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RED - NAZI ARMIES LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

Speaks To Canadians



E. E. Soubry, Director of the Oil Trade Board, which controls all oil activities within the British sphere, is to be guest of honour at a dinner to be given by the Honourable C. D. Howe at Ottawa on Wednesday, July 23. Mr. Soubry has been negotiating at Washington and Ottawa in behalf of Britain's oil needs, and his remarks on Wednesday may give further impetus to the present campaign for the reduction of gasoline and oil throughout Canada. Mr. Soubry's talk will be picked up by network on Canadian radio stations.

Interpreting The War News

(By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press Staff Writer)

Berlin reports of a "big bang" raging in Russia "west of the Stalin line" tend of themselves to refute repeated Nazi assertions that the Red army's resistance is fast crumbling.

Just where the action was taking place was not indicated by the Berlin spokesmen. Unless it is in the critical centre, however, and represents either a widening at the base of the Smolensk salient, or a new Nazi pincer thrust eastward of that salient, it probably does not greatly change the situation which has been almost static in the centre since the German penetration to the Smolensk region.

Moscow claims that the Smolensk drive has been halted, even thrown back from the city, and that it is "contained" by Red armies massed along both north and south faces of the salient. A Berlin report of renewed German pressure at Mogilev, south of the salient, in which an entire Russian division was destroyed, more or less bears out that Russian claim.

The Smolensk salient, so far as it could be defined from meagre Russian and German reports, has appeared all along too narrow to be of itself a

Coming Events

- Rate for Notices in this column 3 cents per word.
- Millon festival tonight at Windsor Station. L-919.
- Wanted to buy Strawberries, Chickens, Fowl, Island Cold Storage. L-219-7-9-11
- Dance—Cardigan Hall Tuesday, July 22nd. Webster's Orchestra. L-543-7-19-21.
- Dance—Cardigan Hall Thursday, July 24th. Music by Webster's Orchestra. L-906-7-22-11
- Come to Ebenezer festival and dance Wednesday, July 23. If not the following night. L-920-7-22-21.
- Reserve Wednesday, July 23 for Wood Islands Church tea at ferry shore. L-915-7-22-21.
- Wanted to buy—Bologna Cattle, Sheep and Veal Calves, all grades. Phone, write for price. Island Cold Storage Co., Ltd. L-915-7-22-21.
- Ice Cream Festival in Cornwall Hall, Tuesday evening, July 22nd. Auspices of Young People's Union. L-511-7-19-22.
- Just arrived. Carload of Hay Salt, Lowest prices wholesale and retail. Dillon & Spillet, Charlottetown. P. E. I. L-865-7-19-41.
- Bethel Ice Cream Social for Red Cross at School July 24th or first fine night. L-549-7-22-11.
- Lawn Party, Bonshaw, July 23rd. Old modern dancing. If stormy following night. L-870-7-22-11.
- Loading hogs at Albany every Thursday afternoon Friday at Emerald until 11:30 A. M. A. C. Green, Albany. G. C. Green, Emerald.
- Ice Cream and Dance in C. M. B. Hall, Vernon River, Wednesday evening, July 23rd. Music by Drake and Ings. Dancing from 9:30 until 1 o'clock. L-907-7-22-11.

Smashing R. A. F. Blows Prelude To Heavier Raids

Some observers see large-scale British landing on Continent in offing.

(By Pat Usher)
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON, July 21—(CP)—The Royal Air Force, streaking across the English Channel again today, gave the "V" army of Nazi-held Europe something to cheer for. While British bombers smashed again at industrial sites in northern France, it was reported authoritatively here that the aerial offensive against Germany's western front is but the prelude for the heaviest raids in history which the R. A. F. will launch in the next three months.

There is wide speculation in London on the extent of R. A. F. attacks on German fortifications across the English Channel on the French coast.

Some quarters hold such attacks are preliminary to some large-scale landing, but it is more reasonable to assume that the raids are designed merely to smash German runs which shell Channel convoys. Since the majority of these runs are railway-mounted it is assumed they are well hidden when not in action. The British bombers probably are trying to destroy the tracks by which they are brought into firing positions, and to batter the fixed-mount, short-range cannon which would stand in the path of any attempt at a landing.

As the nights lengthen, attacks on a scale "which will make Coventry look like a 'pin-prick'" will be aimed at German industry from the industrial Ruhr valley to Prague, capital of dismembered Czechoslovakia.

It is presumed that big Boeing bombers and Consolidated Liberators—two of the heaviest weapons in the British aerial armory and both American-made—will be used in some of these raids.

In the number of planes engaged

Capt. Balfour Has enjoyable Fishing trip

Captain H. H. Balfour, London, member of the British House of Commons and Undersecretary for Air, arrived in Charlottetown about 5 p. m. yesterday on an inspection tour. He landed at the Charlottetown Airport.

He arrived in Canada on July 10 in connection with air training matters of the Royal Air Force. After landing here yesterday evening, he inspected No. 31 General Reconnaissance School at the airport.

Accompanying Capt. Balfour were: Capt. W. W. Wakefield, London, also of the Air Ministry and Vice Air Marshal Dalziel McKean of Ottawa. They leave on return today.

From the airport the party proceeded to Charlottetown where they were met by His Worship, Mayor B. Roy Holman and taken to an informal fishing trip which had been arranged. They went to Montague and were met by Mr. L. H. Poole who accompanied them up the beautiful Montague River. The party threw themselves to be worthy disciples of Isaac Walton—securing a good catch of trout. While they were fishing the sky proceeded to clear and extend a welcome to the distinguished visitors by putting on a grand display of Northern Lights. This was a novelty to the Undersecretary for Air and he commented "It reminds me of incendiary bombing raid seen from a distance."

After partaking of a lunch along the road, the party proceeded to the hotel in Montague where they had a short social gathering. Capt. Balfour was greatly pleased with the present of a hooked mat given him by Mrs. L. H. Poole. The mat was a map of the Island. Shortly after midnight, they returned to Charlottetown where the visitors spent the night.

Those who accompanied the Undersecretary for Air on the fishing trip were: Mayor Holman, Col. U. C. Dawson, Lt. Col. C. Chandler, Coun. J. E. Sterns, Messrs. T. M. Fullerton, Detroit, Michael Lenglé, I. Y. Reddin and J. A. Fullerton.

To collect Aluminum

OTTAWA, July 21—(CP)—National war services department officials said today that a Canada-wide drive will be staged for collection of aluminum for defence industries.

Under the plan being developed the department will urge householders and others to take articles of aluminum to the nearest Red Cross station, and donate them. The sale of such articles to industries will assist in financing of Red Cross work.

Officials said they hope to have the drive underway next week working through local salvage committees.

3 fishing vessels Lost off Nfld.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., July 21—(CP Cable)—Three fishing vessels were reported lost in marine circles here during the weekend. They were the 26-ton schooner, Royal Vigil, the barkie Andavaka and an unidentified Portuguese auxiliary vessel. No lives were lost.

The Portuguese craft, a three-masted vessel, ran aground off Cape St. Francis Saturday. All of her 11-man crew managed to reach shore. The vessel, her name not known here, apparently slipped off the rocks during the night and sank.

The Royal Vigil, owned by J. Bragg of Glovertown, Nfld., was lost in a storm off Newfoundland last Tuesday. Her crew of five reached land safely.

The Andavaka, owned by Burdock Belleoram, foundered recently in a storm while fishing in Greenland waters. Her crew of 16 were picked up and landed in Iceland.

British firemen To tour Canada

MONTREAL, July 21—(CP)—A group of three auxiliary firemen from London, England, will tour across Canada next month to bring first-hand information to Canadian fire brigades and civilian protection corps on methods of dealing with incendiary-set fires, it was announced today by the Canadian federation of mayors and municipalities.

Their maritime itinerary calls for visits to Halifax, Yarmouth, Fredericton, Saint John and Moncton.

Aluminum from U. S. kitchens

WASHINGTON, July 21—(AP)—Out of that greatest of all storehouses—the American kitchen pantry—came such a stream of old pots and pans today that defence officials quickly revised their estimates of what Mrs. Housewife could do to "keep 'em flying."

The government's aluminum salvage campaign was launched with a goal of 20,000,000 pounds. But scattered reports of the first day's collections so exceeded expectations that officials at Washington headquarters began to talk of 30,000,000 or even 40,000,000.

Everybody appeared to be taking part, and with enthusiasm, in the drive for old metal to be given the government and turned into airplanes, tank and battleship parts, and other weapons. Unions in Tacoma, Wash., built a huge collection bin in the middle of the city's busiest street intersection. Chorus girls in New York city turned out to help Boy Scouts, firemen, police, and members of civic organizations who, in the metropolises as elsewhere were gathering the donations.



"FURIOUS" LOOKS FURIOUS—Like a snorting sea monster, almost hidden by the spray and foam as she ploughs through rough seas, Britain's aircraft carrier H.M.S. Furious carries out her assignment in grim earnestness on submarine patrol somewhere at sea.

Foreign Shipping Banned From Panama Canal

Jap Vessels appear most affected by U. S. Ruling.

Says Nazis build Fake Berlin

LONDON, July 21—(CP)—London newspapers are giving prominence to reports, attributed to "travelers recently come from Berlin," that a bogus Berlin, built by the Germans outside their capital to lure Royal Air Force bombers from the real target.

R. A. F. officers, however, neither confirmed nor denied the existence of such an ersatz city.

A wood-and-cardboard outline of a whole community some distance from the real Berlin was said to have been built, reproducing such landmarks as Unter Den Linden and the Kurfurstendamm, famous Berlin streets.

Also faked in the camouflage covering several square miles, these reports are also attributed to the real target.

7 Newfoundlanders Killed by enemy action

LONDON, July 21—(CP Cable)—Seven Newfoundlanders were included tonight in a list of deaths of members of the merchant navy and fishing fleet killed by enemy action on various dates.

They are Able Seaman G. Curtis, R. King, L. Plowman and R. Spracklin of Brigus; R. Stires and R. Pico of St. John's and S. Bryant of Trinity Bay.

Nazis claim Stalin's son Taken prisoner

BERLIN, July 22—(Tuesday)—(AP)—Nazi sources claimed today that Joseph Stalin's oldest son, Jacob, had been taken prisoner by the Germans.

The oldest son of the Soviet Premier was claimed to have been captured July 16 near Ljomo (Ljomo), Russia, with a number of other officers and soldiers taken by German panzer forces under the command of Gen. Rudolf Schmidt, the sources said.

Intense Battles Over Key Areas On Roads East

Moscow reports failure of attempted German raid on Leningrad; Time becomes more important Soviet ally.

(By Henry Cassidy, Associated Press Staff Writer)
MOSCOW, July 22—(Tuesday)—(AP)—Soviet-Russian troops, meeting the full shock of the sustained German offensive, are fighting intensely in the key areas defending the cities of Moscow, Leningrad and Kiev, it was reported early today.

The Russian communique merely said that heavy fighting was in progress in the areas around Seversk, Nevel, Smolensk and Novograd Volynski.

It told of the repulse of an attempted air attack on Leningrad.

The war report said German attempts to raid Leningrad were interrupted by defence units of the Red air force "and the enemy aircraft were unable to reach the Leningrad district."

It added that 11 German planes were shot down in the first attempt to raid Leningrad and 10 were downed in a second attempt. Four Soviet planes were lost.

Meanwhile, with the fighting swaying inconclusively along the front which has been marked by bloody conflict for a month, the Red air force continued its operations against mechanized units of the Germans and their air force.

Besides the areas named in the early morning war report, it was said, no important military operations took place late Monday and last night.

Thus the fighting went on unabated in the fifth week of the German invasion and time became an increasingly important Soviet ally.

Pope Pius advised To take rest

VATICAN CITY, July 21—(AP)—Pope Pius XII was described unofficially today as suffering from nervous exhaustion and his associates were said to have prevailed upon him to spend the hot days of next month in a rustic house in the Vatican gardens.

There is nothing alarming in the Pontiff's condition, it was stated, but he has refused to leave the Vatican during the war and has had two years of heavy work without a real rest.

To enable him to spend more time in the fresh air, the house usually occupied by his director of gardens, Augusto Isopoli, has been prepared for his daytime use.

Canada names First Minister To Brazil

OTTAWA, July 21—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced late today appointment of Jean Desjars as the first Canadian Minister to Brazil.

Mr. Desjars formerly served as Canadian Minister to Belgium and the Netherlands.

The announcement said Mr. Desjars would leave for Rio De Janeiro shortly to take up his new post, accompanied by his wife and two children.

Mr. Desjars is a member of the Liberal party and has been in the cabinet since 1937. He was born in Quebec and has a law degree from the University of Montreal.

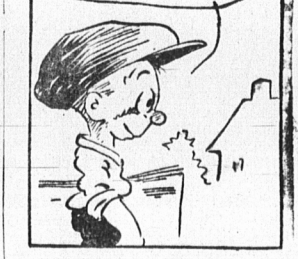
Nazis plan Fresh moves

WASHINGTON, July 21—(AP)—A warning by the United States that Germany was planning military moves against other free nations of Europe centred speculation anew tonight on the Atlantic possessions of Spain, Portugal and strategic French North Africa.

Refusing to name countries or give details, Sumner Welles, acting Secretary of State, said the government had evidence that new Nazi steps of aggression were contemplated against some remaining independent states in Europe.

Spain, Portugal and North Africa were named as next possible German objectives by Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, in testifying on selective service legislation before the Senate Military Affairs Committee last week.

MORE PEOPLE TALK THEM- SELVES INTO TROUBLE THAN OUT OF IT



TORONTO, July 21—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	42	69
Victoria	54	75
Edmonton	57	75
Regina	64	89
Winnipeg	69	95
Toronto	54	82
Ottawa	54	80
Montreal	61	77
Boston	61	85

Synopsis: The weather has been fair today in Ontario; moderately warm in the lower lake region but decidedly warm farther north. Light showers have occurred in a few parts of the Western Provinces and it has been a little cooler in Alberta and Saskatchewan but continues warm in Manitoba.

BOSTON, July 21—(AP)—Forecast: Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont—Fair in south and increasing high cloudiness in north portion, somewhat warmer Tuesday. Wednesday considerable cloudiness and warmer.

High tide this morning at 8:25 and low tide at 10:16.

Sun sets this evening at 7:39 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:34.

New moon, July 24, 3:39 a.m. Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

SUNDAY SERVICE

(Standard Time)
June 15th to Sept. 28th Inclusive
Leave Borden 6:45 A. M. 9:00 A. M. 12:00 noon, 4:45 P. M. 7:00 P. M.
Leave Cape Tormentine 8:00 A. M. 10:05 A. M. 2:30 P. M. 5:50 P. M. 8:24 P. M.
WOOD ISLANDS FERRY
Leave Wood Islands 7:00 A. M. 11:00 A. M. 3:00 P. M.
Leave Caribou 9:00 A. M. 1:00 P. M. 5:00 P. M.

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