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The German capital also an-

ward more than 10 miles, crack

ing through the enemy barrier

guarding the road to Paris, tak-

Major C. A. Nixon

Served Here, Is

Killed in France

landers and son-in-law of Mr.

ceived by Mr. McLeod.

in November, 1940.

the war broke out. He

was a lieutenant before the war

Mrs. Nixon and small daughter

ather, are at present in Vic

and Mrs. H. C. Nixon, live at

BASEBALL SCORES

National League

Coast League

New York 8, Pittsburgh 4

Seattle 3. Hollywood 2.

Oakland 7, San Diego 2.

Columbus 9, St. Paul 6.

St. Paul 8, Columbus 2,

Portland 7, San Francisco

Sacramento 4, Los Angeles 3

American Association

Louisville 2-8, Kansas City 1

Toledo 6-7. Minneapolis 4-4.

Milwaukee 17. Indianapolis 8.

International League

Montreal 10-0, Syracuse 3-8.

Rochester 6-5, Baltimore 5-2.

Buffalo 9, Jersey City 6.

Newark 5-6, Toronto 0-3.

Normandy Battlefield

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ORT BULGARIA KING OF PEACE

and Mrs. Jarvis H. McLeod Prince Rupert, has been killed discuss an armistice.

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would permit organization. So for R.A.F. air crews, as R.A.F. regiment for service duties Even with these air crews will conto flow along the training nes. Recruitment for air of acceptance will be Churchill Again Sees

AFTER ALL... IN PRINCE RUPERT

Life in Prince Rupert may have its problems, but their magnitude in no way approaches that anitcipated by a woman who recently arrived from a refined southern city to spend a visit with friends here.

After apparently hearing stories, exaggerated by time

forethought: a supply of woolfur coat, trunkful of groceries including a copious supply all rationed foods.

Himmler Killing the North Breton port of St. Malo was yielding after a four-Story Discounted Canadians had battered for-

LONDON, Aug. 9 7 -British officials said today they had found nothing concrete to confirm that Heinrich Himmler, Gestapo chief, had been assassinated, as related by a German army intelligence officer captured by the British in France. They said not much credence is placed in the story.

India's Record Army

BOMBAY-India's army-2. volunteer army in the Nearly a fourth of this total has Up to the battle of El Alamein in October, 1942, one Inin action while serving in "Fighting Fourth" had suffered France, according to word re-15,000 casualties but had captured and made prisoners ove Major Nixon served in Prince 100,000 Germans and Italians in Rupert as a lieutenant in the the Middle East. The "Fighting Irish Fusiliers of Vancouver in Fourth" crowned its achievethe early part of the war. He was married to Margaret Mc- General von Arnim; it is now Leod shortly before going over- in Italy together with the Eight? seas with the Calgary regiment Division.

An accountant, Major Nixon Airborne Troops Land was working in Los Angeles wher Loire River Valley ck to Canada to go active with

o follow up deep thrusts of the toria. Major Nixon's parents, Mr.

Oil Agreement

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9- Britain and United States signed today looking forward to a postwar policy. This is planned to supply the world with petroleun: at a fair price.

Student Pilots Given Breather During Summer

summer months until courses McMichael escaped injury. reopen, working with outdoor maintenance and construction crews of Western Air Command long the Pacific Coast.

Service Flying Training Schools are the reasons why the airmen cannot continue their training immediately.

A healthy vacation away from studies is the way some of the to win their "wings" and get into

to school," said LAC Dick Mans field, Vancouver, who is one of several aircrew trainees assigned to work with bush crews maintaining R.C.A.F. telephone communications in coastal forest re

Like others who are awaiting courses to open again, Mansfield has 80 hours of flying to his credit after completing Elementary Flying Training School

Some of the boys working in the same section are LAC Gavin Mead, 190 4th ave. W., of Prince Rupert; LAC Frank Lawrence, Galt, Ont.; LAC Bill Hert, Vancouver; LAC Jack Husband, Long Lac, Ont.; LAC Ray Logan, Sault

Ste. Marie, Ont. With experienced R. C. A. F. bushmen, they are living at small camps along the coast, clearing Japanese pocket is only a mat- trails and assisting in keeping communications lines open.

Social Figures 3 Mes Alberta; Union Nationale Eke Out Quebec Victory

ONE SEAT WILL GIVE MAJORITY IN LEGISLATURE

QUEBEC, Aug. 9 -Maurice Duplessis and the Union Nationale lacked only a single seat today for a bare majority in the Quebec legislature, with two seats still doubtful in the tabuation of votes in Tuesday's general election.

It was assumed, however, the Union Nationale would come into power.

Duplessis himself indicated he would form a government.

A possibility existed, however, that the lieutenant-governor will call on Premier Godbout with shrunken Liberal support to carry on with the second largest group in the legislature.

Balance of power is expected to lie with the Bloc Populaire. Godbout, Duplessis and Andre largest Laurendeau, Bloc Populaire world. | leader, all were elected.

> Of 88 conceded seats, Union Nationale today hold 45, Liberals 38, Bloc Ropulaire 4, and C.C.F. and Nationalist 1 apiece. The Liberal candidate is leading in one riding, the Union Nationale standard bearer in another. Voting in another seat

Prowlers Take Nothing in Store

Marauders who broke into the F. E. Hunt Ship Chandlery store Monday night apparently did so

the store, reported the break-in occurred between 10 o'clock on far as he could determine noth

Entry by the prowlers was apparently made through a side door, but three doors in the building were open when they

Commissioner For Palestine Wounded

LONDON, Aug. 9-A report received in London states Sir Ha old McMichael, British high Ready to enter the final phase commissioner to Palestine, was of their training to become R.C. wounded Tuesday in an ambush



HIS FIRST BASTILLE DAY CELEBRATION-This fair-haired little French boy, standing between two members of the Guard of Honor, watches the Canadian Bastille Day celebration in a village in Normandy. It was his first celebration of France's Day of Freedom.

ARREST 71 AND TAKE WEAPONS IN ELECTION RIOTS

Provincial Police announced as an aftermath of two election day riots in Montreal's

east end. It was estimated 19 persons suffered gunshot wounds in clashes between two rival

gangs. Five are in hospital.

No Let Up In Air Training Program

VICTORIA, Aug. 9-Air Mar-A.F. bomber and fighter pilots, attack on his car. His wound was though the Allies had superiority more than 200 young fliers are not serious. Injury also was suf- in the air in Europe there would spending their time during the fered by his secretary. Lady be no let-up in the air training

ightening

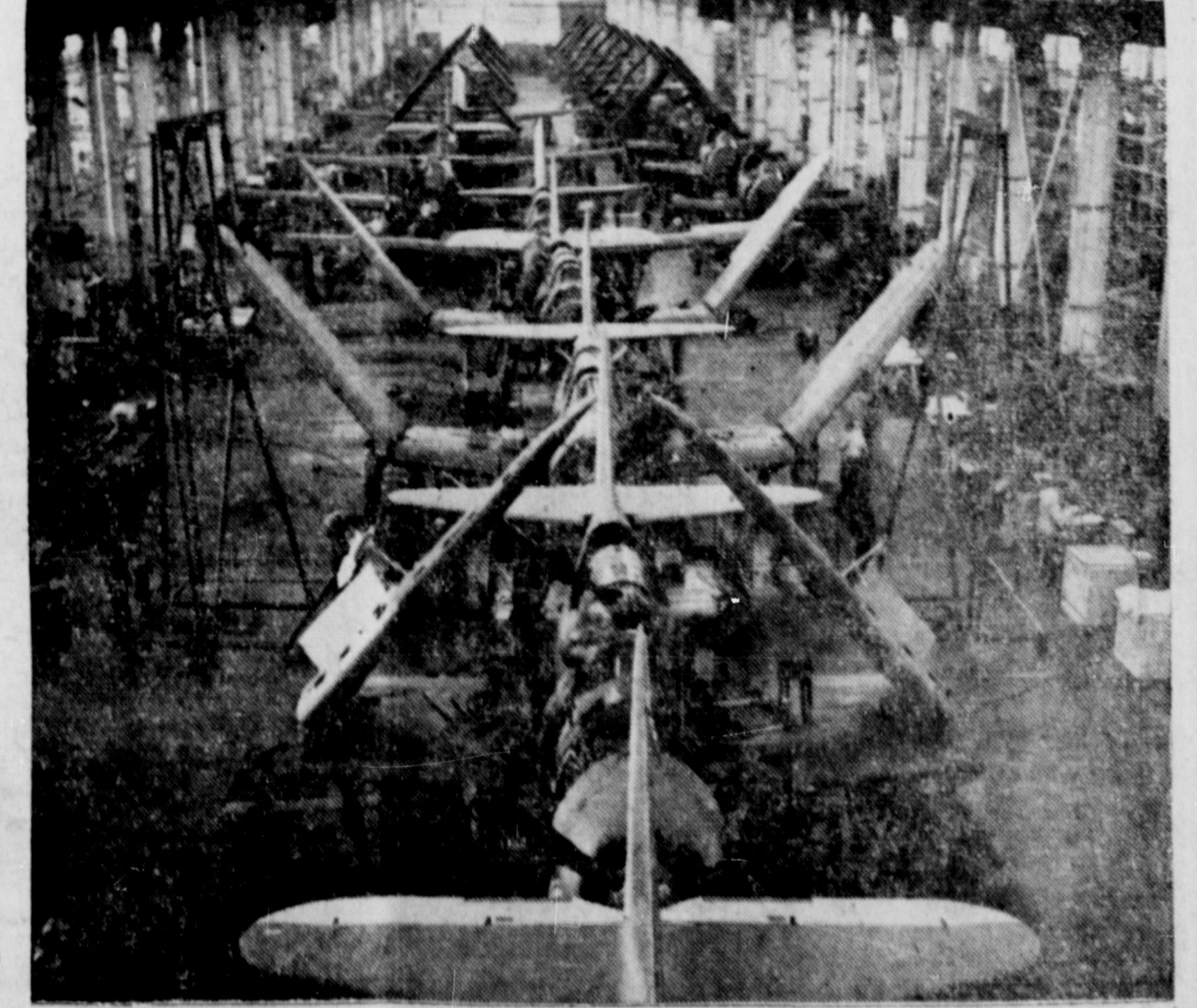
today tightened the forces, once estimated at 300. 000 men and smashed a deeper wedge through Poland toward German Silesia, west of the Vistula river.

Three Soviet columns pressed on Riga from three sides possibly the biggest kill of the summer campaign.

CHINESE TOWER

The Porcelain Tower of Nanof the 15th century.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9 (CP)- NIIS / NUILU sons and seized a large number of guns, knives and blackjacks Baltic Areas Doing Grand Job



CANADA TURNS OUT DIVE BOMBERS-Heaviest and largest dive bomber used by any of the American forces, as fast as a fighter and extremely manoeuvrable, the Curtiss Helldiver is being produced in Canada for the United States Navy to the tune of one fourth of its total production. One of the two Canadian plants producing this heavily armed plane is the Canadian Car and Foundry Co. Ltd., at Fort William, employing 5,500 workers. Picture shows bay of plant with camera's eye directed along long line of nearly-completed Helldivers.

S.C. PARTY HAS 39 SEATS, LEAD IN ANOTHER 10

EDMONTON, Aug. 9 (P)-Al- Nazis. berta's Social Credit government | The maquis are declared to and all nine cabinet ministers be forcing the Germans to dewere re-elected in the provin- stroy much of the material they cial voting Tuesday.

Victory was conceded less than ern France. half an hour after urban polls

Independents, was defeated in the Warner riding by Provincial Youngest Man To

Elmer Roper, C.C.F. leader, known until late today whether he is elected.

Premier Ernest C. Manning was assured of re-election Edmonton.

Today 41 Social Creditors had been elected and they were leading in eight others of the 57 legislature seats. Independents were leading in five, C.C.F. were leading in two, and Veterans' candidates in one.

HI YO SILVER! HORSE THIEVES IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Aug. 9-Horse thieves started their depredations here this morning in the best wild west manner.

Two young men attacked attendants at a riding stable and overpowered them. When the dust of battle had settled the thieves swung into the saddles of the two best horses and galloped away.

They were aprehended later in the morning in New Westminster, 12 miles away. The action to be taken by authori-

Army Bakers Are

life, Canada's "bakers in battledress" are doing a great job. Among them you'll find master youngest prime minister in the bakers from some of the gest baking concerns in the do- the post of minister of trade and minion. And working alongside industry. -master bakers who joined up as green apprentices and won their laurels solely as a result of the army's excellent train-

But whether master baker. first or second class baker humblest helper, all have least two things in common Each man is jealously proud of his own baking section, and each the needs arose could grab

rifle, Bren or Tommy gun and

ise it with professional skill.

He must be A or B category to ular time off until the bread job is over.

Nothing in civilian life can compare with the rigid rules of hygiene enforced among army baking staffs. Each man must Battalion, Edmonton Regiment, cleanliness, the big army bak- For Peace-time Use eries lose nothing in comparison OTTAWA, Aug. 9-Hon. C. D. with a modern hospital. What Howe, minister of munitions and

telligent in his eating habits," as peacetime flying depots. says Lt.-Col. Ralph Webb, assistant quartermaster general (catering and messing), "no group of men has contributed more, or had a tougher job, than the unsung 'Joes' of the army bakeries."

Canadian Tanks in Battle for Florence

ROME, Aug. 9—It has been re vealed for the first time that Canadian tank units are operating around Florence in support than 2,150,000 gallons of fuel per of Indian forces.

Allies Halt Evacuation Of Germans

French Patriots Forcing Nazis to Destroy Material They Had Hoped to Take Out

IRUN, Spain, Aug. 9 (9-German attempts to evacuate men and equipment from Southwestern France were outflanked by

Allied troops. Farther north they are being seriously disrupted by French patriots, the Maquis, who are sabotaging communications and spreading panic among the

had hoped to rescue from South-

James Walker, leader of the Ernest Manning

By The Canadian Press Hon. Ernest C. Manning is to continue as premier of Alberta by virtue of the Social Credit Party's overwhelming vote in that province Tuesday.

Seventeen years ago religiou minded Mr. Manning bought & radio and listened in at his farm in Rosetown, Sask., to the broadcast of William Aberhart, leader of the Prophetic Bible Institute at Calgary. That purchase paved the way for his present position as premier of Alberta and leader of the Social Credit

Deeply impressed by the words of Mr. Aberhart, the 18-year old farm youth left his home and went to Calgary, became a student at the Institute and a close friend of Mr. and Mrs. Aberhart and was "adopted" by the couple,

staying at their home. Manning and Aberhart studied night after night a new political doctrine, Social Credit, and when this new political philosophy swept the province in the 1935 general election. William Aberhart became premier and 'young' Manning took over the portfolios of provincial secretary and trade and industry. He was, at 26, the youngest cabinet minister in

the British Empire. Eight years later-May 23, 1943—Premier Aberhart died and Manning was called upon to form government. He took over the premiership at 34, the youngest British Empire. He still retains

On becoming premier, Mx Manning said it was his intention to carry on the campaign of the late Mr. Aberhart "for the security of the people."

He adopted many of the man nerisms of his teacher, copying even Mr. Aberhart's low, resonant voice. And like his predeces sor, Mr. Manning has taken over the late premier's weekly radio broadcasts, berating monopolies

Burdened with the two cabinet posts in 1935. Mr. Manning said he was "too busy" to get married but soon after he married Muriel Aileen Preston, who played the stitute. They have two children.

Born at Carnduff, Sask., Sept. 1908, his family moved to Rosetown, Sask., the following year. He was educated at Rose-

Mr. Manning's hobby is fishing but he hasn't had much time since he entered public life and hours he spends it with the 2nd in which he holds the rank of

Military Airports

is more, the staffs take unusual supply, has announced that the pride in keeping them that Hudson's Bay route of air bases may form a slow air route to "In making the Canadian sol- Europe in the post-war period. dier the best fed, the most in- Where feasible, he added, airtelligently fed and the most in- ports built for war will be used

HALIBUT SALES

American Ceiling price 15 and 131/2 Kanaga, 60,000, B.C. Packers. Eagle, 75,000, Storage Mitkog, 55,000, Booth and

Northern, 62,000, Royal and

Pacific.

Armany, 62,000, Atlin.

Canada's navy consumes more week.

Bulletins

BOMB OWN MEN DON - Allied bombers ng off their course bombcanadian troops, killing

al officers and men.

ARREST VON PAPEN DON-Franz von Papen, an ambassador to Turkey ported to have been placed r arrest in Germany upon teturn. He had sought in to sever growing relations

een Turkey and the Uni-TITO IN ROME 1E-Marshal Tito, leader e Yugoslav patriots, and taff officers, have arrived

NO LONGER HOPE NGKING Doubts conto circle here regarding etual fall to the Japanese le important railway cenf Hengyang. If that town not already fallen, some

CENTRES ARE BOMBED

battles and progress of the Allies

COLLAPSE CERTAIN

MOPPING UP GUAM es say, the hope for its hued resistance can no ter of a few days.

claimed.

CHERBOURG-A British military official, commenting on the rapid, powerful drive of the Allies in Caen area, said "this looks like the real thing." So rapid has been the advance that Germans have had to hurriedly withdraw their dangerous 88 mm guns. Allied aerial bombardments have been so intense that the enemy is having difficulty in withdrawing their forces.

MOSCOW -- Germans hemmed in the Baltic states by the fierce Russian offensive appear to have decided against escaping by sea. Eventual collapse of defenders is a certainty, Russian spokesmen

PEARL HARBOR-The battle for Guam is going into its final stage and the end of the small