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10:45 p.m. to 4:36 a.m.

Tonight's Dim-out

PRICE: FIVE CENTS

Germany Heavily Pounded Again

NEW ASSAY OFFICE TO OPEN SOON

Quarters of Resident Mining Engineer Here Being Moved

The new office of the resident mining engineer, facing the court house square just off McBride Street, is expected to be ready within two or three weeks, according to Norton Youngs, provincial mining engineer for Prince Rupert. The building is arranged so that the upper part will be a residence for the mining engineer and the lower part will be an assay office. Another part of the building facing Third Avenue is now used by the Air Force as a warehouse. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in getting the new place ready, Mr. Youngs said.

Commenting on the flow of ore samples into the office, Mr. Youngs sala mat it was required under previous years, suggesting that the reason might be that owing to the war there were fewer prospectors now. Only young men of an adven- Bulkley Valley turous type ordinarily became prospectors, he said, and such men were usually ready to offer them- Rain Welcome selves as soldiers. Almost all the men searching for metals now were

up in years. To expedite the search for metals for war uses the government is continuing its policy of free assaying for bona fide prospectors, as well as grubstaking those who are Valley. There have been generous in need of help. In order not to infringe on commercial assay companies the government office must be certain that ore samples belong to prospectors, and not to promoters, when they come up for free assay, Mr. Youngs explained.

Owing to the fluid state of mining prospects, Mr. Youngs thought. it unwise to make any predictions for developments in northern British Columbia.

SET FIRE TO GAOL

Endeavoured to Make Getaway From Smithers Lock-up

SMITHERS, June 12—Two inebriated stragglers, who were gathered into 11.e police net from the Smithers streets on Tuesday evening and did not appreciate being the guests of the provincial police BE BANNED the guests of the provincial police department, took steps to liberate themselves. They started by smashing the window glass but, finding that there were bars on the windows as well as glass and that they could not get an exit that way, they took a bench that was inside The House of Representatives yesthe cell room and tried to get out terday, by a vote of 219 to 129. through the wall by using the adopted an anti-strike bill which is bench as a battering ram.

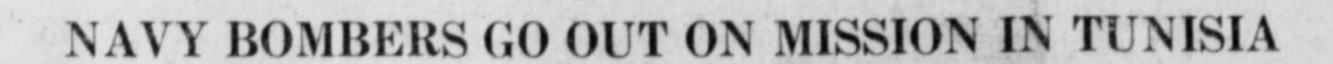
very feasible way of getting out United States." so the gathered up some magazines and blankets that were handy, pil- ate today. ed them against the door and set It has not yet been intimated as them on fire, hoping to burn the door out and so make their get- Roosevelt would sign or veto the But Better Ones

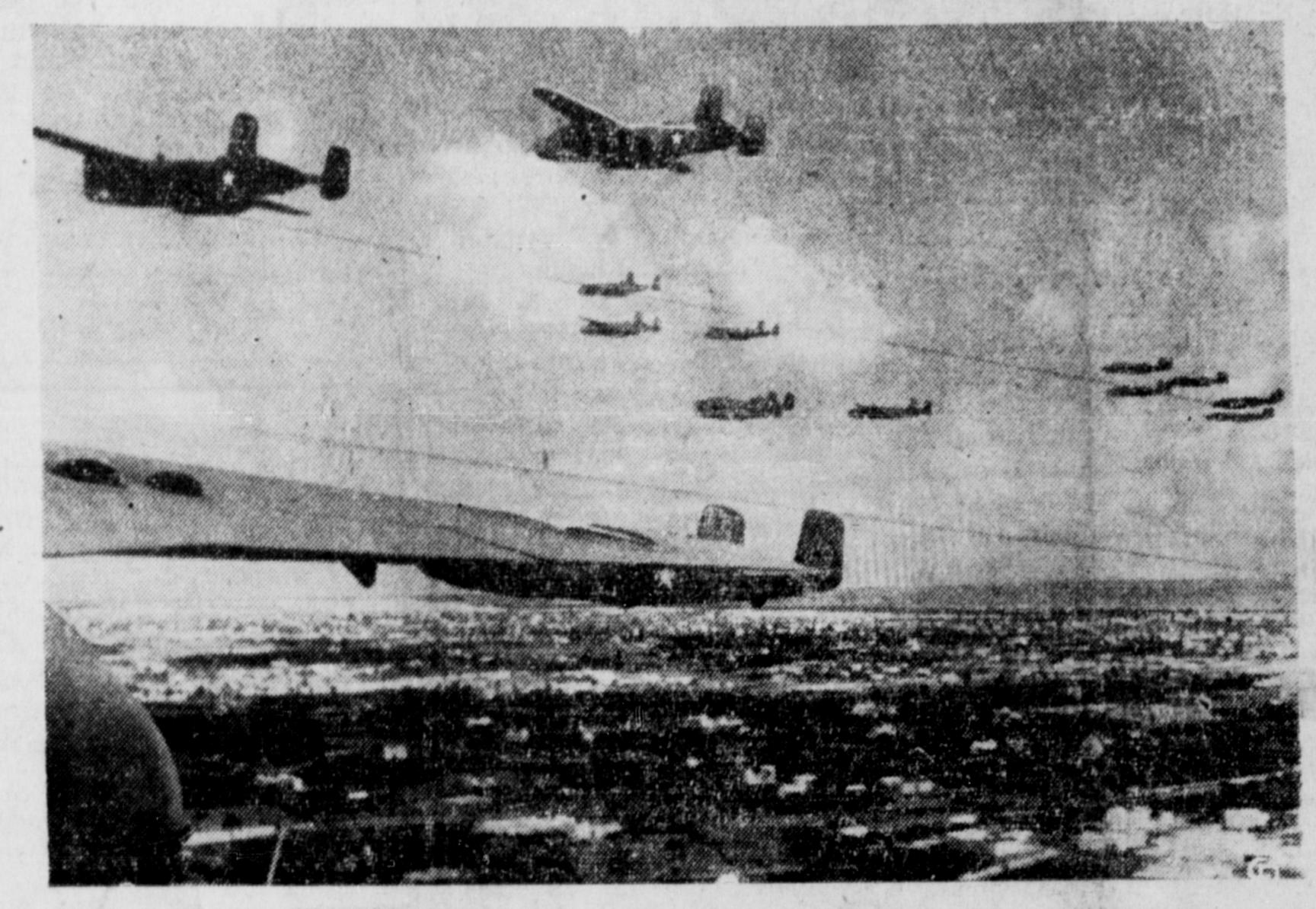
away. Soon after the fire got started Constable West appeared on the scene and not any too sonn as the fire was gaining headway.

The inmates got the benefit of some of the fire water of a different brand from what they had been accustomed to and they had also got enough smoke to last them for some time.

WRAITHS OF BIG THREE

LONDON, June 12 (P)-Pictures of Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin have been plastered all over Germany by the Nazis in an attempt to check listening to foreign radio programs. The Allied leaders are depicted as nebulous figures issuing like a cloud from a radio in front of which sits a midget man, ears cocked.





Sweeping from Tunisia on their way to Ita an bases are these heavy bombers. Constant battering of Axis installations by planes of this type and other Allied aircraft is being carried out against Italy.

Looks Good for Interior Hay Crops After All

SMITHERS, June 12 - Warm rains have come to gladden the hearts of the farmers of Bulkley showers which have given the growing grass a filip much needed after the long cold spring. Rains in June generally guarantee a good crop here and, while more moisture would be appreciated during the growing season, still there is at present enough moisture in the ground to insure a p retty good hay crop and to give all other crops a Attache Gets good start. There will probably be future showers to keep the crops Post at Sea

on clover and alfalfa and practically all of the roots of these grasses. Kohayashi, who once was nevel at cally all of the roots of these grasses Kobayashi, who once was naval atered the fields with water and then Japanese Navy, it is announced. cold weather following it formed ice that smothered these crops and killed them out.

Most Severe Labor Legislation In History Passes United States House of Representatives

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 12 described as "the most severe la-This, also, proved to be a not bor legislation in the history of the Storage.

The bill is to be sent to the Sen-

Baseball Scores

American League New York 2, Philadelphia 1. National League Cincinnati 7, Chicago 4.

International League Syracuse 1-8, Rochester 0-1. Montreal 2, Jersey City 1. Newark 6, Toronto 3. Buffalo 5, Baltimore 2. American Association

end 5th). Louisville 4, Minneapolis 1. Columbus 7, Milwaukee 1. Toledo 1-2, Kansas City 3-0.

Coast League San Francisco 2, Los Angeles 1. San Diego 4, Sacramento 2. Portland 4, Seattle 2. Hollywood 3, Oakland 2.

BIG RAIDS BY ALLIES

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, June 12-Allied aircraft smashed at Kupang on Timor Island yesterday and did large damage to Japanese installations there, destroying power house while gas dumps went up in flames.

Rabaul and Gasmata in New Britain were also attacked as well as objectives in New Guinea.

Former Naval

were winter killed throughout the valley. A very mild spell of several washington, has been given "an EDUCATION" weeks duration in February cov- important post at sea" with the

HALIBUT SALES

American Pierce, 14,000, 23.2 and 18, Whiz.

Canadian

Viking No. 1, 9,000, 22.8 and 17 and 16, Storage. and 16, Booth.

Tramp, 20,000, 23.4 and 17 and 16. Storage. Cape Spencer, 9,000, 23 and 17

and 16, Atlin. Ingrid H., 9,000, 23 and 17 and

Ed. Lipsett, 8,000, 23.1 and 17 and

Less Stockings

British Minister Tells Commons bilities." He's Doing His Best About

are in wartime) as I know, and I valedictorian. am doing my best with expert ad-Indianapolis 2, St. Paul 2 called vice, both male and female. to improve the quality. I think this will be an even better solution of the chase them."

REAL OLD TOWN

in 331 B.C.

Lsk mos Grateful For R.C.A.F. Help

Nursing Sister Rewarded With pected, recognize the Ramires ad-White Fox Fur by Boy's Parents

June 12 (P)—The R.C.A.F. has been behalf of Great Britain. doing medical work among the ter N. Bersudsky of Saint John, Vichy France and Belgium. N.B., went along when one Eskimo lad was flown home from hospital. WAINTAIN She came back with a perfect white fox, gift of the boy's father. The base commander returned RAILWAYS from another similar flight with a RAILWAYS pair of decorated sealskin boots for his young daughter.

Speech of Valedictorian at High School Graduation Exercises

"The diplomas we have just received show that we are able to become true members of our society, equipped not only by the knowledge acquired from the text books but a knowledge of our fel-P. Dorreen, 18,500, 23.2 and 17 lowmen through the social contacts which are one of the most important factors of our school life," said Alistair Crerar in his speech as valedictorian of the 1943 graduating class of Booth Memorial High School at the graduation exercises on Thursday evening.

"For 12 years we have been coming to this school, some of us J. R., 4,000, 22 and 17 and 16, having started here. Some of those who have left school have entered the war industries or the armed forces and are serving Canada actively in a time of dire necessity. Others will have profited their country by taking additional education which will enable them to assume burdens and responsi-

had hampered sports activities and F. J. Fliozdal of Detroit, presi- Local Women and the absence of a playing field dent emeritus of the Brotherhood LONDON, June 12 (P)—The prob- had made it further difficult to lem of silk stockings is one of the have sports. Nevertheless, there will lead representatives of mangreatest worries of Hugh Dalton, were a few activities, the most agement and the union who will president of Britain's Board of important of which had been attend and address the sessions of Mrs. Kay Scholts and Miss Edith basketball.

DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY

problem than to alter (reduce) the J. E. Hewitt has lost her husband man; George Neil. Prince Albert, has been on the staff of Wartime number of points needed to pur- and only son in two wars. Her hus- Sask., and George Clifford, Winni- Housing staff houses here. Miss opening band was killed in France in 1915, peg. and now her son, fighting with the Eighth Army, is reported killed in Alexandria, Egypt, was founded action on the anniversary of his father's death.

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ATTACK ON LAMPEDUSA

Surrender of Another Italian Island is Now Demanded By Allies

LONDON, June 12-Air power of the Allies was again turned in strength today on Lampedusa, 85 miles southeast of Pantelleria. Rome announced that a demand had seen received by the garrison there to surrender.

A Reuters dispatch from Algie... says that the enemy garrison which surrendered at Pantelleria numbered 15,000.

RECOGNIZE NEW GOV'T

United States and Great Britain Give Their O. K. to Argentine Administration

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 12 -The United States yesterday fortinean government of President followed daylight attacks by the Pedro Ramires. Secretary of State American air force, 200 planes Cordell Vill, in making the announcement, said that all Latin- ant naval bases of Wilhelmshafer American nations would, he exministration.

GOOSE AIRPORT, Labrador, with a similar announcement on

natives around the airport and recognized the Ramires governthe job is appreciated. Nursing Sis- ment including Panama, Honduras,

Some Odd Questions to be Dealt With at Gathering Next Week

the proper length of a railway were brought down. trackman's shovel handle? Well, a determined by test and trial among The Russians effectively attack- In Maki Death tional Railways in the western re- the central front. gion. Accordingly, thirty percent of square mouth shovels issued these men during 1943 will have handles Fire Destroys 28 inches long for tall men, the balance for shorter fellows being 26 Summer Home inches. Extensive experiment has proved that the additional two fort and defers the fatigue period

dealt with by committees of the troved a summer cottage belonging maintenance-of-way section of the Lake Kathlyn on Tuesday about headquarters, Montreal, Monday gin of the fire. and Tuesday next, June 14 and 15. Depredations have been going on tions, materials and methods which places broken into and being ranaffect a force of 21,742 men includ- sacked and it is regrettable that club in London ing seasonable extra gangs taking some of the culprits, whether main line sidings and yards. R. C. Vaughan, chairman and

War conditions, the speaker said, president of the national system, the annual gathering. The com- Dye Join Up With Canadian Said he to the Commons in reply The patience of the teachers in pany representation will include N. to a question: "No lady is satisfied giving instruction to the graduat- B. Walton, executive vice-presiden... with them (silk stockings as they ing class was acknowledged by the with jurisdiction over operation, Mrs. Kay Sholts and Miss Edith CROMER, Eng., June 12 (P)—Mrs. Aspinall, Winnipeg, general chair- take up active service. Mrs. Sholts Gen. J. P. Montague thanked Lady

> MEET 'EM IN DARK Some cuttlefish species have eyes 141/2 inches in diameter.

and Other Objectives In Reich Severely Hit Great Damage Done and Forty-three British Planes Lost

Duesseldorf, Munster

In Another Mighty Strafing of Reich Industrial Centre

LONDON, June 12 — The Royal Air Force raided Duesseldorf and other targets in the Reich last night with the greatest force of heavy bombers ever sent out in the war. The raid, on a concentrated basis on Duesseldorf, asted for over an hour. A smaller force of bombers raided Munster and an Air Force communique announced that

'good results' were obtained on both the Duesseldorf and Munster raids as well as other attacks on the Ruhr and Rhineland. Fortythree planes were lost in the raid on Duesseldorf. Tremendous damage is stated to have been caused in the important steel and iron manufacturing centre.

The Royal Air Force raids on mally recognized the new Argen- Duesseldorf and the other points strong, yesterday on the importand Cuxhaven.

Announcement of American re-cognition came co - incidentally behalf of Great Britain. Twenty-nine nations have so far GOING ON

This Provides Main Activity on Russo-German Front-Enemy Losses Heavy

MOSCOW, June 12-Aerial warfare continues to supply the main action in the fighting between Russia and Germany. The score for yesterday is reported to have been 160 Nazi planes brought down while the Russians lost but 19.

Twenty-two Nazi planes, ap-MONTREAL, June 12- What is proaching Leningrad in waves,

There was another bombing raid man six-foot plus requires more by the Germans on the Russian Inquest is Held handle to his shovel than a man industrial city of Gorki but dam-

track workers of the Canadian Na- ed a number of Nazi air fields on

inches of handle reduce labor ef- Property of Wiggs O'Neill at Smithers Burned

Matters of this character are SMITHERS, June 12- Fire desunion management co - operative to Wiggs O'Neill and located at Canadian National Railwys. The noon. The cottage was not occupied thirteenth annual meeting of the at the time and no one saw it start system committee will take place at so nothing is known as to the ori-

The agenda includes subject mat- around the lake among the various care of 31,300 miles of track in adults or children, cannot be apprehended in the matter.

Women's Army Corps

maintenance and construction and Dye of Prince Rupert have enlisted noon and most of them do not the men employed in the work. The in the Canadian Women's Army have their lunch until one o'clock. union leaders will include the fol- Corps and will be leaving next The commanding officer of the lowing Brotherhood officers: W. Monday night for Vancouver to C.W.A.C.'s, Major Sorby and Major-Dye has been at the Pacific Cafe.

WEIGHTY MUSCLES

An average man's muscles weigh 55 pounds.

ARMSTRONG WINS

NEW YORK-Henry Armstrong came ripping and tearing down the stretch of ten of the fiercest rounds Madison Square Garden had ever seen to squeeze through with a decision over Sammy Angott before a near capacity crowd last night. Angott set up an early lead but the one-time world's triple champion put on a bristling drive to win a unanimous decision.

CUBS SINK SUB HAVA, Cuba-It is announced that a patrol vessel or Cuban sub-chaser had sunk an enemy submarine in a battle off the Cuban coast in the Atlantic a few days ago.

BY-ELECTION DATES OTTAWA-It was learned from reliable sources Friday night that four federal by-elections in Montreal-Cartier, Stanstead (Quebec), Humboldt (Saskatchewan) and Selkirk (Manitoba) will be held possibly on August 9.

An inquest into the death of Kalle Maki, about 50, formerly of Port Arthur, who died in the Prince Rupert General Hospital yesterday morning following an accident at Port Edward Thursday

night, was held this morning. Maki, a native of Finland, was an employee of the Bridge and Dredging Company at the time of his death. He was crushed by a

The jury, under Coroner M. M. Stephens, consists of Robert J. Coleman, Thomas Ballinger, Cherril McIntyre, James L. Corral, Charles Y. McIntyre, Charles Lund-

The inquest was adjourned.

LONDON, June 12 (P)—The Canadian Girls' Club went one step further to give its members every comfort and facility when Lady Tweedsmuir officially opened the canteen. There, for a yearly sub--scription of \$1.12 the girls can get snacks at reasonable prices in reasonable time and without having to queue.

Few girls attended the opening ceremony because it was held at Tweedsmuir for coming to the

"Girls have twin demons," Lady Tweedsmuir said. "One is home sickness and the other is loneliness, and this club is doing much to relieve both."