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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1941.

Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert District and Queen Charlotte Islands—Moderate north-west winds, partly cloudy and mild.

Tomorrow's Tides

High 2:36 a.m. 21.7 ft.
15:30 p.m. 20.4 ft.
Low 9:13 a.m. 1.1 ft.
21:30 p.m. 5.6 ft.

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Berlin Will Get It Pretty Soon

A Full Division Of Hitler's Motorized Troops Wiped Out

RED ARMY SLASHING IN DIRECTION OF LEPEL GET ABOUT 15,000 MEN AND STOP DRIVE OF GERMANS ON REST OF BATTLEFRONT

MOSCOW, July 10: (CP)—The Red Army slashing in the direction of Lepel on the flank of Germany's Baltic Salient reported today the wiping out of a full division of Hitler's motorized troops, perhaps fifteen thousand men and just south of Lepel smashed heavily at a second division near Borisov on the Berezina River. The eastward drive of the German army along the rest of the battlefield was reported to be stopped.

Public Men Of Quebec Speak For State And Church of War Effort Of French Canadian Province

In order to set forth to the rest of Canada what is being done by the Province of Quebec in connection with the war, the Montreal Herald has just issued a special number from which are culled a few selections:

THE EDITOR—"Here in Quebec both French speaking and English speaking Canadians are one in their essential loyalty to Canada and the Empire."

PREMIER ADELARDE GODBOUT—"The flocking of our sons to the colors, the devotion of our entire business and industrial organization to the end of the war effort, our outstanding contribution to war financing have together been a revelation of Quebec's innate loyalty and her zeal in the national and imperial cause of liberty and justice."

CARDINAL VILLENEUVE—"I am happy to proclaim the loyalty and enlightened patriotism of the French-speaking Canadians in the present war effort, and I am proud to do so. French Canadian names are in their place on the rolls of honor in recruiting or voluntary service, in auxiliary works, in war savings and loans to the state."

COL. FRANK KNOX, U.S. SEC. TO NAVY—"I especially congratulate and facilitate this great province of Quebec on its noteworthy contribution to Canadian war effort to help defeat the Hun, and may I employ the sterling example which you men of Quebec have provided to cry shame upon the numerically few but noisy isolationist minority in my country, who cry out for an impossible isolation for us, while Quebec, having far more profound reasons for an isolationist posture, is setting an inspiring example to the free men of other bloodstreams in Canada and United States."

MAJOR GENERAL LA FLECHE—"The first regiment to reach full strength in Canada when war broke out was French Canadian."

HON. ERNEST LAPOINTE—"Nothing should be allowed to divert our minds from the hard and dangerous battle we are fighting for our survival."

RED CROSS CORPS IS FORMED

Mrs. E. Miller Is Commandant Of Prince Rupert Detachment

VANCOUVER, July 10: (CP)—The Women's Service Corps have amalgamated with the Canadian Red Cross Corps, it was announced here. It is a newly formed corps of twelve hundred members throughout the province to operate under a divisional advisory committee with Mrs. W. J. Allan as chairman. In the recruiting campaign August 1 to 8 recruits are to apply to the local Service Corps Detachments or the Red Cross branch. Mrs. E. Miller is commandant of the Prince Rupert detachment.

Aid To British Churches Fund Passes Half Way

TORONTO, July 10.—The "Aid to British Churches Fund" being raised by the United Church of Canada to help parent churches in Britain in their ministry of preaching, healing and comfort has now reached \$32,000 toward the \$50,000 objective, it was announced today by Rev. Dr. Gordon A. Sisco, Secretary of General Council. The fund will remain open until the objective is reached.

MORE MILK LONDON, Nearly 13,000 more farmers are producing milk in England than a year ago, according to a report of the Milk Marketing Board. This represents an increase of about eight per cent.

Bulletins

RESTAURANT STRIKE SAN FRANCISCO—As a result of a strike 38 downtown restaurants here were closed last night.

SHIPBUILDING RUSHED WASHINGTON—The government announces that the shipbuilding program is making much better progress than was expected and is well ahead of schedule. Very soon it is expected they will be producing new destroyers at the rate of one hundred a year. Aircraft are being rushed to Britain, the number so far going from this country being well over a thousand.

BASES IN IRELAND WASHINGTON—Wendell Wilkie has been in conference with President Roosevelt in regard to the European situation. Mr. Wilkie favors an all-out policy in regard to United States aid and would establish bases in Northern Ireland as well as in Iceland.

AIR BASE BEING BUILT WASHINGTON—Senator Robert Taft, Ohio Republican, told the Senate today that he had heard a week ago "on reliable authority that the United States was constructing a naval air base for Britain in northern Ireland."

GERMANY FURIOUS LONDON—The German radio is furious with the United States because of its occupation of Ireland. It claims that German military authorities had no designs on that island and especially at this time when all their energies were bent on fighting the battle of the world against Communist Russia.

NEW BOMBERS ARRIVE LONDON—Twenty new heavy bombers have just arrived from the United States and more are on the way. These planes are all ready for the aviators to take over and put into action.

POLAND CONFERS LONDON—Representatives of the Polish government located in this country are conferring with the Soviet administration with a view to full collaboration. One of the outstanding subjects to be settled is that of the boundaries between the two countries when the war ends.

INVESTITURE AT PALACE LONDON—King George held an investiture yesterday at Buckingham Palace when a number of decorations were conferred on airmen and others. The ceremony took place in the grand hall and it was noticed that most of the servants were wearing the uniform of the Home Guard.

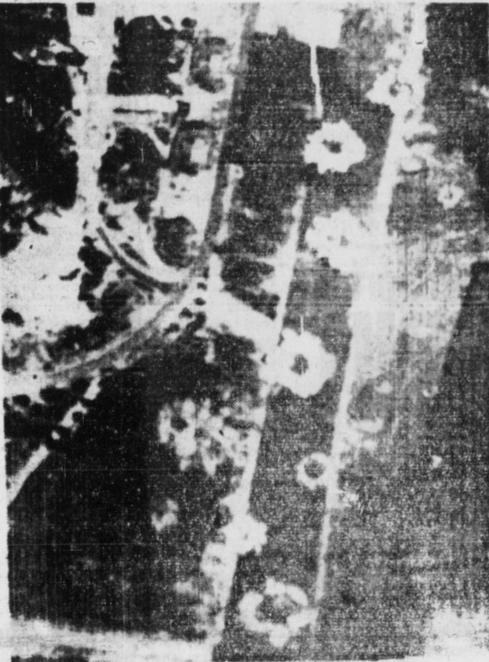
Lords Debate LONDON—The House of Lords held a full dress debate on the position of the colonial governments in connection with the war effort. It was shown that many of them had made contributions of great value, others had suffered so much that the British government had gone to their aid. One notable case was that of Malta, which had been steadily under fire.

BEIRUT IS OCCUPIED LONDON—Reuters reported that a German controlled Paris radio announced that Australian troops occupied Beirut this morning.

HALF CHILDREN GONE BRISTOL, Eng., July 10: (CP)—At least 20,000 children, more than half the city's total, now have been evacuated, either officially or unofficially.

American-Made Bombers Will Enable Britain To Retaliate For Destruction Of London Declares British Minister

BRITISH BOMBS WRECK NAZI AIRDROME



This aerial photograph was made by a British observer during an R.A.F. raid on the German-occupied area of France. It shows a stick of bombs, nine, in all, bursting in a line on the concrete runway of Saint Omer airdrome, used by the Nazis as a springboard in raids on England.

German Capital Will Hear Sirens Soon as Enough Big Planes Arrive From United States—Many Already Coming, Medium and Large

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—The increasing flow of American-made bombers soon will enable Britain to an exact manifold retaliation on Berlin for the German bombardment of London, the Minister of Aircraft Production Lt. Col. J. T. C. Moore-Brabazon declared today. It will not be many months he told the House of Commons before Berlin hears the sirens of such attacks. "Those famous Wednesday and Saturday night when London was heavily raided, will be child's play compared with the raids we will be able to make on Berlin," he said. He said that Britain was getting a more and more moderate weight carrying bombers and also big bombers.

Roosevelt Asking For More Money

Washington, July 10: (CP)—Authoritative sources said today that Roosevelt would ask Congress for \$4,700,000,000 of new army appropriations at once as the first installment of the new \$15,000,000,000 defence and lend lease program.

NAPLES BOMBED

Syracuse In Italy Also Gets Daylight Low Level Blow From British Planes

ROME, July 10:—British air attacks on Italy proper were reported today by the Italian High Command. There was a low level daylight thrust at Syracuse and a night blow at Naples. The Italians claim that in the Naples attack fourteen persons were killed and thirty injured but the amount of damage to buildings was not mentioned.

ROME, July 10: (CP)—The R.A.F. announced at Cairo that three Italian seaplanes were destroyed and others were damaged in a Syracuse raid but did not mention Naples.

DRIVE ON GERMANS

British Planes Roared Over Channel and Explosions Followed

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—The R.A.F. maintained a relentless drive against the Nazi war machine today by smashing at the occupied French coast following an overnight pounding of the targets in western Germany. Flying through fog banks the British planes roared over the Channel today and watchers heard explosions from the French coast. The night raids were against Aachen and Osnabruck.

HOTELMAN DEAD

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—Sir George Reeves-Smith who, as managing director of Savoy Hotels, Limited, sampled and bought the 300 kinds of wines stocked in his hotels, died here at the age of about 86 years.

ARMY "LONELY"

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—A "lonely soldier"—with a wife and six children—appealed for girls to write to him, then married a girl who did. Charged with bigamy, he was bound over for two years.

GERMANY HOLDING BACK NEWS

Says Only That Town of Salla Has Been Taken and Campaign Progressing Relentlessly

BERLIN, July 10: (CP)—The German High Command kept details of the fierce struggle with the Soviet Russia hidden again today for the third in a row with a general statement "operations in the East are progressing relentlessly." The only detail the communiqué offered was to reiterate yesterday's unofficial claim that Salla, fortified Russian town opposite Finland's eastern frontier, had been captured. The town was acquired by Russia last year.

Says Stamp Hobby Helps In Wartime

Philatelic Expert Recommends It To Nervous Persons During Blackout

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—War has caused a small boom in stamp collecting, a hobby that has been found to provide relief from the strains of war. H. R. Harmer, philatelic expert who conducts an auction of rare stamps in London every week, said doctors are among the most enthusiastic philatelists and many recommend the hobby to nervous patients for the blackout. "Once a person is infected with the collecting germ, the hobby involves deep concentration, which means forgetfulness of outside influence," he said. Prices are higher than before the war and some persons are investing their money in stamps, "which are a better investment than diamonds." "The number of rare stamps in existence is known and the price internationally is the same," Harmer said. "Thus the owner of a rare stamp can get its value in London, New York, Sydney, Cape Town, and, in peacetime, at any Continental City."

SUMMER CLOTHES 'FROZEN'

LONDON, July 10: (CP)—Trade appeals for the release of "frozen goods" under clothes rationing regulations may mean that women's summer sandals, tennis shoes and similar light footwear will be on sale soon—couponless.

War News

CHUNGKING BADLY BOMBED

TOKYO—Chungking experienced another devastating bombing last night and according to reports from the air ministry is now almost a "City of the Dead." Water and electric light and power services have been cut off.

NO ARMISTICE YET

LONDON—Up to noon today no armistice had been arranged with the High Command in Syria. Fighting is still going on there but it is possible terms may be agreed upon before the day is over.

MANY GERMAN CITIES BOMBED

LONDON—German controlled cities from Bologne to Dunkirque were bombed today. Weather conditions were perfect and tremendous destruction was caused, holding up communications and factory work in many centres.

GERMANS OVER BRITAIN

LONDON—A few German planes came over southeast Scotland and East Anglia last night but little damage was done.

AID GOING TO RUSSIA

WASHINGTON—According to military experts here it looks better for Russia every day and orders are rapidly being pushed forward for arms and ammunition and other material from the United States to help that country in its great struggle against the invader.

NO CO-OPERATION YET

WASHINGTON—The proposal of Prime Minister Churchill that the American and British navies should co-operate in the defence of Iceland has been turned down as it would practically be the same as a declaration of war against Germany.

Halibut Sales

American Pacific, 40,000, Booth, 12.7c and 11c. Chelam, 25,000, Atlin, 12.6c and 11.6c.

Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—It has been generally fair and mild on the coast with fog during the night. West Coast of Vancouver Island—Moderate northwest winds, locally cloudy and mild with fog off shore.