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# NAZI STAGE FIERCE RAID ON DOVER

## Ralston Reviews Military Plans

Defence Minister Makes  
Long-awaited Statement  
In Parliament Yesterday

OTTAWA, July 29.—(CP)—Defence Minister Ralston told the House of Commons today that the British Isles are the island fortress of the British Empire and Canada will send a corps of two complete divisions and auxiliary troops in that direction.

## "Brain Trust" Established In War Office

OTTAWA, July 29.—(CP)—The Canadian military program was discussed today by the House of Commons. The defence minister announced that a "brain trust" of military experts had been established in the War Office to study the situation in the West and to make recommendations to the War Office.

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## BRITONS ANGRY OVER JAPAN'S LATEST ACT

TOKYO, July 30.—(Tuesday)—(AP)—Great Britain has demanded a full investigation into the death of Melville James Cox, veteran British newspaperman who, Japanese claimed, committed suicide after his arrest on espionage charges, reliable sources disclosed early today.

Britain also has called for substantial evidence of a British espionage network operating in Japan following Tokyo's action in rounding up several prominent British business men.

Japanese officials claimed Cox, a Reuters news agency correspondent, dodged his guards and hurled himself through a second-story window of the police headquarters while being questioned.

British officials were not inclined to accept a purported farewell note Cox was reported to have left. Dornel, the Japanese news agency, said the note was scribbled by Cox to his wife and intended as a will. It read:

"I know what is best always, my only love, I have been well treated, but there is no doubt about how matters are going."

Regarding the arrest of other Britons a Japanese foreign office statement said:

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## Nazi Balking At Invasion Causes Wide Conjecture

By Kirke L. Simpson  
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, July 29.—(AP)—Time is so important in the battle of Britain that the lapse of 10 days since Adolf Hitler's "last chance" peace move without a wholesale onslaught on England is causing wide conjecture.

Hitler himself noted in his recent speech that bad weather had been a major consideration in forcing postponement of the Nazi west front attack on September, 1939, until the spring of 1940. There remain of this year only six to eight weeks within which Germany could expect to complete her challenge without facing the same weather difficulties that held her almost inactive from September, 1939, to the spring of 1940.

It is difficult to fathom Hitler's reasons for withholding his final attack on England this long.

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## B. C. MEMBERS URGE LOGGERS BE INCLUDED

OTTAWA, July 29.—(CP)—Arguments from British Columbia members to have the logging industry covered by the unemployment insurance Act occupied the House of Commons until just before dinner adjournment when the bill was passed in committee.

The bill now comes up for third reading and members may if they desire, debate the whole bill over again.

Starting last Friday night when only one clause in the insurance bill remained to be passed, the demands from British Columbia members for inclusion of the logging industry were repeated.

Labour Minister McLarty previously had repeatedly advised the committee that the logging industry would not be covered by the Act, not so much because it was in many cases a seasonal occupation, but because of the difficulties of administration.

Just before the dinner adjournment Prime Minister Mackenzie King entered the debate, reminding the committee of the government's already expressed desire to have the bill sent to the Senate as soon as possible and suggesting that the repetition of arguments would lead nowhere.

Third reading was then moved, by Conservative Leader Hanson, and the bill was passed after the dinner adjournment.

Members met this morning expecting to hear from the Prime Minister, a detailed account of the war effort. But the insurance measure was called first.

The ministers stood by all day, ready to make their lengthy speeches but many after members from British Columbia urged that their supporters of the government, occupied the floor to urge that the logging industry be included in the insurance bill.

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## Enemy Loses 20 Planes in Day-long Raids

British Planes Raid 17 German  
Airdromes To Even Score

LONDON, July 30.—(Tuesday)—(CP)—German pre-dawn raiders struck again today through the darkness at blacked-out towns of southeastern England where massed dive bombers yesterday aimed at the key defence works of Dover, within sight of the Nazi-held coast of France.

Bombs smashed down on at least one southeastern town as other attacking planes streaked inland from the northeast and the southwest.

Hitler hurled his greatest aerial thunderbolt against Dover in a day-long series of savage attacks yesterday.

For a half-hour wave upon wave of dive bombers and fighters—80 in all—blasted at the channel port, only 22 miles from the French coast and possible initial objective in the long-awaited attempt at invasion.

British fighters swarmed into the skies to tangle with the attackers. Official figures placed the bag of Nazi craft downed in this engagement at 17, but unofficially the total was given as 23.

The Ministry of Information, relaxing its restrictions against naming towns attacked, gave permission tonight to name Dover as the scene of the day's major battle. Earlier the action was referred to only as a "southeastern port."

Some of the most important military concentrations in England are at Dover, a town of 40,000, and it was at these the Germans apparently were aiming their bombs.

Towering above the city is an ancient fortress, modernized in recent years. Military men say it can withstand virtually any assault. Protecting its fine harbor are

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## NAZIS GIVE RUMANIA UNTIL SEPT. 15

116,909 Enlist  
In C. A. S. F.

OTTAWA, July 29.—(CP)—Enlistments in the Canadian Active Service Force, the veterans' home guard and the non-permanent active militia between Sept. 1, 1939, and Sept. 15, 1940, totalled 116,909, announced today the Minister of National Defence.

The Royal Canadian Navy replied it was "not considered in the public interest" to give information as to its enlistments.

The enlistments in the C.A.S.F., the V.H.G. and N.P.A.M. in the military districts were:

No. 1, London, Ont., 6,695; No. 2, Toronto, 24,496; No. 3, Kingston, 15,518; No. 4, Montreal, 7,340; No. 5, Quebec, 6,316; No. 6, Halifax, 11,800; No. 7, Saint John, 9,491; No. 10, Winnipeg, 9,420; No. 11, Victoria, 9,495; No. 12, Regina, 6,349; No. 13, Calgary, 7,337.

That is, Defence headquarters enlisted 1,332.

Enlistment for the air force by provinces: Nova Scotia, 46 officers, 433 men; New Brunswick, 27, 532; Quebec, 192, 1,342; Ontario, 611, 4,896; P. E. I., 4, no men; Manitoba, 72, 1,338; Saskatchewan, 48, 1,194; Alberta, 65, 920; British Columbia, 92, 963.

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## Brigadier Foster To Visit Prov. On Inspection Tour

MONTREAL, July 29.—(CP)—Brigadier W. W. Foster, D.S.O., V.C., director of Auxiliary Services, was in Montreal today en route to the Maritimes to inspect work being done under his jurisdiction in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Brigadier Foster said he anticipated a growth in the work of providing educational activities, entertainment and recreation for the troops, within the next few weeks because of increased recruiting.

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## Another Ship Joins Expanding Canadian Navy

By Jack Mitchell  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL, July 29.—(CP)—Six and a half-ton, grey hull of another ship joined the expanding Canadian navy today in a ceremony that marked the first public appearance of Hon. Angus L. Macdonald since his appointment as Minister for Naval Affairs.

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## Swiss Press Disagrees With Nazi Suggestions

BERNE, July 29.—(AP)—German press suggestions that Switzerland "had best incorporate its economy into the vital space of Greater Germany" has led Swiss newspapers to reply that "our vital space is the entire world."

Most of Switzerland's national income comes from importing raw materials and exporting manufactured articles. Her peacetime per capita trade was greater than that of any other nation in the world prior to September, 1939.

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### War—25 Years Ago Today

By The Canadian Press

July 30, 1915—Russian authorities prepared to evacuate civilians from Warsaw when German forces threatened the Polish capital. German attacks were liquid fire in attack on Hoese, Belgium. French airmen dropped 103 bombs on German gasoline plant near Wissembourg.



### FORECAST

Maritime east: Moderate winds fall and warm, probably followed by scattered showers at night on Wednesday.

### SYNOPSIS

The weather has been fair and slightly warmer than in the Prairie Provinces with thunderstorms here and there in many parts of Ontario and a few showers and squalls in the lower lake basin.

### TORONTO, July 30.—(CP)—

Minimum and maximum temperatures:	
Dawson	41-55
Vancouver	41-70
Edmonton	42-76
Regina	44-73
Winnipeg	45-73
Toronto	58-73
Ottawa	59-74
Montreal	60-76
Quebec	60-76
Saint John	59-82
Halifax	62-83
Charlottetown	67-80

High tide this morning at 5:34 and tonight at 7:23.

Sun sets this evening at 7:30 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:45.

Next moon May 3, 7:50 a. m. Sun-moon rise 12 minutes later than Charlottetown.

### THE CAR FERRY SAILINGS

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