at Seal Cove. All con- notifies operators of restaurants certs were well attended and most that they are permitted to offer appreciated. We hope they will be the same special Christmas menu

as provided in their establishments last year. the prices, however, must not exceed those of a year

DUBLIN, Dec. 4 @-People of ago and the quantity, quality and the Irish Free State are to have service must be maintained. increased tea ration for Christmas Before new items are offered on was 1,296 pieces-all jackpine- ning, Dr. Joseph Mandy. made possible by the fact a small the menu, whether in a special compared with 253 pieces last No- Dr. Mandy gave the first in a se- throughout Monday night.

such items must have the approcal

A total of 222 cords of wood was of the Board. Applications for new Christmas recorded this November as against specials should be made early to 265 cords in November last year.

Spruce

Balsam

Totals

Hemlock

Jackpine

Miscellaneous

Forest Products

The scale of forest products such

feet in the same month last year. Hall.

as poles and piling continues light

der the Wartime Prices and Trade A railway station west of Rzhev The scale for this November was Board. He pointed out that during has been retaken by the Russians. 20,268,325 board feet compared this twelve month period an in-South of Stalingrad the Soviet with 15.338.643 board feet in the crease in cost of living of two perforces have taken another importcent had been registered as against ant position while within the city Timber scaling per species this twenty percent increase during similar period in the war of 1914-705,144 1918.

On Wednesday evening the

itself the defenders have taken back several streets and buildings. Forty big Nazi transport planes, endeavouring to bring airborne troops in as reinforcements, have been destroyed.



year of wartime price control un- ter-offensive rolls relentlessly on.

this year. The total this November newly reorganized Anglican Young Another Naval Battle Off Solomons was 75,976 lineal feet-27,990 linel People's Association of St. An--Enemy Lost Many Ships feet cedar and 47.986 lineal fee' drew's Anglican Cathedral held its

spruce-as compared with 364,046 weekly meeting in the Cathedral WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 4 -The United States Department of The total production of poles and After a short devotional service the Navy announces another naval piling this year to date stands at conducted by Dean Gibson, the battle off the Solomon Islands with 712,754 lineal feet which is a large president, Bert Allen, made a few the. Americans scoring a decisive decrease from 3,577,573 lineal feet announcements regarding further victory in breaking up the attempt in the first eleven months of 1941. work of the organization and inof a large convoy to land reinforce-The tie count this November troduced the speaker of the eve. ments on Guadalcanal Island. This battle, just revealed, took place

ries of lectures accompanied by The result of the battle was that movies on the subject of geology. It the Japanese lost nine ships sunk was a most illuminating evening __four destroyers, two cruisers or for the members, many of whom possibly large destroyers, two have seen little of the "Pacific transport ships and one large vescoast which was so beautifully and sel

accurately illustrated in Dr. One United States cruiser was

down into lumber and rocks. They lati were removed to the hospital by ple ambulance.' pla A third man sustained minor in- boa	tion which has just been com- eted, is in possession of an X-ray	ain has 300,000 women in part- time jobs. Mainly they are in the	Building, Vancouver. The services administration also informs restaurant operators that	NAVAL WIN	Mandy's excellent moving pictures. It was an education to all the group, even to those of the mem-	
A third man sustained minor in- boa juries and was given first aid dia	asts. Of particular advantage in agnostic work, it provides better ntrol, better quality and better ate from a radiographic unit	Francois Lake			group, even to those of the mem- bers who have lived here for many years. The comparison with pre- war Prince Rupert and the present	
pia pia	ate from a radiographic unit hich will be a great asset in edical and hospital service here.	Forry Grounds	The ration and service depart- ments leave it to the restaurateur to determine what constitutes a	Scored Decisive Victory Over Jap- anese in Solomon Islands	war Prince Rupert and the present day city was immensely interest- ing. Following the lecture the presi- dent conducted a guiz contest	
	ii in and hundrod	Capt. Jack Nicholson Does Retuhn	meal. If any restaurant operator is	MELBOURNE Dec. 4-Japanese	upon many and varied subjects un-	
Two Merchant Vessels Are Sunk It	also provides the "spot film"	FRANCOIS LAKE, Dec. 4-The	meals, the operator must reduce	each of which is surrounded by	e til the refreshments were served s by Miss Margaret Smith, assisted by her able refreshment commit- s tee.	
By Allied Aircraft Off Tunisia ar ar CAIRO, Dec. 4 (P) — It is an- m	nd radiography to make a per- nament record of fluoroscopic	east of the north side ferry land- ing on Friday last in heavy fog. Captain Jack Nicholson was	The minimum should be a reduc- tion of 5c in listed price of the	slow but steady Allied advance.	hour after the evening service on foray yesterday over the Cher-	
nounced that Allied aircraft sank in two more Axis merchant ships in an attack on a southbound con- X	- nay corporation, the	speedily on hand with his power- ful tow boat and pulled the loaded ferry into deep water undamaged.	TO SAVE THEIR BIKES	Twenty-one Axis planes were destroyed in an. Allied air attack	e Sunday night will bring the mem- k bers and their friends together tacking and damaging Axis ship- orgain	
voy off the coast of Tunisia. in the coast of Tunisia.	nstallation, left this morning for he interior and will visit Hazel-	He laughed as he said: "I've been waiting for this chance Rekinnen McKinnen pulled me	erlands who take lessons in the German language are exempted	1	ALASKA WARM SPOT The daylight activity of the Royal Air Force followed night	
Toronto 2; Montreal 4.	Wells on his way back to Van-	the first chance I have had to re- ciprocate."	From having their bicycles requis- itioned by the German authorities according to word reaching here.	from a trip to Vancouver.	g perienced weather colder than five and another visit to Italy last degrees below zero.	
New York 1; Chicago 3	ouver.			•		