First Yorkshire Field Day Is Held Yesterday

Prominent Speakers Included On Interesting Program At Experimental Farm Yesterday.

"In pig testing work outside factors are eliminated by the operation of the Test Station, thus making it possible to concentrate on the measuring of inheritance factors," said Mr. J. G. Lefebvre, Supervisor of Advanced Registry, Ottawa, at the first Yorkshire Field Day sponsored by the P. E. I. Swine Breeders Association which was held at the Experimental Farm, Charlottetown, yesterday.

A large attendance of farmers took advantage of the fine weather to be present at the first Yorkshire Field Day ever to be held in the province. Mr. S. D. Irvine, Senior Livestock Fieldman with the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Charlottetown, was director of yesterday's excellent programme. Mr. Alex. Hamilton New Perth, president of the P. E. I. Swine Breeders Association, acted as chairman.

Speakers included: Mr. J. G. Lefebvre, Mr. S. D. Irvine, Hon. W. H. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture, Dr. J. A. Clark, Superintendent of the Experimental Farm, and Dr. E. S. Notting, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Conducts Class

Mr. J.W. Graham, District Swine Grader, Moncton, at the morning meeting, conducted a class where four yearling Yorkshire sows were judged with reasons given to support the placings.

These sows were supplied for the demonstration by Mr. Frank McAulay, Souris, and Falconwood Hospital Farm.

Mr. S. D. Irvine, Senior Livestock Fieldman with the Dominion Department of Agriculture, conducted an open judging competition in which a large number of farmers took part in the placing of six market bacon hogs.

These hogs were judged with the requirements of a Grade "A" carcass in mind, and they were subsequently slaughtered and their correct placings determined. The result of this competition will be announced shortly.

Directors Meet

At a meeting of the directors of the Swine Breeders Association, which immediately followed the Field Day, it was decided to contribute the sum of $50 to the Canadian Red Cross Society for war work, and also to purchase a $50 War Saving Certificate.

Dr. J. A. Clark, Superintendent of the Experimental Farm, welcomed the swine breeders to the Farm.

He stated that there was a great improvement shown in the quality of hogs brought to the station during the past few years, due to the work of the breeders. He pointed out the necessity of striving for uniformity in the animals, and stressed the need of careful feeding when finishing them to make a success of the industry.

Soil Erosion Work

The speaker gave a short resume of the soil erosion experiment which has been carried on at the Farm, and outlined the history of the work. A patch of land which was usually covered with weeds, was selected and a process of crop rotation conducted with the result that the erosion was overcome. He claimed that soil erosion was a serious condition, and more soil fertility is lost from its effects than was necessary.

Dr. Clark spoke a few words on pasture improvement methods used at the Experimental Station, and in conclusion advised the breeders to purchase War Savings Certificates in order to help the nation.

Hon. W. H. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture, extended the greetings of the Department of Agriculture and the Provincial Government to the visiting swine breeders.

He said that one section of the province which had prospered most in the last 12 years was King's County, and claimed that this was due to a greater development of the dairy and hog industries.

"Dairying, hog raising and poultry farming are the fundamentals of successful farming as far as our province is concerned," the Minister of Agriculture said. He spoke of the efforts of his department in sponsoring these industries.

Buy War Certificates

Hon. Mr. Dennis also advised the breeders to buy War Savings Certificates and to increase production to help Great Britain in the present conflict.

He said that the first group of refugees were expected to arrive in the province within a couple of days. Up until the present there have been 160 volunteers to take the refugee children but there may be more than this number arrive, he said. He asked the farmers to consider the question of keeping one of these children in an effort to help the parents who are victims of war.

Dr. E. S. Notting, Dominion Department of Agriculture congratulated the swine breeders on the success of their first Yorkshire field day, and spoke of the vital importance of the industry at the present time, and urged the farmers to cultivate it.

The breeders of this province were extremely fortunate in having the most desirable type of bacon hog in all America, he said. They were almost entirely free of swine disease which is an envious position, he claimed.

He cautioned against being too complacent in this respect and urged the breeders to guard against allowing any disease to creep into the industry. This could be done by proper methods of cleanliness and sanitation in the quarters used by the hogs, by proper feeding schedules and by making a study of swine husbandry, breeding and feeding, he said in conclusion.

Mr. J. G. Lefebvre, Supervisor of Advanced Registry, Ottawa, discussed advanced registry for pure bred swine in detail placing special emphasis on the revised carcass score. He pointed out that the aim in A. R. work is to preserve our breeding stock and at the same time determine its utility.

"In pig testing work outside factors are eliminated by the operation of the Test Station, thus making it possible to concentrate on the measuring of inheritance factors," he said.

In conclusion, Mr. Lefebvre referred to the present advanced position of our registered breeding stock production in this province, and stressed the potential markets open to breeders of pure bred swine as among commercial hog producers.

Mr. S. D. Irvine, speaking on behalf of the P. E. I. Swine Breeders Association, extended thanks to Dr. Clark for the use of the Experimental Farm for staging the field day and also to Mr. Quigley of Davis & Fraser's for arranging a special hog kill for demonstrational purposes.

BIRTHS

MCNALLY — At Kensington, June 17, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. David McNally (nee Mary McKenna) a daughter, Mary Olga Phillipa.

MARRIAGES

FORD -YOUNG— At Trinity United Church Parsonage, Charlottetown, on July 5, 1940, by the Rev. Hugh Miller, Miss Annie Margaret Young of Charlottetown to Lloyd Irving Ford of Milton.

MACWILLIAMS - GILLESPIE — At Charlottetown, July 4, 1940, by Rev. J. H. Bishop, Doris LeFurgey Gillespie of Carleton to Hazen Harrison MacWilliams of Cape Traverse.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear Mother, Mrs. James E. Smith, who died July 7, 1939.

Deep in our hearts there's a picture
More precious than silver or gold,
Its the picture of our dear Mother,
Whose memory will never grow old.

Inserted by Family.
L-225-7-6-1i.

Card Of Thanks

Mrs. Walter Ackley wish to thank her friends and neighbours for their kindness shown her in her recent sad bereavement. L-205-7-6-1i.

N. D. MacLean
UNDERTAKER
EMBALMER
Charlottetown and North Wiltshire
Phone 149

GIBRALTAR

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acy raged at an ever-increasing tempo the air ministry announced that four German submarines had been attacked from the air with every indication of success during a five-day period last month.

German planes crossed the northeast English coast late last night and dropped bombs. Five or six explosions were heard and a splinter from one bomb killed a soldier who had gone unscathed through the Norwegian campaign.

Anti-aircraft guns opened fire and British fighting planes were heard chasing the enemy.

An air ministry bulletin late last night said that no military objectives were hit in the German raids on England during the day. A few persons were slightly injured.

Three unsuccessful attacks were made upon The Rock, the Royal Navy's stronghold in the western Mediterranean.

Royal Air Force blows against Germany were again hard and costly to the enemy. These results were reported in three air ministry statements:—

A big German supply ship was hit squarely by a high explosive bomb off the Netherlands coast; a small German patrol boat was overturned by a bomb; other patrol vessels were damaged.

Oil refineries at Hanover and Emmerich were bombed and fires started. Hangars at the Brussels and Amsterdam airports were hit. Other bombs blasted military objectives at Hamm and Soest.

Attacks were made on the German naval bases at Kiel, Wilhelmshaven and Emden.

Nazi Factories Bombed

Aircraft factories at Wenzendorf and Bremen were attacked.

Communication lines were bombed throughout western Germany and several airports which could be used as bases for attacks on Britain were showered with high explosives.

Two R. A. F. planes were missing after these varied attacks.

The attacks on the submarines took place just at the time that the Germans attempted to renew heavy submarine warfare after weeks of inactivity, believed devoted to building new U-boats and training new crews to replace those sunk by the Allies during the autumn and winter.

An official statement said that aircraft of the coastal command delivered the attacks, and that in each case oil patches were seen on the surface after the bombs exploded —usually considered evidence that a submarine has been destroyed.

ROYAL NAVY

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Both Cambon and Corbin have been in London for many years and have close British attachments. Their resignations indicate they do not desire to represent a government antagonistic to the British war effort. Cambon, prior to Ambassador Corbin's resignation, was minister plenipotentiary to Britain, France maintaining both ambassador and minister in London, and Britain doing likewise in Paris.

French Communique

The French press published a communique by the French admiralty which said:

"The French Admiralty has the painful feeling that the misfortunes of France left English rulers unmoved, they thinking only of becoming masters of the French fleet, which must remain French or perish.

"The French navy did not, in any case, deserve to be stabbed in the back on the order of Churchill, who last winter implored the French Admiralty to lend its principal forces to protect Canadian ships because the British Admiralty's forces had no longer the necessary means."

Despatches from Vichy, France, reported that the government had come to a decision to break off relations with Britain because of what was described as "unjustifiable aggression against the French fleet."

Optimistic Outlook For Advertising

NEW YORK, July 5 —(AP) —A "highly optimistic" outlook for advertising during the rest of the year was reported tonight by editor and publisher after interviewing a score of prominent advertising agency executives.

The magazine said several agencies reported their clients to be increasing advertising appropriations while all of them stated their clients "generally were maintaining schedules."

The huge defence program of the United States government, said Editor & Publisher, "is the basic factor creating business optimism. Advertisers expect it to increase payrolls, thus creating greater buying power.

Dutch Seamen Arrested In U. S.

SANDUSKY, O., July 5—(AP)—Nineteen war-stirred crew members of the Dutch steamer Prins Willem II were arrested today and held for United States immigration authorities. Sheriff William Souter said they had threatened to kill their captain and first officer.

The crew had refused to sail for Montreal with a cargo of coal, declaring they would be interned. Some members had pro-Nazi leanings, the sheriff said. He asserted an engineer, accused of having hidden vital parts of the ship's engine, replied: "I will apply to the Nazi government for protection."

The immigration service order directed that the freighter be held by the coast guard.

'PROTESTS'

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—a part of the country which would be handiest to Hitler's reach across the channel or the North Sea—was taken under such complete control today that no one may enter or leave the district save on business of national importance.

Londoners who have sea-side cottages at such resorts as Brighton, Eastbourne and Hastings may as well forget them for the summer.

Actual residents of the area may be moved if their land and houses happen to be needed for billets, gun emplacements or trenches.

The east and south coasts of England now present a picture very close to that of a battlefront.

There are barbed wire entanglements, trenches, strategic fields, machine-gun and heavy artillery emplacements, dugouts and redoubts. There are airfields, anti-aircraft batteries, listening posts, searchlight batteries and the toughest of all British troops—the survivors of Flanders and of Dunkerque.

Somewhere among them, the exact place unknown, stands the Canadian 1st Division.

Sentries stand on all roads and rail lines.

The Canadians have been brought to fighting perfection by their commander, Maj.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, soldier-scientist, and are generally regarded as among the best trained and equipped units in Britain. "Important contingents" of Australian and New Zealand troops also are in the United Kingdom.

Others eager to have a crack at Hitler's men are troops from France, Poland, Belgium, the Netherlands, Czecho-Slovakia and Norway.

British Place Fresh Orders In United States

NEW YORK, July 5 —(AP) — A spokesman for the British purchasing commission said today the British government had placed orders for $100,000,000 of war materials in the United States in the last week.

The new buying, he said, brought the total placed here by Britain and France prior to the latter's surrender, to $1,800,000,000. Of that amount, it was stated, 60 per cent represented airplanes, "with ordnance next in volume."

The spokesman said that, thus far, the British had lost no ships carrying goods across the Atlantic from the United States.

He said a total of 2,000,000 tons of steel had been bought in the United States and that steel purchases were being "stepped up."

Too Late To Clasify

FOR SALE—CHICKERING UPright piano, suitable for home or cottage. Phone 1445. L-239.

More Than 1,000 Canadian Airmen Join R. A. F.

LONDON, July 5 —(CP Cable)— More than 1,000 Canadians have joined the Royal Air Force since the start of the war, it was disclosed today.

About 450 of them are officers and 500 flight sergeants or other ranks.

These figures do not include the hundreds of members of the Royal Canadian Air Force now in the United Kingdom.

Thirty-four Canadians of the R. A. F. have been killed since the outbreak of war. In addition 13 have been wounded, 42 are reported missing, believed killed and 11 are known to be held prisoner.

Awards for bravery have been won by 25 Canadian members of the R. A. F.

The latest of these awards were announced today. Max Aitken, Montreal- born son and heir of Lord Beaverbrook, received the Distinguished Flying Cross, and aircraftsman first class Ernest Ralph Frost, native of Quebec City, received the Medal of the Military division of the Order of the British Empire.

BUDGET

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ity-North Battleford) joined with the C.C.F. and New Democracy groups which voted solidly against the Government on all three divisions.

This ended debate on the main motion that the House go into committee of ways and means, moved by Finance Minister Ralston when he delivered the budget June 24.

It was Col. Ralston's first and last budget. Tonight he was sworn in as Minister of National Defence, succeeding the late Hon. Norman Rogers who was killed in an airplane accident June 10.

Col. Ralston received an ovation when he rose to record his vote on the main motion.

Debate will now go forward on the individual resolutions covering the tax and tariff changes and the bills to be based upon them. Col. Ralston's successor will be named Monday, Prime Minister Mackenzie King said, and the general expectation is that it will be Revenue Minister Ilsley.

Patronage Charges

The debate, which ended after the House sat to 6:30 p. m. to take the vote, was carried on almost entirely by private members and today's sitting brought a flurry of charges of political patronage flourishing on contracts associated with the war effort. Government spokesmen demanded full details and declared patronage would not be tolerated.

Conservative leader Hanson and two of his followers charged that political patronage was being carried on by employers working on Government contracts.

Karl Homuth (Con. Waterloo South) declared patronage was "rampant" and Mark Senn (Con. Haldimand) said the Dufferin Construction Company building an airport at Dunnville, Ont., would employ only those with a card from the local Liberal organization.

Mr. Hanson said he had an instance in which patronage controlled the rental of space in Fredericton by the National Defence Department. He said he would give particulars to the Government.

Finance Minister Ralston and Transport Minister Howe declared all contractors had been instructed that speed and efficiency were the all important conditions regardless of who was employed.

British Naval Action

The Prime Minister made a statement on the British action to acquire units of the French navy and said the move was not against France but those of her ships which might otherwise have fallen into enemy hands for use against the British.

Denial came from the Prime Minister of a French language newspaper report that mobilization of the class of 20 to 27 years would commence Monday. The story was a fabrication, he said.

Misunderstandings between Mr. Hanson, Col. Ralston and Mr. King were aired at the start of the sitting after the Prime Minister had made a statement on the Government's hopes that the budget debate would be over today.

Mr. Hanson said he had offered to end the debate several days ago so far as his group was concerned but Liberal speakers had arisen afterward and his undertaking was thus discharged.

FIGHTS FOR CANADA

This Danish sailor, Hans, Erick Japsen, is now in Windsor's Essex Scottish regiment. He "jumped" his ship in New York to "fight Hitler as soon as possible."

15 PLANES IS GOAL

VANCOUVER, July 5 —(CP) —A new objective of 15 training planes for use in the Empire air training places was set by officials of Vancouver's air supremacy drive today as the fund went over its $80,000 "top" with 10 days still to go.

A tag day last Saturday boosted the air drive fund to $90,887 and donations still are pouring in.

The drive will end July 15.

WILL RESIST INVADER

Gen. Catroux, governor of French Indo-China, has sworn to resist any attempted invasion of the French possessions. Japanese troops and naval units have moved up to the borders of French Indo-China.

Girl Guide News

EMPIRE GIFT

Further donations received towards the Fund for Air Ambulances and a Motor Lifeboat for H. M. Forces are: Mt. Stewart Pack, $2.90, 2nd Summerside Pack $1.50, 6th Charlottetown Pack $1.00; 3rd Charlottetown Rangers an additional 30c. This makes a total of $214.07 raised by the Guide family in the Island for this special war service. Altogether $11,700 has been donated by Canadian Guides, and the total amount raised by the Guides throughout the Empire is over $46,000 which is more than double the objective.

Danish Singer Arrives Enroute To Hollywood

HALIFAX, July 5—(CP)—Carl Brisson, Danish singer and screen actor, came ashore in Halifax today from a liner that had carried him from the dangers of Europe. With him on a trip that will end in Hollywood were Brisson's wife and sister.

He told reporters the people of England are 'calm and sensible." Prior to sailing for America he had appeared before full houses in London for weeks.

Brisson was concerned over the fate of relatives in the German occupation of Denmark. His stepfather, T. H. Stauning is the country's prime minister.

He will appear in at least one production in Hollywood, he said.

Annual Clean-Up Most Important

(Experimental Farms News)

The importance of the annual clean-up for all poultry yards and equipment is a matter worthy of greater attention than the average flock manager recognizes. The practical value of maintaining sanitary conditions on the commercial poultry plant as well as on the farm has been proven many times over. The high death rate commonly encountered in laying stock could be greatly lowered if lock owners would practice even ordinary sanitary precautions the year round, states G. C. Hodgson, Poultry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

June is an excellent month to start a concentrated clean-up program. Nesting material, litter, and overhead straw should be removed from the pens and burned. All movable house fixtures should be taken out, scraped, scrubbed and disinfected. Within the hen house the floor, walls, ceiling, dropping boards, and feed hoppers should be thoroughly cleaned. The floors should get special attention as many poultry diseases can be traced directly to filthy floor conditions. Once the litter is removed the whole floor area should be carefully cleaned right down to the concrete or bare boards, and then thoroughly disinfected. Besides the hen house, the brooder house, feed house, and colony houses demand equal care if healthy chicks and layers are to be reared in successive years.

In all cleaning operations, washing, scraping and the liberal use of disinfectant is strongly advised. Where possible, water pressure applied by means of a hose is an excellent method of removing dirt not only from the walls and ceiling but also from the floor. Along with plenty of water, lye and coal tar disinfectants should play a prominent part in the annual clean-up. A 3 per cent. solution of lye, (1 lb. to 5 gallons of water) should be vigorously applied to walls and floor by means of a stiff brush, old broom or stray pump. Cracks and crevices demand careful cleaning. Positive penetration of disinfectants into these places of filth is good assurance of improved health in next seasons' stock. In using disinfectants it is well to bear in mind that they are more efficient when made up to proper strength for the purpose desired and also when applied to surfaces free of loose dirt. Of great importance during a general clean-up is the realization that nothing can substitute for thorough scraping with knife or other instrument, and the washing of all parts of the house and of all utensils that come in contact with the hens during the year.

The land itself around the poultry buildings needs care. The runways that were used last year and are now idle should be ploughed, cultivated, levelled off, and seeded to clover or alfalfa. This is not only a good sanitary measure, but also provides excellent range for next years' stock. Rotation of runs keeps the land sweet and clean at all times.

The general raking up of old sticks, papers, and other trash which has accumulated during the past months makes a tremendous difference not only to the look but also to the cleanliness of any poultry yard.

Culling, at this time of year, should be mentioned as many consider this operation a real clean-up of non-layers and birds in poor health. Cleaning out a flock of unproductive birds often eradicates many potential disease carriers and in this manner alone the health of the whole flock is improved and the mortality of the coming winter correspondingly reduced.

The importance of the annual clean-up cannot be over emphasized. The essentialness of this practice in good poultry management has shown itself worthy many times over in lowered flock mortality, improved health, livability, and increased egg production.

Military Camps

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ed within the classes called for family or other reasons. The service consists in training for home defence and is part time. Consequently it is felt exemptions need not be granted.

In addition to spending a month in camp the draftees will have to undergo training during the evenings throughout the year as militia men do in war and peace. They will be liable to be called into active service in Canada in case of need but not to service overseas except when they volunteer for such service.

The mobilization plan, however, will not be permitted to interfere with war industries. In cases where men engaged in vital war work fall within the classes called up for training individuals may be excused from camp training but required to take the part-time training throughout the year. In some cases, also, the camp training of key workers may be postponed to a time when they can be spared from their jobs.

The general policy being framed appears to be to give every able-bodied man up to the age of 45 a measure of military training and to do it as quickly as possible.

The men called up under the compulsory scheme will not be full-time soldiers. They will have the same status and duties as members of the non-permanent militia. They will undergo the same training and be on call for home defence.

When and as additional men are required for the full-time soldiery, the C. A. S. F., the Royal Canadian Air Force or the Royal Canadian Navy, they will be selected from among the trained militia men, volunteers or draftees who offer their services.

Details of the plan for mobilization are still being worked out by the department. Here it is said the first call may go out to a class of men between the ages of 20 and 27 or 30 sometime in August, depending on whether the militia units and their present personnel have completed their one month of camp training and vacated the camps by that time.

All militia units have been authorized to recruit up to wartime strength and an appeal for volunteers for militia service may soon be made by Hon. J. L. Ralston who formally takes over the Department of National Defence tonight.

This means that the militia units will go into camp in August with the same strength as C. A. S. F. units, now in camp or shortly to go there on completion of their recruiting.

Premier King Calls Mobilization Rumors False

OTTAWA, July 5—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King today denounced as a complete fabrication reports that the first two military classes will be called up next Monday under the new Mobilization Bill.

That mobilization would be announced when the National Defence Department was prepared to proceed, the Prime Minister said.

Conservative leader Hanson asked the Prime Minister what truth there was in a report published in Le Droit, Ottawa French-language daily, that mobilization would begin Monday and that intimation to that effect had been given in Liberal caucus last Wednesday.

"The article is a fabrication from beginning to end. There is not a scintilla of accuracy in any paragraph of it," Mr. King said.

Soldiers To Stand Guard In Mexico

MEXICO CITY, July 5.—(AP) — Thirteen thousand soldiers, policemen and military students were ordered today to go on guard against trouble in Mexico's presidential election Sunday.

Government officials insisted there would be no revolution, although conceding that there might be many minor disorders.

Nevertheless, one observer, speaking especially of the tense situation in the State of Puebla, declared:

"It now appears that only a miracle can prevent much bloodshed."

Maximimino Avila Camacho, brother of Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho, the administration presidential candidate is governor of that state.

Retiring president Lazaro Cardenas, whose policies form the great issue of the election, suddenly returned duringthe day from Durango State, where he previously had planned to spend election day, and it was assumed that he did so because of the troubled situation.

Cardenas is supporting General Avila Camacho, whose chief opponent is Gen. Juan Andreu Almazan.

CO-OPERATIVE ENDS SESSION

MONCTON, N.B., July 4.—(CP)—The Canadian Livestock Co-operative (Maritimes, Ltd., concluded a two-day annual conference this afternoon reaching a decision to change the organization's name to Maritime Co-operative Services, effective next year

Directors named for the coming years are D. J. McGillivray, St. Andrew's, N.B.; J. L. Clark Malagash, N.S.; Clarence Fitzrandolph, Bridgetown, N.S.; L. McIsaac, Sydney, N. S.; H. J. Soverary, Edmundston, N. B.; Harry Thomas, Woodstock, N.B. and C. C. Allen, Melrose, N.B. H. W. Mackichan, Cleveland, N.S., is president

Salvation Army Leaders In Ch'town Over Week-end

COMMISSIONER B. ORAMES

Territorial Commander for Canada, Newfoundland, Bermuda and Alaska, who is visiting Charlottetown this weekend, Saturday and Sunday, July 6, and 7.

LT.-COL. F. HAM

Field Secretary for Canadian Territory, who is accompanying the Commissioner.

Ralston Takes Oath Of Office

OTTAWA, July 5 —(CP) —Hon. J. L. Ralston was sworn in as Minister of National Defence tonight and his successor as Minister of Finance will be named Monday.

At that time too Prime Minister Mackenzie King will make a statement about further changes in the cabinet.

Tonight's ceremony took place at Government House after the debate on the main budget motion ended in the House of Commons. It was the first swearing-in at which the Earl of Athlone, new Governor- General of Canada, officiated.

The Prime Minister and A. D. P. Heeney, clerk of the privy council were present at the swearing-in.

Clamp Down On Pleasure Trips To U. S.

OTTAWA, July 5—(CP)—Canadians can no longer get funds from their banks for pleasure trips to the United States and the foreign exchange control board has advised banks that all applications for funds for foreign travel, except for purposes of business, education, health or in case of emergency, must be referred to the board.

Authorities took care tonight to explain that there is no intention of interfering with legitimate business, with the export of funds for the education of minor children or for the assistance of relatives if necessary, or other serious matters. But if some one wants to go to Chicago to dance or to Palm Beach to swim he cannot buy United States funds at the fixed rate of 11 per cent., nor obtain from his bank an amount for his purpose.

N. Y. Paper Applauds Naval Action

NEW YORK, July 6—(Saturday) —(CP) —The New York Daily News, frequently critical in its editorial policy of Great Britain and Prime Minister Churchill, went "all out" today in applauding Britain's action in seizing or destroying the bulk of the French fleet.

It termed the episode a "tremendous British victory," affirmed that the Royal Navy "has proved itself once again the best in Europe if not in the world," and got three distinct laughs out of the action and the resultant bleats in Rome and Berlin.

"We should think this sea victory would have a deterring effect on Hitler as he makes plans for his much announced invasion of England," said the News.

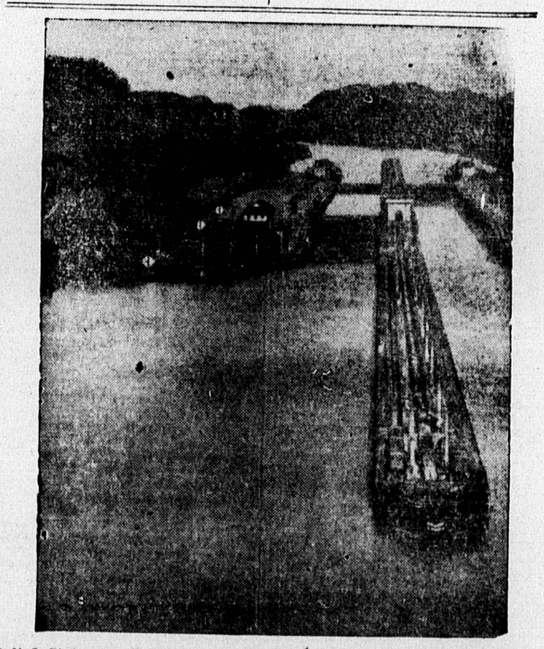
"Of that, of course, we can't be sure. But of one thing we're sure; that this British victory is a great thing for the United States, too."

Of the laughs:—

The News got a "wry grin" out of the "hopping-mad remarks" of the Nazi government's reaction; was "amused" by the Italians terming the British action "'the unsportsmanlike and cowardly act of the British fleet,'" and said Mr. Churchill himself furnished the "third wry grin" in telling Parliament he praised the Italian navy for having "'kept prudently out of the way.'"

In conclusion, the News said:—

"To the British government, we believe Americans owe the heartiest congratulations on a historic victory, and a rising vote of thanks."



United States naval units reportedly have mined both entrances to Panama canal. Here are the Pedro Miguel locks, one of the sets of locks which would be most vulnerable in case of attack on the Canal one.

Russian troops, June 28, marched into Bessarabia and Bukovina and to decide whether they would remain or move into a smaller Rumania. Meanwhile, King Carol sent troops to other frontiers and began the occupation of key cities. Residents were given four days indicated Transylvania would be defended against attack by Hungary, and Dobruja against Bulgaria.