

RAF BLASTS AT GERMAN BASES

Objectives in Holland, the Reich, Belgium and France Attacked.

LONDON, Jan. 29 (U. P.).—British planes in a big scale offensive during the night attacked objectives in Germany, Holland, Belgium and France, the Air Ministry said tonight.

It was indicated that the main attack was made on the west German railroad and industrial center of Munster.

Docks were attacked at Rotterdam, on the Netherlands coast, and Boulogne on the French invasion coast.

Air fields in Holland and Belgium were bombed and fighter planes attacked German airdromes in northern France.

It was admitted that six bombing planes were missing and that one fighter had been missing since it went on patrol yesterday.

Real Estate Board Installs Officers



New leaders of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board... left to right, Frank L. Thomas, secretary; Joseph H. Argus, vice president; Ralph E. Peckham, president, and Thomas W. Kercheval, treasurer.

MORE THAN 300 members of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board, their wives and guests attended installation services for the 1942 officers of the board at a dinner-dance in the Indianapolis Athletic Club last night.

The new leaders are Ralph E. Peckham, president; Joseph H. Argus, vice president; Frank L. Thomas, secretary, and Thomas

W. Kercheval, treasurer.

The 1941 president of the board, Earl B. Teckemeyer, was presented a wrist watch by Edward A. Hyde, chairman of the social affairs committee. Mr. Teckemeyer promised the members that "in 1942 as in 1941, the Real Estate Board will put all its energies toward winning the war."

Two of the members were recognized for their work on the board in the last year. They were Urban K. Wilde, executive secretary, and Mary Henley Binford, assistant secretary.

The social affairs committee that took part in the entertainment included C. Willis Adams Jr., Arnold G. Davis, Russell Fortune Jr., Fred T. Hill, Addison A. Howe, M. V. Mackey, Henry M. Otterbach and Robert E. Walker.

THINK OF WAKE, WORKERS TOLD

Patterson Sends Reminder To Plane Makers on Verge of Strike.

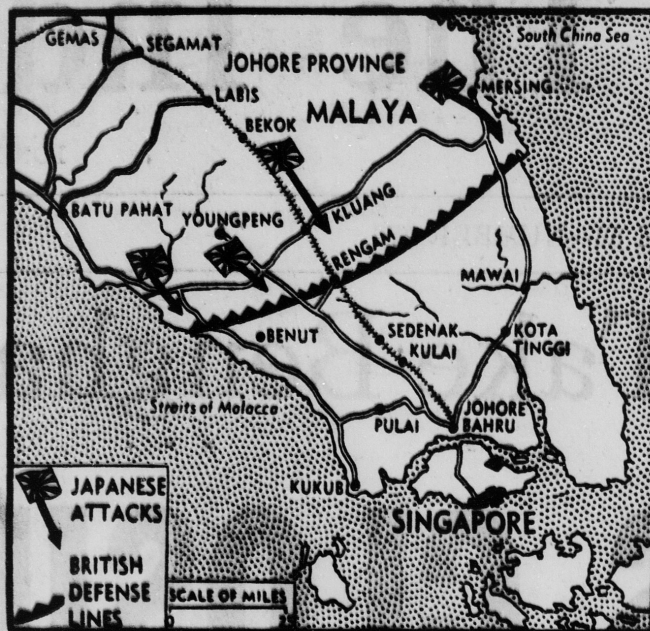
EAST FARMINGDALE, N. Y., Jan. 29 (U. P.).—Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson today reminded employees of the Ranger Aircraft Engineering Corp., who are on the verge of striking, of what happened at Wake Island and Manila.

A telegram from Mr. Patterson, tacked to the bulletin board, said:

"The Army is calling on you soldiers of production to back our soldiers in the front lines with every ounce of your energy. The Army looks to you to provide the weapons of victory. The fighting weapons we lacked yesterday at Wake and Manila, we must have today. Your contribution must be production and more production. America is confident of your answer."

SOVIET FORMS CHILD ARMY KUIBYSHEV, Jan. 29 (U. P.).—The Soviet announced today that children have been formed into an army of their own to aid defense.

Battle at Tip of Malaya



The British Malayan command admitted today that the battle zone is now about 30 miles north of Singapore Island. One Japanese column was reported a short distance north of Kulai, shown on this map.

BEGINS OIL CONFERENCES WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (U. P.).—Morris L. Cooke, U. S. expert appointed by President Roosevelt to

evaluate oil properties expropriated in Mexico, said today he will begin immediately conferences with the American oil companies.

SWEDEN WANTS NO NAZIS THERE

Expected to Join Allies if Invaded in Another Attack on Norway.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29 (U. P.).—Informed diplomats believed today that Sweden would join the Allied nations against the Axis if she is forced to abandon her neutral position.

The most serious threat to the only remaining Scandinavian neutral was expected to come this spring. The possibility of an Allied counter-invasion attempt in Norway has been repeatedly referred to in recent speculation of future war developments.

Such a move, it was believed, would force Germany to seek transit through Sweden. In such a case Sweden is expected to resist.

Little has been heard of Sweden in recent months. But it is well established that she is no longer a weak and defenseless nation, such as Norway and Denmark were when Germany took them over in the spring of 1940.

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3 Outstanding Groups, Sale Price!

FIRST QUALITY Rayon Stockings in serviceable weight, cotton heel and toe. Sizes 8 to 10½. New colors.
OUTSIDE STOCKINGS in service weight with rayon leg, cotton top, toe and heel. Sizes 9½ to 11. First quality. 2 Colors.
RUN RESIST Rayon Stockings with cotton heels and toes. All are first quality in sizes 8½ to 10½. 2 New colors.

Clearance Winter Coats

\$5.00

A final clearance of winter sport coats. Choose fleeces, tweeds and reversibles. These coats formerly sold for \$10.95, \$12.95 and \$13.95.

Clearance! Dress and Sport Coats

Higher priced sport and dress coats reduced for E. O. M. Big savings in these fine garments.

Fur-Trimmed Coats

Clearance of fine fur-trimmed coats. Assorted fur collars. Several styles to choose from. Broken sizes.

\$4, \$5, Style Arch SHOES

\$1.89 PAIR

141 Pairs of style and arch shoes greatly reduced for E. O. M. Colors in Black and Navy. Ties and Pumps. Not all sizes in the group.

Special Retail Stock Purchase of

Better Style and ARCH SHOES

\$1.00

Black, brown or navy colors in arch and style shoes. Medium and high heels, several styles, many narrow widths. Sizes 4 to 9, AAA to C.

Children's, Misses' Shoes \$1
Attractive patent straps and oxford shoes for children and misses. Some snow boots included.

Infants' First Step Shoes 79c
Strap, sandal and oxford styles in black, brown and white. Sizes 2½ to 8.

COTTON BLOUSES

Long and short sleeve cotton blouses. Whites and colors in the group. Broken sizes. **88c**

Washable Rayon Shirts \$1.19
Long and short sleeve styles. White and colors in the group. Broken sizes.

Wool Skirts \$2.29
Zipper placket, deep pleat in front and back. Rust, soldier blue and wine. Broken sizes.

\$3.98 Wool Skirts \$2.69
Wool skirts in broken sizes and colors. Zipper placket and button bands.

Corduroy Jumpers, Red Only . . . \$1.89
Corduroy Skirts, Red Only . . . \$1.89

Evening Skirts . . . Greatly Reduced
Evening Blouses . . . Greatly Reduced
Odds and Ends of Sportswear, as Marked!

ACCESSORY VALUES

Sample Jewelry 29c
Sample jewelry reduced. Group includes pins, clips, bracelets and necklaces.

Simulated Leather Handbags . . . 79c
Black or brown colors. Pouches, underarm and top handle styles. Some fabric bags in this group.

CORSET Clearance!

Girdles 89c, \$1.49, \$2.29
Corsettes \$2.29 and \$3.29
Broken sizes and styles of higher priced garments. Excellent values if we have your size.

Batiste Swirl Gowns

Moon and stars patterns in white or red on blue grounds or blue or red on white grounds. Sizes 32 to 40. Large full skirts. **84c**

Women's Cotton Nighties 79c
Cotton crepe and porto rican batiste gowns. V and round neckline. Contrasting color trim.

Women's Flannelette Gowns . . . 65c
Long sleeves, double yoke and 2-button front. Sizes 16 to 17 in pastels and stripes.

Women's Rayon Slips \$1
Rayon crepe and rayon satin slips. V top, bias and 4 gore. 36 to 44 in tea rose.

Women's Pencil Stripe Slips . . . 78c
Rayon crepe and rayon satin pencil stripe slips. V top, 4 gore, tailored. Tea rose. Broken sizes.

Plain and Novelty Undies 25c
Plain and novelty weave rayon briefs, panties and stepins. Elastic run at waist. 27 to 31 in tea rose.

Women's Knitted Union Suits . . . 35c
Seconds of better union suits. Built up shoulder, tight and shell knee. Discontinued styles.

Rayon Stripe Union Suits 59c
Ecu colors with built up shoulders, tight knee reinforced. 36 to 44.

Rayon Satin Stripe Gowns 88c
Plain rayon or rayon satin stripe gowns. Tailored or lace trimmed. Ties at waist. 34 to 42. Tea rose or blue in seconds.

Women's Undies 35c
Cotton knit or rayon briefs, panties, vests, bloomers and ski shirts. Plain fronts and elastic back. Sizes 34 to 42 in seconds.

INFANTS' and TOTS' WEAR

Values from 29c to \$3.98 in Odds and Ends

1/2 PRICE AND LESS

Tots' All-Wool Sweaters
Toddlers' All-Wool Sweaters
Tots' Velveteen Dresses
Tots' Better Cotton Dresses
Tots' Better Rayon Dresses
Boys' Cotton Wash Suits
Boys' Corduroy Longies
Tots' Better Cotton Slips
Tots' Rayon Panties
Tots' Cotton Muslin Panties
Tots' Cotton House Coats
Toddlers' All-Wool Leggings
Tots' Parka Hoods

Clearance! Girls' Wear

Slightly Soiled • Broken Sizes

10c to \$1.39

Girls' Wool Sweaters
Girls' Cotton Blouses
Girls' Flannelette Pajamas
Girls' Wool Gloves
Girls' Parka Hoods
Girls' Wash Dresses
Girls' Tuckstitch Undies

Girls' Suits \$2.99
Girls' 2-pc. sport suits and girls' skating suits. Broken sizes in the group.

Girls' Sport Jackets . . . \$1.99 and \$2.99
Girls' sport jackets in plaids and flannels. Nice styles and smart fitting.

MEN'S Better SHIRTS

\$1.00

First and Second qualities of higher priced shirts for men. Whites and fancy patterns. Some are soiled.

Men's Rayon TIES 4 for \$1
Hand tailored rayon ties. Checks, Plaids and Stripes. Blues, Greens, Tans, Reds and Browns. Resilient construction.

Men's Better TIES 2 for \$1
Colorful patterns in rayon and rayon and silk ties. Checks, plaids, stripes in Greens, Red, Brown.

Men's Athletic SHIRTS 5 for \$1
Men's combed knit athletic shirts. Select seconds of better quality. Perfect fitting.

Men's Reversible Topcoats . . . \$7.50
Tweed and gabardine topcoats in small, medium and large sizes.

64 Men's Suits, broken sizes . . . \$13.88
81 Men's Suits, broken sizes . . . \$16.88
32 Men's Zipper Lined Coats . . . \$14.88

SAMPLE BLANKETS

1/3 TO 1/2 OFF

Irregulars in sample blankets from a large manufacturer. Various sizes, colors and materials. Single and double sizes.

Sample Chenille SPREADS

\$1.00 TO \$3.99

Sample chenille bedspreads in a big E. O. M. Sale. Plain colors, florals and multicolors. Full and twin sizes in the group.

"Fruit of the Loom" DRESSES

Discontinued styles of Fruit of the Loom cotton frocks. Nice patterns and styles in many lovely colors. Sizes 14 to 52 in the group. **\$1.00**

\$2.25 Candlewick Robes \$1.49
Wraparound styles in white or dusty rose. Final clearance. Broken sizes.

Knitted Slip Covers!

Clearance of 9 Different 1941 Patterns

For Chairs For Davenport

\$2.88 \$4.88

All first quality covers in 1941 patterns. Being reduced for clearance to make way for new numbers. No matched sets, but many harmonizing colors for decorating.

Davenport Pillows
New selections in lovely davenport pillows. Rayon covered in many colors and patterns. **39c**

Oil Silk Bathroom Curtains \$1.00
Ruffled bathroom curtains in fine oil silk. Made from manufacturers' remnants. One of a kind.

Curtain Clearance Pr. or Ea. 39c
Odd panels and pairs of many styles and colors. Some are soiled from display.

Cottage Sets Pr. 79c
Ruffled tops and bottoms in cottage sets. Make two pairs of short curtains from these.

45x87 Priscilla Curtains Pr. \$1.00
Plain marquisette priscilla curtains in cream and ecru colors. 45x87 inches.

Shower Curtains 59c
Standard 66x-ft. size shower curtains in oil silk. Plain colors in the group.

Drapery Trimming 5c Yd.
Fringe, edging and welting to make your draperies have a more finished look.

Odd Remnants and Panel Curtains 5c Ea.
Drapery Cranes, one of a kind, samples 39c

Broadloom Remnants!

1-4.6x4.6 Rose Twistweave . . . \$8.95
1-4.6x4.6 Rust Twistweave . . . \$8.95
1-4.6x4.6 Red Twistweave . . . \$8.95
1-4.6x6 Blue Twistweave . . . \$9.95
1-9x4.3 Brown Twistweave . . . \$11.95
1-9x6 Green Leaf Wilminster . . \$23.70
1-9x4.4 Rust Twistweave . . . \$11.95
1-9x4.6 Wine Leaf Wilton . . . \$13.95
1-9x7.4 Rust Leaf Axminster . . \$21.95
1-9x5.3 Tan Texture Axminster . \$13.95
1-9x5.6 Plain Rose Velvet . . . \$12.95
1-9x5.6 Rust Twistweave . . . \$15.95
1-9x5.5 Rose Leaf Axminster . . \$13.95
1-9x5.10 Hooked Pattern Axminster \$14.95
6-9x12 Bigelow Sanford Rugs, Hook or Leaf Patterns . . . \$14.95

Rayon Velveteen Remnants

Lovely rayon velveteen remnants in greens, blues and wines. Remnants range from 1 yard to ample dress lengths. **\$1.00 Yard**

PLAIDS! PLAINS! STRIPES!

54-Inch WOOLENS

A choice selection of woolen fabrics in plaids, plains and stripes. Many nice colors. Wool content tag on each bolt. Fine for spring suits, skirts and slacks. **\$1.00 Yard**

32-In. Checked Gingham 29c Yd.
Rayon Twill Remnants 10c Yd.
Rayon Samples 15c Ea.