### Weather Foreco

Prince Rupert District and Quec Charlotte Islands-Light to moderate south to southwest winds, cloudy and mild with intermittent light rain, decreasing to light

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# War News

### MAY BOMBING CASUALTIES

LONDON-Nazi air raiders killed 5,394 persons in Britain during May and wounded 5,818, the Home Security ministry announced. April figures were 6,065 killed and 6,926 wounded.

### NAZIS HUNT HOLES

BERLIN-Berlin district air defence command advised the capital's inhabitants to go to air raid cellars immediately when sirens sound because of the "enemy's new type weapon has a severe effect." Apparently, this is referring to Britain's . new super-bomb.

### TROUBLE IN FINLAND

HELSINKI-The Finnish government last night announced restrictions on travel by foreigners in northern and border districts similar to regulations in force during the Finnish-Russian war and prior to the beginning of German troops transits through northern Finland last fall,

### RUHR IS LASHED AGAIN

LONDON-For the third straight night, British bombers lashed at the Ruhr Valley last night and struck again at Brest where the Nazi battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, as well as a ten thousand ton cruiser, are berthed. Britain's home defences were credited with shooting down at least seven Nazi raiders during the night although raids in Britain were on a small scale. Three more German planes brought down today made the total bag ten for twenty-four hours.

### PENETRATION INCREASED

CAIRO- British and Free French forces in Syria have substantially increased areas of penetration, the British Middle East command announced today, but made no other comment.

### JASPER IS "OVER TOP"

### Mountain Town Makes Fine Showing in Victory Loan Drive

JASPER. June 14:-This little railroad town, nestling in the morning \$29,750 was subscribed ed in Brazil. any conversion bonds.

dian Corps commander of the Great War days, who personally raised the Victory Loan flag five days after The drive opened.

Lady Byng, who is particularly found of the Jasper Mational Park area, having visited here many times with Lord Byng, spent a considerable time here this spring visiting points of familiar interest between Jasper and the Columbia ice field.

### \$265,000 SUBSCRIPTIONS

Victory Loan 1941 subscriptions Thursday in Prince Rupert amounted to \$20,000, bringing the total for the campaign to that night up to \$265,000 out of the objective of \$350,000.

### STARTED SOMETHING

North America that the world fur trade got into its stride.

### would be only a matter of hours. declared an open city for the proforces were reported to have been subjected to bombardment from

Complaint Against Berlin to be reported to be putting up stiff re-Made in Connection With Loss of Robin Hood

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 14.— ward Beirut. heart of the Canadian Rockies, has United States action under intergone to town in a big way in con- national treaty dealing with subnection with Canada's Victory Loan marine warfare to complain to campaign which is now in full Berlin against the sinking by a swing. The original quota was set German torpedo of the steamer at \$17,000 which seemed at the Robin Moore is expected to be taktime a heavy test. Pennants al- en. President Franklin D. Rooseready have been earned with the velt is awaiting the full reports of third expected by tonight. This the survivors who have been land-

and these figures do not include One of eleven survivors from the Robin Moore, which was sunk by The big thrill of the local cam- a German torpedo in the South paign was the appearance of Lady Atlantic, said in Pernambuco that Julian Byng, widow of the Cana- armed German seamen from the attacking submarine occupied the vessel and seized her radio before launching the torpedo which sank her. Ten members of the crew and one passenger of the Robin Moore have been landed at Pernambuco

> by the Brazilian steamer Osirio. The New York Herald-Tribune describes the sinking of the Robin Moore as a "flagrant act of piracy and murder."

# Victory Loan

VICTORY C. ---Lieut. Col. James Ellis Wood .. \$1000

It was not until the discovery of Sons of Norway, Vinland No. 28

Mah Tan, P.O. Box 135

# Radio Program

# VICTORY LOAN Program

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Victory Loan Radio Program, prizes for 7:00 p.m. Listeners SUNDAY, JUNE 15 3:00 p.m. R.M.R. Band Concert, Totem Park Victory Loan Show, Capitol Theatre ..

JUNE 17 8:00 p.m. A.R.P. Demonstration . COMING EVENTS Grand Victory Loan Street Dance and Contest

when Quota is Reached See Poster Exhibition, City Council Chamber Afternoons and Evenings

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* a world's record.

# Enemy

Advance Continues-

PEACEFUL

ENTRY OF

Negotiations For Capitulation

Without Struggle Going On-

Some Resistance In Syria

forces, it was stated yesterday, had

completed encirclement of Damas-

cus and, apparently, were awaiting

outcome of negotiations for peace-

ful occupation of the city, auth-

Today Vichy troops were reported

to have abandoned a town ten

miles south of Damascus, falling

The occupation of Damascus by

Indications were that it would be

tection of its 200,000 population

from bombardment although Allied

making some further progress to-

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .02.

Cariboo Quartz, 2.05.

Fairview, .01 (ask).

Hedley Mascot, .50.

Noble Five, .01 (ask).

Reeves McDonald, .17.

Relief Arlington, .011/2.

Royal Canadian. .061/2.

Mercury, .031/2 (ask).

Central Pat., 1.67.

Cons. Smelters, 33.00.

East Malartic, 2.42.

Fernland, .011/4.

Francoeur, .35.

Hardrock, .68.

Moneta, .33.

Uchi, .08½.

Mosher, .051/2.

Oklend, .031/4.

Smelters Gold, .01.

Noranda, 51.00.

Pickle Crow, 2.60.

San Antonio, 2.45.

Sherritt Gordon, .65.

Gods Lake, .311/2.

Int. Nickel, 30.25.

Kerr Addison, 4.35.

Little Long Lac, 1.72.

McLeod Cockshutt, 1.63.

McKenzie Red Lake, 1.07.

Preston East Dome, 2.96.

Bouscadillac, .02 (ask).

Dominion Bridge, 22.50.

RECORD WHITE SHARK

ADELAIDE. Australia, June 14

(CP)-E. H. V. Riggs, a sheep far-

mer on vacation at the seaside,

caught with rod and line a 1,717

Madsen Red Lake, .55.

Oils

Toronto

Sheep Creek, .78.

A. P. Con., .06.

Calmont, .13.

C. & E., 1.08.

Home, 1.87.

Pacalta, .02.

Okalta, .50A.

Aldermac, .08.

Beattie, 1.06.

Salmon Gold, .001/2.

Pacific Nickel, .04.

Pend Oreille, 1.45.

Bralorne, 9.90.

Dentonia, .01.

Gold Belt, .20.

Minto, .011/4.

Pioneer, 2.15.

Premier, .88.

Privateer, .46.

Reno. .11.

the Allied forces, it was expected

oritative sources reported.

back to new positions.

within the city.

# GERMAN NEEDS OF FATS, OILS URGED DRIVES TO

DAMASCUS Eastern Route the "Oily Route" and Nazis Were Badly & adian bomber squadron of the # in Need of Things Balkans Could Supply

### By HAROLD FAIR

Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, June 14: (CP)—German war strategy in \* day. . LONDON, June 14: (CP)—Nego- the last six months—the drive through the Balkans to Damascus are delaying Allied en- Greece and the Middle East—was dictated by the Nazis' try into the capital of Syria which fear that sometime they might have to face an oil short-is now virtually encircled, Reuters age, an authoritative source suggested. "Hitler chose DISPUTE AT reports from Cairo. Free French to invade Rumania instead of Spain because Spain had no

oil," this source said. "The Eastern route has been the oily route." The Germans gained not only oil in their swift push but also acquired substantial stocks of vital war metals and facilities for improving their metal position in Greece and Yugo-

2. Depletion of German resourc-

es by constant pounding of their

synthetic oil plants by the Royal

the Nazis being forced to fight

3. Reduction in supplies through

Other Necessities

ing supply has been obtained by

some sardines because "it is very

SKILLED LABOR MOVINGS

nourishing to taste something in

were lacking.

• Iler's Friend!

While this authority refrained

\$290,000 SUBSCRIBED from claiming a present shortage Victory Loan subscription in of oil in Germany-although some Prince Rupert on Friday totalled sources have said the Nazis need \$25,000, bringing the aggregate lubricants badly— he listed three to date to \$290,000 out of the obnecessary conditions for the Gerjective of \$350,000. One more week mans to feel the pinch of oil scarremains to raise the remaining 1. British interception of tank-

### ers proceeding to Trieste from the SEARCHLIGHT DRAWING Eastern Mediterranean.

To raise funds for sports equip-In Lebanon the Vichy French are ment, the Second Searchlight Battery has been conducting a raffle sistance which however, has not with the first prize of \$20 in war prevented the Allied forces from savings certificates and the second of \$10. The drawing was conducted in the Canadian Legion Hall heavily with their mechanized yesterday with Lieut. H. G. Ken- equipment. nedy in charge, assisted by H. A. So far the fighting has not been Breen. Gunner C. F. McDougall won the first prize with No. 957 and Olav Anderson the second with 941.

Bulletins

RUSSIA AND GERMANY MOSCOW- Russia said last night that German troops, freed in France and submarine depots. from operations in the Balkans, are moving to eastern and nor- ported to have repaired damage to thern Germany where they face oil plants bombed last autumn and 8.3c. the Russians, but added that "it to have brought several new works must be assumed" the movements into operation, one at least being 8.2c. have no bearing on Russian-Ger- in Sudetenland comparatively safe man relations. A Madrid dis- from British bombing. Therefore patch said that new and exten- British naval control of the Eastsive economic demands by Ger- tern Mediterranean was stressed many on Russia were to be ex- as essential to halt the oil traffic.

OTTAWA- Victory Loan sub- kan conquests. If they are able. scriptions yesterday reached \$37,- however, to reopen copper mines 217,650 after \$35,130,600 on Thurs- destroyed by the Yugoslavs they \$444,905,050. Subscribers for Friday numbered 42,757.

pected.

GERMANY COMPLAINS spokesman said today that the United States naval patrol, as now being carried out, could not be considered as compatible with the duties of a neutral nation.

Premier T. D. Pattullo has accepted an invitation to address a Prince Rupert Gyro Club luncheon on Wednesday next. The Premier is arriving in Prince Rupert on Monday and will proceed to the interior Wednesday.

### Italian And Nazi Assets Are Frozen

WASHINGTON, D.C.; June + 14: (CP)—President Franklin + ♣ D. Roosevelt today ordered ♣ (CP)—More than 350,000 persons to the liquor question. • the immediate freezing of all • in the United States will be "im-• German and Italian assets in • ported" from other areas because • being taken in view of the un- • ander of the labor division of U.S. Rupert General Hospital. + limited national emergency he + production management. · declared recently. pound white shark, believed to be

**Fare** 

BALKANS TOWARD EAST: LONDON, June 14: (CP)-A Royal Air Force under com-4 mand of Wing Commander P. 4 A. Gilchrist of Fort Pelly, Sas-\* katchewan, was announced to- \*

Board of Conciliation Consists of R. O. Campney, T. W. Brown and Rev. C. D. Clarke

OTTAWA, June 14: (CP)—Hon. Norman McLarty, minister of labor, today announced the establishment of a conciliation board to deal with an industrial wage dispute involving the Prince Rupert Dry Dock and Shipyard Co.

R. O. Campney of Vancouver will be chairman with T. W. Brown representing the employers and Rev. C. D. Clarke of Victoria representing the employees.

A wage dispute involving certain classes of workers is the issue at the Prince Rupert dry dock.

### Halibut Sales

### Summary

American-26.000 pounds, 10.8c sufficiently sustained to make a serious drain on Nazi oil supplies, and 8.7c. Canadian-9,000 pounds, 11c and There have been no heavy R.A.F.

8.2c and 11.5c and 8.3c. raids on Nazi oil plants since last American December because of other air-com-Addington, 26,000 pounds, 10.8c mitments-German invasion bases

Canadian Meantime the Germans are re-

Caminata, 4,000 pounds, 11.5c and

V. T. C., 5,000, Booth, 11c and Strafing of Enemy Country in

## The Germans are believed to be short of rubber and copper and

To Victory Loan

day, bringing the total so far to will obtain about 60,000 tons a year. day by the local Victory Loan 1941 ial bombing assault upon Germany committee at the excellent response and German - occupied territory Chromium has been the major which has been received in the across the English Channel is now Nazi metallic gain from the Bal- systematic canvass of local dry in progress. Last night the British kans. Greece and Yugoslavia can dock employees.

them some but much of the exist- so men at the dry dock is \$40.000.

### Britain through her policy of pre- Is Jailed Under emption. Fats are reported scarce for domestic use in Germany. Informa- Canada Defence tion in letters seized from German prisoners during the Lofoten Is- Regulations Act lands raid last March led British Regulations Act sources to reiterate their constant;

son, stationed in Norway, to send His Majesty's Forces.

### WHAT A HOPE!

Movies bankrupted saloons, declar- ers of Germany's whole coal output ed a motion picture magazine in is mined and eighty per cent of its 1912, publishing a cartoon promot- iron and steel industry situated. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 14: ing the idea as "a practical answer The Air Ministry did not mention

the United States. An execu- of their special skills in national of Mr. and Mrs. George Copeland, did not return. ♣ tive order said the action was ♣ defence work, says Dr. W. L. Alex- is quite seriously ill at the Prince

### BASEBALL SCORES

A Man who won't Lend is Hit-National League Brooklyn 0, St. Louis 1.

Birtish Submarines Sink Seven Italian and German Vessels in Mediterranean

LONDON, June 14: (CP)—The Admiralty announced today that British submarines in the Mediterranean had sunk seven enemy vessels and torpedoed three others in far-reaching recent forays which have carried undersea warships even into German and Italian-controlled harbors.

# IMPRESSED

United States Secretary of State Replies to Threat Issued by German Spokesman

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 14: (C.P.)—Under Secretary of State Sumner Welles declared today in discussion of Berlin statements that Americans "have never been impressed by what they regard as bluster or threats."

Mr. Hull made the statement in reply to queries concerning the attitude of the United States on a German spokesman's threat that any ship carrying contraband to Great Britain would be sunk.

Nazi Version of British Attack on Industrial Targets

### Keeping It Up

Fourth Day

LONDON. June 14.—As authori-I tatively reported that British bombers made a heavy attack on industrial targets in the Ruhr Thursday night for the second successive night, Berlin admitted raids, VICTORY LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS gained little copper in their Bal- Fine Response at Local Shipyard saying that residential areas were hit and some civilians killed and injured.

Gratification was expressed to- The fourth day of the great aerbombers again went across. There BERLIN- A German naval provide 100,000 tons annually, It is estimated that the response was another assault upon the inenough to meet 50 per cent of the there amounts to eighty to ninety dustrial area of the Ruhr. where Germans' needs. Turkey, the per cent of the total employee list, new destruction was wrought upon world's largest producer, can give The objective set for the 600 or factories on war industries. The port of Brest was subjected to another attack. It is here that battleships Gneisenau and Scharnhorst and the cruiser Prince Eugen are moored. The British planes also fanned out over Boulogne and

An Air Ministry statement yesterday, describing Thursday night's raids on the enemy territory, said contention that the Germans ex- | Sigvold Grotta was fined \$200, that waves of Royal Air Force perienced such a shortage. One of with option of three months im- bombers swept over Germany's the most frequent subjects in these prisonment under Defence of Ruhr valley during the night in one letters was the complaint that fats Canada Regulations for making of the bomber command's heaviest statements likely to prejudice the attacks of the war, blasting vital One Wiesbaden woman asked her recruiting discipline and training of industrial areas with thousands of tons of high explosives and incendiaries. It was the fiercest raid ever made on the Ruhr where, within NEW YORK, June 14: (CP) - a radius of fifty miles, three-quartany town specifically but dealt with the Ruhr Valley as a whole in the Little Jean Copeland, daughter communique. Six British planes

### HEARD BUT NOT SEEN

More persons have heard owls than have seen them, because most owls are active at night.