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Thursday, Jan. 13
High 3:17 19.9 feet
14:59 20.5 feet
Low 9:11 7.9 feet
21:36 3.4 feet

BULLETINS Local Padre In Thick Of Fight

RELEASING RESERVE
OTTAWA—The Royal Canadian Navy will soon release fishing vessels which have been used with the fishermen's Reserve.

SHIPPING GRAIN
VANCOUVER—So far this season 5,500,000 bushels of grain has been shipped westward to the United States, being five times last year.

YARDS PREDOMINANT
VANCOUVER—British Columbia shipyards have launched 167 ten-thousand ton fighters compared with seven-one in eastern Canada since the wartime shipbuilding program was put into effect. Wartime Merchant Shipping Limited announced today that the British Columbia launchings 1.2 have been delivered.

POLODN'S PROBLEM
LONDON—The Polish government held two meetings yesterday and is in session again today to consider the Russian boundary proposal. There is hope of an agreement being reached.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION
CHICAGO—The Republican national convention for nomination of a presidential candidate will take place in Chicago June 25.

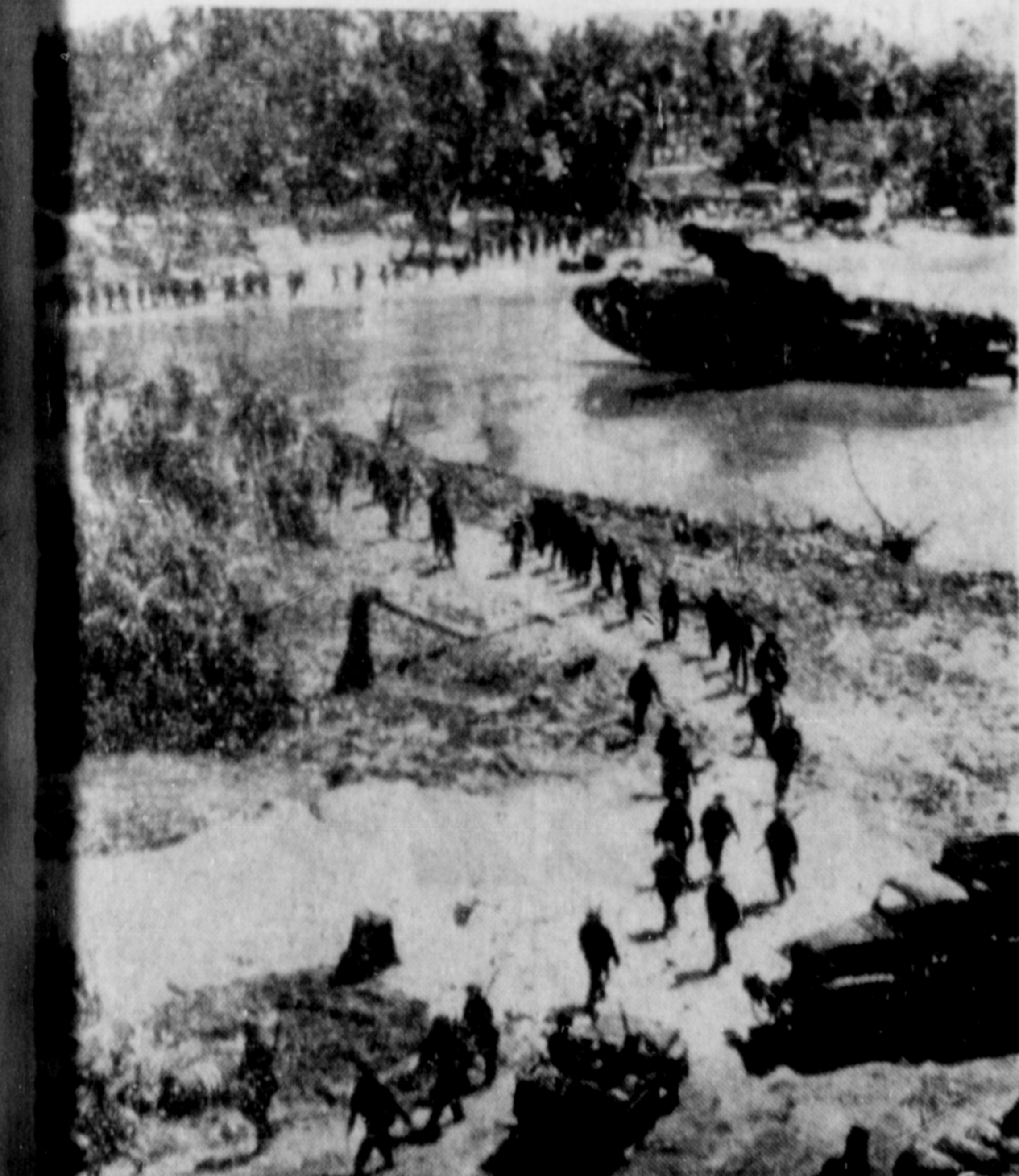
WOULD EXPEL JAPS
VICTORIA—British Columbia Farmers' Institutes, in session here, have asked the expulsion and exclusion of Japanese from British Columbia, also that no land be sold to Mennonites, Doukhobors or Hutterites until Canadian soldiers have been re-established.

EGGING JAPAN ON
LONDON—There are reports that Adolf Hitler is doing all he can to get the Japanese to attack Russia so as to relieve the pressure on the European front.

FORMOSA BOMBED
CHUNGKING—Two Japanese bases on Formosa were bombed by the Allies yesterday.

Home Front Dangerous

CHICAGO, Jan. 12—William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, said in an address in Chicago on Monday that on the home front 80,000 workers have been killed in war industries and 7,000,000 injured since the war began.



S. TROOPERS ADVANCE ON MAKIN ISLAND—A column of S. troops are photographed by a coastguard cameraman as they advance to continue the attack on the Japs who have been pushed back to one end of Makin atoll in the Pacific. A large seaplane is partially submerged in the lagoon following strafing by U.S. planes.

HAWKEN IS PROSECUTED

VANCOUVER, Jan. 12—Preliminary hearing of Charles Hawken, Vancouver milk salesman, on a murder charge in connection with the fatal shooting of Francis Andrew Boland, former provincial policeman, opened yesterday. Bert Woods, tenant of the house where Boland was shot, testified that he (Woods) was convicted a year ago of a charge of keeping liquor for sale. The hearing has been adjourned until Friday.

Tire Racket Is Uncovered

MONTREAL, Jan. 12—There have been at least twenty-six cases brought to justice in which automobiles had been stolen and sold on the black market. Police officers, when they find stolen tires, remove them from the automobiles and hail the owners of the cars into court on charges of illegally obtaining tires.

TOO MUCH COAL NOW

OTTAWA, Jan. 12—The Dominion coal controller disclosed yesterday that some Alberta coal miners had been laid off because of lack of orders for the mines. This appeal was held to be on account of mild weather and the demand would shoot up once real winter arrived. Meanwhile, it was not considered worthwhile piling up big piles of lignite coal which was not worth shipping East by rail.

Wartime Housing Social Evening

A very enjoyable social evening was held Saturday night at the staff house dining hall when entertainment was sponsored by the temporary committee of the tenant council of Wartime Housing with the Good Cheer Club also taking part. Games were played and prizes awarded to winners. About forty-five persons were present. John Jerome was master of ceremonies.

Ukraine Advance Kept Up

Capture of Sarny Is Officially Announced by Moscow Today.

MOSCOW, Jan. 12—In the face of German counter-attacks, the Russians kept up advances today in the western Ukraine and north and south of Sarny where the Red Army is pushing westward. The Red Army has captured Sarny in pre-war Poland, it was officially announced by Moscow radio tonight and Premier Stalin ordered firing of twelve salvos in celebration. After cutting the north and south railroad through the Prepet Marshes at points seven miles north and south of Sarny the Russians were just 75 miles short of being half-way between Kiev and Moscow.

Russian soldiers, in simultaneous attacks with guerrillas, tore through the bewildered Germans 35 miles inside of Poland, fording the Sluch River near Sarny Tuesday while Moscow announced fifteen thousand and Germans were killed in last week's victory at Kivorograd. After crossing the Sluch the Russians captured Stryelsk, seven miles north of Sarny, and Novovichi, seven miles south of Sarny, and killed eight hundred Germans.

R.C.A.F. Rejects Patriotic Peke

Owner of Tiny Dog Can Get Him by Calling at No. 4 Group Guardhouse.

The outstanding successes of the Royal Canadian Air Force may be responsible for a Pekinese dog leaving home and trying to join up or it may have been the kindness of the Air Force men to the little fellow when he was lost. Anyway, one of these minute canines has forsaken his owners and attached himself to Number Four Group, R. C. A. F. Flight Lieutenant Douglas, of Number 4 Group, reported to the city police that since last Friday a male Pekinese, of a cream color, with a dash of black on his back, has taken up residence with the Group. He wishes the owner to know that the dog can be had by calling at the Group 4 guard house.

Veterans To Get Bonuses

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 12—The military affairs committee of the House of Representatives yesterday approved of the payment of a maximum bonus of \$300 on discharge to veterans of the war with service of two months or over. Under two months' service there will be a bonus of \$100.

English Woman Did Not Know About Big War

LONDON, Jan. 12—A 100-year old woman who did not know that there was a war on has died in Warwickshire in central England. Her family saw to it that she did not read the newspapers or hear the radio.



INDIAN FIGHTERS ARE FIERCE AND DAUNTLESS—A Bren gunner is giving covering fire while a section of Indian troops moves forward under cover of smoke through demolished buildings on the British Eighth Army front in Italy. This town was under heavy fire from German mortars when the photo was taken.

Attack on Bill Made

Measure of President Roosevelt Challenged by Congress.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12—President Roosevelt's request for the enactment of National Service legislation under which the services of all men in the United States from 18 to 65 and all women from 18 to 50 would be subject to government call, split congress today and foreshadowed one of the bitterest fights of the election year. A cross section of congressional sentiment indicated that it would be touch and go whether the President's request would be granted or denied with the opposition seeming to have the edge at present.

Slav Partizans Resisting Hard

LONDON, Jan. 12—Marshal Tito's Jugoslav partizans are still offering stubborn resistance to the Germans, now being faced by five enemy columns.

To Report On Hazelton Route

E. T. Kenney of Terrace, M.L.A. for Skeena, and Walter Wilson of Burns Lake, will arrive in the city tonight from the interior to report on their recent mission south on behalf of the agitation for the survey of an Alaska Highway route from Hazelton to Whitehorse. They will be heard at the annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce tomorrow night. Mr. Kenney and Mr. Wilson visited Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle and other points south recently in furthering the campaign.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng. —When Lady Bird moved a resolution at a Conservative Club meeting here urging that women should be trained for the building industry, she said: "If hens can lay eggs, women can lay bricks." The resolution was passed.

LONDON —The Soviet War News Review says that a Russian translation of British Commonwealth Constitutional documents is in great demand among Russian scholars.

COMMON IN NORTH
Hares are common in most northern sections of the globe.

Australians Control Huon

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NEW GUINEA, Jan. 12—Complete control of Huon Peninsula in northeast New Guinea is in sight for the Allies today. The Australians defeated the Japanese in a tank and artillery action there which ended in the victors crossing the Buri River on the coast.

Materials For Civil Defence

VANCOUVER, Jan. 12—On arrival here from Prince Rupert, Brigadier General Alex Ross, director of civil defence for Canada, said that considerable more fire fighting equipment is available for this coast if the men are available to man it. He said there was still possibilities of attack on the coast.

ROOF LANDED UPON SAILOR

But He Suffered No Serious Effects From Flying Wreckage Of Woodshed.

Yesterday's winter gale lifted the roof off the big fuel shed of the Hyde Transfer on the local waterfront east of Cow Bay late yesterday afternoon. It landed on the flat nearby and landed on a sailor who happened to be passing. The sailor emerged safely from underneath the flying wreckage, blinking his eyes and rubbing his knee but, apparently, little the worse for the experience. Some of the gusts were as heavy as have been felt for some time.

Steel Industry Move Endorsed

The Prince Rupert Gyro Club, at its regular monthly business luncheon today, endorsed a resolution urging the establishment of a steel industry on this coast. Other business at today's luncheon had largely to do with internal affairs of the club. President Frank Skinner was in the chair and there was a good attendance of members.

Hockey Scores
Toronto 5, Montreal 0.

Major Durnford Loudly Praises Canadians For Great Fight in Italy

Had "All The Guts in World, He Declares — Commanders Also Laud Their Work in Mediterranean Campaign.

WITH THE CANADIANS IN ITALY, Jan. 12 (CP)—Major Roy Durnford of Prince Rupert, who has been padre of one of the battalions which captured Ortona, having served throughout the Mediterranean campaign so far, sounds high praise for the Canadian soldiers in the campaign. "Those lads fought with all the guts in the world," Padre Durnford told a Canadian Press correspondent.

Praise from Major Durnford comes after that which has emanated from commanders generally for the Canadians. Stacked against the cream of the German Army on ground which favored defence, the Canadians outfought and outlasted the enemy in the Moro Valley battle which ended when western troops of the Canadian First Division drove the Germans from the coastal town of...

Speaking Well About Reserve

OTTAWA, Jan. 12—Major General F. R. Phelan, director-general of Canada's Reserve Army, said the need of a strong reserve army in the Dominion was as great as ever. The General said he had found no slackening of interest in the Reserve on the Pacific coast and said its men needed but little more training to make them as efficient as the active Army.

CLOSING IN ON CASSINO

Fifth Army Making Progress in Italy—Eighth Army Stated.

ALGIERS, Jan. 12—Taking one railway point on the east and one in the south, the Fifth Army pincers closed in with its drives bearing down on the German bastion of Cassino, 70 miles from Rome. Yesterday one arm reached the outskirts of Cervaro, a fortified village four miles to the southeast, headquarters announced. Later reports said the Allied forces were only three miles from Cassino. Continued cold weather with heavy snow kept the Eighth Army down to mere patrol activity.

Baby Antonsen Laid At Rest

The funeral of Carl Peter Antonsen, fifteen-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Antonsen, took place yesterday afternoon from the Chapel of B. C. Undertakers to Fairview Cemetery. Rev. M. B. Anderson, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, officiated and Mrs. Anderson presided at the organ to accompany the hymns which were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." The pallbearers were Otto Jerstad, J. Moen, J. Fredheim and Ole Anderson.

New Head Of Information

OTTAWA, Jan. 12—A Davidson Dunton, of Montreal has been appointed general manager of the Wartime Information Board, succeeding John Grierson, who has resigned, it was announced today.

LONDON —Viscount Bennett on the characteristics of the British people: "I know of no people in the world who are so given to good works as the British people, and no country which outranks this country in the care of those who are less fortunate."

WEYBRIDGE, Eng. —Mrs. Gamgee had a bicycle stolen from a shop in this Surrey village Wednesday Sept. 15. Three months later to the day, she found it outside the same shop.

Brazil has a school of fishermen where delinquent boys are taught the trade of the sea.

CANADA'S NEW DESTROYER H.M.C.S. HAITA ON HIGH SEAS

