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azi Strength Crumbling In Balkans

Oct. 16 (P)-Hungar, into political chaos t Horthy's unsuccess-

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adds up to a melting rrier between Russians arians, and may result ast Budapest to Vienpossible final decision

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eport said that Horthy ed arrest and is holda strongly fortified

PPOINT STRIKE

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ons have voted to strike! ontracts on a national Orchestra Man arge packing plants. Belabor minister's annt was made union loals had planned meetweek to consider the

officials estimated that orkers in plants across! there does not appear ny hope of settlement. ke, they say.

strike develops and liveases to move through its Canadians in large I feel the pinch inside a hile exports to Britain armed forces overseas immediately. Federal ent officials said.

Congress Discuss cal Action

REAL, Oct. 16—The fifth onvention of the Canangress of Labor got unhere today with deleom all parts of the coun-

ght of the convention is to be a discussion of last year embraced the CITY LOSES is the political arm of hat a group led by the Automobile Workers will

Rupert delegates to the us McPhee, respectively erty near his home. and secretary of the kers' Union.

said that labor organizthe new social and ing on his own lot. order which should be ed before there was a to the pre-war econ-

LIBUT SALES

Canadian langer, 38,000, Storage, 13.5c.

Coal Shortage May Not Come About

VANCOUVER, Oct. 16 0-The labor shortage in Canadian mines is easing up and the drastic coal shortage forecast by the fuel authorities may not occur, Mines Minister T. A. Crerar said in an interview here prior to leaving for

The question of building a wide, two-way highway from Field, B. C. to Banff, Alberta, is being considered, he said.

ARDUOUS ROAD that Hungarians are BEFORE VICTORY

OTTAWA, Oct. 16 (P) - Wa. Services Minister LaFleche spoke last night on behalf of the forthcoming Seventh Victory Loan. In a broadcast statement, Genera. LaFleche warned that before Berlin is captured, there is a petition for peace has long and arduous path to tread. And he went on, "Our forces must have every item of munitions and equipment that will [enable them to overcome a stubborn enemy at bay."

A similar warning was sounded in Ottawa last night by the former Canadian Army commander overseas-General A. G. war is concerned, there is no real ground for complacency.

Oct. 16 (P) — Labor blood plasma is needed in every visit to Prince Rupert predict- 85 miles. lumphrey Mitchell an- theatre of war and that it will ed that on the basis of explor-

What, No Bacon? their demands for Sinatra Egged By

NEW YORK, Oct. 16-Frank Sinatra crooning idol of swooning women was the target for an egg-or possibly threethrown by a drummer in the band which accompanied him as he sang before a female try were affected, and audience in a New York theatre Saturday night. The eggs hit him on the face and on his logical move appears to bow tie, and as he rushed off the stage the egg thrower was surrounded and mauled by the Voice's outraged fans. He was rescued by police.

Controversy rages around the Tourists Will Come missiles thrown by the youthful drummer, Sinatra's press agent said last night that it was not eggs that were thrown, but wet napkins, as there were no egg stains on the singer's clothes. Members of the audience insisted that they had seen Sinatra hit by three eggs. The egg thrower said that he had thrown only one. Sinatra said that he would not prosecute the markesman, who had suffered enough in his encounter with the

ngress. This year it is MOSER APPEAL hat a group led by the

In County Court Friday Judge r even advocating its dir- w. E. Fisher dismissed an apry into politics in the peal by the city against a poof the American Politi- lice court decision which found highway. It will profit addion Committee of the C. John Moser, 407 Fifth Avenue tionally from a highway to Ste-West, not guilty of a charge of wart and Hyder. Such a road violating building regulations by would allow short - vacation on are George Stanton building a garage on city prop-

ng the conference this by Magistrate W. D. Vance on not make on the 1,600-mile Al Congress president R. grounds that the city had not aska highway in three weeks clearly defined its property lines, leisurely travel." and so Moser had no way of Through to Ketchikan by the new social and so woser flat he was not build- Suggested cut-off on the Ste-

missed by Judge Fisher because up the Kispiox river, cross over date on an affidavit did not to the Naas, and follow it to correspond with the date on Stewart. Skirting the south side which the information was actually taken.

for the city.



(C.W.A.C. HEAD ARRIVES IN ENGLAND-Met by high ranking officers, Col. Margaret Eaton, Commanding Officer of the Canadian Women's Army Corps, arrived in England recently on an official business trip. In the reception committee shown here are left to right: Lt.-Col. Agnes Neill, Peterborough, Chief Nursing Sister, Lieut. Margaret Mackle, Victoria, B.C., Senior W.R.C.N.S., in the United Kingdom, Col. Eaton, and Wing Officer Kay Walker, Montreal, Senior W.D., R.C.A.F., in the United Kingdom. (Canadian Army Overseas Photo).

itself would likely continue

further, Mr. Tooth believes.

Several years ago the Ameri-

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PRINCE GEORGE, Oct. 16 ()-

ply to other parts of B.C.

urday, and the commission mov-

ed to Kamloops where a three

army is planning to welcome

servicemen returning from over-

seas to Ottawa in suitable

REAL SKYSCRAPER

The Empire State Building in

Arvid Sandahls Home

On Commando Barge

After a year and a half of

naval duties overseas—during

which he was coxswain on \$

Canadian Commando barge

which landed hard - bitten

troops in France on D-Day-

Arvid Sandahls, son of Mi.

and Mrs. John Sandahls, of

Dodge Cove, Digby Island, has

He admits that he saw plenty

of action following the D-Day

operations, and is glad of the

month's rest which is ahead of

him. At the end of his leave he

will return east for further

arrived home on leave.

naval duties.

Saw D-Day Action

day hearing will begin today.

Reception Centre

HIGHWAY FROM PORTLAND CANAL TO HAZELTON URGED AT STEWART

With the Portland Canal district poised for what 363 its residents hope will be a long period of profitable L. McNaughton. General Mc- mining activity after the war, the desirability of ob- Naughton said that so far as the taining a road connection with the rest of the continent is coming to the fore at Stewart, B.C. and its The general was speaking in companion Alaska panhandle town of Hyder,

support of the Red Cross blood W. R. Tooth, village commis-, its own as a permanent mining found indications of oil. centre. He bases his predictions on composite base-metals showings, many of which have been revealed through the recession of glaciers in the last quarter century.

Mr. Tooth's confidence is given added weight by the opinions of two Montreal men, L. M. Lymburner and J. A. Duplessis, who visited the Portland Canal district recently. The interest of Mr. Lymburner and Mr. Duples- FOREST POLICY trict recently. The interest of sis in that part of the country is more geological than geographical. They are financial men, Martin S. Caine, president of the interested in mining. When they Northern Interior Lumber Mandropped in on the Daily News ufacturers' Association, told the after a visit to Stewart they Forest Commission which say obviously had a high opinion of here Saturday that forest policy the future of the district.

Buoyed by this belief in their mineral resources, people at the head of the Canal now feel that their territory should be connected to the continental highway system. The job, they believe, would be relatively inexpensive, and probably would be surprisingly Ottawa Will Have profitable for the whole of northwestern B.C. They are thinking in terms of tourist traffic.

"Alaska is a magic name in the United States," Mr. Tooth says. "We have seen it proven hun- quarters in the Ottawa District this sector. dreds of times by tourists who Depot in Lansdowne Park inused to visit Stewart and Hyder stead of at the City's Union on the coastal boats. The fact Station. that they were only at the southern tip of the panhandle did not bother them. The important point was that they were New York City is 1.250 feet high. in Alaska, and they loved it.

"Prince Rupert is expecting much from the Skeena River tourists to visit Alaska by car during their summer vacations. Moser was found not guilty This is a trip that they could

wart highway is at Hazelton The city's appeal was dis- The road would run northwest Meziadin Lake, 30 miles east of T. W. Brown acted for Moser, of the lake it would run westand W. O. Fulton was counsel ward along the Bear River pass and American creek to the head

PEARL HARBOR, Oct. 16 (P)--- 1 Allied headquarters in the Pacific discloses the latest superdonor campaign. He said that sioner of Stewart, on a recent of the Canal. Total length is bomber raid on Formosa but no details are given and the report Incidentally, the route passes says only that military objecoday that a commis- be needed in greater quantities ations carried on during the last not far south of the anthracite- tives on the island were attackli be appointed to in- as the battles become more bit- few years the Portland Canal rich Groundhog coal fields, ed by the huge planes again todistrict will at last come into where there have also been day. It is possible that a major air raid and naval battle off For-

However, although Canadian mosa has gone into its third day. responsibility for the road Tokyo radio tells of not only would end at Stewart, the road naval action near Formosa, but also of a new air and sea battle east of the Philippines. The Japanese communique says Jap planes intercepted and carried out repeated attacks on American carrier forces east of the Philippines.

The Japanese say that the big naval battle that has been raging between Formosa and the Philippines has gone into its third day and insist that the main part of their Imperial fleet is taking part in the blattle.

and regulation in the northern interior should be considered on its own merits and divorceu from any plan which might ap-The hearings concluded Sat-

MOSCOW, Oct. 16 (P)—Russian troops have driven well into the YugoSlavian capital of Belgrade and have also taken communications centre 36 miles southeast of the city.

Berlin has indicated that more OTTAWA, Oct. 16 (P) - The Russian troops have crossed into East Prussia on a 27 mile front around the Baltic port of Memei. Moscow is silent on activities in

In the far north of the Rusian front, Red troops yesterday took the Finnish port of Pet-

Spots Flying Bomb In Air Photograph

Waaf Gave Air Ministry Clue to Nazis' Experiments at Peene-

LONDON, Oct. 16 (P)—Only woman who appeared in the otherwise all-male film of the R.A.F. 'Target for Tonight"-Flight Officer Constance Babington-Smith—is the W.A.A.F. photographic expert who spotted the clue which in May, 1943, warned Britain that Germany was trying out flying bombs.

To her the Air Ministry owe their exact knowledge of what was happening at the German experimental station at Peene munde. This W. A. A. F. officer spotted on a photograph of

Winnie and Joe Take A Bow At Moscow Ballet

MOSCOW, Oct. 16 (P)-Premier Stalin and Prime Minister Churchill have put on the greatest show-stealing act in the history of the Russian bal-

Appearing in the box reserved for them at Moscow's Bolshoi Theatre, Stalin and Churchill brought forth a seven-minute storm of applause from the packed house. It was the first public appearance since the early days of the war for Stalin.

CANADIAN WINS SOVIET AWARD

ernment, it was been learned. the Order of the British Empire ing. for his work in expediting the The big bombers thundered Athens Occupied through Iran.

Bulletins

WATCHING WORLD DISCUSSIONS

OTTAWA — The Canadian government is closely following international discussions looking to the shaping of a world security structure. Prime Minister Mackenzie King has indicated that the Canadian viewpoint on machinery for maintaining peace has been presented in international dis-

THREE YEAR LIMIT

EDMONTON—The Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion has passed a resolution asking the government to return for home defence duty in Canada soldiers in action theatres who have served overseas for more than three years, replacing them with non-volunteer home defence servicemen.

WILL SUPPORT ZIONISTS WASHINGTON - President Roosevelt said last night that if he were re-elected he would support the institution of a Jewish state in Palestine.

"DESERT FOX" DEAD LONDON - Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, Germany's desert fox died at the weekend as a result of head injuries received early in the ing the causeway. Normandy campaign. Hitler has ordered a state funeral for him. A British observer commentating on his death said that Rommel had stood poised at the gates of Suez and fell backwards into Normandy.

LONDON-The blazing German city of Duisberg was hit

STRONG AIR ACTION

by the R.C.A.F. Sunday night in continuation of powerful Allied air blows at the Reich. Also bombed were Brunswick, Berlin and Hamburg. An air ministry announcement described the night raids as having been carried out in very great strength.

FLAMES RISE 22,000 FEET PEARL HARBOR—The latest raid by American super-fortresses in the Pacific war has been described as the most successful yet carried out by the sky-giants. Pilots returning from the raid tell of flames rising 22,000 feet above the town of Okayama on the island of Formosa.

DON'T COUNT SHEEP Scientists say the mental accourages sleep.

Attempting to Shorten Lines by Greek Retreat; Tank Battle in Hungary

L'ONDON, Oct. 16 (CP)—The Berlin radio indicated today that the Germans have decided to evacuate Greece. The broadcast said "because of the Gerevacuation of Greece the Balkan front will assume a different aspect." This would indicate in the face of events in YugoSlavia and Hungary, where the

CANADIANS IN RECORD AIR BLOWS ON REICH

LONDON, Oct. 16 (P) - Cana-TORONTO, Oct. 16 (P)—Lt. Coi. dian bombers made up part of ing port of Piraeus Sunday. A Austin Davis of Toronto has the raiding force which last cribes the operation as being been awarded the Order of the night hit the German port of carried out by sea and air-Patriotic War by the Soviet gov- Wilhelmshaven and Hamburg. borne troops. The Germans are Davis is serving as director- The raid climaxed an unparal- pulling out Greece rapidly in an general of railways at Calcutta, leled week-end which broke apparent attempt to reach Ger-India. He is a transportation ex- every bombing record in the many before the Soviet and Parpert. Colonel Davis was awarded books. Eleven aircraft are miss- tisan forces in YugoSlavia cut

transport of supplies to Russia across the North Sea to carry out the fourteenth and fifteenth from Rome this morning said major Allied raids on Germany that British naval forces have hail and rain all the way home.

Wilhelmshaven received the tacks.

werp harbor is now clear.

Last front dispatches received of some Belgrade suburbs. said that in the twin drives in enemy pocket south of the es- pest, capital of Hungary. Ger-

A bulletin says Canadian troops driving from the north and south linked up Sunday PETSAMO, NORTH along the western shore of Savojaargs Inlet in Holland. FINNISH PORT, This is announced by Allied Supreme Headquarters, later the combined force advanced west- FALLS TO REDS ward to merge with the First Canadian Army in the Watervliet area.

The Germans claimed that a Canadian brigadier has been taken prisoner when the Nazis counter-attacked at the isthmus leading toward south Dele-

Week's Salmon Pack Over Million Cases

Coast salmon pack for the into Norway. week ending October 7 was 1,-035,391 cases, according to the Former Stewart Man weekly bulletin issued by the Killed in England ver. This is almost the same as l

and Skeena River areas ac- ert. counted for 433,456 cases.

cases, and chums, 211,292 cases. child live in England.

Russians are biting deep into German-held territory, that the Nazis are hoping to form a compact line somewhere outside the

German border in the Balkans.

The broadcast added that events in Greece are still fluid. British and Greek troops occupied Athens and its neighbor-

them off.

However, an announcement within 40 hours. They made their arrived at Piraeus, the Greek way to the target through an port of Athens and that Allied electrical storm and had to fight troops will be disembarked

German troops are meantime heavier blow of the night's at- fleeing northward from Greece, and British planes have attacked the enemy in the vicinity of Barissa—one hundred and thirty-five miles northwest of

Allied aircraft now are using at least one airport in the Greek capital and at the same time. Allied minesweepers have begun the job of freeing the Aegean from naval operations.

Tank Battle in Hungary Marshal Tito's headquarters says that Russian and Partisan PARIS, Oct. 16 (P)-The Ger- troops are fighting the German grip in the Schelde estuary mans on the streets of Belpocket appears to be cracking grade and that the Nazi comup. An unconfirmed Paris re- mander and his staff have fled port says the German resistance from the YugoSlav capital. Bersouth and southeast of the lin has admitted that strong pocket has suddenly collapsed Soviet forces were at the very and the entrance to the Ant- gates of the city while Moscow has announced the capture

Huge tank battles have been an area of about thirty miles raging for the past four days west of Antwerp, the First Can- on the Magyar Plains from 50 adian Army had cut in half the to 115 miles away from Budaman dispatches say the struggle North of Antwerp, the Nazis is in a state of complete flux driven the Canadians and that may be an indication back from the roads and rail- that things are not going well way causeway leading to the for the Nazis. The fate of Hunislands of the south Beveland gary is said to be at stake with and Walcheren in the estuary. Turkish broadcasts declaring Allied artillery is still dominat- that Hungarian peace delegates have left for Moscow.

LONDON, Oct. 16 - Petsamo, important Finnish port on the Arctic ocean west of Murmansk, has been captured by soldiers of the Red Army, Premier Joseph Stalin announced in Moscow on

A force of 270,000 Russians drove out the 75,000 Germans and Austrians defending the city and these now have the choice of surrendering or retreating across the top of the peninsula

Horton Jack, son of Mr. and the pack for the previous week, Mrs. P. S. Jack, formerly of and is among the largest this Stewart and now of Victoria, has been killed in England while The District Two pack of 712,- serving with the Royal Canadian 853 cases was slightly above that Engineers, according to word re of the previous week. The Naas ceived by friends in Prince Rup-

He received his schooling at Pink salmon, totalling 398,339 Stewart and later worked in Peenemunde a "speck" which tivity required in "counting cases was the leading variety, mines at Stewart, Hedley and she identified as a pilotless sheep" deters rather than en- followed by sockeye, 246,532 Bralorne. His wife and small