Weather Forecast

Light to moderate west to southwest winds, part clo "during the morning and becor FRON in the perature.

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Tomorrow's Tides

(Pacific Standard Time) 9:46 a.m. 15.2 ft. 21:40 p.m. 17.8 ft. 3:16 a.m. 7.4 ft. 14:49 p.m. 10.1 ft.

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Russian War May Last Long Time

War News

RUSSIAN MILITARY SITUATION

LONDON-The Russian military situation in the war with Germany was slightly more cheerful today, according to advices from the Soviet. The Red Army, it was claimed, was generally in control of the situation although the position in the Ukraine was far from stabilized, obviously continuing to deteriorate there. "There have been a certain number of German successes," said one advice from Moscow, but the Russians had succeeded in getting the most of their retreating forces across the Dneiper River to set up a new and strong line of defence there.

BRITAIN'S POSITION BETTER

LONDON-Great Britain's position in the Battle of the Atlantic is "very much better" than in early summer because of widening operations against German submarines and valuable assistance from the United States, authoritative sources declared today.

CORINTH CANAL WRECKED

CAIRO-British bombing planes in two recent attacks have wrecked Corinth Canal, strategic waterway between Peleponnessus and the mainland of Greece, the Royal Air Force announced today. It was also announced that the air arm of the British fleet had attacked a submarine base at Augusta, Sicily, and started fires in a raid on the Sicilian city of Syracuse.

BEAVERBROOK IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK-Lord Beaverbrook arrived yesterday in New York to discuss matters under the "Lease-Lend" arrangement.

TWO NAZIS DOWNED

Operate In Delivery Of One

For Legless Ace

molested to deliver one.

Gas Deliveries

Are Being Cut

Action Following Failure Of

Voluntary Appeal

WASHINGTON, August 16:- A

ten percent cut in deliveries to

gasoline stations in the Eastern

nited States has been ordered in

new of the failure of response to

he appeal for voluntary curtail-

WORE SISTER'S SUIT

CAPE TOWN, August 16: (P) -

Wanting her picture taken" a 17-

year old girl put on her sister's

Auxiliary Air Force. Pleading guil-

WIDE-SPREAD CANADA

Canadian territory extends over

4 degrees of longtitude and 48 de-

Horizon, 9,300 pounds coho, Car-

was remanded for sentence.

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ment of consumption.

LONDON-Royal Air Force fighters shot down two Nazi pursuit planes and lost one of their own in a sweep over Northern France today. Apparently British bombers were grounded during the night as no new forays against Germany were announced.

LONDON, August 16:- British ROCKLAND, Maine, August

Douglas Bader, legless ace of the the historic cruise aboard the pre-

Royal Air Force, who is now a sidential yacht Potomac during

prisoner of war in Germany, had which he conferred with Prime

ed in his capture. German authori- Indication was given by a mem

one of his artificial legs damaged Minister Winston Churchill

n the forced landing which end- Great Britain.

INSPECTING GUN TURRETT



Canada's governor-general and the Princess Alice made a personal investigation of a gun turret of a Catalina long-range flying boat of the R.C.A.F. on a recent visit to the east coast. Air Commodore A. E. Godfrey, air officer commanding, eastern air command at the time, explained the operation of the gun turret to the commander-in-chief and the Princess Alice.

GOING TO EXPERT AS

nited States Legislators Will Be Arthur B. Purvis Started Career As Asked To Approve Roosevelt-

Churchill Plan

German Authorities Offer To Co- President Lands In Maine After gress for adoption.

uthorities have received official (P-President Franklin D. Rooseof the eight war aims those pro- ical available. He was given three HEAD OF posing full co-operation by the weeks in which to execute the HEAD OF dvice that Wing Commander velt came ashore here today from United States with the nations of commission. the world for economic and social A master salesman, he became advancement, lasting and perman- overnight an expert buyer. He ent peace measures after Nazi ag- spent \$25,000,000 in his quick

connection with the delivery of a Washington that an early statenew one. A British plane would be ment might be given to the publlowed to fly over Germany un-lic in regard to the meeting. Churchill and Roosevelt met aboard the United States battleship Augusta as well as on H. M. S.

Historic Rendezvous With Bri-

tish Prime Minister

Prince of Wales. The two leaders and the ships Is Limited carrying them were closely guard-'ed and planes soared overhead throughout the meetings. nited States Government Takes

floppy wide-brimmed fishing hat.

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Grandview, 14. Bralorne, 10.80. Cariboo Quartz, 2.15. Hedley Mascot, .60A. Pend Oreille, 1.55. Pioneer, 2.40. Premier, .91. Privateer, .47. Reno, .111/2. Sheep Creek, .95. niform of the Women's Territorial

> Calmont, .25A. C. & E., 1.30. Home, 2.25. Royal Canadian, .05. Toronto

Beattie, 1.08. Central Pat., 1.83. Con. Smelters, .37. Hardrock, .75. Kerr Addison, 4.50. Little Long Lac, 1.90A. McLeod Cockshutt, 1.88. Madsen Red Lake, .63B. McKenzie, Red Lake, 1.05. Moneta, 331/2. Nord, 3,500 pounds coho, Inver-Pickle Crow, 3.05. Preston East Dome, 3.15. Twilight, 3,500 pounds coho, In-San Antonio, 2.46. Sherritt Gordon, .82.

DURHAM, North Carolina, Aug- MONTREAL, August 16: (P) BACK HOME

hes have offered to co-operate in ber of the White House staff in and freedom of the seas.

Buying By

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 16 .- . Churchill wore the customary Restrictions are to be placed on inpeaked cap. Roosevelt wore a stalment buying in this country. On automobiles, refrigerators and several other articles it will henceforth Limited. This company was devel- mont Railway. be necessary to pay one-third down and the balance in eighteen months.

Defence Highway Bill Is Slashed

Measure for \$195,000,000 is Passed by United States House of Representatives

Slashed by \$50,000,000, the defence Liverpool, London and Globe Inhighway bill, amounting to \$195,- surance Company and the Sun Life; 1000, was passed yesterday by the Assurance Company of Canada. He MANCHESTER, August 15: (0) -House of Representatives.

Son Is Killed Saving Mother

unconscious but alive. Joe lay dead and Africa. in the debris nearby.

Such In 1914

ust 16:- Speaking here today Sec- Arthur B. Purvis, head of the Briretary of the Navy Frank Knox tish war purchasing commission, said that the joint declaration of killed in an airplane crash, started war aims by President Franklin D. his war purchasing career in 1914 Roosevelt of the United States and at the outbreak of the Great War Prime Minister Winston Churchill when Britain was faced with a of Great Britain would go to Con- shortage of acetone for high explosives. Purvis was sent to the Knox selected as most important United States to buy all this chem-

gression had been fully put down round-up of acetone and was the first purchaser of war material for R. C. Vaughan Becomes President + Frank Knox declared yesterday. + | were heavily attacked by Rus-Britain in the United States.

For 10 years he acted as representative of Nobel's or Imperial Chemical Industries, which acquir-

line of chemical commodities.

Canadian Industries Limited, many system. He was accompanied advice. He became director of ance and accounting, and W. the Bank of Montreal, Bell Tele- Hobbs, secretary of the system. phone Company of Canada, Bri- During his stay in Detroit Mr. land. tish-American Oil Company, Con- Vaughan inspected terminal facilisolidated Paper Corporation, Dun-ties and met general officers of the lop Tire and Rubber Goods Com- Grand Trunk system. WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 16 .- 'pany, General Motors Corporation,

eign business was drawn to the thinks the service men "like shav- and 10.8c. attention of Harry (afterwards Sir ing too much." Investigation show-Harry) McGowan who obtained a ed the mugs were "pinched" for position for him with the Nobel the purpose. Act Of Heroism By Sixteen-Year Dynamite Trust Company, con-Old Boy In London Bombing | trolling a number of plants. Mc-Gowan was afterwards head of the even during the years he was busi-LONDON, August 16: (P) As a Imperial Chemical Industries, a est, found time for enjoyment of heavy bomb crashed into 16-year parent company of Canadian In- music or open-air pastimes like LONDON, August 16: (7) - A old Joe Gilpin's home, he flung dustries Limited. Purvis rose rap- golf, skiing, sailing or chopping shortage of nurses in Britain is LONDON, August 16: (19)— Miss

An accomplished pianist, Purvis, Margaret Jones, Jamestown, N. Y. to become teachers of nursing.

OFFER IS

Delay In Three-Power War Conference At Moscow

MOSCOW, August 16:-Russia moved speedily today to accept the proposal of Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain and President Franklin D. Roosevelt of the United States for a three-power war conference in Moscow. Premier Joseph Stalin asks that it he held as speedily as rossible and it is expected that it will take place within the next few days.

It was thought that Lord would last a long time. Beaverbrook, for Great Britain, and Harry Hopkins, director of the "lease-lend" program for the United States, might head the delegations. The question of Allied aid to Russia will be the principal matter of discussion.

Premier Stalin told United States and British ambassadors in Moscow today that he is ready to "take all necessary steps" for conferences in Moscow as pro-Churchill in which the conference proposal was made.

Stalin had previously agreed to conference for joint opposition to Nazi Germany and exchange of messages with British and American envoys was taken to imply complete pooling of the resources of the three powers.

In London the request by Churchill and Roosevelt for a three-power conference with Russia was taken today as a sign that Great Britain and the United States consider Russia as being far from beaten.

Of Grand Trunk Western

DETROIT, August 16: - Aned it, in the United States. In nouncement of the election of R. 1924 he moved to Montreal as C. Vaughan, president of Canapresident of the Nobel-du-Pont sub-dian National Railways, to be president of the Nobel-du-Pont sub- dian National Railways, to be sidiary, Canadian Explosives Lim- president of the Grand Trunk ANTI-NAZI Western Railroad was made by J. In Canada Mr. Purvis found a A. Clancey, general manager of number of individual concerns en- the Grand Trunk, following a gaged in manufacturing explosives meeting of the board of directors, and he effected a merger under Mr. Vaughan was also recently elthe title of Canadian Industries ected president of the Central Ver-

oped until its assets totalled \$50,- This was Mr. Vaughan's first 000,000 and it manufactured a long visit to the Grand Trunk Railroad in his capacity as president of the anti-Nazi outbreaks have occurred Recognizing his success with Canadian National Grand Trunk Canadian firms sought Mr. Purvis' D. C. Grant, vice-president, fin-been started in industrial plants

WHERE MUGS GO

was a governor of McGill Univer- so many mugs disappear from the 10.5c. Women's Voluntary Service can-Purvis' ability in handling for- teens that President Lady Reading

OFFER IS ACCEPTED Stalin Asks That There Be No Retreating; Dispatches On Fighting Obscure

Hitler Declares That Whole Offensive of Nazis Against Soviet is Proceeding Successfully According to Plan

LONDON, August 16: (CP)-Although the Soviet Army is reported retreating in the Ukraine, war commentators said that the message to Stalin proposing a conference apparently indicated expectation that the war

YOKOHAMA, August 16:- With cessfully according to plan." The posed by President Roosevelt and seven persons already dead and German press, lacking specific in-Prime Minister Churchill. Stalin 137 stricken, many seriously, with formation resorted to speculating received the ambassadors at the ptomaine poisoning, the Japanese Kremlin and expressed thanks of liner Tatuta Maru, returning to sides. the Soviet government for the of- Japan from San Francisco, was fer of "maximum aid" contained racing for Yokohama today. Sixin the note from Roosevelt and teen doctors and nurses were being rushed by launch to meet the vessel in or near Tokyo Bay. Appeals for medical aid had been flashed the British-United States-Russian by wireless. Spoiled food is believed to have been the cause.

The Tatuta Maru rushed away from San Francisco without taking on the usual supplies.

+ stituted in waters between + lands submarine. • United States and Iceland to • • ensure deliveries to Great Bri- • tain under the "lease-lend" + * tacked in that area.

OUTBREAKS

Trouble Is Still Widespread Both In France And Holland

LONDON, August 16 .- Further in France despite German warnby ings of dire punishment. Fires have There is also more trouble in Hol-

HALIBUT SALES

American Yakutat, 40,000, Pacific, 12.5c and

Yaquinna, 25,000, Royal, 11.6c and

Canadian 12.5c and 11.3c. and 10.9c.

WANT NURSE TEACHERS

For the fourth time since the German invasion eight weeks ago the Red Army communique failed today to mention specific sectors of war and said only that during the night "Our troops con-STRICKEN tinued to fight with the enemy on the entire front." In Berlin Chancellor Adolf Hitler

Seven Dead Of Ptomaine Poisoning declared through the High Com-On Tatuta Maru-137 Are III mand today that the whole offensive against Russia is "moving sucon military problems facing both

AXIS LOSE SHIPS

CAIRO-Two Axis merchantmen and a destroyer guarding a convoy headed for the Libyan port of Tripoli probably were sunk in a fleet air arm attack Thursday, the Royal Air Force announced today. All three ships were Western Atlantic, hit by air-launched torpedoes and four others were hit by • bombers in another assault. Two WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 16. + of the latter, tankers, were also + -Not a single German sub- + probably sunk. In addition, two * marine has been seen since Un- * Axis supply ships in the Mediter-+ ited States naval patrol was in- + ranean were sunk by a Nether-

BOMBING BY REDS

NEW YORK-Berlin and the + plan, Secretary of the Navy + German Baltic port of Stettin + Not a single ship has been at- + sian bombers overnight, the Mos-+ cow radio reported today. The broadcast said that many incendiary and high explosive bombs were dropped, causing a great number of explosions and fires in both cities and claimed that all planes returned to bases.

> \$4,000,000 PER DAY OTTAWA-The war is costing Canada \$4,000,000 per day, Minister of Finance J. L. Ilsley said yesterday in addressing a newspapermen's gathering.

ITALY SELLING SHIPS ROME—Italy has offered to sell to Argentina sixteen Italian ships, aggregating 80,000 tons, now interned in waters of the Argentine.

Girl Bridesmaid For Her Mother

Mollie Halliwell, British Actress, Is Remarried

Thor, 40,000, Booth, 12.4c and 11c. LONDON, August 16: (P)—Twelve-Northland, 22,000, Storage, 11.8c year old Jacqueline King, daughter of Mollie Halliwell, the actress, and Charles Henry King, will be the Northern Breeze, 29,000, Atlin, bridesmaid at the remarriage of her parents. The first marriage was Robert B., 22,000, Storage, 12.5c dissolved two years ago but the couple decided to remarry after a reunion last month.

DEFIES NAZIS AT 104

himself in front of his mother to idly in the ranks of the Nobel down trees. He blazed his own ski feared because of a lack of sister Ellen Webber said on her 104th shield her. Rescue workers found Company's representatives. He act- trails through the St. Margaret's tutors who have charge of their birthday that no German bombs the mother, Mrs. Doris Gilpin, 40, ed as salesman in South America woods in the Laurentians. | training. However, steps are being will make her leave London. "I'll Mrs. Purvis was formerly Miss taken to encourage more women stick to the old home," she de-