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Pacific Situation Is Clearing Twenty-Year Mutual Assistance Pact Is Formally Concluded As

SOFT PEDAL JAP LOSSES

Tokyo Still Trying To Make Braye Case Out of Midway-Aleutians News Vague

BERLIN DOUBTS TOKYO BERLIN, June 11 9-The Ber-

lin radio today broadcast Stockholm reports discounting Japanese boasts of victory at Midway and Tokyo hints that Japanese troops had landed in the Aleutian Islands.

WASHINGTON. D.C., June 11: (9) -Imperial Tokyo headquarters still seek to minimize the gravity of the Japanese naval disaster at Midway, Today a Japanese admirat told the press in the Nipponess ! capital that, because of the Battle of Midway Island, United States must abandon its assistance in the defence of Australia' in order to defend its own shores. This; statement came after the acknowledgment by Tokyo yesterday that United States forces had sunk an aircraft carrier, heavily damaged another carrier and damaged a

New accounts of the Battle of Midway Island today revealed that flying fortresses and other United States forces broke up two huge Japanese fleets, beat off an attack by 180 enemy planes and saved the Hawaiian Islands from invasion.

Official United States reports said that of more than thirty Japanese warships thrown into the attack against Midway at least half had been sunk or damaged; and the remainder ran away so fast they did not even wait to pick up their survivors from the sea. Thousands of Japanese men

sixteen and possibly eighteen Jap- They will help to patrol the anese warships sunk or damaged supply line past Norway to Murbefore the enemy fleet limped off mansk, Russia

Moreover an eye-witness account of Ensign George Gay, 25-year old Japanese aircraft carriers burst that Australia must keep its de- from Washington Senators.

Aleutian Islands

ed that Japanese Army troops Sea and Midway Island. Rabaul, St. Louis. The Pittsburg Pirate were used in attacking the Aleut- strong Japanese base on New blanked the Boston Red Sox an Dutch Harbor raids, and declared again by United Nations bomb- of the second division. they "are continuing operations in ers. Another Japanese submar- Yesterday's Big League scores: this area." No details were given, ine has been sunk off Austra-

mander-in-chief of the United States Pacific fleet, described the situation in the Far North as confused several days ago but gave no hint of Japanese troop landings. Last night Washington added the statement that "certainly no not include all the men of a vilinhabited islands or rocks have been troubled with uninvited visi-

AIR FORCE

terrupted by Bad Weather

LONDON, June 11 — The Royal Air Force attacked oil tanks and other objectives on the French coast last night. For the fourth because of bad weather.

Nazi airdromes in the Low Coun- uniform. The traditional uniform les as well as military targets in is blue. Northern France during the night



A scene at a Northern Ireland port as United States marines, in full war kit and wearing the new type field helmets, headed for their encampment after landing from one of the transports which carried the largest A.E.F. contingent to cross the Atlantic in this war.

HOME FLEET BOLSTERED LONDON - Strong United had, as a result, drowned or had States naval units-including at been left behind to succumb to least one battleship, one cruiser and destroyers-arrived recently The United States reports listed to join the British Home Fleet.

MAINTAIN DEFENCES

Tokyo headquarters also report- back after the reverses at Coral teams respectively, were idle Admiral Chester Nimitz, com- lia, making a bag to date of nine.

OVER 300 EXECUTED

PRAGUE - Over three hundred Czechs have so far been murdered by the Nazis following the Heydrich slaying. This does lage who were killed after it was reported the village had sheltered Heydrich's assassins.

REPORTERS PRESENT

LONDON, June 11: (P)-Press representatives have recently attended presentations of military But Action Against Germany In- armed forces by the King at Buckingham Palace. Previously royal investitures were in private.

KHAKI FOR COASTGUARD

night this month the offensive iliary Coastguard, which has been year. against Germany was interrupted declared to be part of the armed forces of the Crown, has adopted British fighters also blasted at khaki battle dress as its wartime

the bad weather over the con- Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baker and aid posts, said the number of of certain National Fire Service to Flight Sergeant F. B. Lummis ment kept the Royal Air Force daughter are leaving on tomor- Londoners using the shelters regu- vehicles with Bren guns to meet of Frankfort, Ontario, for putting away from the second successive row morning's train for a trip to larly has declined to 8,600 as com- low-level machine-gunning and out a hangar fire at Trenton, On- contains about 9,000 stars, the sun, Atlin.

DEFEATEL

Lost To Detroit Tigers Yesterda And Margin Reduced To Ten Games

NEW YORK, June 11: (0)-Th New York Yankees had their man gin of leadership in the America League reduced to ten games a a result of losing to the secon place Detroit Tigers yesterday. Th third place Cleveland Indians crep MELBOURNE - War Minister up to within half a game of the Navy flier, has declared that three Francis Forde declared today | Tigers by taking a close decision

into flames under torpedo plane fences stronger and stronger. In the National League th The Japanese were still power- Brooklyn Dodgers and St. Lou ful and must be expected to hit | Cardinals, first and second place lan Islands, three days after the Guinea, has been heavily hit ousted them from the leadersh.

> American League Detroit 4, New York 1. Chicago 4, Philadelphia 1. St. Louis 3, Boston 10.

Cleveland 4, Washington 3. National League Philadelphia 2, Chicago 5. Boston 0. Pittsburg 3. New York 6, Cincinnati 1. Brooklyn at St. Louis, postpone

dom" radio station of Europe was O. Bergklint, G. Andrews, O. posthumously to Leading Aircraftson the air yesterday advising the Brackoos, P. Larson, B. Andrews, man K. M. Gravell of Vancouver German people themselves to rise E. Brown, C. Hanson, J. Chapman, who died of burns suffered while LONDON, June 11: (9-The Aux- up and overthrow Adolf Hitler this O. Tolman Jr., S. G. McKenzie. trying to rescue the pilot from

OUT FROM UNDER

pared with a high of 150,000. bombing of Civil Defence workers. tario.

MORE NEWS

United States Merchant Vessel STUART Went Down Thirty Minutes After Attack Inside Juan de Fuca

AT A WEST COAST UNITED STATES PORT, June 11 (9-Capt. Lyle G. Havens of San Cardos, California, says that a negro, who died from exposure in a lifeboat, was the only one of sixty members of the crew to be lost in the first torpedoing of a United States merchant ship off the Pacific Northwest coast. Two other members of the crew are, however, ina serious condition. According to the official announcement, the ship sank thirty minutes after the day. explosion Sunday afternoon.

At Washington, D.C., Senator Bone of Washington State said the freighter had sunk off Nash Bay, Washington. Senator Wallgren of Washington said the survivors had been taken to Port Angeles.

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OF HILER man, H. Anderson, H. Lokken, O. adian Air Force and announced Nystad, J. Leveson, O. Ness, C. here last night. For the first time Wickstrom, A. Ogren, E. Erickson, since the awards were established awards to members of the Empire's Free Radio Station Urges Germans P. B. Turner, P. Glamon, A. J. during the Battle of Britain, one To Remove Him This Year Epp, B. Fabbi, P. Kimola, J. Lach- George Cross and two George LONDON, June 11 - The "free- L. Bullen, A. Paulsen, A. Carlson, The George Cross was awarded

FIREMEN WANT BRENS

OF SINKING Result of Visit From Molotov

IN COMMAND

Chief of Staff of Canadian Army To Pacific Coast

OTTAWA. June 11 -Lieutenant General Kenneth Stuart, the Pacific area "in order to deal with organization plans arising out of the expansion of army forces in that command," Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of national defence, announced to-

The present officer commanding of the Pacific Command at Victoria, Major General R. O. Alexander, is appointed inspector-general of the army for central Canada, succeeding Major-General T. V. Anderson, who re-

General Stuart will be in command of the Pacific area until a permanent successor to General Alexander is appointed. He has just completed an inspection trip to the West Coast and is now back in Ottawa but his headquarters will now be a from the Queen Charlotte Logging Victoria.

OVER OASIS every able-bodied man should take some part in war service.

Bir Hacheim on Southern End Of men to Newfoundland, Mr. King Libyan Desert Front Lost By British

BERLIN, June 11: (9-The Ger- uation was ever-changing and the man High Command claimed to- possibility of Canada becoming day that Bir Hacheim, southern the actual scene of war itself in anchor of the British line in Libya, the future, remote or immediate, had been captured by Axis troops. must be weighed against the de-Last night it had been reported sirability of sending Canadian; that the Axis had launched an forces overseas. To date there had been sufficient volunteers to meet all-out attack.

(Military circles in London said the overseas demands. that the German claim was prob- Hon. R. B. Hanson, Leader of the ably true although without con- Opposition, who spoke after Mr. for almost six months. firmation and, although it would King, charged the Prime Minister relieve supply difficulties of the with a policy of appeasement on! Axis on the British left flank, the the conscription issue. He favored defenders of Sebastapol have not

HONORED BY KING

George Cross and Two George Medals Awarded to Canadians On R.C.A.F. Recommenda-

OTTAWA, June 11 (P)—Gallantry in the face of danger, all round hard work and efficiency are recognized in the King's Birthday list Sorenson, B. Burditt, K. Nystedt. of honors awarded in Canada on A. Pelton, E. Anderson, E. Ong- recommendation of the Royal Canovich, W. Martinuk, N. Erickson. Medals were awarded in Canada.

machine in which both crashed. Mrs Frances Walsh, country

school teacher near Calgary, was LONDON, June 11: (P)-Major awarded the George Medal for at-LONDON, June 11: (7) - The Sir Jocelyn Lucas, M. P. and a tempting to save Gravell's life, Health Ministry, announcing the part-time fireman, has asked the pulling him from a burning plane. closing of most of the shelter first War Office to consider the arming The other George Medal goes

Japan Is Not Mentioned In Agreement For Prosecution of Struggle Against Hitler-Understanding Reaching In Regard To Second Front

LONDON, June 11 (CP)—Pledging themselves to rebuild Europe on the terms of the Atlantic Charter, Great Britain and Russia have signed a twenty-year mutual assistance treaty "against Hitlerite Germany," Foreign Minister Anthony Eden announced today. The pact was chief of general staff, will take signed May 26 by Capt. Eden and Soviet Foreign Minister over the temporary command of --- Molotov after the Russian emis-

MANPOWER

Factors to be Considered-

Hanson Charges Ap-

peasement

ent time, Prime Minister William

should be no doubt whatsoever of

the power of the government to

take necessary action at the mo-

ment necessity to do so may arise."

indicated, and there was also the

possibility that they might be sent

TODAY'S STOCKS

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reservation.

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Madsen Red Lake .

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Pickle Crow 1.90

San Antonio 1.80

SOLAR SYSTEM

Hardrock

Moneta

Toronto

Bralorne

sary had come from Washington. Molotov has now returned to Moscow. Japan is not mentioned in the treaty.

The announcement was the first official disclosure that Molotov had Mackenzie King Tells of Many been in London or the United States.

1 At Washington it was announced that Molotov and President Franklin D. Roosevelt had OTTAWA, June 11 (9) - While reached "a full understanding with telling the House of Commons yes- regard to the urgent task of creatterday that his government did not ing a second front in Europe in believe conscription for overseas 1942." There was no further amservice was necessary at the pres- plification.

Lyon Mackenzie King said, if it sever became necessary, "it is surely the part of wisdom that there SEBASTAPOL

In the course of a two-and-a-Russian Defenders Have Not half hour address to Parliament, Yielded a Single Line in Spite Mr. King made it clear that the Of Intensified Attack government was determined that

LARGE SCALE ACTION

The government wished to send MOSCOW, June 11: (CP) -Germany's armies and air force, intereasing pressure along the entire front, were attacking toto United States territory The sitday at three major points: opening a new push for Kharkov in the Ukraine, hurling a whole division against besieged Sebastapol and battering at Murmansk from the air. Dispatches from the front suggested that the Germans were at last getting their summer campaign under way, rolling into large scale after being held and thrust back

MOSCOW, June 11 (P)—Russian position was not regarded as vital). national selective service without yielded a single line to the Germans although the fight for the besieged Crimean port has grown more intense, Soviet reports said yesterday. Angry fighting has broken out

lanew in the Kharkov area and around Leningrad there is also a .12½ renewal of the conflict.

HALIBUT ARRIVALS

Summary American — 101,000 pounds, 15c land 14c to 15.1c and 14c. .031/21 Canadian — 87,800 pounds, 15.1c .74 and 14c to 15.6c and 14c. American Pioneer, 20,000, 15c and 14c, Stor-Republic, 50,000, 15.1c and 14c, Nova, 4,000, 15c and 14c, Stor-Pearl, 13,000, 15c and 14c, Stor-Yukon, 14,000, 15c and 14c, Stor-Total-101,000 pounds. Canadian

Lois N., 26,000, 15.5c and 14c, Pa-Relief, 13,000, 154c and 14c,

Oslo, 13,000, 15.5c and 14c, Booth. Preston East Dome 2.15 Strafen, 12,000, 15.5c and 14c,

Mae West, 19,000, 15.6c and 14c, Storage. New York's Hayden Planetarium Takla O., 4,800, 15.1 and 14c.

moon, Milky Way and the planets. Total-87,800 pounds, with