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BIG BATTLES ARE RAGING IN FRANCE

12,000 Plane Sorties Yesterday

\$300,000 Fire Loss In Nova Scotia Village

Capt. J. A. Trainor Reported Missing In Action In France

One of Charlottetown's popular young men, Capt. Joseph A. Trainor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Austin Trainor of 120 Elm Avenue, is reported missing after a recent engagement in France.

Hope For Solution In De Gaulle Issue

LONDON, June 14 (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill today looked temporarily a debate in the House of Commons on the relations with General De Gaulle's French Committee of National Liberation.

Mickey Rooney Goes Into U.S. Army

LOS ANGELES, June 14 (AP)—Mickey Rooney, 22-year-old film star, was inducted into the United States army today and sent to Fort Meade near San Pedro for classification.

COMING EVENTS

- Talkies—Murray Harbor School Saturday, 6-13-44. Dance Springton School tonight, June 15, 6-15-44. Dance in Tracadie Hall, Friday, June 16th, 6-15-44. To arrive, bulk wheat. Book now. McCulligan & Boyle, 6-12-44. Oake Sale in aid of Altar Society, Saturday afternoon at Holy Home of Common, Friday, June 16th, 6-14-44. Social Service Rummage Sale, Holy Home of Common, Friday, June 17th, 2 to 6, 6-14-44. Hunter River Starch Factory closed until Monday, June 19th, 6-14-44. At South Rustico Hall on Friday, June 16th, the Vernon River Dramatic Club will present their play, 6-14-44. The Annual Meeting of the P. E. I. Guernsey Club will be held in the Dept. of Agriculture Thursday, June 16th, 8 o'clock, 6-14-44. Notice—Sold out of flower plants of all kinds. Please note I am holding no reserves. P. Burke, Royal, 6-14-44. Don't miss the Dance, Grifone New Fish Plant, Souris, Friday, June 16th, two orchestras, Aid Souris Hospital, 6-14-44. Mt. Herbert v. P. U. plays Cherry Valley Hall, Thursday, June 15, 6-10-14-44. Weiner Pigs—Not buying Weiner pigs until further notice. Livestock Marketing Board, 6-15-44. Souis—Friday, National Film Board Movies, 10:30 A. M., 1:30 P. M., and 8:30 P. M., 6-15-44. North Wilshire—Thursday National Film Board Movies, Entertainment after 7 and 8:45 P. M., 6-15-44. We have some Barred Rock chicks from high producing strains available Tuesdays and Fridays. It will pay you to phone, write or call Swift's Hatchery, Charlottetown, 6-15-44.

War Situation Last Night

By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst

Allied efforts to expand the Normandy beachhead eastward toward the mouth of the Seine and westward across the base of the Cherbourg Peninsula have German observers worried over which direction the next major phase of the fight may take. They report naval bombardments and possible new landing operations far beyond either end of the present beachhead.

Island Men Arrive Home From Overseas

By The Canadian Press

A contingent of members of the Canadian Fighting Force from overseas has arrived back in Canada from the battlegrounds of Italy, the sky war over Europe and the war at sea.

De Gaulle Pays Visit To Homeland

ISIGNY, FRANCE, June 14 (AP)—General De Gaulle visited his homeland today for the first time in four years and courtiers lined the streets of beachhead villages shouting his name.

Saskatchewan Electors Go To Polls Today

REGINA, June 14 (CP)—Appeals to the electorate practically completed, 150 Saskatchewan provincial election candidates today awaited the decision of the electorate to be given tomorrow when voting for 51 of the 52 provincial seats will be held in the northern riding of Humboldt, voting will be on June 14.

Casualty Reports From New Front

OTTAWA, June 14 (CP)—Reports of the first Canadian service casualties from the invasion of Western Europe have started to reach Defence Headquarters here and official notices are being sent out to next-of-kin.

Reds Within 25 Miles Of Finland's 2nd City

LONDON, June 14 (AP)—heavy bombing attacked enemy Russian armor swarming in from the east, Pinsk, Minsk, Bobruisk and through an ever-widening gap in Finland's second defence line across the Karelian Isthmus today and was believed to have swept within about 25 miles of Viipuri, Finland's second largest city.

Biggest Day Since Invasion Of Normandy

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, June 14 (AP)—Led by more than 1,500 heavy bombers, the mightiest single air armada ever launched—the Allied air forces hit Hitler's bombers in both tactical and strategic support of the invasion ground forces.

Good Showing By Sea Cadets On Inspection

The annual inspection of the Charlottetown Sea Cadets took place last evening at Prince of Wales College, when over 12 cadets and 21 crew members were inspected by the district commanding officer, Lieut. Commander O. P. MacKenzie, who was accompanied by Lieut. B. Morris, executive officer of H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte.

Lineup Of Montgomery's First Team

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, Allied Expeditionary Force, June 14 (CP)—Here is how Gen. Montgomery's "first team" in Normandy lines up along the beachhead, so far as officially announced.

Fear 10 Lost Lives In Storm

RICHIBUCTO, N.B., June 14 (CP)—Ten fishermen from this section of New Brunswick's eastern shore are believed tonight to have been drowned yesterday when a sudden storm capsized or broke up their small boat.

Plane Losses Since June 6

LONDON, June 14—Since the invasion began Allied aerial gunners have blasted at least 415 German planes out of the air—only 19 of them since midnight Monday. Allied losses have been 907, including 156 heavy bombers.

Women Snipers Trouble Allies

LONDON, June 14 (CP Cable)—Armed women, some French, two sharp-shooting pro-Axis women are among the enemy prisoners of war who have arrived in England.

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Fresh Nazi Armored Units Are In Action

By JAMES M. LONG

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, June 14 (AP)—Feroocious battles roared at both ends of the Allied line in Normandy today, with the Germans pressing constant heavy counter-attacks against which the British-Canadian forces stood firm in the Tilly-Caen area but which cost the Americans their hold on Montebourg on the Cherbourg Peninsula.

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The Germans have thrown at least two fresh armored divisions—making a total of four—into five successive counter-attacks in the 20-mile stretch from Troarn on the east through Caen and Tilly-Sur-Seules in what Headquarters described in its midnight communique as "a furious attempt to stem our advance."

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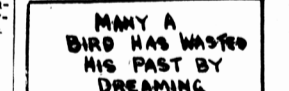
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High tide this morning at 6:45 and tonight at 7:05. Sun sets this evening at 8:46 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:12. New Moon June 20, 2 A. M.

DAILY AIR SERVICE

Charlottetown—Summerside—Montclair
Leave Charlottetown 7:35 a. m. 12:00 noon, 4:30 p. m.
Arrive Summerside 1:10 p. m. 5:45 p. m. 7:05 p. m.