

# DE GAULLE SAYS PETAIN GREATLY TO BLAME

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OF A  
MERE MAN

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and shuts up his countenance.

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# NAZIS MAY TRY NEW MOVES

## French Premier Had Control Of Defence Work

### Responsibility For Lack Of Equipment Laid At Petain's Door.

## No Passports Required From U. S. Visitors

OTTAWA, June 26.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the Commons today no passports will be required from United States citizens visiting Canada.

He was answering Conservative Leader Hanson who asked the government to clarify the position in view of the new United States regulation necessitating Canadians visiting that country to have passports after July 1.

Mr. King said steps had been taken to strengthen border control including stricter immigration inspection at border points and the establishment of officers at points not previously covered.

All that would be necessary for persons coming to Canada would be to satisfy border officials that they are United States citizens, and are coming to Canada for legitimate purposes.

Canada welcomed tourists and wished to place no interference in the way of their entering Canada. Here they would find a country strengthening its forces in the fight against Nazi aggression, but wholly at peace with its democratic neighbors.

At the end of the summer, said Mr. King, it was found necessary to require passports from Americans, and to establish consular offices in the United States, ample notice would be given.

## GUARDING IN STYLE

GALVESTON, Tex.—(CP)—Galveston's beach life guards this year will be equipped with two-way radios and latest life-saving devices.

## Coming Events

Rate for Notices in this column: 5 cents per word.

Jersey Field Day, Harold Stead's Backyard, July 10th. L-884-6-26-21.

Borden Dance tonight. O. K. Press's orchestra. L-38-6-6-13-20-27.

Reserve Wednesday July 17th, for the West Covenand Tea. L-941-6-27-11.

"See Civil Service" by Little Poon Dramatic Club in Little Poon Hall, July 3rd. L-319-6-27-20-7-3.

Fox Meat beef triple 3c. Horse meat, ground meat 5c. Island Cold Storage Co., Limited. L-381-6-26-1f.

Dance and Ice Cream in Lyn-dale School, Monday night, July 1st. L-924-6-27-11.

See Kingston Play "Country School" in Kingston Hall, July 27th. Proceeds for war purposes. L-907-6-27-11.

Dominion Day at Mt. Stewart W. L. Dance at Legion Hall, benefit Red Cross. L-926-6-27-29.

Dance Lorne Valley Hall, night Caledonian Club, Webster's Orchestra. L-922-6-27-29.

Cake Sale in aid of Basileia Altar Society Saturday afternoon at S. A. McDonald's. L-871-6-26-41.

Come to Festival and Dance in Darlington School Friday night. Proceeds in aid of war purposes. L-906-6-27-11.

Ice Cream at Clinton, Thursday June 27th. Proceeds in aid of Hall. L-909-6-27-11.

York W. M. S. Cake Sale at Maritime Electric Saturday, June 27th. L-791-6-22-27.

Assembling wool at Montague Station, Friday, June 28th. Best market price paid in advance. P. E. I. Sheep Breeder's Association. L-899-6-26-21.

Shipping Club loading week of July 1st, will be delayed one day in every case on account of holiday. Loading Tuesday and Wednesday instead of Monday and Tuesday. Livestock Marketing Board. L-938-6-27-11.

## Canadian Built Warship Launched

By JACK TRACY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL, June 26.—(CP)—A warship built of Canadian materials by Canadian workmen, slid down the ways of a Montreal shipyard today. A rear admiral of the Royal Navy wished the admiralty-hull God-speed on its mission of war.

The vessel is a submarine-chaser, one of a group of similar vessels being built in Canada for service with the Royal Canadian Navy and the Royal Navy. This craft will go to Great Britain to patrol the dangerous waters of the North Sea.

The launching was perfect, but it lacked the usual ceremony associated with the blessing of a good ship about to touch the water for the first time. Engineer Rear Admiral H. A. Sheridan, admiralty representative of the British Supply Board in Canada, officiated at the ceremony.

The only women present were a group of stenographers from nearby offices, who came to watch the launching. Rear Admiral Sheridan cut the ribbons, smashing a red-inked white-and-blue-covered bottle of champagne against the vessel's bow.

A second later the 200-foot steel craft slid into the St. Lawrence River.

It is the custom for a woman to launch a ship. "But because this ship has no name as yet, I didn't like to ask any good lady to launch her," Rear Admiral Sheridan said.

All similar ships in service in British waters are named after flowers and the Rear Admiral has asked the British Admiralty to name this vessel after a Canadian wild flower, "so as to maintain the Canadian association." So far he has received no reply.

The steady beat of pneumatic riveters a most drowned out the words of Rear Admiral Sheridan when he commented on the undisciplined noise of the vessel and everyone who sails in her.

Details of the new ship were kept secret and naval officers refused to comment on her speed or armament. Even her future identity was cloaked in the cryptic words of passes admitting guests to the launching.

The ship merely "admission to view the launching of ship number 127."



DEFIES BORDEAUX "PUPPETS"

General Charles De Gaulle, under-secretary for national defence in the Reynaud cabinet, defied the Petain government's surrender decree and formed a new French government in London to carry on the war at Britain's side. He asked all "free Frenchmen" to rally around him. For his action he was stripped of his command by the government in Bordeaux.

## REPUBLICAN PLATFORM ON WAR STAND

By Richard L. Turner  
Associated Press Staff Writer

PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—(AP)—The Republican national convention tonight wheeled through a platform pledging peace, preparedness and qualified help to "peoples fighting for liberty" and, without pausing plunged at once into the spectacular and tumultuous business of receiving nominations for the presidency.

The declaration of principles, guide-post of the campaign to come, offered a blistering attack on the new deal, a proposal that the constitution be amended to prohibit a third term for any president and a pledge to attack unemployment and depression by encouraging free private enterprise.

It had been delayed by a controversy over foreign relations to a point where a convention session scheduled to begin at 2 p. m. EDT

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## Fish Catch Up, Value Down For Is. Fishermen

HALIFAX, June 26.—(CP)—The eastern division of the Department of Fisheries reported today fishermen of the Maritime Provinces caught 81,224,700 pounds of fish during May, a drop of 1,088,100 pounds from the corresponding month of last year. The landed value of \$471,676 received by the fishermen represented a decrease of \$178,153. In Nova Scotia, the catch was 28,205,100 pounds with a landed value of \$785,227, compared with 28,467,400 pounds valued at \$945,967 for May, 1939. New Brunswick's catch was 30,208,100 pounds, valued at \$265,834, last month, while the previous year, the catch in May was 30,020,100 pounds, which brought the fishermen a return of \$282,531. Prince Edward Island's fishermen brought in 6,127,500 pounds and received \$159,097 compared with 6,088,100 pounds they caught during May, 1939, and for which they received \$186,893. Fishermen of the Magdalen Islands took 10,681,000 pounds of fish, but received only \$68,346. This was a sharp increase over the 8,737,200 pounds they caught in May, 1939, and the \$46,288 they were paid for it.

During the last month, the report said that loss of lobster traps and herring nets totalled approximately \$4,800.

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## FORD ACTION UNDER FIRE IN COMMONS

OTTAWA, June 26.—(CP)—Bitter condemnation of Henry Ford as "a highly placed saboteur," and a demand that Ford properties in Canada be seized and operated under the custody of enemy alien property features today's proceedings in the House of Commons.

Refusal of Henry Ford to manufacture airplane motors for the British government brought indignation from Conservative Leader Hanson, and M. Colwell (C.C.F. Rosetown-Biggan). The latter urged action against his Canadian interests.

But Transport Minister Howe, who is also Minister of Munitions and Supply, declared the Ford Motor Company of Canada was loyally co-operating with the government in the manufacture of essential war materials.

Mr. Hanson confined his criticism entirely to the United States Ford interests, but did not indicate what retaliatory action he wanted the government to take.

Mr. Colwell recalled the labor rioting near the Ford plant in Dearborn Mich. some years ago, when several strikers were killed.

Mr. Ford, he observed amid applause.

Sabotage in High Places

Recent events in Europe had demonstrated that treachery and treason was not restricted to a few individuals, Mr. Colwell said. Leaders of industrial and financial corporations were playing their part in sabotage and treason, he declared, warning the government to take cognizance of sabotage.

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## Henry Ford In Statement On War Orders

WINDSOR, Ont., June 26.—Mr. Henry Ford issued a statement tonight in which he declared that "his decision not to build airplane engines for other than the defence of the United States in no way affects the policies of Ford Companies in Canada, England and other Empire countries. The Ford Motor Company of Canada Limited at Windsor, Ontario, and other Ford plants located in the British Empire are using their facilities to the utmost for the production of military equipment for the defence of the British Empire. They are serving their people as they should do, and as I would do if permitted and if occasion required. I am against war in any form. I have no animosity against any people of any race or nation whatsoever. I shall be glad when all wars will cease all over the world."

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## U. S. Public Opinion Swings

NEW YORK, June 26.—(CP)—A public opinion survey released today by the magazine Fortune, 67.5 per cent of the people of the United States favoring aid in varying degrees to the war effort of Great Britain and her allies.

The survey was completed before the armistice between France and the totalitarian powers was more yet the editors state the result seem "substantially to show the direction the nation's thinking will take in weeks to come." Last December's survey disclosed 67.4 per cent wanting to "take no sides."

Of the 67.5 favoring aid to the allies as shown in today's supplement to the magazine, 77 per cent declared for entering the war at once against Germany. Another 19.2 per cent was in favor of helping the Allies and going to war only if the Allies seem sure to lose.

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## British Have Confidence In War Outcome

### Have No Intention Of Quitting Conflict — See Several Factors Aiding In Victory Despite Lone Stand.

(By J. F. Sanderson, Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, June 27.—(CP Cable)—Germany has abandoned temporarily her plans to invade this country and has started on a world-wide propaganda campaign to convince neutrals that it would be futile to help Britain because her position is hopeless, it was suggested here tonight.

NEW NAZI PLAN

Throughout Europe, South America and the United States there is evidence, it was declared here, that Germany is attempting to influence public opinion against Britain, suggesting that she is in such a precarious position that further assistance to her would be wasted and could not affect the eventual course of the war.

Without in the least suggesting that he was acting in the interests of Germany, the Ministry of Information issued a statement in disagreement to a view expressed by Key Pittman, chairman of the United States Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, to the effect that Britain is totally unprepared for defence.

"The ministry expressed 'complete disagreement' with Mr. Pittman's view that 'nothing the United States has to give can do more than delay the result of the war.'"

It continued:—"On the contrary, the warmest appreciation is shown here of the magnificent effort now being made in the factories and workshops of the United States to help Great Britain in the coming struggle, which she is facing with confidence."

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## NO THOUGHT OF QUITTING

"It is felt here that it would be a poor gesture of thanks to America after the aid given if the British people, with their 45,000,000 population, were calmly to lay down their arms without a fight—in any case, Great Britain has not the slightest intention of doing so and is determined to carry the struggle through to a victorious end."

Premier Hepburn Seriously Ill

ST. THOMAS, Ont., June 26.—(CP)—Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn, Premier of Ontario since 1934, was flown to a Battle Creek, Mich., sanatorium today in "precarious" condition. He is suffering from pneumonia and had been confined to his farm home near this western Ontario city for the past two weeks.

Bundled in blankets and carried on a stretcher, Mr. Hepburn was taken by ambulance from his home to a Lambeth airport 10 miles west of London, where he was transferred to an amphibian aircraft, owned by J. P. Bickle, Toronto mining man and personal friend of the Premier, shortly after noon.

When the plane made a stop at Detroit a short time later, Dr. W. H. Avery of Toronto, personal physician to the 43-year-old Premier, said that condition of his patient is "precarious." At the sanatorium, Mr. Hepburn will receive special treatment for pneumonia, and for bronchial trouble from which he has suffered for many years.

It was presumed that the Premier's illness suddenly became more serious, necessitating special treatment. Mrs. Hepburn travelled with her husband to the Lambeth air field.

Who Rules France N. Y. Paper Asks

NEW YORK, June 26.—(CP)—"Who Rules France?" the New York Post asked today in its leading editorial.

The Post answered its own question immediately, saying "Adolf Hitler has succeeded in setting up a puppet government in France—the Petain Government."

The flight to London of Leon Blum, Edouard Herriot and Joseph Paul Boncour, all former premiers of France, was regarded by the Post as showing that "they have no doubts" about the character of the Petain Government.

The Post states that "under the circumstances, the United States Government must not recognize any act of the puppet government at Bordeaux."

But this is not enough, the editorial states. It concludes:—"Again we urge Congress and the President to send troops into all Dutch, Danish and French possessions in this hemisphere to hold them against Nazi attempts, however disguised, to establish bases here. This is the hour to act; every hour of delay strengthens Nazi designs."

IS FOUND GUILTY

YARMOUTH, N. S., June 26.—(CP)—A Supreme Court jury acquitted Herman A. Doucette, Cape St. Mary's, Digby County, of a charge of manslaughter today but found him guilty of reckless driving in the death of Edmund Dennis, 57-year-old Wellington farmer, on December 31, 1939.

Mr. Justice W. L. Hall, sentenced Doucette to six months in jail. Dennis died from injuries suffered when he was struck by a truck driven by the accused.

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados, June 26.—(CP Cable)—The Legislature of this British colony today voted £100,000 as a gift to the British Government, to be applied to the prosecution of the war.

## ANTHONY EDEN SAYS BRITISH WILL NOT FAIL

### Warns of Coming Attacks While Expressing Confidence in Victory.

LONDON, June 26.—(CP)—War Secretary Anthony Eden said today Britain will not fail "those over whom the iron wheels of the conqueror have passed" and who base their hopes on a British victory.

In a broadcast he warned that "enemy bombing attacks at night will be continued, and possibly other forms of attack will be attempted."

"But they will be repulsed, he said, and 'we shall subject the enemy in his own country to constant and heavy counter-attack from the air.'"

"I can and do promise you that the lot of the enemy will become increasingly unbearable," he said. His confidence in the result of the war was based on four factors: The British character, the "exceedingly powerful" air force, the Royal Navy whose "stranglehold is still round their (the Germans) necks" and the greatest force of soldiers ever assembled in Britain.

He said that the R. A. F. during the evacuation from Dunkerque destroyed as many as 70 German aircraft a day and added: "Our airmen can hope to do better than this when fighting in their own skies."

"No battle can be won by standing on the defensive, or even by successful counter-attack alone," Mr. Eden said.

Will Take Offensive

"When the time comes, and as sure as it will, to carry the war against the enemy wherever he

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## SOME GIRLS EARS HAVE NEVER BEEN PIERCED FOR EAR RINGS, BUT THEY HAVE OFTEN BEEN BORED

TORONTO, June 26.—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	44	71
Vancouver	49	67
Edmonton	56	68
Regina	53	70
Winnipeg	43	73
Toronto	52	66
Montreal	54	69
Quebec	55	59
Saint John	51	69
Halifax	51	61
Charlottetown	53	65

FORECAST

Maritime East: Fresh or strong breeze; cloudy and cool with showers.

Synopsis: The weather has continued cool over Ontario with light or moderate showers in some districts. It has been fair and rather cool in Manitoba with showers in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

High tide this afternoon at 8:31 and tomorrow morning at 4:13.

Sun sets this evening at 7:51 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:15.

Last quarter moon June 27, 2:13 p.m.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS

Leaves Borden 7 A. M., 9:45 A. M., 1:00 P. M., 4:45 P. M.  
Leaves Tormentine 8:15 A. M., 11:00 A. M., 3:15 P. M., 6:20 P. M. (A. S. T.)

SUNDAY SERVICE

June 16th to September 8th inclusive:—  
Leaves Borden 9 A. M., 7 P. M.  
Leaves Tormentine, 10:15 A. M., 8:10 P. M. (A. S. T.)

### Utmost In Quality

# "SALADA" TEA

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