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## NEWS FROM BRIDGEHEAD "EXCELLENT"

### Canucks Advance

WITH CANADIANS IN FRANCE, the 2nd Canadian Infantry Division, after defeating German forces on the front, is turning back into the perimeter with powerful British formations advancing from the beachhead. During the night two Canadian infantry units advanced between one and two miles and went through one town which had been strongly defended but which was found empty.

### REDS OPEN PUSH IN NORTH

**Mannerheim Line Pierced**  
LONDON, June 11 — (AP) — The Red Army, opening a major offensive on the Karelian Isthmus north of Leningrad, has smashed 15 miles through the strong Finnish Mannerheim Line and captured 20 towns and villages. Premier-Marshall Stalin disclosed tonight in an order of the day. The Russian assault on a 25-mile-wide front between Lake Ladoga and the Gulf of Finland was aimed at knocking out Finland, Germany's co-belligerent in the war against Russia, and was launched against Finland had rejected Russian armistice terms which included a demand for the expulsion of seven Nazi Divisions operating in Finland. Reports from Finns in Finland said the massive Russian assault began Friday — three days after the Allied invasion of Western France. Stalin's order of the day and a following communique announced the Russian capture of the city of Terijoki, 27 airline miles northwest of Leningrad and 160 miles east of the Finnish capital of Helsinki.

### Large Attendance At Funeral Of Col. H. D. Johnson

Men and women from all walks of life paid tribute to the late Colonel H. D. Johnson at the largely attended funeral service held on Saturday afternoon in Trinity United Church. Some of these were men who had served with him nearly half a century ago in South Africa, or who had campaigned with him in France in World War I. Still others had been soldier-comrades of his in this war. Many were civilians, Catholic and Protestant, rich and poor, but all had gathered in Trinity to pay homage to his memory.

### Advance Up To 5 Miles During Day

**By WES GALLAGHER**  
SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Monday, June 12 — (AP) — American troops, making news which headquarters declared today was "excellent—it could not be better," plunged Sunday to the outskirts of Cherbourg, 14 miles southeast of the prize port of Cherbourg, slashed half-way across the Cherbourg Peninsula, and drove deeply southeast towards St. Lo in furious battle with the Germans.

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### 7,000 Planes Support Troops

**Wooden Bullets Used By Nazis**  
ABOARD ADMIRAL HALL'S FLAGSHIP, June 9 (Delayed) — (AP) — Germans are using wooden bullets. United States Rangers today found 20-millimetre and infantry rifle ammunition with slugs hollowed out of wood fitted into the usual metal cartridge cases. They said these bullets had been used against them and that some of their men had been killed by them. The wooden bullets splinter and make wounds, although their light weight increases inaccuracy at long ranges, they probably are accurate up to 100 yards or so, Rangers said. The rifle cartridges bore evidence of having been reloaded once suggesting a shortage of steel may be forcing the Germans to use wood.

### Montgomery Says Allies In Good Position

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, June 11 — (CP) — Gen. Montgomery, in a message to his 21st army group today on the first four days of the invasion fighting, said the Allies have obtained a good position from which to exploit their success.

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### Guard Murdered In Toronto Jail

TORONTO, June 11 — (CP) — Toronto police tonight will turn Joseph O'Sullivan, recently sentenced to four years in penitentiary for armed robbery, has been charged with murdering Robert Henry Canning, 49-year-old guard at Don Jail, here last night.

### Girl Dead In Suicide Pact

PORT ARTHUR, June 11 — (CP) — Ontario's Provincial Police announced tonight that the fatal shooting Saturday of Elizabeth Hapton, 22-year-old Schreiber girl, was the result of a "suicide pact" and that a charge of murder will be laid tomorrow against her partner, Arthur Hapton, 24 also of Schreiber who is in hospital in serious condition with a gunshot wound in his temple.

### Guam Raided By Yank Task Force

WASHINGTON, June 10 — (AP) — A "powerful" United States carrier task force struck Japanese positions in Guam, the former American naval base, and two other nearby islands in the Marianas group on Saturday, the navy announced today.

### Rundstedt Expects New Allied Invasion

LONDON, June 12 — (Monday) — (CP) — The German-controlled Vichy radio early today broadcast a report from Field Marshal Gen. Karl Von Rundstedt's headquarters declaring that "another Allied invasion is imminent."

### French Partisans Reported Active

IRUN, SPAIN, June 11 — (AP) — French Partisans have occupied strategic centers in the cities of Toulouse, Limoges and Tarbes in southern France and have shot the prefects of police, mayors and other collaborationist authorities in all three cities, direct dispatches reaching here today.

### Important Jap Base Falls To Chinese Army

CHUNGKING, June 11 — (AP) — Complete occupation of Lungling, second most important Japanese base in Yunnan Province, was announced tonight by the Chinese communique, which called it "the greatest success to date for our troops in the Salween offensive."

### COMING EVENTS

- 6-10-21. Snow-Holton Friday. 6-10-21.
- 6-10-21. Red Cross Dance: Flat River Hall. June 10th. 6-10-21.
- 6-12-21. Snow-Murray River Thursday. 6-12-21.
- 6-12-21. Home's Mills, Crashing, Thursday afternoon only. 6-12-21.
- 6-12-21. "See 'Aunt Tilley Goes to Sea' by Hamer, River Y. P. U. at Hunter River Hall June 13th. 6-12-21.
- 6-12-101. To arrive, bulk wheat. Book now. McQuigan & Boyle. 6-12-101.
- 6-12-101. For Hot and other Livestock Week. Kensington. Kensington district every week. From Alton Bell J. B. McLeod or Oliver Campbell. Livestock Marketing Board. 6-12-101.
- 6-12-14-M. Leading hogs at Wheatley. For trucking service, phone Bulman & Bagnall, Hunter River; Elmer Wignore, Breadalbane; Summerside and Kensington; H. S. MacEwan and Morris Caeley. 6-12-14-M.

### Plane Missing Since Saturday

HALIFAX, June 11 — (CP) — A two-engine training plane from a base in the Annapolis Valley has been missing with two men since Saturday afternoon, the Eastern Air Command here announced tonight.

### Discover Japs And Turks With Nazis

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, June 9 — (Delayed) — (CP Cable) — To my amazement today I saw a few Japanese and a brace of Turks among German prisoners brought to Britain from the Normandy front.

### Allies Take Pescara In Rapid Advance In Italy

ROME, June 11 — (AP) — The 8th and 8th armies, pressing close behind the mauled Germans who have lost 70,000 men in a month, sped northward today in a general 10-mile advance that overran the important industrial city of Pescara on the Adriatic coast.

Advertisement for Blossom Flour, featuring a logo and text: "A DEPENDABLE FLOUR FOR ALL YOUR BAKING"

Advertisement for a lawn mower, featuring a cartoon illustration and text: "Lotta Guys Will Let You Use Their Lawn Mowers If You Stay In Their Yard"

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