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# The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER  
PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., MONDAY, JULY 27, 1942

Tomorrow's Tides  
(Standard Time)

High	1:11 a.m.	22.8 feet
	14:04 p.m.	21.1 feet
Low	7:50 a.m.	0.1 feet
	20:03 p.m.	4.4 feet

## First Canadian Fish Boat Sunk

### ROMMEL IS DIGGING IN

British Holding Offensive All Along the Line in Egypt

CAIRO, July 27:—Although there is somewhat of a lull, the British Imperials are holding the enemy all along the line in Egypt and are keeping Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's army on the defensive. The enemy is digging in, evidently expecting further attacks. Air, land and artillery attacks are being kept up by the British. Both sides have been engaging in artillery duels.

### Yanks In First Raid On France

LONDON, July 27:—Seven United States Air Force planes have joined the Royal Air Force for the first time in a bombing attack on Northern France. One of the American planes failed to return.

### SINKINGS OF SHIPS

Fifteen Losses Last Week Making Total 398 Since Pearl Harbor

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 27:—There were fifteen sinkings of Allied ships last week, making the total 398 since United States went to war.

### EDMONTON ELECTION

Former Attorney General is Second Candidate in Field

EDMONTON, July 27:—Attorney General in the United Farmers of Alberta government from 1926 to 1935, John F. Lymburn, K.C., was named unanimously here by the Independent party to contest the forthcoming provincial by-election for the seat left vacant by the death of D. M. Duggan. Mr. Lymburn was nominated at a convention of the Edmonton branch, Independent Citizens' Association of Alberta, in the Masonic Temple Thursday night. W. Kelly Porter, president of the Edmonton branch, was chairman of the meeting. Two other names, L. Y. Cairns, K.C., Colin D. MacKenzie, also were mentioned, but it was stated they had been approached but did not wish to run. Neither was present. One other candidate, Elmer E. Roper, had been nominated previously by the C.C.F. It is expected that Social Credit forces also will enter the field. This puts two candidates in the field. The byelection probably will be held some time in October, according to government circles.

### WAR NEWS

#### IN NORTH AFRICA

CAIRO — A heavy force of bombers again blasted at the Axis supply port of Tobruk, touching off fires and explosions and scoring a direct hit on an enemy ship. Long range Royal Air Force fighters attacked Axis barges off Sidi Barrani, another enemy supply port.

#### COMMANDOS KILL 60 JAPS

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA — Sixty Japanese were killed in a commando skirmish at Muboh, near Salamua, while Allied planes continued to blast enemy bases on New Guinea. Japanese planes made their deepest penetrations in Australia to date with a raid on Townsville on the northeast coast.

### RAIDS ON GERMANY

Duisburg, Mannheim and Frankfurt Visited by Royal Air Force

HAMBURG HEAVILY HIT  
LONDON, July 27: (CP)—The port of Hamburg, Germany's second largest city and greatest submarine building centre, was hit by the Royal Air Force in the heaviest raid on the Reich since 1900 planes bombed Bremen last month. Four Canadian bomber squadrons formed part of the force and it is estimated six hundred planes took part in the raid. Hamburg shipyards have a capacity of twenty-five u-boats at a time. The Hamburg raid followed one of Saturday night when acres of buildings were wiped out at the huge German railway and shipping centre of Duisburg when the Royal Air Force dropped more than 500 two-ton bombs. German planes bombed twenty-three areas in England in scattered raids.

LONDON, July 27:—The German industrial cities of Duisburg, Mannheim and Frankfurt were raided by daylight by the Royal Air Force, also a chemical plant in southwest Holland and railway equipment in Belgium. Duisburg was raided in force by 300 planes and large fires were started.

### HALIBUT SALES

American				
Trinity	52,000,	15.2c	and	14c.
Pacific				
Portlock	50,000,	15.5c	and	14c.
Atlin				
Aleutian	46,000,	15c	and	14c.
Whiz				
Semak	46,000,	15c	and	14c.
Storage				
Rainbow	34,000,	15.3c	and	14c.
Atlin				
Canadian				
Sea Maid	34,000,	15.3c	and	14c.
Storage				
Embla	14,000,	15.2c	and	14c.
Booth				

### HONG KONG DISCUSSED

Howard Green Tells How Vancouver People Shuddered And Hoped Against Blundering

OTTAWA, July 27: (CP)—Howard Green, Conservative member for Vancouver South, said in the House of Commons that, when Pacific Coast residents saw Canadian troops leave for Hong Kong last autumn, they "shuddered" and hoped there would be "no bungling among higher-ups" because they knew war with Japan was imminent. Mr. Green said that the Duff report revealed "dangerous lack of understanding of the Japanese and the actual situation in the Pacific by the war committee of the cabinet, defence headquarters and the external affairs department."

### MANY GRADES

There are some 125 grades of iron and steel in a modern automobile.

### MARINES ON ALERT AS JAPS BOMB ALEUTIAN ISLANDS



The U.S. navy released this photo in Washington first to show the attack on Dutch Harbor, Aleutians, on June 3 and 4 by Japanese air raiders. U.S. marines are shown on the alert between attacks. In background is smoke arising from burning oil storage tanks, set afire by Jap dive bombers.

### Homes Of Aliens In Detroit Are Raided By F.B.I.

DETROIT, July 27:—Raids on the homes of 150 Germans and Italians in Detroit and Benton Harbor resulted in the finding of guns and short wave radios.

### Must Take Share Of Defence Duty

Compulsory Service For Civilian Defence In Bristol

BRISTOL, Eng., July 27:—Because of the lack of volunteers, the Ministry of Labor and National Service has instituted in Bristol compulsory service for part-time police or civil defence duties. The age groups are 18 to 60 for men and 19 to 49 for women. Work of national importance cannot be pleaded to obtain exemption.

A Ministry spokesman said regional commissioners everywhere have the power to apply the order, "but there is no question of its being applied all over the country yet."

### MUST NEED THEM

There are 17 types of sergeants in the U. S. Marine Corps.

### PURGE OF REFUGEES

Nazis Are Sending Europeans From Occupied France to Polish Concentration Camps

PARIS, July 27:—The Nazis are making a purge of European, particularly Jewish, refugees in occupied France and there is now an exodus to Vichy France. The purge also extends to Belgium and Holland. The refugees are being moved to concentration camps in Poland. The purge is evidently for the purpose of removing potential fifth columnists in the event of a British invasion.

### BOASTING IMMATURE

United States War Production Greater But Does Not Justify Undue Optimism

WASHINGTON, July 27:—Donald Nelson, chief of the office of production management, says that production of war goods in the United States, while greatly increased, does not justify undue optimism. Too much boasting at this time would be immature. The biggest job still lies ahead.

### Japs Losing More Ships

WASHINGTON, July 27:—The Department of the Navy announces that American submarines have sunk five more Japanese ships in the Western Pacific. They were bagged within Japanese waters, the loss including a modern destroyer. A sixth vessel—a medium-sized cargo ship—was damaged.

### APPEAL BY KAI-SHEK

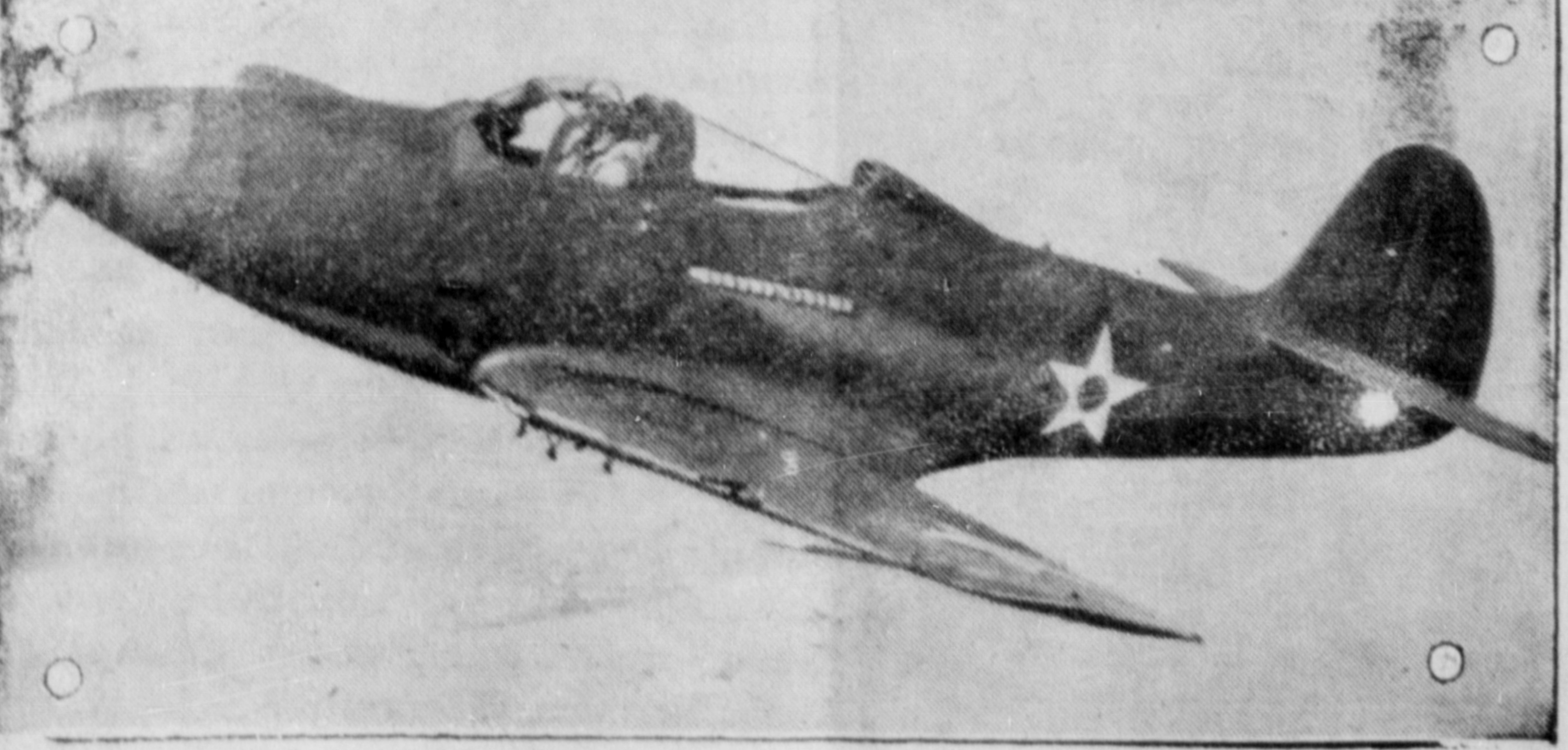
Asks India to Shelve Anti-British Movement Until After War

SIMLA, India, July 27:—An emissary of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek has sent a personal plea to All-India Congress leaders to shelve until after the war their anti-British movement.

### OUR TANKS "TOPS"

Made in - Canada Valentine tanks, of which hundreds already have been shipped to Russia, are considered "tops" by Soviet soldiers.

### IT STUNG THE JAPS HARD



ABOVE is pictured in flight the latest production model of the P-39 (Airacobra) fighter which was employed successfully against the Japs who attacked the Aleutian Islands. Lieut. General Henry H. Arnold, commanding general of the U.S. army air forces, telegraphed the Bell Aircraft Corp., builders of the plane, to tell of the grand performance of this ship against a squadron of Japs. "Only a truly fine airplane, skilfully and carefully constructed, could surmount such obstacles intact," the general said. "With your forces producing such planes and our forces flying them we cannot fail."

## Nova Scotia Schooner Is Shelled By Enemy Submarine In Atlantic

All Eleven Members of Crew Got Off in Dorries and Rowed Safely to Shore—Skipper Believes There May Be More Such Incidents

AT AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT, July 27 (CP)—Capt. Percy Richardson, master of the Lockeport, Nova Scotia, schooner Lucille M., sunk by Nazi submarine shellfire, said he believed the attack on the vessel indicated a change in German U-boat policy. He believes other fishing boats are to be shelled. Four members of the crew were injured but all eleven men on the boat got off in two dories and rowed one hundred miles to Cape Sable Island. It is the first Canadian fishing vessel to be sunk in this war.

### BATTLE ON IN ROSTOV

Fighting in Outer Streets of City—Diversion in Bryansk Sector

REDS HOLDING ON  
MOSCOW, July 27: (CP)—The Germans have hurled reinforcements into the battle in an effort to widen footholds south of the Don River near Tsimlyansk. The Russians are reported to be holding their positions and the Red Air Force is founding moving columns of German men and guns by day and night. The Germans are reported to have reached the Stalingrad-Tikhoretsk railway line, last rail link with the Caucasus.

MOSCOW, July 27:—The German forces have broken into the outskirts of Rostov and the city is in the greatest danger, it is admitted here. However, the defenders are still holding. Heavy fighting is going on with the enemy still suffering large casualties. The fortifications of the city have been breached at some points. Two thousands Germans are reported to have been killed at Rostov by bayonets and sidearms alone. The Nazis are reported to have made two crossings of the Don and are pouring men and machines across. The enemy, marching into the Caucasus, have reached to within forty-five miles of Stalingrad.

The summer offensive of the Germans is now on in full swing with the Caucasus, still 800 miles away, Stalingrad and the Volga River as the principal objectives. Meanwhile the Russians are developing a flanking movement 500 miles to the north of Rostov in the Bryansk sector and have captured several important communities as well as cutting a road which is a major factor in Russian supply lines. The Russian counter-attack at Voronezh continues. The Nazis are estimated to have lost 100,000 men there in the past month.

### NEW TOWN IS BOMBED

Japanese Planes Strike for First Time at Townsville—Hit Darwin Again

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### BOMBED BY LUFTWAFFE

Town in Northeast England Is Strated by Enemy With Considerable Damage Done

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### SOLDIER IS DEAD

Gunner Gregory Lawrence Pigeon Of Stratford, Ontario, Loses His Life

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### AN IMMENSE TASK

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### Japs On Move From Railway

JASPER, Alberta, June 27:—It is reported here that Japanese mountain road work camps at Gelkie and Decoigne in British Columbia are to be closed this week and work on the road stopped. It is believed the Japanese are to be moved to the interior of British Columbia far from the main line of the railways.

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