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EDITORIALS

BEGINNING TO FEEL IT

Already we are beginning to feel the cost of the war. Employers have to deduct two per cent from all wage payments as one of the extra taxes under the new budget.

In Alberni, where there is considerable activity, they are planning to do away with soliciting for war activities. It is evident that such a plan would not work in Prince Rupert because so many of the people are in business for themselves. Hundreds of fishermen would not be included in the levy.

Various plans have been suggested for raising money, both for what are usually known as war charities and also for taking up war loans. Compulsory purchase of war certificates is one of the plans suggested.

BIG THINGS ELIMINATE SMALL

At a time like this when the country is at war it is wonderful how people forget to worry about little things such as mosquitos which ordinarily worry those who are holidaying. With some of our boys using machine guns shooting down German planes and with others taking part in naval actions or otherwise engaged in war service, mosquitos do not matter. They are a minor worry or perhaps really not a worry at all.

WILL GIBRALTAR BE NEXT?

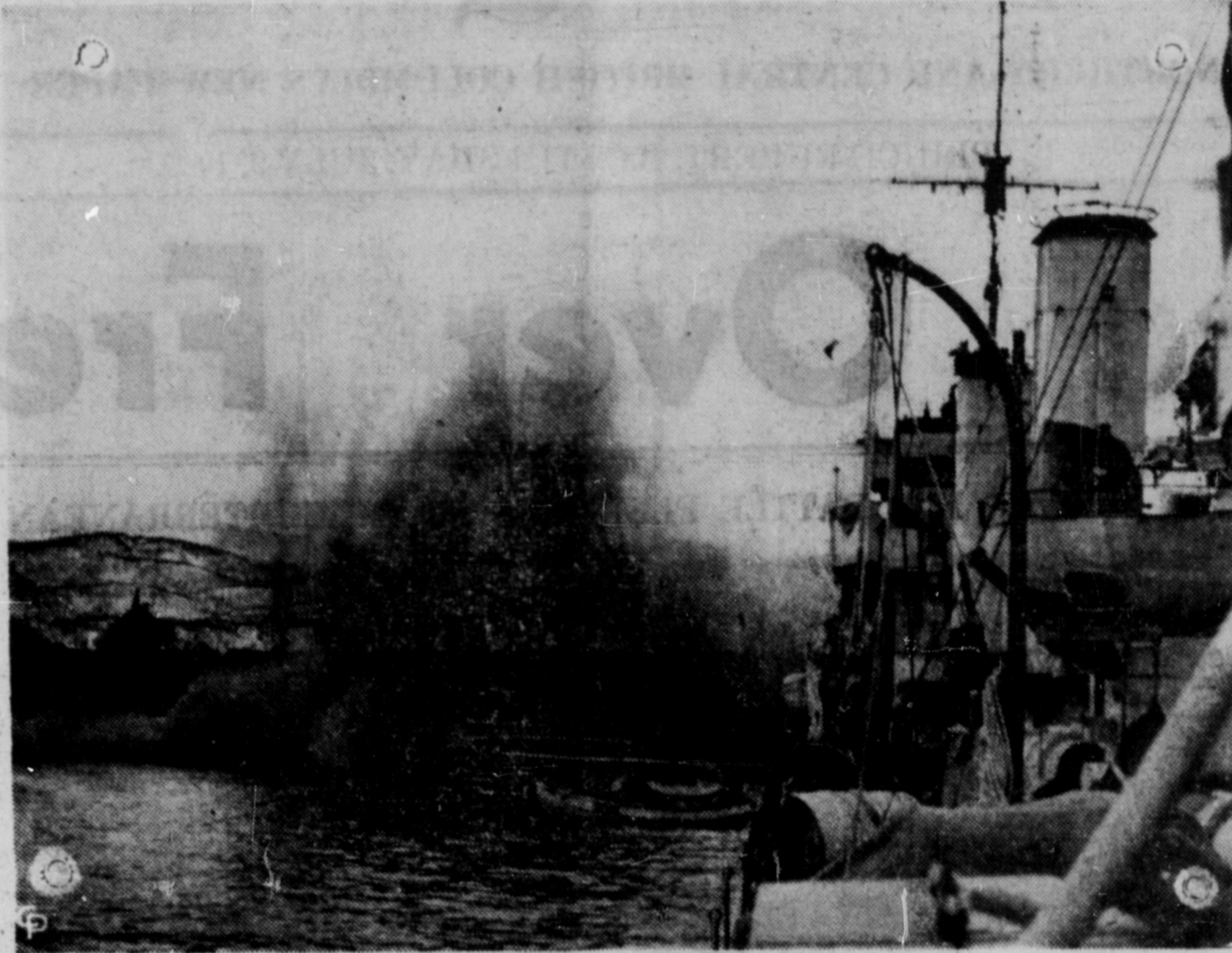
Some people think Gibraltar will be the next objective of the enemy in the hope that if it is taken it may free the Italian fleet now more or less bottled up behind fortifications. If the Germans had the aid of the Italian fleet in the invasion of Great Britain it would simplify matters somewhat. So far, however, we have heard very little of that "wonderfully efficient" part of the Italian war service. It was supposed to be kept in place by the French fleet but that fleet is not very effective just now. Yet the Italian warships do not come out. However, there is still hope.

FOUR YEARS IN PRISON

If General de Gaulle should decide to return to France while the Germans are in control there, he will have to serve a prison sentence of four years meted out by French court recently. The startling feature of this sentence is that it is so light. While there is little chance of the general returning until the Germans are defeated, the probability is that, once he landed in prison, he would never get out alive.

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WHEN NAZIS ALMOST SCORED A HIT



An alert photographer aboard the British destroyer, Ardent, caught this explosion as a bomb dropped close to the ship during the naval and aerial action off the Norwegian coast at Harstad. The Ardent was sunk off Norway.

TODAY'S STOCKS

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- Minto, .01 1/4 (ask).
- Pend Orelle, 1.17.
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- Privateer, .42.
- Reeves McDonald, 25 (ask).
- Reno, .10.
- Relief Arlington, .04 1/4.
- Salmon Gold, .02.
- Sheep Creek, .75.
- Cariboo Hudson, .01 1/2.

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- Calmont, 28 (ask).
- C. & E., 1.26.
- Freehold, .02 (ask).
- Home, 1.55.
- Pacalta, .03.
- Royal Canadian, .15 (ask).
- Okalta, .70.
- Mercury, .03 1/2.
- Prairie Royalities, .15 (ask).

Toronto

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- Beattie, .69.
- Central Pat., 1.50.
- Cons. Smelters, 32.00.
- East Malartic, 2.21.
- Fernland, .03 (ask).
- Franceour, .13 (bid).
- Gods Lake, 28.
- Hardrock, .57.
- Int. Nickel, 31 1/4.
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- McLeod Cockshutt, 1.10.
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- Moneta, .37.
- Noranda, 43.00.
- Pickle Crow, 2.16.
- Preston East Dome, 1.40.
- San Antonio, 1.45.
- Sherritt Gordon, .55.
- Uchi, .28.
- Bouscadillac, .02.
- Smelters Gold, .00 1/4.
- Dominion-Bridge, 22 1/2 (bid).

ENLIST AT SMITHERS

Recruiting Meets With Good Response at Interior Town

SMITHERS, June 9.—Capt. J. T. Harvey, accompanied by Sergt. Major W. M. Brown and Gunner Michael McCaffery of Prince Rupert, arrived in Smithers on Thursday morning last on a recruiting trip. Capt. Harvey immediately opened office in the Legion Building and sent for the medical board which arrived here on Saturday morning. Quite a large number of young men are applying for enlistment in the overseas forces and a number of veterans for the Home Guards so that the staff has been kept busy.

Many of the veterans find that they can not now qualify for the Home Guards, the matter of age being the chief obstacle to them.

It is quite generally felt that a large number of veterans who are still below 55 years could serve in the Home Guards satisfactorily enough and that the age of 50 years is too restricted and is keeping out a large number of veterans who are anxious to serve and who could

CONFERRING IN BERLIN

Count Ciano Of Italy Sees Hitler And Von Ribbentrop

BERLIN, July 9.—Italian Foreign Minister Ciano arrived in Berlin shortly before noon Sunday and was met by Chancellor Adolf Hitler and Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop with whom he soon went into conference. The exact nature of the discussions was not announced but it was supposed they had to do with the expected attempt to invade Great Britain and Nazi-Fascist plans for the future of Europe. Tension in southeast Europe is also believed to have been discussed.

Later Ciano left to visit scenes of western front battles in Holland, Belgium and France.

He is expected back in Berlin Wednesday. Reuters quoted a German newspaper correspondent in Rome as saying plans for an offensive against Britain were discussed at Berlin at the meeting of Hitler and Foreign Minister Count Ciano of Italy.

PRODUCTION IS DOUBLED

Twice as Many Airplanes Turned Out in Britain This June as Year Ago

LONDON, July 9.—Lord Beaverbrook, minister of aircraft production, announced that the output of airplanes in Great Britain this June was double that of the same month last year.

Torpedo Report Cause Of Scare

United States Navy Department Had Anxious Couple of Hours

NEW YORK, July 9.—The U.S. Navy Department spent two anxious hours on Sunday over the report of the torpedoing of the United States destroyer Barry off the coast of Spain.

Mackay radio picked up the message which said the Barry was sinking 400 miles off the coast of Spain. The navy checked it and later announced it had connected directly with the Barry which was "peacefully at anchor." There is speculation whether the incident was a prank or had some sinister force behind it and whether an investigation would be held.

quality in every other way. The recruits left here on Tuesday's train for Prince Rupert to start training.

Good Response Elsewhere
Major R. L. Gale, who is recruiting officer for the district from Burns Lake to McBride and to Williams Lake, is on a short visit to his family in Smithers. He states that he has had very good success in obtaining men for the army and in the last week of June he enrolled about 150 men. His board is in Burns Lake today.

An interesting visitor in the city at the week-end as far as the sports public is concerned was Andy Blair, noted professional hockey player and for years a prominent member of the Toronto Maple Leafs club. Blair had been on a week's visit to Stewart on business in connection with a manufacturing concern which he represents and was here Saturday on the Prince George going south.

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