YEAR'S BOMBINGS LEAVES POWER OF GERMANY LITA SI MARCH AN N PREVIOUSLY aritament Bldgs.

Britain is Overcoming Four-Year Lead Nazis Held When War Opened—R.A.F. Thrusts to be Heavier

By LOUIS V. HUNTER Canadian Press Staff LONDON, April 23: (CP)—It is more than a year ago since the first British bomb was dropped on German territory. It fell on the seaplane base on the Island of Sylt, March 18, 48 hours after the first German bombing attack on British soil. Nazi bombs were dropped on the Orkneys, causing a number of civilian casualties.

The second stage in Britain's coun- § ter-bombing of Germany consisted of attacks by the Royal Air Force on military lines of communication in western Ger-LOUIS V. HUNTER





many. These attacks, begun May 11, 1940, closely followed the German bombing of Calais



Lords

+ to the Royal Air Force.

BRACKEN

LONDON, April 23 (Cana-

today

where many civilians were killed • • • • • • • • and injured and which heralded the German offensive in the west. Since those first attacks, which resembled the preliminary sparring of a pair of boxers, the weight and tempo of bombing on both sides have grown.

Air Parity

🕈 dian Press) — Lord Beaver- 🛧 Handicapped at the outset with + brook, minister of aircraft + numerical inferiority the R.A.F. + production, told the House + has had to adopt a bombing policy that which ensured that its necessarily + nearly one thousand assem- + lighter punches landed where they + bled American and Canadian + would hurt the most. In a fight + aircraft had been handed over + between a cruiserweight and a heavyweight, it is the heavier who can do the slogging. "Tit-for-tat" is no good for the lighter man. To win, he must fight with his brains. But all the time things have been changing. The four-year lead in air re-armament which the Nazis held has been reduced gradually. RETURNED Faster and bigger bombers, and crews to man them, have been pouring from Britain's factories and training schools, augmented by the Only Two Opposition Candidates growing resources of the Empire.

The rising flood now is being further swollen by supplies of aircraft from the United States.

THE GREEK SITUATION

ATHENS-King George of Greece said today that the Greek army of Epirus had "signed an armistice with the enemy without our knowing it" and announced he was withdrawing with the government to Crete. The monarch declared, however, that the armistice "in no way binds the freewill of the nation, King and government which insists on continuation of the struggle with all remaining forces with a view to securing national interests." The capitulation rendered precarious the position of remaining Greek army and British forces last reported battling Nazi divisions seeking to force through Thermopalae Pass on the eastern end of the front but a Cairo communique this morning simply said "Empire forces are consolidating new positions in Greece." Later tonight it was reliably reported from Cairo that the temporary easing of German pressure in Greece had enabled British forces to consolidate new positions.

PLYMOUTH BOMBED AGAIN

LONDON-The southwest coast port of Plymouth was subjected to another long and damaging raid by German bembers last night. Two Welsh towns were attacked early this morning. There were two alarms in London during the night but little in the way of bombing.

R.A.F. AT BREST

LONDON-The Royal Air Force struck again last night at Brest with the German battleships Scharnhorst and Gneisenau again as their obpective.

TRIPOLI HEAVILY HIT

LONDON-The largest and most spectacular bombardment in naval history has been made on the Italian Mediterranean port of Tripoli, it was announced today. Much damage was done.

FRANCO SNUBS HITLER

Against Nazis; Situation Of British Seemingly Obscure

Outlook For Expeditionary Force Not Very Bright-SHIPPING Appears to be Alternative of Evacuation or TUNGSTEN

ATHENS, April 23.-King George II. and his gov-Portland Canal Mine to Ship ernment abandoned Athens today following capitulation of the Greek armies of Epirus and Macedonia without his knowledge. The Germans were reported to be already entering Athens. The King fled to the Island of Crete in the Mediterranean, resolved to carry on the fight against

Hopeless Defence

STRAFING BY NAVY Most Spectacular Bombardment in History of Sea

> CAIRO, April 23: (CP)-Red hot guns of Great Britain's Mediterranean fleet set Tripoli Harbor aflame Monday in what officers said was the biggest and most spectacular

Warfare Carried Out

Against Italians

flight followed the capture by the Nazis of the important city of Ionnona and other important points. Berlin claimed today to have entered Thermopalae Pass where the British have been making a new Stand. There was no immediate word of the fate of the British expeditionary force which was faced with the alternative of a difficult evacuation or a seemingly hopeless continuation of the defence. A communique from Cairo said that Empire forces had consolidated new defence positions in Greece. There are estimated to be between 50,000 and 80,000 British forces, consisting to large extent of Australians, in Greece together with considerable tanks and equipment. There was pitiful confusion in Athens and other Greek cities. Air raids by German stuka dive bombers were so frequent that it was impossible to keep up a systematic alarm system. The Nazis planes were also slashing at troop movements and refugees on open roads as well as at shipping. It has come to light now how members of the German legation staff in Athens circulated among tropp; of the British Expeditionary Force and obtained advance information as to their movements.

the enemy from there. The King's

on Salmon River in Alaska alongside the Stewart-Premier road just across the border from British Columbia will soon start shipping \$60,000 worth of tungsten ore monthly through Prince Rupert to the United States, J. H. Scott, San Francisco, managing director of Riverside, announced today. Mr. Scott is in the city on his way to Stewart and will be on the property in

the 55 seats, the government has ing in weight. already won 38 and is leading in In the raids on Germany, Britain siniboia.

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Successful So Far In Manitoba

Provincial Election

Recently Prime Minister Church-WINNIPEG, April 23: - The ill was able to promise that the admalition government of Premier verse balance of bombing under John Bracken of Manitoba has which Britain fought would be albeen returned to office with a tered to the nation's advantage, and sweeping majority as a result of for some time past the R.A.F.'s atyesterday's general election. Of tacks on Germany have been grow-

fourteen. The Opposition has won now is using some of the biggest only two seats. The only Opposi- and fastest bombers in the world. tion candidates conceded elected High explosive bombs of a size and are Lewis St. George Stubbs in weight equal to anything dropped Winnipeg and D. A. Best in As- by the Nazis will find targets in the German capital and elsewhere.

Little Information

Exact information about the damage caused by Britain's bombing of German targets is not easy to obtain. The network of the "SS," a rigid censorship and fast-working demolition and salvage squad see to that. But it is known definitely that already the R.A.F. has succeeded in inflicting tremendous Sentinel, 25,000, Atlin, 9.4c and damage to Germany's war effort, particularly in her transportation Hoover, 117,000, Royal, 9.6c and system.

One raid on Berlin caused a ser-Arden, 14,000, Pacific, 9.4c and jous holdup on the subway system, while the bombing of the Westphal-Emma, 11,000, Storage, 9.5c and ian armament and industrial city of Mannheim, comparable in scale

VICHY-It is reliably reported here that General Francisco Franco has again vetoed a proposal by Chancellor Adolf Hitler to move troops through Spain for an attack on Gibraltar.

FRENCH CO-OPERATE

LONDON-There are reports here that the Vichy government has permitted large quantities of fuel to pass through Tunisia for the German and Italian forces in North Africa.

REINFORCEMENTS TO NORWAY

STOCKHOLM-Heavy reinforcements of German mechanized troops are being sent to northern Norway, it is reported here, either in fear of a British invasion or to put down mounting revolt in Norway against the occupation.

1942 TO BE BRITAIN'S YEAR

WASHINGTON, D.C.,- Rumors of a possible negotiated peace between Great Britain and Germany are ridiculed here. Neither Great Britain or United States would agree to a negotiated peace in view of past experiences with Adolf Hitler. It is felt here that the war will last into 1942 with Great Britain fighting against great odds until mass production here and at home gives her air supremacy over Germany when she will assume the ascendency. It is now considered unlikely that it will be necessary for United States to institute a convoy service or send an expeditionary force abroad. There is no idea of United States declaring war on Germany.

MALTA REPORTED BOMBED

BERLIN-The German High Command announces that Nazi dive bombers attacked Valetta, Malta, and severely damaged the naval shipyard and a destroyer and sea fuel tanks



and dispatched from Prince Rupert east by rain.

connection with the starting of

operation on Monday next of a

100-ton mill which has recently

been undergoing rebuilding. The

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bombardment in naval history. They pumped more than a thousand tons of high explosives into the base with fifteen-inch and smaller projectiles from battleships rumbling over the high Moorish walls to start great fires and crush enemy striking bases like egg shells. The scorching fire continued steadily for forty-two minutes, repeatedly scoring direct hits.

Royal Air Force headquarters here announced new raids on Bengasi and Barce.

Brest Raided By Air Force

German Battleships Scharnhorst City Affairs Carrying on Satisfacand Gneisenau Are Again Objectives of British Flyers

LONDON, April 23 (Canadian Press)-The Royal Air Force last night bombed Brest where Nazi battleships Gneisenau and Scharnhorst are still sheltering.



NO CHANGE TAX RATE

torily Except for Sewer System

There will be no change in the tax rate this year and, as there has been very little change in the assessed values of properties, there will be practically no change in the city taxes over last year.

B. C. Bracewell, city commissioner, commenting on the condition of the city this morning, said the BAD SHAPE tax rate should be higher as the cq ts of carrying on work increased with the activity around the city. However, he did not plan any

Food Conditions in That Country changes this year. Are Desperate, Says Associated It seems that the matter of **Press News Correspondent** sewering the city is causing uneasiness. Some of the old sewers NEW YORK, April 23.-Food con- have given way as a result of the ditions in Finland have become sinking of the filled streets and desperate, according to an Associ- other parts need sewers. The whole ated Press correspondent who re- system will need careful considera-



John S. McKay, Townsite Manager at Ocean Falls, Passes Away

John S. McKay, townsite man-Large Fire Started and Consider- ager of the Pacific Mills at Ocean able Damage Done at South- Falls and former accountant there, died at the paper town on Monday. He was one of the best known of-LONDON. April 23 (Canadian ficials at Ocean Falls where he had

steamer Prince George Friday.



St. George For Merrie England! - - -

Baint George, patron saint of England, whose anni-lin Cardiff by the Women's Voim- trip into the Manson Creek district. tary Services, was caring for peo- Mr. Ferguson is locator of the well versary we celebrate today, is usually depicted as a knight ple bombed from their homes two known Ingenika Mines on the Inon homeback slaving a dragon with a spear. LETTIC IS mights earlier. Five hundred home- genika River above Finlay Porks. the liess had been brought there for known of him except that he slew a dragon. Today dragon is Hitlerism that is leading almost the whole world the second time in less than a week Hon. W. J. Asselutine, minister of It was a working class district mines, has been on a flight into the astray. Once more that cross of St. George is unfurled] and the little homes they left for peace River Block during the past and the dragon slayer is leading the fight against error. when the raiders came at few days to inspect progress of op-

This centre, one of 67 operated the coast recently and is now on a

NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA POWER COMPANY LIMITED



esday, April 23, 1941. THE DAILY NEWS PAGE THREE LOCAL NEWS NOTES "Kraft Canadian Products" "Salute to Britain" Rod and Gun Club annal meet- Used furniture bought for cash ing in Legion Rooms, Thur day or sold on commission. Elio's, Moose In spite of mass air raids, with their horror and terrific destruction . . . (95) Building, Third Avenue. next, 8 p.m. (tf)000 Presbyterian Spring Sale tomor-, Little Theatre General Meeting, tonight, 8 p.m., Legion Hall. All' row April 24, 3 to 6 p.m. In spite of the ever-present threat of (95) members and friends please attend. invasion . . . (95) Capt. R. D. Coddington, assistant In spite of severely restricted dietary Recent purchasers of non-interarea medical officer here, returned to the city on the Prince George est: bearing federal war bonds instandards . . . this morning from a trip to Van-; clude Harris Levine and Dominic Elio of Prince Rupert, the former couver. The People of Britain Carry On, and +\$500 worth and the latter \$50. "BRITAIN DELIVERS THE GOODS" Mrs. Robert Cameron, who thas Alex Turnbull, inspector of been on a visit at Ocean Falls with schools, and Mrs. Turnbull return-EW BRITISH FABRICS Are Now Available in her daughter returned home from KRAFT **Kraft Cheese** the paper town on the s. Prince ed to the city on the Prince George DINNER this morning after spending the George this morning. "Serves 4" Easter vacation sea, on in Vancou-



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to the Queen's Canadian Fund for ures of liberty, peace and happi-Air Raid Victims, collected in ten ness.

very close tonight."

q follows:

"Heart-breaking pictures and eye-witnesses desolation that is going on in Great Britain, the sound and sight of exploding bombs and the result ruin are suffleient to make one despair of the return of justice as a factor of consequence in the development of peaceful and stable human relationship, for Great Britain is uffering the greatest unchristian injustice that has been recorded in history.

the principle of humanity that has told us to do our part of extending

Chungking are very close tonight, the Prince George at Ocean Falls. in one city without being reminded pert. Before returning to Vancou-



NOTICE is hereby given that on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1941, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of a building known as the Belmont Hotel, situate at 727 Third Avenue, West, Prince Rupert, upon the lands described as Lots Nos. 5 and 6, Block No. 32, Section 1, Prince Rupert Townsite, Map 923, Prince Rupert Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewwhere,

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their games with the Boston wall, Ont., Flyers at Calgary in Sox staying on top although the final eries. Smoke Eaters went noted by Washington Senators. on later to win the world chamesterday's Big League scores: pionship in Germany. National League

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Cup winners, were welcomed to Comosers Demonstrated Their Su- Prospects And Actual Winners In est place in London," says periority Over Toilers in Play ding the American League each last night after defeating Corn-Last Night

> In a challenge match between LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 23: (CP) Comosers and Toiler, teams of the -Would you like to make a wager tal on leave often put up there. Mixed Bowling League last night in the Kentucky Derby future

Schooner on Thames and Officer's **Club Has Escaped Raiders** So Far

THE DAILY NEWS

22 Years Didn't Synchronize

Well

LCNDON, April 23 (CP)schooner Seven Sea, one of the best-known sights to Londoners along the Victoria Embankment be-

side the Thames, is also "the safe-Cmdr. F. W. Goddard, R.N.V.R. The old schooner is a club past and present officers of the Navy and Merchant Service. Naval officers pa sing through the capi-

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I think that it is a very good idea but I am of the opinion that the city should be also asked to do its j share in this scheme. While the individual property owner might do his level best to clean up and beautify his grounds his natural satisfaction is considerably soured by the condition of the city's por-Lt.-Cmdr. Goddard, secretary

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