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Nazi Seventh Army Is Disintegrating In Pell Mell Retreat

Allies Reduce Escape Outlet to Eight Miles

Most of Enemy Armor Extricated—Germans Showered With Surrender Pamphlets as They Break Up Into Roving Guerilla Bands — Defenders at Falaise Cracking

ALLIED SUPREME HQ., Aug. 16 (CP)—Field Marshal Von Kluge has managed to extricate most of his armor from the still tightening Normandy trap.

German infantry remnants are streaming through the escape hatch south of Falaise.

Allies are hammering all around the perimeter of the German Seventh Army salient have halved the size of the area and narrowed the escape gap to less than eight miles.

Allied planes have wrecked hundreds of German vehicles in the Nazis' swift retreat to the east.

It is not known how many Germans are still in the trap.

Latest estimated was 50,000, a great reduction from the first estimated that ranged upward to 200,000.

The salient is approximately 20 miles long and eight miles deep.

One explanation for the failure of the Allies to close the Falaise- Argentan escape gap was that the two armies driving toward each other had to exercise extreme care to avoid coming under each others artillery fire.

Allies today launched an all-out assault on the Nazi citadel of Falaise and the Germans appeared to be cracking under the pressure of attacking Canadian, British and American troops.

Estimated German casualties in Normandy up to August 8 were between 250,000 and 300,000.

Breaking Up Into Guerilla Bands

The German Seventh Army is breaking up into roving guerilla bands and appears to have passed the point where it is able to mass its remaining men and supplies for a break through to the Seine River to join other broken and disorganized units fleeing beyond Paris.

Allies showered steel and surrender leaflets on the Seventh Army's pell mell retreat.

Berlin reported an American column is within 40 miles of Paris, threatening a new encirclement of fleeing German troops.

The German radio said Americans in the lightning 60-mile eastern drive are battling near Dreux and Chartres, 40 miles from Paris, carrying the potential menace of swinging behind the enemy and bottling him up between the river and the Atlantic coast.

Seine River bridges have been knocked out by dive bombing.

SYNTHETIC WALKER

The United States Bureau of Standards uses a machine that tests rugs by imitating the effect of as many as 48,000 footsteps.

Invasion Troops In South France Surging Forward

...es Meeting Only Negligible Oppo... from ...ermans—Mediterranean Beachheads ... Secure ...Many Prisoners Taken

ROME, Aug. 16 (CP) — Allied invasion troops ...e steadily into Southern France today from se... beachheads still meeting only negligible opposi... from the Germans as convoys poured a constant ...am of reinforcements ashore.

Reports to Geneva said the Allies had occupied Cannes and Nice and that French partisans co-operating with a thousand Allied parachute troops were about to take Marseilles, from which city the Germans were moving southwestward toward Toulon.

A BBC broadcast said the Allied forces had taken five towns including one five miles inland while prisoners streamed back in batches.

German dispatches said the Allies had made additional landings from the Mediterranean, which had increased the front to 120 miles between Toulon and San Reo.

Another Berlin dispatch said the Germans were blowing up harbor installations at Nice, Cannes and St. Trapez.

No Air Attacks In Landing Parties

No air attacks have yet been reported on landing parties. Weather is continuing to be good.

Spanish reports that Canadian troops are taking part in landings have not yet been confirmed.

While the Allies successfully landed on several beaches, they encountered serious opposition at one point which prevented them from disembarking.

...NCEL VISIT OF ...UT.-GOVERNOR

...e visit of the Lieut-Gover... W. C. Woodward, to Prince ...ert on August 31 has been ...elled, according to a mess... received Tuesday after... by Mayor H. M. Daggett. ...e message said that a letter ...explanation would follow.

...LIED BOMBS ...T CANADIANS

...ONDON, Aug. 16—The third ...ent instance of Allied aircraft ...ping bombs on their own ...en occurred Monday when 700 ...ritish bombers showered Can...dian troops in the Falaise area ...ith hundreds of tons of bombs. ...he number of casualties has ...en revealed.

...alph Allen, Globe and Mail ...ar correspondent in France, in ...copyright story estimated 500 ...ds of bombs fell prematurely ...on R.A.F. planes on Canadian ...ns Tuesday. Many Cana...were killed and many ...d. Others were shell ...

...C.A.F. Traffic Cop ...ed Invasion Day

...WITH R.C.A.F. IN FRANCE. ...As personnel of an R.C.A.F. ...ter section of the 2nd. T.A.F. ...ped from their landing barge ...o a beachead in Normandy ...a air raid was blossoming and ...y were met by a service police...an saying, "Straight ahead, ...ht, turn left and on to ...embly area."

The service policeman was ...Bill Govier, a farmer of ...tty, Alta., who was one o... first Canadian airmen to ...on French soil.

The only other Canadian with ...in the R.A.F. D-Day ...party was Cpl. A. P. Kelly, ...tle, N.S. They both were ...ally trained for their job.

...e Nazi Convoy ...f French Coast

...ONDON, Aug. 16 — H.M.C.S. ...was one of a combined ...Canadian naval force ...attacked a German supply ...off the French coast in... severe damage on the ...

PREHISTORIC PAINT

The use of veneers dates back to the earliest days of civiliza...

C.N.R. Locomotives Receiving Orders Over Their Radios

MONTREAL, Aug. 16— Radio communication was introduced to Canadian railroading for the first time today when the Canadian National Railways, in co operation with the Canadian Marconi Company, started a series of tests of the transmitting and receiving equipment developed during the present war.

The principle is similar to that employed by the tank units of the Allied armies at the front. Two Canadian National locomotives, a diesel and an electric, which operated in the electrified area of the Montreal terminals, were specially equipped and for the next few weeks their respective engineers will proceed in and out of the busy terminal on instructions received by radio, instead of the customary written train orders and signals.

It is anticipated that this new system will considerably speed up train movement and will also effect greater operating economy and efficiency.

HALIBUT SALES

American

Martindale, 70,000, B.C. Packers, 15c and 13½c.

Canadian

Prosperity A., 30,000, Pacific, 18¼c and 16½c.

LONG-TIME CULTIVATION

The watermelon has been cultivated since ancient times.

...asion of Germany by Russian ...diers Foreseen in 72 Hours

LONDON, Aug. 16—Moscow dispatches said Tuesday night that Red fighter-bomber planes had sprayed German positions at Grajewo, only two miles from the East Prussian border after Soviet troops crossed the Biezbras river, 15 miles from the frontier.

Associated Press Moscow correspondent said the invasion of Germany was likely in the next 72 hours.

Other Russians repulsed Nazi counter-attacks east of the Warsaw suburbs.

Russians last were reported within 11 miles of Warsaw.

...ment Damage ...ded in Guide

...ONDON, Aug. 16 (AP)—Britain's ...of Parliament were dam... air raids on 12 separate ...s between Sept. 11, 1940, ...y 10, 1941, it was disclosed ...ised edition of the official ...o the Palace of Westmin...

...guide, which gives parti... of the damage caused, ...t on May 10, 1941, a de... enemy air attack ap... to have been made on the ...s housing parliament. ...incidents were recorded ...one raid, including the ...ion by fire of the Com... Chamber. A bomb went ...the floor of the House ...s Chamber without ex...

...ry purpose of the guide ...er to the large numbers ...rs the war has brought ...n.

YugoSlavia Invasion Rumored in Turkey

ANKARA, Aug. 16 — Reports are abroad in Turkey today of an impending Allied invasion of YugoSlavia.

There has been no comment from other sources on this report.

C.W.A.C.'s VISIT ROME—With the dome of St. Peter's in the background, these girls of the Canadian Women's Army Corps view monuments in the Vatican grounds in Rome. Left to rght; Cpl. Helen Allberry, Courtney, B.C.; Pte. Ruth Charlton, London, Ont.; Pte. Jerry Mumford, Halifax; and Pte. Mary Reeves, Merritt, B.C.

Military Parade For Ambassador Atherton

United States Ambassador Ray C. Atherton, supported by local military authorities, will take the salute at an army march past tomorrow at 2 p.m. outside the Federal Building, Third Avenue.

Ambassador Atherton, together with his wife and two children, are scheduled to arrive from the north at 10 a.m. They will be met at the dock by army officials, and the city council headed by Mayor H. M. Daggett.

The ambassador will pay an official call at the City Hall at 11:45 and will then be taken on an inspection tour of military installations.

A luncheon of military and civic dignatories will be held at 12:30 at the staffhouse dining room, Hays Creek, after which Mr. Atherton will be driven to Port Edward.

American Army officers plan a reception at 6:30 p.m., followed by a dinner.

A special luncheon in honor of Mrs. Atherton will be held at 11:30 a.m. at the U.S. Civilian Women's Barracks, and in the afternoon the two Atherton children will be taken on a fishing trip.

The ambassador and his family will proceed south at night before returning east.

In honor of the ambassador's visit, Mayor Daggett has proclaimed a civic half-holiday.

Much activity prevailed today at the City Hall as civic and American military officials collaborated on the program and made last-minute changes.

Bulletins

ADVANCING INLAND
ROME — Advance forces of the Allies are now eight miles inland in Southern France, according to word reaching here.

CANUCKS IN FALAISE
LONDON—Canadians are reported in the outskirts of Falaise, France. Canadian casualties in this battle have been almost negligible, despite strong resistance of the Germans.

NOW HOLD CANNES
LONDON— An Algiers radio broadcast today said the Allies were now in Cannes.

PREMIER ON HOLIDAY
EDMONTON— Premier Manning of Alberta left this morning for a holiday at the coast. His destination was not announced.

BLAST NAZI HEART
LONDON—Some 2000 planes of the United Nations today planted high explosives in the heart of Germany, blowing up oil centres and aircraft plants. This series followed heavy pounding of Berlin with two-ton blockbusters, last night.

BULGARIA WORRIED
ROME—Reports reaching here indicated the Bulgarian government will hold a special session tomorrow. It is thought that the subject of a peace will be discussed.

POUND JAP BASES
PEARL HARBOR— Japanese bases northeast and southeast of the Philippines have come in for heavy poundings from the Allies.

DECIDE BATTLE AREA
TOKYO—A Japanese spokesman has stated the Japanese would fight their greatest battle on the arc extending from Japan to the Philippines.

140,000 Nazis Killed By Ukrainian Army

MOSCOW, Aug. 16 — Soviet authorities have announced that the First Ukranian Army has killed, or taken prisoner, 172,000 Germans betwen July 13 and August 12.

Of this number, approximately 140,000 were killed. For the same period the Russians destroyed 700 aircraft and captured or destroyed 1,900 tanks and self-propelled guns.

SUPPLY COMMISSION
CHUNGKING — A Chinese supply commission has been set up to deal with increasing war and food supplies to be conveyed into China by road and air.

NEGRO SOLDIERS ATTACK ITALIAN WAR PRISONERS

Body of One Italian Found Hanging in Tree at Fort Lawton

SEATTLE, Aug. 16 (AP)— Negro soldiers conducted a raid on sleeping members of an Italian military service unit at Fort Lawton, it was reported Tuesday night.

The official statement said, "A short time following the fight the body of one of the Italian soldiers was found hanging from a nearby tree."

The military statement refrained from placing the responsibility for the hanging and said an investigation was launched.

Twenty-four of the Italians who originally were brought to the United States as prisoners of war, were reported injured and hospitalized. A lesser number of attackers, said to have been armed with rocks, was injured.

The Americans were arrested.

Military officers gave no hint as to cause of the attack.

BAD WEATHER HELD UP BOTH INVASIONS

LONDON, Aug. 16—Just as bad weather had caused a postponement of D-Day, the invasion of Southern France had to be set back until Tuesday.

Invasion plans were said to be one of the war's worst-kept secrets. Talk of the invasion was common in the Mediterranean area.

Supporting the southern invasion was the greatest naval force ever assembled in the Mediterranean.

Astonishment was expressed by leaders at the smoothness with which the invasion was carried out.

C. H. CAHAN DIES

TORONTO, Aug. 16 — Charles H. Cahan, 83, secretary of state in the Bennett government, died yesterday. As a young newspaper man he studied law in his spare time, and rose in political life to a position of importance.

NAUTICAL TERM

A fathom, used as a unit of measurement in sea depth, is six feet.

REASON FOR REFORESTATION

There are more than 15,000 different uses for lumber and its by-products.

AWARDED MILITARY MEDAL

For bravery in the face of the enemy, while photographing Canadian troops in the battle for Ortona last winter Sgt. Jack Arnold Stollery of St. Thomas, Ont., has been awarded the Military Medal. A member of the Army Public Relations photographic unit in Italy, his disregard of danger while securing action pictures in the forward area was credited with bolstering morale of the combat forces. His wife, Mrs. Florence Arnold, lives at 32 Princess ave., St. Thomas, Ont. Sgt. Stollery is the second Army Public Relations Officer to be honored in recent awards, Lt. J. H. Smith of Toronto having been made a Member of the Order of the British Empire for gallantry during the Sicilian campaign.

Plumbing Business Opened at Smithers

SMITHERS, Aug. 16 — J. J. Herman has opened a heating and plumbing business in the old Lafleur building, Main st. and 3rd ave.

UKE IS PORTUGUESE

The ukelele is of Portuguese origin.

NINE MERCHANT SEAMEN JAILED

MONTREAL, Aug. 16 — Nine merchant seamen, charged with committing a disciplinary offence under the Canadian Shipping Act, were sentenced Tuesday to 45 days' imprisonment and costs.

The seamen's contracts were cancelled.

Say Patriots Moving On Vichy, Bordeaux

LONDON, Aug. 16 — Unconfirmed reports from Europe tell of thousands of French patriots marching on the cities of Vichy and Bordeaux.

BASEBALL SCORES

National League
St. Louis 6, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 6, New York 3.
Chicago 4, Philadlphia 1.
Pittsburgh 7, Boston 5.

American League
St. Louis 6, Boston 5.
New York 3, Chicago 1.
Detroit 3, Philadelphia 2.
Cleveland 1, Washington 0.

International League
Toronto 8-2, Jersey City 0-1.
Montreal 11, Baltimore 2.
Newark 7, Rochester 4.
Buffalo 9, Syracuse 2.

American Association
Toledo 10-6, Kansas City 0-5.
Columbus 5, Milwaukee 11.
Louisville 6, Milwaukee 3.
St. Paul 3, Indianapolis 0.

Pacific Coast League
San Francisco 5, Hollywood 4.
Sacramento 4, San Diego 2.

Free Transportation For Nurses Returning To Their Profession

Graduate nurses, at present engaged in other occupations, are being urged to return to the nursing profession to ease the acute need for nurses in hospitals throughout Canada.

Under new provisions of the National Selective Service, graduate nurses are assured of transportation to the hospitals and return transportation upon termination of their work. They will be entitled to reinstatement in their present employment upon leaving the hospitals.

INDIAN FOOTHOLD

Madras, on the eastern coast of India, was the first territorial possession of the British East India company.

New Non-Partisan Assn. Headed by W. M. Watts

Association to Take Active Part in all Current Matters Relative to Best Interests of Community, Officers State

W. M. Watts has been elected president of the newly-organized Prince Rupert Non-Partisan Association, formed primarily to participate in municipal affairs.

Other officers of the association, which already claims a substantial membership, are: Alderman N. E. Arnold, vice-president; A. Dominato, secretary - treasurer; with Thomas Black, Robert McKay and W. J. Scott on the executive committee.

A general meeting is planned for early in September when the executive slate will be completed. Matters of community interest also will be discussed and plans will be laid for participation of the organization in the year-end civic elections.

Preamble to the adopted by-laws governing the association reads:

"The Prince Rupert Non-Partisan Association has come into being by reason of popular demand to ensure that civic government may be free from political or party influences. The objectives of the association are to promote the welfare and development of the city as a whole: to take an active part in all current matters relative to the best interests of the community, and to ensure that representative candidates are available for election to the various civic offices. The association will endorse candidates from among those offering themselves for election; will lend support to their campaigns, and will leave such candidates free to use their experience and ability in the best interests of the city."

Missing Target Almost Impossible With New Bombsight of R.A.F.

LONDON, Aug. 16 —The Air Ministry has revealed the R.A.F. is using an automatic bombsight which enables the bombardier to pinpoint a target as small as a single building even when his plane is taking violent evasive action.

This machine, which "practically thinks for itself," consists of two main parts, a sighting head in the nose of the plane, and a computer box which is the "brains" of the machine.

All calculations, except the speed and direction of the wind, can be set before the plane takes off, leaving the bombardier only two adjustments to make over the target.

Looking through the sighting head while approaching the target, the aimer knows the point covered by a cross at the moment of release is the point at which the bombs will fall.

Even if the pilot turns, glides, climbs or takes evasive action almost up to the moment of release, the bombs can still be aimed accurately.

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EDITORIAL

COMMENDABLE EFFORT

Security officers are again emphasizing that Defence of Canada regulations prohibit the taking of parade pictures and shots of the shoreline, such that might give the enemy information should they fall into his hands.

Their determination to see that these regulations are not violated in the slightest is commendable and the public should co-operate fully.

While certain regulations and restrictions may irk us momentarily, we must all realize that the better we do our job at home the more helpful we are to our men and women at the front.

NATIONAL SPIRIT

Lack of understanding and unity in Canada can be attributed in no small measure to provincial views contained in the varied history text books used in schools across the Dominion.

Rotary clubs of Canada are united in asking for the compilation of a new history, the stories of each province being faithfully written by its own representative historian.

Through an interesting and unbiased history, common to all Canadian schools, we will create and maintain a greater national spirit in our Dominion.

This plan should be carried farther. Canadian and American historians should join in compiling a history that will serve to make the children of both nations North American-minded. However, let this new history not dwell too much on the early battles between the peoples of these two countries who have a common heritage. Not battles but common interests and needs, together with the value of co-operation, should be emphasized in such a school text book.

Terrace—

Government Aid For Roads Asked

TERRACE, Aug. 16 — Further consideration for village municipalities is sought by Terrace village commissioners in three resolutions they are sending to the Union of B.C. Municipalities for consideration at the September convention at Nelson.

One resolution seeks exemption for village municipalities from hospital payments in respect of newly born babies, on the ground new born infants are not residents within the meaning of the act.

Another asks the provincial government to restore the grant that once came from the liquor business. Commissioners contend that costs of labor and materials have so increased that the village cannot keep up road and sidewalk maintenance.

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BRIEFS

George Little left Monday for Alberta on business.

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Mrs. N. A. Sherwood returned to her nursing duties at Wrinch Memorial Hospital Monday evening.

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Nursing Sister Beatrice Marshall arrived Satuarday from Saskatoon to spend her furlough with Miss Barbara Giraud, R.N., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Sherwood.

Invitation Tourney—

Military Softball Series Finals At Terrace Saturday and Sunday

Finals of the Northern B.C. Softball Invitation Tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday at Ranger Park, Terrace, under auspices of National Y.M.C.A. War Services.

Sault Ste. Marie and Sudbury Regiments, and Port Edward, winners of their respective leagues, and the local R.C.A.F. team will represent Prince Rupert area, while the Rangers from Terrace will be the fourth team in the series.

Ed. Selyan, "Y" supervisor at Terrace, has announced the semi-finals for Saturday, opening at 1:30 p.m., and the final game at 2 p.m. Sunday. E. T. Kenney, M.P. for Terrace, will present the trophy. All games will be broadcast shortwave over 7.270 megacycles.

Saturday night, Rangers will act as hosts to the Terrace camp. Girls from Prince Rupert will attend a big dance in the recreation hall with Cpl. Wiebe and his Soo Sud Orchestra supplying the music.

Chinese are Asking Franchise in B.C.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16 — Following close upon the announcement that Chinese of military age will be called for active service the Chinese Benevolent Society petitioned Premier John Hart to introduce legislation at the next sitting of the provincial house granting the franchise to B.C. Chinese.

Vancouver Welders End Brief Walkout

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16 — More than 200 Burrard South shipyard workers are back at work today after a day and a half walkout in protest over demotion of eight charge hands. The welders were members of the Boilermakers' and Iron Shipbuilders' Union.

Social Creditors Occupy 51 Seats

EDMONTON, Aug. 16 — Still another seat in the provincial legislature has been accorded the Social Credit party as the counting of ballots is continued. This gives them 51, while the Independents have three, C.C.F. two and Veterans one.

Canadian Army Display

EDMONTON, Aug. 16—Foreign military attaches and American army observers will witness large scale military manoeuvres on a 1,260-square mile tract at Wainwright this month.

Fear Reprisals For Buzz Bombs

GENEVA, Aug. 16— The Germans' first hysterical joy over "V-1" (flying bomb) has vanished. It has been replaced by a fear of British reprisals.

People crossing the German frontier into Switzerland are beginning to paint a startling picture of German reactions to the events of the last few days. While they are alarmed by events in Russia and uneasy about events in Normandy, they are reported to be obsessed with an anxiety about flying bombs and the penalty they may have to pay.

The majority are dead against bombing of English towns. This has nothing to do with humanity; they feel they already have paid an appalling price merely to maintain the prestige of Nazi leaders.

There is ample evidence reaching here to show that replacement of Von Rundstedt by Kluge in Normandy caused a profound sensation throughout Germany. Kluge's appointment aroused little enthusiasm in Berlin. His military balance sheet during the past two years shows too heavy a deficit.

According to other German reports, Rommel's position is also shaky but, at the moment, there is no outstanding German general available.

"CHE" WHIZ

The che is a Chinese musical instrument with 25 strings.

Moose Women Hold Successful Cooking Sale at Stewart

STEWART, Aug. 16—A successful sale of home cooking was sponsored by members of Portland Canal Chapter No. 16, Women of the Moose. Funds of the chapter were materially swelled by the proceeds.

Pies, cakes, scones, cookies and other delicacies, although present in large numbers, lasted only an hour. The sale was followed by a tea.

Junior Regent C. E. Gibson was in charge of arrangements, assisted by Past Graduate Regent Hazel Tooth. Co-worker E. Newell served the cake, a donation of Past Regent Tooth. William Tooth also assisted.

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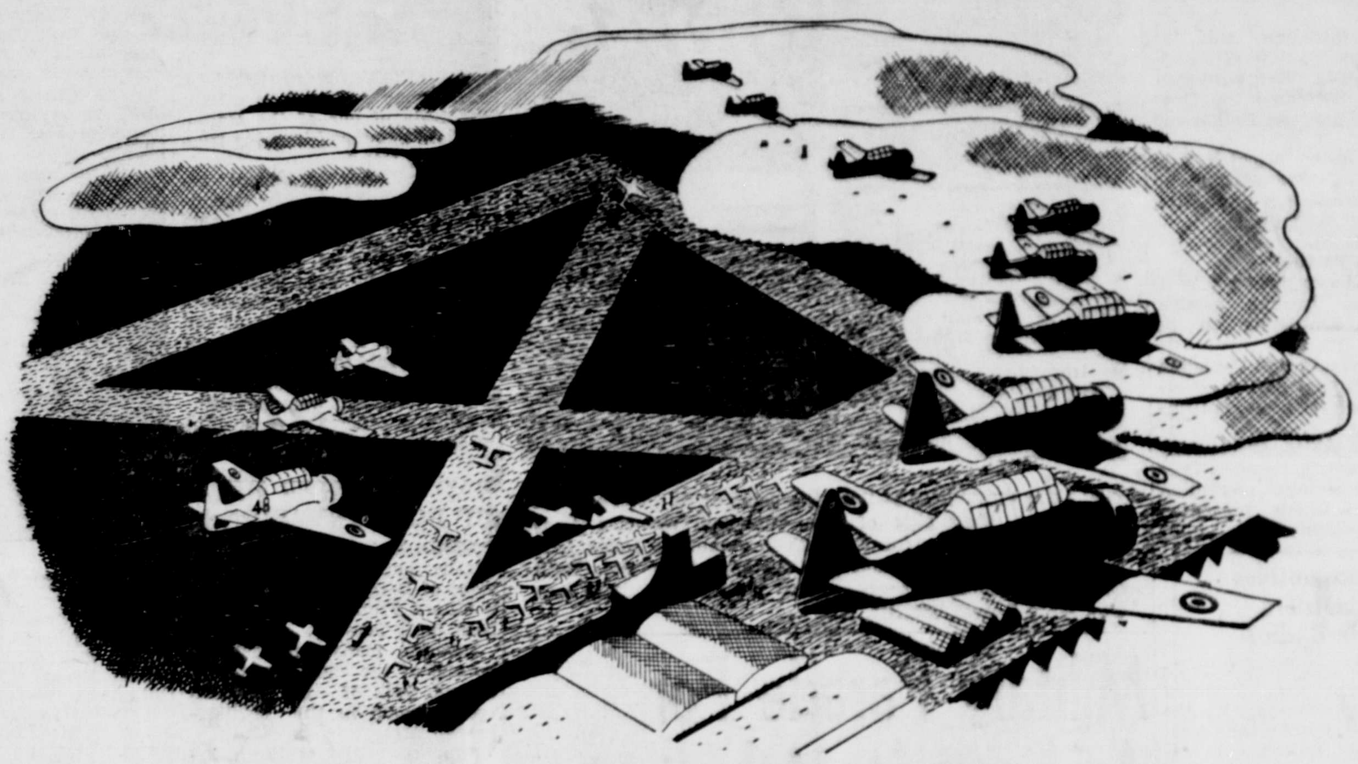

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Air power eats up gasoline: In one day's raid on the German cities of Wilhelmshafen and Dusseldorf, approximately 5,000,000 gallons were used. Three tons of aviation gasoline are needed to "deliver" every one-ton bomb. Every Mosquito that raids Berlin consumes 900 gallons. The equivalent of your year's "AA" ration would last a Lancaster bomber only ½ an hour!

Air power eats up gasoline: In this war the demand for aviation fuel alone exceeds the total demand for *all* petroleum products during the last war. Here in Canada this demand has jumped from 5,453,930 gallons in 1939 to 176,298,570 gallons in the year ended March 31, 1944—more than 32 times as much!

Air power eats up gasoline: Yet the needs of the Air Forces are only part of the story. In every field of war activity petroleum powers the attack. The Army needs it . . . the Navy needs it . . . war industry, agriculture, essential transportation operators need it. And every single drop of it must come from the same common pool as the gasoline for your car.

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Can you wonder that there is a very real shortage of gasoline here in Canada? Can you wonder that there is little gasoline left for civilian use? Can you wonder that a very real need exists for stringent economy by every gasoline and fuel oil user? Remember—every gallon we can go without here at home means that much more for the fighting man!

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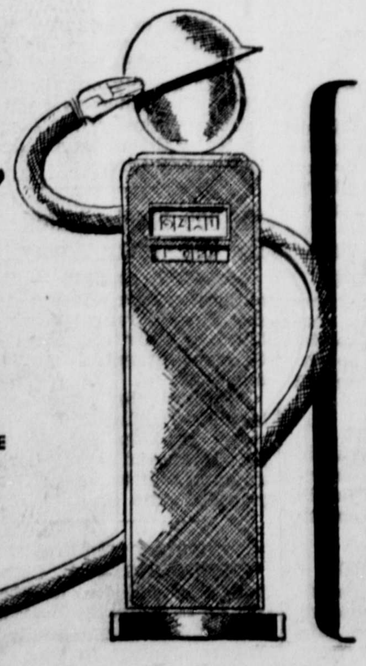

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Local News Items . . .

PHONE 86 TO CONTRIBUTE PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS

▲ Machinists Dance, Oddfellows' Hall, Sat. Aug. 19. (195)

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Johnston returned to the city this morning.

Morris Teng returned to the city this morning after attending the Reserve Army camp.

▲ W.O.T.M. meeting tonight in the Oddfellows' Hall at 8 o'clock. Social evening. (192)

Bruce Brown arrived in the city this morning from a brief trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. Nora Arnold left on last night's train on a visit to Toronto and Buffalo.

Mrs. E. Watson left on last night's train for Edmonton. She will return by way of Vancouver.

Mrs. H. D. Thain is leaving Thursday night for Vancouver where she will meet her daughter, Joan, who has been holidaying in the southern city.

Rev. J. A. Donnell arrived here this morning after a month's holiday trip at Vancouver. Mrs. Donnell is remaining in Vancouver till the end of the month.

▲ YOUR BOYS RAINCOAT is our problem too and we have a complete selection. Sizes 2 through, 18—RUPERT MEN & BOYS' STORE, just around corner from McCutcheon Drug. (195)

The luncheon for the U.S. Ambassador, Hon. Ray C. Atherton, scheduled for to morrow at 12:30 p.m. at the Navy Drill hall has been changed to the dry dock No. 1 staff dining room, Hays Cove Circle.

▲ S.O. N. Dance, Friday, Aug. 18, Oddfellows' Hall, 9:30 to 1:30. (194)

Frank Skinner left Tuesday for a month's holiday at Vancouver and White Rock.

▲ The Modern Beauty Shop wishes to announce that they are reopening in the Besner Block. (193)

Firemen answered a call at 8:45 p.m. Tuesday to extinguish a chimney fire at the home of A. C. Messer, 1153 Ambrose ave.

F. S. Dowling, of the National Fire Underwriters' Association, Vancouver, arrived in the city this morning from Vancouver on an inspection trip.

Mrs. J. McIlraith and small daughter, of Cobourg, Ont., left last night to return east after spending several weeks visiting Mrs. McIlraith's mother, Mrs. D. McD. Hunter.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King's speech will be carried by CFPR radio station from 7:30 to 8 p.m. today, according to Clarence H. Insulander, station manager.

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(Subject to Change)
6:00—CWAC Program
6:05—Recorded Interlude
6:15—Amos 'N Andy
6:45—Night Train
7:00—CBC News
7:15—The World and Ourselves
7:30—Political Broadcast
8:00—Stardust
8:30—Invitation to Music
9:00—Kay Kyser
9:30—Leicester Square
10:00—CBC News
10:10—Elmore Philpott
10:15—CBC News Roundup
10:30—Hit Parade
11:00—Silent

Announcements

All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.

Ladies' Aid Tea at Lutheran Church, Aug. 19, 2 to 6 p.m. (195)

Valhalla Dance, August 25 Oddfellows' Hall, 9:30 to 1:30.

Canadian Legion W. A. Dance, Sept. 8, Oddfellows' Hall, De-Carlo's Orchestra.

Pioneer Home Benefit Dance, Sept. 1. Oddfellows' Hall, 10 to 2. De Carlo's Orchestra.

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L/Bdr. J. MacIvor is that man, who writes of the robot bombs, calling them "zombie bombs," and says they cause as much excitement as the Second Front.

Another letter of appreciation to the women's auxiliary has been received from Cpl. J. P. Lenehan, who tells of spending a long stretch in hospital with pneumonia.

Cpl. Lenehan writes:

"Surprised, eh? Well, I haven't forgotten altogether, although I am a bit ashamed of not writing much sooner, but maybe you will excuse me, knowing I am a busy man.

"This spring I spent a long stretch in hospital with pneumonia (you will know what I mean) and after that another month on course and two weeks trade test so that has been my summer. The unit I was with before going to hospital are well away in Normandy and I hear they had a few mishaps, but these are to be expected in the tank corps.

"I saw Lieut. Gordon the other day—wasn't talking to him but Smith said he had just come over. I saw Pete Fisher a while back. Bob Moxley was in but I didn't see him. Jack McCartney arrived in C.O.R.U. today from hospital (he was 102nd too).

"This isn't much of a letter but at least it's better than any you have had from me for a good few months. Oh, thanks for the cigs. I honestly looked for the card to send back, but there wasn't any in the box.

"My brother was in today—he's been stationed down where the fly-bombs visit and he said he woke the other morning to find glass all over the floor—took out every bit of glass and he never woke up. Well my time and paper has expired. By the way, I'll write you from Paris very shortly, probably before the end of July."

L/Bdr. MacIvor writes:

"I am sorry I was unable to write you sooner, but I have just returned from a three weeks course. I wish to thank you very much for the smokes I found waiting for me on my return and I can tell you I needed them, but as it has happened many times in the past, you always seem to come to my rescue and I appreciate that fact very much.

"Well we are having a little bit more excitement around here than we have had since I came overseas. Those 'zombie bombs' as we call them—you cannot tell when they will come over—are causing as much excitement as the Second Front, but the people are taking them just as calmly as they did the invasion. Of course they have caused a number of casualties and destruction but it's the queer and unexpected places they land in that causes that. Normally, the people just carry on in the usual manner.

"Well, the invasion is going along in grand style and the Canadian lads have acquitted themselves as we all knew they would. They have had tough going, but once the crust is broken we can expect a more rapid advance. My only wish is to be over there with the rest of the boys, but as yet I am still here in Britain and there's nothing I can do about it.

And how is the weather in Prince Rupert? Improved any? I always wonder how the flowers in gardens bloom so well when they have more than their share of moisture. They have beautiful flower gardens around here and with the quaint old-fashioned houses the countryside is a treat to walk around. But I think I will stick to good old B.C. Well, I thank you again for your kindness. My regards to the W.A."

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WANTED—By Canadian couple. $25 reward for house, apartment or anything. Furnished or unfurnished; on or before Aug. 20. Ph. Green 512. (193)

URGENTLY NEEDED—By American couple with daughter, 9 years old, furnished or unfurnished two or three room suite; references. Phone Black 851. (193)

WANTED — Second-hand doll buggy. Ph. Green 698 after 12. (194)

WANTED—By the Daily News, an opportunity to show you how quickly and efficiently our classified ads work.

WANTED—By end of August, 2 furnished rooms for airforceman and wife. Ph. Blue 767. (197)

WANTED— Three to four furnished rooms for two service men's wives. American Signals 459. (192)

CHAPLAIN desires furnished house or apartment October first. Phone Green 576.

WANTED TO RENT—For young couple with 2 children, a 4 or 5 room house. Centrally located. Apply Box 757 Daily News. (tf)

WORK WANTED

ELDERLY woman wishes work as housekeeper, or care of invalid in or out of town. Apply Box 824 Daily News. (193)

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Barber chair. Phone 947. (197)

FOR SALE—Wall tables (marble tops) swivel chair, dresser, single bedstead, invalid air cushion, gramophone, records, fruit press, mackinaw coat, canvas raincoat, rubbers, aluminum ware, window glass 10-14, etc. 217 5th Ave. E. (192)

FOR SALE— Dining room suite, single bed complete, 6' 9"x9' axminster carpet, vacuum cleaner, radio, etc. Ph. Black 322, 1177 Ambrose ave. after 6. (194)

FOR SALE—300 New Hampshire Roosters, fryers. 3 months old; live or dressed. Box 806 Hazelton, B.C. (194)

FOR SALE—Three room house, Salt Lakes. Cheap. Phone Blue 615. (197)

FOR SALE—40 x 18 swing mirror with floor base; single cot and mattress; radio lamp; office chair. 1104 8th Ave. East. (193)

FOR SALE—Beautiful camp site at Lake Kathlyn, 3 acres and some cabins. For particulars write Mrs. K. E. Birnie, Smithers, B.C. (192)

FOR SALE — English motorcycle good shape, tires almost new. $200 cash. Box 822 Daily News. (192)

FOR SALE—6-room house with bath. $1500. 1956 7th Ave. East. Seal Cove. Apply H. G. Helgerson's Office. (193)

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As a setting for the various talents of this cast, a screen play has been written about the life and loves of a cover girl. Songs include: "Make Way For Tomorrow," "Sure Thing," "Put Me To The Test," "That's The Best Of All," "The Show Must Go On," "Cover Girl," "Long Ago" and "Who's Complaining?"

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LOST — Small boy's Indian sweater. Finder please phone Green 922. Reward. (194)

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WANTED—NURSES and nurses' aides needed at Wrinch Memorial Hospital in Hazelton. If interested please write to superintendent for details. (195)

WANTED—Girl to help in photo finishing store. Apply National Selective Service, AF 145. (193)

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