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Britishers' "Burden"
IN a bitter attack on Beverley Nichols' book, "Verdict On India," the famous Indian author Krishna Lal Sridharani has exposed British policy in India as well as the unscrupulous methods of British propaganda.

Ever since then more and more scurrilous Indian books have been published by or at the instigation of the British authorities painting India and Indians in most lurid colours.

As Sridharani points out, Beverley Nichols does nothing but re-echo the usual anti-Indian propaganda of the British authorities, stressing upon the so-called communal problem.

Nichols' book is a long song on the old theme of the Britishers' "burden" in India. The theory of the "White Man's burden" has long ago been discredited, but the British and their American allies have not given up the claim that they have a great burden to bear in Asia.

Well, the British who have fattened on India's blood, will soon be relieved of their great "burden" when the Azad Hind Fauj launches its next and most powerful offensive and kicks the British tyrants out of India.

Nipponese Army Gains Upperhand In Leyte Sector

Foe Twentyfourth Division Isolated; Confronts With Danger Of Annihilation

Manila, Nov. 18 (Domei)—With the failure of the enemy to push forward from Carigara to the Ormok sector along the western coast of Leyte Island, the Nippon forces have gained the upperhand in the battle now raging on the island.

Fighting is now continuing between the Nippon forces in the vicinity of Managmas, commanding the narrow coastal road extending from Carigara to Pinanpoan, and the enemy troops who are desperately attempting to keep their route of retreat open.

Lisbon, Nov. 18 (Domei)—A "New York Herald Tribune" war correspondent, in a dispatch from the Leyte battlefield on November 15, reported that American troops battling in mountainous jungle terrain regard with the deepest fear, and justly so, the fierce Nipponese infantry charges hurled against them with terrible fury.

DEPLORABLE CONDITION OF INDIA'S MASSES REVEALED; ANTI-BR. REVOLT SPREADING

Mud-Slinging Against India Again "Verdict On India" Author Slashed

The colossal extent of the British loot and plunder of India's wealth and other resources, the appalling state of the Indian masses who are stricken by the British-made famine and epidemics and the virtual paralysation of the Anglo-American war efforts in India as a result of the strike and sabotage activities of the Indian nationalists, are all revealed in the latest reports received here from India.

According to an item of news from New Delhi on Saturday night, the British Government has, during the past five months of the financial year 1944-45, spent the colossal amount of 126 crores of rupees for the so-called Defence of India.

Meanwhile, the tragic state and terrible conditions prevailing among the masses all over India have been revealed by the members of a medical delegation touring India to study the health problems of the country. Epidemics of cholera, dysentery and other diseases are raging throughout the country.

Infuriated by the inhuman policy of the British authorities,

Leaders of the various parties in India are continuing their efforts to consolidate the all-India front against the British. According to a New Delhi report last Saturday, the Standing Committee of the Non-Party Leaders' Conference met in New Delhi on Friday.

Meanwhile, in a bitter attack on Beverley Nichols' book "Verdict On India", the famous Indian author, Krishna Lal Sridharani, has clearly exposed British policy in India.

Referring to the theory of the 'White Man's burden' which Nichols has emphasised throughout his malicious book, Sridharani pertinently asks: If India is such a terrible burden to the Britishers, why does Winston Churchill emphatically declare that he does not want to liquidate the British Empire?

the Indian masses are rising in open revolt all over the country. Strikes and sabotages have increased in intensity, seriously threatening to paralyse the Anglo-American war efforts.

American Pacific Fleet Crippled Off Taiwan, P.I.

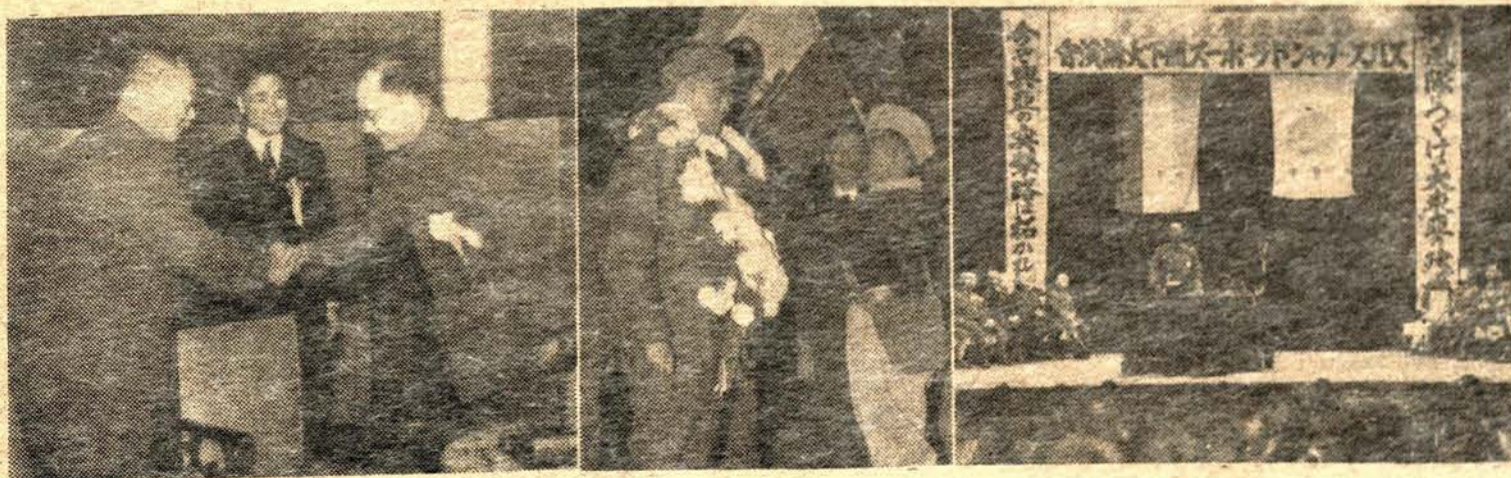
139 Warcraft Either Sunk Or Heavily Damaged In Sea And Air Battles

Stockholm, Nov. 18 (Domei)—The United States navy suffered a total of 159 warcraft either sunk or heavily damaged in waters off Taiwan and the Philippines during the 22-day period between October 12 and November 3, according to reliable information available here today.

According to this information, United States warcraft listed as sunk are as follows: firstly, battleships—one of the Washington class, one of the California class, one of the Colorado class, and one of the South Dakota class. Secondly, aircraft-carriers—three of the Ranger Class, three of the Wasp class, two of the Enterprise class, and 11 converted carriers of the platform type.

The same information listed the following United States warcraft as heavily damaged: firstly, battleships—two of the New York class, one of the Nevada class, one of the New Mexico class, one of the Arizona

NETAJI'S THIRD HISTORIC VISIT TO NIPPON



Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose was given a rousing reception on his arrival at Haneda Airport on Nov. 1 to confer with the Nippon Government and Military authorities with a view to closer co-operation between the Azad Hind Government and the Government of Nippon. Photos show, centre, an Indian student garlanding Netaji; right, Netaji addressing a crowded meeting at Hibiya Hall on November 3; left, Premier Gen. Koiso receiving Netaji with a hearty handshake.

American Gamble To Disguise Disaster

The glorious Nippon victory over the Americans off Taiwan have been duly and appropriately celebrated both alike by Nippon-jin and other peoples in Dai Toa, and it is interesting to observe the reaction of the victims, namely, the Roosevelt clique of war-mongers in America. Obviously the Americans had anticipated the most fruitful results from their Taiwan operations, which have actually turned out to be an inglorious misadventure, equal to, if not more disgraceful than the disorderly and inglorious British evacuation of Dunkirk four years ago.

The American authorities delayed the announcement of their Taiwan defeat till after 24 hours of the fact being established, quite contrary to their habit of simultaneous or even premature announcements when their planes raided certain parts of the Nippon mainland a couple of months ago. This deliberate delay of the announcement is clear-cut proof that the Roosevelt administration considered it unwise to admit a disastrous defeat in view of the American presidential elections scheduled to take place in the first week of November. The whole of America realises that Roosevelt is determined to remain in the White House for the fourth consecutive term, thereby creating a record for his morbid personal aggrandisement. A defeat announced to the American public without some diversionary compensation, no matter how futile and short-lived, will arouse the voters against him. For this reason the American fleet was despatched hastily to the Philippines and the American radio has been loud in proclaiming the American landing at Leyte.

Another great fear which haunts the American administration is the steadily decreasing munition production throughout the United States. The unsuaged statement of the American defeat off Taiwan involving the loss of 57 warships and 900 planes, besides 30,000 fully trained officers and men, would demoralise the munition workers to such an extent that production would be irrevocably impaired.

It is, therefore, clear that the American landing at Leyte, is merely carried in total desperation to hide the terrible defeat that the U.S. Navy had sustained off Taiwan. If, in spite of long preparations the Americans could be wibed out so decisively near Taiwan, it is logical to anticipate a total annihilation of the Americans in their adventure on an island in the Philippines in the near future.

Nippon Air Units Raid & Blast Morotai Base

A Nippon Base at the Southern Front, November 17 (Domei).—Nippon air units yesterday raided the enemy airfield at Morotai and blasted airfield facilities at three points, at one of which huge explosions repeatedly took place. In this raid Nippon planes encountered fierce enemy anti-aircraft fire. However, all our raiders returned to their base safely.

Germans Check Enemy Advance In Aachen Area

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—Preceded by heavy air attacks the "third battle of Aachen" got under way yesterday on a front between Geilenkirchen and the Huertgen forest but the bulk of the attacking Anglo-American forces was checked by the heaviest German defensive fire, according to Berlin dispatches. The German High Command communique, however, admitted that the Americans penetrated into some of the German positions east of Geilenkirchen and near Stolberg, respectively west and south-west of Cologne. The German communique added that within a few hours the Americans lost 39 tanks in a small area in this fighting.

Around Metz the United States Third Army continued strong concentrated attacks without achieving any essential successes, the German High Command announced. On the American left flank, the British Second Army in Holland occupied Wassum on the Maas River, below Roermond and Buggenum, three miles north of Roermond, anti-Axis reports said. Berlin military experts, meanwhile, opined that a new enemy offensive will be on the anti-Axis left wing in a renewed effort to thrust into northern Germany. In the southern part of the Belfort Gap, in the extreme southern wing of the Western Front, enemy formations crossed the Doubs River towards the north and were engaged in violent fighting on both sides of the river with German troops which were counter-attacking continuously, frontline dispatches to Berlin said. The Greater London area and Antwerp were again subjected to V-1 and V-2 fire yesterday, the German communique said.

73,715 American Navy Casualties To Date

Lisbon, Nov. 18 (Domei).—Casualties reported to date by the United States Navy Department in the navy, marine corps and coast guard totalled 73,715, of which 29,049 were reported dead, 30,931 wounded, 9,249 missing and 4,486 taken prisoner, according to a Washington dispatch received here today.

British Premier Makes Pathetic Appeal To Jews

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—British Prime Minister Winston Churchill, in a statement in the House of Commons today about the assassination of Lord Moyne, British Resident Minister in the Middle East, strongly appealed to the Jews to extend their wholehearted support in bringing an end to Jewish terroristic activities against British rule in Palestine.

Emphasizing the seriousness of the situation in Palestine, the British Prime Minister warned, "If there is to be any hope of a peaceful and successful future for Zionism, these wicked activities must cease and those responsible for them must be destroyed, root and branch."

In the course of his report, Churchill indicated that British authorities in Palestine are co-operating under nerve-straining conditions. He said that the Palestine police has been carrying out its duty "in the midst of constant danger."

As already revealed by the British Government, a large number of persons suspected of terroristic activities have been arrested, and on October 19, particularly, 251 persons were deported from the country, where their presence with the possibility of large-scale attempts at rescue only led to increased insecurity," Churchill declared.

The British Prime Minister said that Government has appealed to various Jewish organizations to use their influence in terminating Jewish terroristic activities.

Brigadier Gen. Easley Wounded In Leyte

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—An Associated Press dispatch from MacArthur's headquarters on Leyte Island said that a Nippon Sniper wounded Brigadier-General Claudius Easley, assistant commander of the 96th Division.

General Easley was tramping through the frontline positions when he was struck, the dispatch said.

Br. Air Chief Marshal Leigh-Mallory Missing

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—The British Air Ministry announced that air chief Marshal Sir Trafford Leigh-Mallory, who last month was named chief of the South-East Asia Air Command, is missing, a London dispatch said.

He was formerly Commander-in-Chief of the anti-Axis expeditionary air force in the Western European invasion. He was reported missing since November 14 with his wife while en route to Kandy.

Azad Hind Day Mass Rally Tomorrow Nov 21

Azad Hind Day which falls tomorrow, November 21, will be observed at the Indian Independence League premises at Waterloo Street tomorrow at 6.30 p.m. when a mass meeting of Indians will be held under the presidency of Lt.-Col. G. Q. Gilani.

The meeting will commence as usual with the singing of National Anthem and speeches will be delivered by Lt.-Col. Gilani, Sri. M. R. S. Naidu in Tamil and Sri. G. Maganlal in Hindustani.

The awards in the recent Essay Competition, sponsored by the Indo-Sinbun Sha in commemoration of the first anniversary of the Provisional Government of Azad Hind, will be given away at the close of the meeting and all local prize winners are requested to turn up to receive their prizes.

Nippon Forces Launch Attack Near Mawlu

A Nippon Base in Northern Burma, November 18 (Domei).—Nippon forces are heavily counter-attacking the British 36th Division which had taken up position near Mawlu, located about 25 kilometres north of Katha.

American Pacific Fleet Crippled Off Taiwan

(Continued from previous page) class, one of the Pennsylvania class, one of the Mississippi class, and three of the South Dakota class. Secondly, aircraft-carriers—three of the Enterprise class, two of the Ranger class, two of the Wasp class, two of the Saratoga class, and eight converted carriers of the platform type. Thirdly, cruisers—one of the Astoria class, one of the San Francisco class, one of the Wichita class, one of the Concord class, one of the Brooklyn class, two others of unidentified type. Fourthly, warcraft of other categories—four destroyers, three torpedo-boats of the N type, another of unidentified type, two supply ships, one repair ship, eight cargo ships of the Liberty type and 30 others. Total, 84 heavily damaged.

Dy. Supreme Anti-Axis Commander E. Asia

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—Lieut.-General Raymond A. Wheeler of the United States Army has been appointed "Deputy Supreme Allied Commander in South-East Asia", according to a Reuter's message from Kandy, Ceylon, today.

Wheeler will also act as principal administrative officer in command of the United States section of the South-East Asia Command and be senior American officer in the South-East Asia Command responsible for lend-lease to all anti-Axis forces in that theatre.

Over 129,000 Indian Army Casualties

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—The total casualties suffered by the Indian Army up to last September were 129,749, declared General Claude Auchinleck before the Council of State today, a New Delhi dispatch reveals.

Of this number, 15,115 were killed, 29,275 were wounded, 11,556 missing and 73,803 were taken prisoner.

Indian Navy casualties comprised 65 killed and 74 wounded while those of the air force were 60 killed and 349 wounded, the report adds.

Belgian Government Facing Grave Crisis

Lisbon, Nov. 17 (Domei).—The resignation of two Communist Ministers and another Minister representing the resistance movement has confronted the anti-Axis-sponsored Belgian Government with a serious crisis, according to a Reuter's dispatch from Brussels.

Street demonstrations have broken out against the Government's handling of various measures, including the demobilization of the Belgian army of resistance, the report said.

NOTICE

To celebrate the Azad Hind Day that falls on Tuesday, 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.

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AZAD HIND DAY Programme Of Celebration For The Azad Hind Day 21st. November 2604

To celebrate the Azad Hind Day, a mass meeting of all Indians in Syonan will be held on Tuesday, 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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