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The Governor General's Visit . . .

The visit of the Governor General and Princess Alice, who arrive in Prince Rupert tonight for a six-day stay, is appropriate enough in these serious days of war. Loyal Prince Rupert citizens will welcome the royal couple because of what they represent and also because we hear that they are genial, democratic people who like simple and plain things and are desirous of meeting the fighting forces and the people without standing on ceremony. They have already expressed the desire that there shall be no ostentation or show and that formalities and enter--tainment shall be kept to a minimum.

A wholesome and hearty welcome will be extended to His Excellency and Her Royal Highness and the Daily News joins in expressing the hope that their visit will be a pleasant and profitable one.

It has been announced that the Governor General is coming primarily to meet the forces and inspect defences. The civilian population is, nevertheless, keenly interested.

Spiritual Issues . . .

In a recent broadcast talk from London, the Archbishop of Canterbury said that, whereas the United Nations stand for freedom, justice and supremacy of moral law, "the Axis powers stand for the State as an object of supreme allegiance and as a concentration of power unamenable to any higher authority or law." And he traced how "the State came to be thought of as an end in itself-a doctrine long held in Germany and nakedly proclaimed by the Nazis."

The spiritual issue of this war then is—who is to control the person which every citizen is? God or the State? We have only to look at Germany to see the results of the State dictating its will to the citizens, as the German people has allowed it to do. Acting on its belief that the State is its own law, the Hitlerite regime has reduced its people to cyphers. The German citizen has no rights, except to do as the State directs—no right to justice, which the German State has defined as whatever the State decrees-no right to the truth, which the German State says is whatever its interests demand-no right to mercy, as the executions and concentration camps, prove—no right to conscience, as the oppression of the Christian Churches in Germany showsno right to citizenship, or race, or even food and life, as the daily extermination of Jews and others makes clear-no right of speech which does not echo the words of the State-no right to himself, except as a man obeys the State in every activity, physical, mental and spiritual.

In every war, and supremely in this war, the State must take to itself, unusual and far-reaching powers. But, even with their extended powers, Britain and America and the other democracies still recognize human rights-justice is still intended and given, mercy is still shown, the truth is still our measure (though all the truth may not be revealed immediately); there is an amazing amount of free speech and action and writing; worship is free, and the rights of conscience are respected even in dire times like the present. Some lesser rights we have given up by our own will expressed through our democratic institutions: many of these will be resumed in due course; but it is true to say that in Britain, in America, and in some other countries, no inner right has been violated and the "holy of holies" which is in every one of us has not been invaded.

The sum of the matter is that we are fighting for the freedom of our very souls, not merely for our country's right to exist, or for our right to build a new and better world; we are fighting for the free exercise of those inner activities of the snirit. those God-given rights of man, without which life is not life as the Christian has been taught it.

An Axis victory would mean the enslavement of mankind-bodily, mental and spiritual enslavement -to this, the Hitlerite and the Japanese States have already brought their own people, and would bring us all. But, when the United Nations are victorious, the human spirit, still free and ready to guard its freedoms, will have the opportunity to create a fuller life based on justice, without which nothing can for long endure. .

Briefs From Britain

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BRFIEFS FROM BRITAIN Kent's (England) harvest this yaer is the biggest in 70 years

More than 2,000,000 people in Britain have lost their indentity cards since 1939.

Lady MacGregor of MacGreg- present incumbent. or has been appointed a member of the Royal Fine Arts commission for Scotland.

at lunch discovered he had been awarded the B. E. M. 17 months

coalower, poet and artist, has ing instruments and the men resigned from the Rooyal Corps to play them. of Signals because of ill health

One machine-gun bullet from

discharge, Victor Gurney of when it struck an overhead + + + + + + + + + + London reading the newspaper cable a "million-to-one shot" .

British Home Guard units are branching out with the formation of military bands, but Capt. Viscount Tredegarm. they're having trouble in find-

It has previously been ac-For nearly 100 years a mem- cepted that if more than a third ber of the Brooks family of Od- of a man's skin is destroyed iham, Hampshire, has been by burning death is certain. A Justices' clerk at Odiham and new method in Britain called Aldershot, Robert Brooks is the continuous envelope system has destroyed that theory.

A Southampton man' was a German plane put out of committed for trial on the action all the telephones over charge he broke into a house stolen goods at a pawnshop

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> The same Sunday (Sept. 3 1939) that Britain declared war, the liner Athenia was torpedoed and sunk 200 miles north of western Scotland with the loss of 125 lives. The British war cabinet was named with Winston Churchill as First Lord of the Admiralty, a post which he had held in the First Great War. France followed Britain into war. Germany's drive against Poland was in its third day and the pattern for the destruction of civilian life in shattering air raids was being set as Warsaw and other Polish cities were subjected to merciless bombings." Canada's Entry

> Canada's official declaration of war on Sept. 10, 1939, was the first time in history that the senior dominion of the British Commonwealth on its own account and by its own will proclaimed itself in a state of war. In 1914 Canada was at war when Britain was at war. In 1939 the Canadian Parliament gave its approval to the declaration, and a royal proclamation was issued by Lord Tweedsmuir, governor-general, on the authority of King George VI, announcing the existence of a state of war with Germany.

Organization of the Canadian army, navy and air force was undertaken "immediately, the ministry of munitions appeared in the cabinet, the wartime budget took shape, armed guards were placed at power stations and railway bridges; stories of horror and suspense, blackouts, gas masks, air raid shelters, torpedoings, poured from Europe to the western hemisphere. British war missions began arriving to acquire munitions and supplies for the British govern-

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WHEREAS satisfactory proof of loss of the above Certificate of Title in the name of Cora Elizabeth Black has been filed in this office, notice is hereby given that I month from the date of the first said lost centificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made

to me in writing. DATED at the Land Registry Office. Prince Rupert, B.C. this 7th day of August, A.D., 1943. ANDREW THOMPSON,

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT" (Section 28) NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR

Deputy Registrar of Titles.

LICENCE Notice is hereby given that on the 11th. day of October, A. D. 1943, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer licence No. 6173, isin respect of premises being art of the premises known as the New Royal Hotel situate at the corner of Third Avenue and Sixth Street. in the City of Prince Rupert, Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots Eleven (11) and twelve (12), Block Thirty-two (32), section One (1) Map 923. Prince Rupert Land Registration District, from Northern Hotel Company Limited of Prince Rupert. British Columbia, to Allied Hotel Comp-

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