

Germans Chose to Sink Their Own Ship Rather Than Lose It

LONDON, Jan. 4- A 10,000-ton German merchantman was scuttled by its crew after being intercepted by British naval vessels. The crew was captured.

Ottawa Session **Opening Shortly;**

In the thick of the battle for Stalingrad men of the Soviet forces which hurled back the Nazis are shown advancing. Infantrymen, their auto natic rifles ready, lead the party. Behind them comes the crew of trench mortars. Two men drage the mortar on its wheeled carriage, two others rush up with the ammunition.



Post War Plans New Official Index for 1942 Shows Gain of 24 Percent **Over 1941—Major Expansion in Employment**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4 - United States submarines have sunk seven more Japanese ships. This brings

battered Aris supply bases over the week-end as French forces thrust near the Tunis-Tripoli highway and pushed deeper into couthern Jibya from the Lake Chad region. Duststorms and rains combined to hamper all operational activities yesterday "ithin Libya.

Both Cairo and Axis dispatches told of adverse weather in that theatre and mentioned no significant manoeuvres by either side. Maishal Erwin Rommel's Afrika Korps appears to be digging in for a stand 40 miles west of Wadi Bei El Chebir and 150 miles east of Tripoli. Owing

was considered a major . victory + How Nazis Luki where the Red Army con- + Make Their tinued its offensives. An important, + railway junction and a key to Len- + Soldiers Fight # ingrad has also been recaptured. With the Russians forging ahead + on no less than five major battle- 🔸 MCSCOW, Jan. 4-An order 🔹 fronts. German lines appeared to + to the Nazi forces in Russia + be crumbling in most important * has been issued by Chancellor * sectors, the Soviet said. The Nazi * Adolf Hitler threatening exe- * command, however, stiffened re- | * cution of the families of all * sistance at some points only to be * German soldiers who dare to * hit at others by the hard-driving *. surrender in the Russian cam * * paign. Reci Army. The plight of twenty-two Nazi

divisions in Stalingrad is even * * * * * *



WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 4 (P) creases of 35 percent or more. 133 percent over that of 1941. Cat-	lieved, by a short circuit when Mis.	vette a laparagon in a naval battle	City Hall this morning. William M. j.	DIMETORIA
WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 4 (17) -An American battleship destroy- ed an entire flight of twenty enemy an expansion of 40 percent. (133 percent over that of 1941. Cat- Manufacturing generally enjoyed the sales show a minor reduction an expansion of 40 percent. (133 percent over that of 1941. Cat- the sales show a minor reduction and sales of hogs increased 1.5	Crosby and her four young sons	in the North Atlantic in which the	Watts was in his office straighten-	MINHSIN
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dive bombers with anti-aircraft guns in the South Pacific, the De- partment of the Navy reported to- Dartment of the Navy reported to-	at \$250.000. Many valuables were	urred when German naval vessels	cil meeting tonight. He openly ad-	TRAGEDY
Dartment of the News reported to- Standing out prominently in the The landed value of the sea fish-	destroyed but not the original	attacked an Allied Murmansk-	mitted that he expected to feel re-	INTUME
day year's list of new records appears eries increased 24 per cent, pro-	manuscript of "Dixie" which was	bound convoy.	lieved by the time at least one or	
guns in the South Pacific, the De- partment of the Navy reported to- day. The battleship destroyed a total of thirty two planes before the stard and the sharp expansion of employ- the sh	not there.	* 4 * * * * * * * * * *	two meetings were behind him.	W. G. C. Barles To
The battleship destroyed a total the sharp expansion of employ- duction of coal about six percent, of thirty-two planes before the turning out \$2,600,000,000 in war pig iron production 35 percent,		+ *	Meetings of the council will be	Woman Confesses in Regina To
of thirty-two planes before the ment. Canadian planes are now pig iron, production 35 percent,		+ I D . it'r	held at least weekly for the time	Drowning Her Two Small
chemy ceased trying to sink it.	gave the gold mining industry a	* Jap rosition *	being, Mayor Watts intimated, and	
		+	't is expected that considerable	Contraction of the second s
The war has been chiefly respon-	adian mint were down eight per-	+ Now Hopeless +	t is expected that considerable time will be required for the new	REGINA Jan 4 (1)-Mrs Frank
tional workers (men and women) sible for wide gains in the revenue	cet for the first 10 months of		ivic government to get into har-	Rill good 29 was placed in custody
to the nation's payrolls in the last of the rallways. Carloadings m-	1942. At the same time the mining	+ MET BOURNE Jan 4 (P)-Al- *	ness as neither the mayor or any	after walking into a police station
TUKAIIUN two years. The national income has creased six percent in 1942 and the	of essential war metals has been	+ lied forces have completed the	of the aldermen have had any pre-	and sawing that she had just killed
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IOKATIONto the flation's pageIOKATIONtwo years. The national income has two years. The national income has grc/n 70 percent since 1938.creased six percent in 1942 and the National Railways report an in- crease of gross revenue of about 23 percent while the C.P.R.'s gross in- percent in 1942 and the National Railways report an in- crease of gross revenue of about 23 percent while the C.P.R.'s gross in-	expand One producer. The Inter-	+ at Runa killing 650 Japanese	Business tonight will include the	five weeks old The children were
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Federal Government Announces spending in the country's history of net revenue were 31 percent and	ana, brought a plant addition into	+ que said. The only remaining	toos and correspondence regarding	The husband said he had been
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This Is To Be Done despite the heaviest burden of the six percent respectively. ation ever imposed in Canada. Re- Due to the government's price	output of meker by 50,000,000	+ Papuan army are commed in	water emormation, traine bytaw	worned about mis wire.
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mont and Jan. 4- The govern- tail sales are currently vear ago centing wholesale prices in outrate	enlarging their copper production	+ from Sanananda Point. The	Tonight's session will be largely	HOCKEY SCORES
ment announces today that news- print is to be rationed in Canada. It will be on a graduated scale, ac- Cording to	by 75,000,000 pounds.	• communique added that the	the wool work and discussion will	
It will be rationed in Canada. and for 1942 the total by 35 per- October, 1941, and October, 1942.	Production of newsprint slack-	• "enemy's situation is now	to be place in the committees	SATURDAY
In the same period prices in the	ened along with the lumbering in-	hopeless." Buna Mission was	take place in the committees.	Toronto 6, Montreal 3.
print is to be rationed in Canada. It will be on a graduated scale, ac- cording to the size of newspapers. PNEUMONIA TARGETS Pneumonia has been found to be more common among men than Pneumonia mong men than Pneumonia has been found to be more common among men than	dustry generally. Production of	* captured at the week-end by	FABRIC SURFACING	SUNDAY
All the money is not going cent. In both countries farm prices	newsprint decreased five percent	+ the Americans and Australi-	FABRIC SURFACING	Boston 3, Detroit 2.
PNEUMONIA TARGETS consumer goods, taxes of even new registered the widest gains.	for 10 months of 1942 and exports	ans.	The had a second and and an	
Pheumonia has been found to be bonds. Deposits in the banks non Mines Situation	of newsprint in the same period	*	Fabric surfacing is still used on	Montreal 4 Toronto 4
throat Shortages of labor and materials	s slumped 4.2 percent.	+ + + + + + + + + + +	many parts of modern war planes.	anontical 4, roronto 4.
women. of nearly \$1,000,000 in three Shortages of haser and				

PAGE TWO		THE DAILY NEWS		MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1943
THE DAILY NEWS PRINCE RUPERT, BRITISH COLUMBIA Published Every Afternoon Except Sunday by Prince Rupert	OF Y.M.C.A.	LADIES' BOWLING	BUILDING FOR YEAR	Just Arrived SHIPMENT OF
Black Face Readers, per line	months come Candlemas day, I've wanted to meet a real Indian Prin-	2-Rangers vs. Lucky Strikes	Building permits at Prince Rup- et for the year 1943 aggregated \$495,690 in value as compared with \$347,548 in the year 1941. Permits	COTTON FELT MATTRESSES All Sizes
MEMBER OF THE CANADIAN PRESS The Canadian Press is exclusively entitled to use for publication of all news despatches credited to it or to the Associated Press in this paper and also the local news published therein. All rights of republication of special despatches therein are also	They call her "Toots." One aspect of our Y work that is	Bluebirds vs. Amateurs Optimists vs. Nursing Sisters Big Sisters vs. Annettes 12—Knox Hotel vs. Annettes Amateurs vs. Nursing Sisters Bluebirds vs. Rangers	ended amounted to but \$380. Building here during the past year consisted more and more of construction in connection with the war effort and much of the official	ELIO'S FURNITURE Third Avenue
Monday, January 4, 1943	from the quiet people. For instance last night when I came in from supper I found a young woman and	Optimists vs. Lucky Strikes	projects. Much of the straight de-	

EDITORIAL

Shortages and Control . . .

One of the most obvious features of the economic situation in the past year has been the development of an ever-widening circle of shortages and a consequent mark- It was all very complicated-all exed intensification of the pressure upon civilian industry. cept the simple fact that she and Throughout 1942, the expanding war effort has necessitated increasingly sharp and direct curtailment of civilian goods and services and, as the end of the year approached, a chance and phoned my good there were signs that piece-meal methods would neces- friend Sing at the Prince Rupert. I sarily be supplemented by more widespread and co-ordinated measures.

It is no mystery why shortages have developed and ponded to an appeal of mine. They Manitoba, has just received his and Mrs R. E. Morgan, died at her spread, and why more and more direct controls over civil- recognize that my cries come from ian industry have been needed and carried out. Funda- desperation, only after all others have failed because I know they parents mental are the tremendous demands-particularly upon are too busy to be imposed upon North American industry-of the desperate battles con- unnecessarily. When I phoned for a ducted literally in the four quarters of the globe, and of taxi after fixing it up at the hotel the preparations for the offensive toward victory which I was surprised at the driver's interest in the situation and found is now in its initial stages. At the same time that war that he had brought the woman output has been expanding sharply, the problem of over- and baby to the Y after taking seas supplies of many important raw materials-already them all around town to find the serious because of events in the Pacific-has been inten- elusive address. He was as relieved as any of us when she was settled. sified by shipping losses and by the need for ships to so, boys, don't think the people of traverse the long military supply lines. For Canada, an Prince Rupert haven't a heart. additional factor is the greater difficulty of filling her This little story is just one of dozimport needs from the United States, as that country's ens that crop up every week but you don't hear about them because own war production increases by leaps and bounds. Mean- the persons behind the headlines while, shortages have spread from material to material, don't talk. It's deeds not words with as producers adopted substitutes and the substitutes in them. turn became scarce. The cutting-off of supplies from the _ Pacific was responsible for a marked acceleration of this LOCAL MAN "normal" wartime trend. The loss of tin, hemp, silk, and IS WINNER numerous vegetable oils, for instance, greatly increased the demands upon steel and the non-ferrous metals, other textile fibres, and domestic oils. The loss of rubber Ole Rollag Shows His Prowess in brought a chain of repercussions which is far-reaching. **Rifle Shooting** and affects not only a host of civilian manufactured MONTREAL, Jan. 4-Among the goods but aggravates the burden on the railways and members of the first All-Canadian municipal transport systems. All-Star Indoor Rifle Team recent-These growing scarcities of materials account for ly announced from the headquarmany of the past year's numerous control orders - the ters of the Canadian Small Bore stricter allocation of steel and non-ferrous metals, the Association in Montreal are four banning of production of many more civilian durable marksmen from British Columbia -three hailing from Vancouver goods, the curtailment of agricultural-implement output, and one from Prince Rupert. This the close control over civilian construction. At the same team represents the highest shoottime, apart from these specific shortages, there has been ing ability in the Dominion and is a rapid development of those over-all shortages - of composed of twenty members. Only labor, of power, and of transport facilities—which result those who have shot a minimum from the swift tempo and increasingly all-out mobiliza- last two years are eligible. tion of the economic system. Government controls in these James A. Irvine of the C.N.R.A., fields have multiplied. Indeed, it is these scarcities, and Vancouver, leads the field with a particularly those of labor and of power, which provide nearly perfect 99.833 percent. Irvine also won the Canadian Outthe chief reasons for the further and broader curtailment door Championship this year as that appears to be in prospect. well as being the a member of the In short, the events of 1942 illustrate how much more team that won the Herbert Holt disturbing are the adjustments which become necessary Trophy in 1941. James E. Webb, as the war effort approaches its peak. To get the last 100,- also of the C.N.R.A., Vancouver, is 000 workers for war industry, or the second last 100,000 percentage of 99.667. He, too, was h.p. of electric power, is infinitely more difficult than to a member of the team winning the obtain the preceding requirements of equal size. Focal Herbert Holt Trophy in 1941. Ole points of shortage become more acute and numerous, as Rollag, another member of the reserves of labor and materials dwindle and automatic same club, and formerly of Prince Rupert, placed eighth with a peradjustments and shifts become fewer and fewer. The recentage of 99.606 points to his sulting fundamental transformations in civilian industry credit. Bill Brass, the fourth B.C. and in the civilian way of life are the price of an all-out member of the All-Star team, hails from Prince Rupert, where he is war effort. a member of the C.N.R.A. Brass is

her five months old baby waiting for me. They had come in from the East on the afternoon train and had been there two or three hours as I had been out in the afternoon. The address of the place to which she was to have gone proved to be a "phony" and to get the right one she had to wait until Monday when her husband could come in from the forts and look up some friend. the baby had to have a room. I was told that the hotels had been contacted with no result but I took Joseph Gillis, who was born and brought up in Prince Rupert, being knew he would help us and he di and it wasn't the first time those in charge at that hotel have res-

Nursing Sisters vs. Lucky Strikes Big Sisters vs. Amateurs Knox Hotel vs. Rangers Bluebirds vs. Annettes

suffers increasingly from the shortage of labor and materials. In December only two permits were taken out as follows: J. G. Jackson, Ninth Avenue West, addition to residence, \$350. R. Haugen, Taylor Street, porch,

Commission Won by 130. Prince Rupert Boy Little Girl Dies Here On Saturday Joseph Gillis of this City Becomes Lieutenant at Shilo, Manitoba

> Three and Half Year Old Daughter Of Mr .and Mrs. Morgan Passes

the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gillis, now on service with the Royal Loretta May Morgan, three-and-Canadian Artillery at Shilo Camp, one-half year old daughter of Mr. commission as a lieutenant, ac- parents' home in the Exchange cording to word received by his . In d Avenue West, on Saturday evening.

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