

TODAY and  
TOMORROW

Confidence In  
Final Victory

"WE are absolutely confident that when we resume the offensive, we shall be able to beat our enemies once again and force them to retreat." Thus declared Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose speaking at the Hibiya Hall in Tokyo early this month. Today, an analysis of the war situation both in the East and in the West only enhances our confidence in final victory.

In Northern Burma, the Anglo-American forces are being steadily annihilated by the invincible Imperial Nippon forces and considering the rate at which the annihilation process is going on, it is not difficult to foresee the day when the entire enemy forces would be wiped out from Burma and the way paved again for the successful march of the Azad Hind Fauj in their next and most powerful offensive to smash the enemy on the Indian soil itself. The veteran warriors of the Azad Hind Fauj, who have defeated the enemy in various sectors on the Indo-Burma border and inside India, are certain to inflict even more disastrous defeats on him and carry on the fight deeper and deeper into the country, until the very British imperialistic citadel in New Delhi is reached.

The war in China and in the Pacific has already weakened the enemy's strength to such an extent that his hopes of re-enslaving Asians have all been completely shattered. Today, the enemy is seized with utter pessimism and panic. His losses in the Taiwan and the Philippines battles have been colossal. These theatres have become the graveyard of the army, navy and air force which he brought all the way from America and Britain. "The Taiwan and Philippine naval battles have cost us very heavily in ammunition, in losses and damaged ships and in aircraft that will never fly again," pathetically bewails Admiral King in a broadcast yesterday.

As regards the fighting in Leyte, Frank Robertson, International News correspondent, says that the American forces on the island are already confused and panic-stricken and that their morale has been completely shattered. The very name of General Yamashita, the "Conqueror of Singapore", who is personally directing the operations in the Leyte sector, has struck terror in the hearts of the Americans, adds Robertson.

In the China sector, the Americans' plight is the worst. The Imperial Nippon forces have inflicted the most disastrous defeats on the enemy in the various sectors. The blow to the Americans' much-boasted 14th Air Force in China has been the most stunning. "The enemy has clipped the wings of our 14th Air Force", laments the New York Times in its latest editorial. The situation in Europe is

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## Sapru Assured Of Gandhiji's Full Support And Aid

### Non-Party Leaders' Effort To Consolidate United Front Against British

Indian leaders are continuing their ceaseless efforts to further consolidate the united front against the British and to intensify the anti-British revolution, according to the latest news received here from India.

A New Delhi report last night stated that Sir Dalip Singh presiding over a Sikh Conference yesterday declared that the Sikhs stood as one man for the complete independence and oneness of India.

Meanwhile, the Standing Committee of the Non-party Leaders' Conference has concluded its two-day session in New Delhi after adopting a resolution regarding the ways and means for the further consolidation of the anti-British front.

Addressing a Press Conference yesterday, Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru, President of the Non-party Leaders' Conference, explained that he had placed the Committee's plan of action before Mahatma Gandhi at Wardha and had also acquainted him with the text of the resolution. Continuing, Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru said that Gandhiji had assured him of his unqualified support and all assistance in any campaign that the Non-party Conference may launch for the speedy achievement of the country's freedom.

equally gloomy for the Anglo-American enemies. In Italy and in Western Europe their progress has been powerfully halted by the mighty German forces whose fighting strength has increased a thousand-fold because of their present nearness to their supply bases and production centres in their home country.

In India, the anti-British revolution today is at its zenith. The nation is united as one man in their firm determination to oust the British tyrants from the Indian soil. Peasants and workers all over the country are up in revolt against the authorities. With their war effort completely paralysed, the British to-day are on their last legs. Their imperialistic edifice is visibly tottering.

Today, on the Provisional Government Day, the three million Indians of East Asia are, therefore, fully justified in their complete confidence in ultimate victory over the Anglo-American enemies of Indian freedom. Today, the situation, both internal and international, is definitely favourable to India's forces of Liberation. Let us, therefore, one and all, redouble our efforts and hasten the day of our final victory.

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## NIPPON ARMY ROUT ENEMY IN N. BURMA

### British Forces Suffer Big Losses Both In Men & Material

A Nippon Base in Northern Burma, Nov. 20 (Domei)—Nippon forces which had been waiting for an opportune moment to strike back the British 36th Division, which had advanced southward from the Myitkyina area along the Mandalay-Myitkyina railway, have taken to the offensive since the beginning of this month and are now fiercely stabbing back into the mainstay of the British forces in the Mawlu area. The enemy forces have already suffered heavy losses both in men and material. The Nippon counter-thrust was unexpected and the British defenders are fast collapsing everywhere, while the Nippon forces are thrusting forward with terrific punches.

The significance of this battle lies in the fact that this is the first major counter-attack by the Nippon forces against the British since they appeared in the northern Burma area, and the defeat of the British in this counter-thrust will not only mean an irretrievable setback for the British 36th Division which had so far been allowed to advance southward, but its effect will be far-reaching among Chungking and American forces in the northern Burma and Yunnan sectors.

Philippines campaign and warned the American public to be prepared for considerable damage and casualties in the future.

## NEW MEMBER-IN-CHARGE OF I.I.L. WOMEN'S SECTION HERE

The Committee of the Women's Section of the Syonan Branch of the Indian Independence League could not have done better than elect at its recent meeting Mrs. Krishna Gouri Jumaldas as Member-in-Charge in place of Mrs. M. K. Chidambaram who has been called by Netaji to Burma on special duty.

Mrs. Jumaldas has associated herself closely with the various activities of the Women's Section since its inception and was a great asset to the organisers of that section.

She is well known for her readiness with which she responded and is still responding to the numerous calls for funds for social, political and philanthropic works, and the honour now conferred upon her

## Three Enemy Transports Sunk & Four Set On Fire Off Tacloban; Supply Depot & Airbase Blasted

### Grim, Costly & Long War Ahead In Pacific Zone

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—Admiral Ernest J. King, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Fleet and Chief of Naval Operations, in a statement made at Chicago, today warned the American people that they must be prepared for a grim, costly protracted struggle in the Pacific theatre and that optimistic speculations about the early end of the Pacific conflict were completely unfounded, according to a dispatch received here.

"Within the past year, our mobile land, sea and air forces have carried the Battle of the Pacific some 3,000 miles westward from the Gilberts to the Philippines," Admiral King said. "But," he strongly warned, "there is no easy way to victory in the Pacific even after the European war is over."

He declared that the Philippines operations have cost the United States a huge quantity of warships, transports, aircraft and ammunition so far, but this amount is nothing compared to what the country must spend in future for additional arms.

"Our enterprise in the Pacific will, indeed, be confronted with increased difficulties", Admiral King lamented.

Contrary to bombastic remarks and optimism by American propagandists, Hanson Baldwin, New York Times war correspondent, predicted innumerable difficulties in the

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### DaiHonyei Reveals Result Of Daring Attacks By "Kamikaze" Corps

Tokyo, Nov. 20 (Domei)—Dai Honyei announced at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon as follows:

"Firstly, the Kamikaze Special Attack Corps on November 18 attacked a group of enemy transports off Tacloban and sank three large-sized transports.

"Secondly, our air force on the two days Nov. 17 and Nov. 18 attacked a group of enemy transports off Tacloban and damaged and set ablaze four ships, and at the same time raided the enemy supply depot in the vicinity of Tacloban City, and Bureau airfield, setting ablaze more than five places."

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—Excellent equipped Nipponese soldiers are taking an unprecedentedly heavy toll of American lives in Leyte, declared Frank Robertson, International News correspondent, now with a United States infantry unit in the island, according to a San Francisco broadcast.

Quoting the commanders with whom he has spoken in different sectors, the correspondent said the United States forces are now fighting far better Nipponese soldiers than they met at New Guinea, New Britain, or even in the Solomons campaign.

"Stubbornly holding their ground, the excellently equipped and well fed Nipponese soldiers are taking a substantial toll of Americans who are trying to inch their way toward enemy positions," he declared, adding that the losses in the present operations have been much heavier than in actions anywhere previously in the Pacific.

Other correspondents, though not ostensibly pessimistic, warn the Americans against taking optimistic views pointing out that renewed Nipponese offensives may be expected at any moment, and that the morale of the Nipponese soldiers, fighting under the personal command of General Yamashita, is at its peak.

## 2 Foe Cruisers Sunk East Of Luzon Waters

A Nippon Base in the Philippines, Nov. 20 (Domei)—The Nippon air force on the night of November 19 intercepted and assaulted an enemy task force in waters east of Luzon Island, and accounted for two cruisers sunk and one large aircraft-carrier and one battleship set ablaze. The attack is being continued at present and the war results are expected to be expanded.



Mrs. Krishna Gouri Jumaldas

as the head of the Women's Section is well-merited.

## Americans Launch Heavy Attacks On Aachen War Front

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—On the fourth day of the third battle for Aachen, the focal point of the fighting shifted to the left wing of the American First and Ninth armies, front-line dispatches said. The enemy left wing in this large-scale offensive was able to gain some ground in the region north of Aachen after having sent forward wave after wave of troops, Berlin dispatches said.

The United States Ninth Army, after it had been brought up from the south, penetrated into the German main fighting line and captured Geilenkirchen, 12 miles north of Aachen, after grim fighting, and the enemy's attack continues in the direction north-east, German reports said.

Anti-Axis dispatches from Paris said that American and British troops are now seven miles beyond the German border in their drive toward the Rhineland. They added that the Germans were throwing in all artillery, tanks, and other equipment they could muster for a showdown fight. Further north in the south-eastern tip of Holland, British troops yesterday again attacked the German bridgehead at Roermond on the Meuse in a thrust aimed at the Rhenish industrial area. However, they suffered heavy losses without making any headway. To the south the American Third Army fought its way into the German-French stronghold of Metz. Frontline dispatches to Berlin said that fighting is now raging in the southern outskirts of Metz.

## Alagappan & Thivy To Address Johore Indians

Added significance will be lent to this month's observance today of the Azad Hind Day, as it will coincide with the visit of Lieut.-Col. S. C. Alagappan, Minister of Supplies in the Provisional Government of Azad Hind, and Sri J. A. Thivy, Vice-President of the I.I.L., East Asia, who are now touring the important States of Malai on the instructions of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose.

Both the visitors are scheduled to address a mass meeting, which will be held this evening in the League Padang.

## October P. O. Savings Pass \$12 Million Mark

Kuala Lumpur, Nov. 19 (Domei)—Post Office Savings Bank deposits throughout Malai today have passed the \$12,000,000 mark. There has been such a good response to the thrift campaign recently sponsored by the Post Office authorities so much so that it is confidently predicted by official circles that the time is not far distant when "every Malayan family will possess a Savings Bank pass book," states an official announcement on postal savings released today.

The statement reveals that with Malayan deposits surpassing the \$12-million mark, the total number of depositors registered in the P.O. Savings Bank today stands at 350,362.

## Provisional Government Of Azad Hind And Netaji

By R. RAMALINGAM

(The following essay was awarded the First Prize in the recent Literary Contest sponsored by the Indo Sinbun Sha and held in commemoration of the First Anniversary of the Provisional Government of Azad Hind.—Ed.)

A man of iron will and determination, relentlessly pursuing his life's mission of emancipating his Motherland, Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose came to Syonan on July 2, 2603, to lead his people into the final struggle for Freedom and to Victory. Thanks to Nippon, the lightning successes scored against the British made the Indian Independence Movement a powerful organization in East Asia. The man of destiny, the accepted leader of the hour was duly elected by the delegates of the Movement as the President and Netaji. Simultaneously Netaji also became Supreme Commander of the Azad Hind Fauj.

The people's implicit faith in Netaji brought unprecedented response to his call for "Total Mobilization." Men and materials poured in. Netaji immediately reorganized and expanded the Army and the League. He gave the war slogan "On to Delhi," to the Army. In return for "Total Mobilization" Netaji promised to open a real Second Front in the Indian struggle.

Within three months the troops started moving forward towards Burma for action. Then Netaji made the historic Proclamation of the Provisional Government of Azad Hind on October 21, 2603, and our Government declared war on Britain and America. The Azad Hind Government was formally recognized by nine friendly Powers and became the pride and strength of the Army. Our struggle for the first time became recognized and supported by a large world public, gained international importance.

As our representative, Netaji attended the Dai Toa Conference on

November 6, 2603, as observer. The Nippon Government's magnanimous decision to hand over the Andamans and Nicobars to our Government was proclaimed in this Conference by the then Premier General Tojo. The possession of territory increased the prestige and status of the Azad Hind Government.

Thus, within six months Netaji had so perfected and organized the whole revolutionary movement that the Government had to be moved to Burma for starting operations. Duly in January 2604 the Headquarters was established in Burma with the support and help of the Independent Burmese Government.

Very soon in February Netaji fulfilled his pledge by opening the promised Second Front. Our Army went into action and continued the fight into our sacred Motherland defeating the enemy in several sectors. We have cheerfully shed "Blood, the Price of Freedom" and shall shed more blood until victory. That is the thought pervading the Army today under Netaji.

Since then, events have advanced much further. The Azad Hind Bank has been opened and is handling the finances of the Government. Thus under the able leadership of Netaji the Azad Hind Government has, in addition to legal, political and military status, also a financial standing in the Comity of Nations.

Through the strengthening of the Azad Hind Government, Netaji has given us a 'de facto' free citizenship and the motive-power to establish this Government of our people by our people in Delhi, the revered metropolis of India. Netaji says, "Give me Blood—and I promise you Freedom." We shall give Blood in plenty so that India may soon be Free and our Provisional Government of Azad Hind give place to the Permanent Azad Hind Government—Netaji Zindabad! Azad Hind Zindabad!

## Nippon's China Drive "Clipped The Wings" Of U.S. Air Force

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—The 'New York Times', in an editorial today on the fighting in Kwangsi Province, frankly admitted that Nippon's sensational smashing offensive in Eastern China at last has "clipped the wings" of Major-General Claire Chennault's 14th American Air Force in China, compelling the Americans to pull back solely on Super Fortress attacks in the future, according to a New York dispatch.

The editorial said "it is a bitter thing" for the Americans to bomb and blast the airbases now in Nipponese hands which were built and expanded "into a real threat" after "incredible effort" with Chungking labour and American material.

However, "swept back in the ebb of military collapse which they did not share and could not check, they have finally been driven from Eastern China," the 'New York Times' declared, hinting strongly that the inability of the Chungking armies to stop Nippon's advance was responsible for the U.S. 14th Air Force's present predicament.

The editorial recognized that Nipponese military strategy aimed at wresting American airbases in China was well-planned and timely, stating, "It was largely the dread of what the 14th Air Force might eventually accomplish that launched the double-headed Nipponese drive which cut China in two."

Expelled from Eastern China, Chennault's airmen "must now base themselves mainly on Kunming in Yunnan, nearly 500 miles farther west," the journal said, declaring that the B-29 has now become the only air weapon that the Americans can use to harass Nipponese operations.

## 5,701 Foe Casualties On Leyte Admitted

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—General Douglas MacArthur's Headquarters today admitted that the American invasion forces have incurred a total of 5,701 casualties since the landing on Leyte Island, according to a dispatch received here. MacArthur's communique revealed that the casualties include 1,143 killed, 4,432 wounded and 126 missing.

## 800 Canadian Vessels Lost In Greek Landing

Lisbon, Nov. 19 (Domei)—Approximately 800 Canadian vessels of the Royal Canadian Fleet, including combat ships, were lost during the anti-Axis invasion of Greece, according to the Columbia Broadcasting Company war correspondent's message received here today.

## Germans Plan Rocket Bomb Naval Offensive

Lisbon, Nov. 20 (Domei)—Rumours strongly prevail that the Germans are now massing a substantial fleet of both submarines and special light surface craft specially fitted with rocket-launching apparatus with the object of embarking on a flying-bomb naval offensive extending to the eastern coast of the United States, according to a Reuter's message from London today.

Though such rumours are normally regarded in London with the greatest caution, the fact that a warning recently was issued in the United States against the possibility of robot attacks against America itself gives greater credence than usual to the current stories which are linked with the many dark hints recently made by German naval commanders and commentators about the coming recrudescence of naval activity, the dispatch said.

## Six Enemy Submarines Sunk In Nippon Waters

Tokyo, Nov. 19 (Domei)—Our anti-submarine force sank six enemy submarines in a two-day period from November 17 to 18 in waters near Nippon. The number of enemy under-sea craft bagged were two on November 17 and four on November 18.

Especially noteworthy is the fact that one enemy submarine was sunk by a 90-ton Nippon small patrol boat. The patrol boat was subjected to a gunfire attack from the enemy submarine but succeeded in sinking it by means of depth charges.

## Coveted Promotion To Four Police Inspectors

Four Police Inspectors of the Syonan Police Force, Messrs. Mohamed Amin bin Jamil, Sardar Singh, Ee Sim Mong and Ahmad bin Hussein, have been promoted to the rank of Keishi (Superintendent).

This is the second time when local Police Inspectors have earned promotion as Keishi at the hands of the Nippon Military Administration for meritorious service in the Police Department.

This was revealed in a statement made to the Press by the Keimubu-ka Cho (Chief of Police Department) at a Tokubetu-si Press Conference yesterday afternoon.

The promotions which are made retrospective from October 31st last are highly coveted posts in the Nippon Constabulary Service and it takes generally thirty years for a Nippon Police Inspector to earn promotion as a Keishi, it was pointed out.

## Coconut Oil For Castor Plant Seeds

The Tozan Sangyo K.K., which has its offices on 2nd Floor, Meyer Chambers, Syonan, will be glad to buy castor seeds at the rate of 46 cents per katty or in exchange give three quarter katty of coconut oil.

Those who wish to supply seeds in exchange for oil must provide their own containers to receive the oil.

### NOTICE

To celebrate the Azad Hind Day today 21st November, 2604, a mass meeting of all Indians in Syonan will be held at the Indian Independence League premises, Waterloo Street, at 6.30 p.m.

All Indians must hoist the tricolour and the Hinomaru Flags in all Business and Residential Places and attend the Mass Meeting.

## AZAD HIND DAY Programme Of Celebration For The Azad Hind Day Today

To celebrate the Azad Hind Day, a mass meeting of all Indians in Syonan will be held today, 21st, November 2604, in the Indian Independence League premises, Waterloo Street at 6.30 p.m.

### PROGRAMME

- 6.30 p.m. Lt.-Col. G. Q. Gilani arrives.
- 6.32 .. Singing of the National Anthem.
- 6.35 .. Speech by Lt.-Col. G. Q. Gilani.
- 7.00 .. Speech in Tamil by Sri M. R. S. Naidu.
- 7.10 .. Speech in Hindustani by Sri G. Maganlal.

Prize distribution by Lt.-Col. G. Q. Gilani to the prize winners of the Literary Essay Competition sponsored by the Indo Sinbun Sha in commemoration of the First Anniversary of the Provisional Government of Azad Hind.

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