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Axis Partners Agree On Terms

Churchill Declares "Battle For Britain" Is Beginning

Dark Age Forecast If Hitler Wins

British Prime Minister recounts men and ships with which Britain will resist; sees increasing U. S. aid.

Winston Churchill declared today to his people the beginning of the "battle for Britain" and declared that its loss would mean a new dark age.

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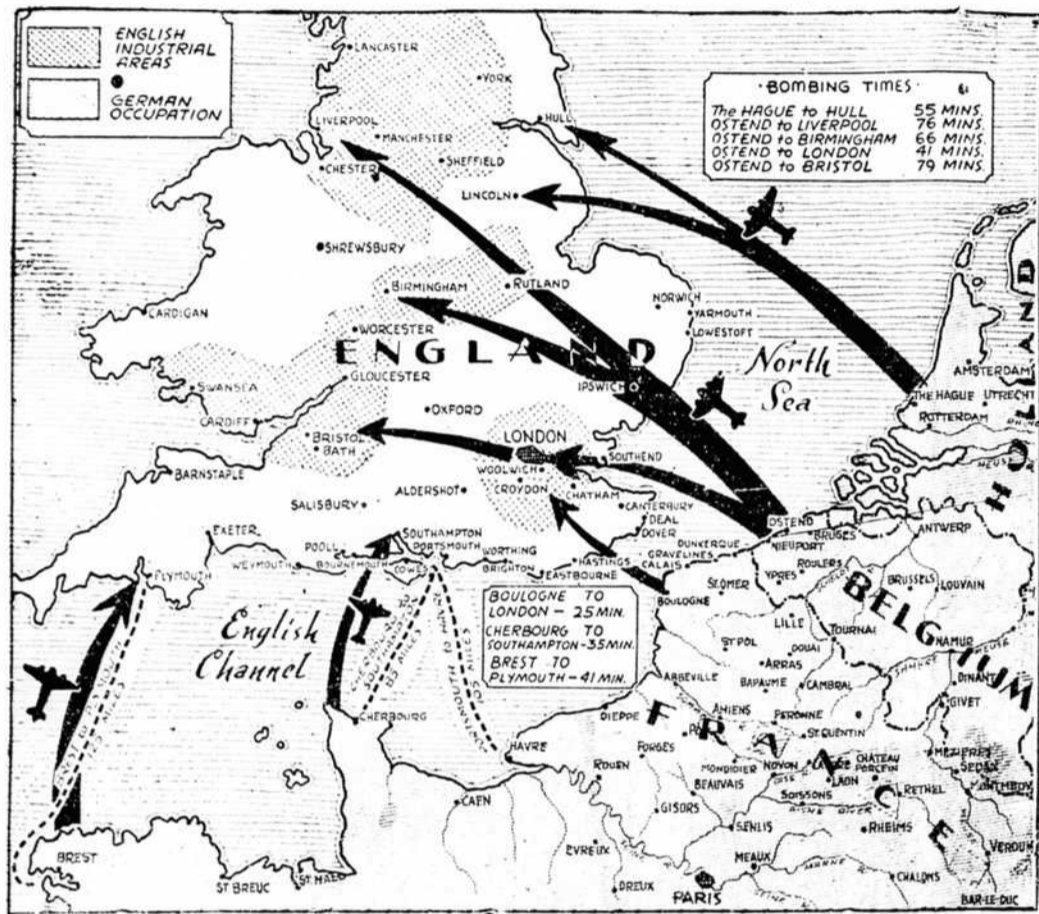
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State Debt Is Reduced

North Carolina Will Have Reduced Net Debt By \$41,537,214.04 In Decade.

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The Nazis Draw Closer to England



France's capitulation opens way for an invasion of England by Germany, main goal of the Nazi juggernaut. This map shows the points at which such an invasion might be launched, and the flying times. On the success or failure of an invasion would depend the life of the British Empire.

Stark Recommends 4 Billion Dollar Navy Building Program

Purchases Of Silver To Be Continued

Washington, June 18.—(AP)—The Senate voted today a proposal by Senator Townsend, Republican, Delaware, to end the administration's authority to purchase foreign silver.

CANADA PREPARES FOR MOBILIZATION

Ottawa, June 18.—(AP)—A bill to authorize the mobilization of all human and material resources in Canada for the prosecution of the war will be introduced in parliament immediately.

NEW DEPUTIES

Washington, June 18.—(AP)—Because of its increased activity, the Justice department plans to add four deputy marshals in the Carolinas.

HIGHWAY PROJECT BIDS ARE OPENED

Raleigh, June 18.—(AP)—The Highway Commission opened bids today on 18 road projects which will cost the state approximately \$1,100,000.

Gayda Says War Is Anglo-Saxons Against World

Rome, June 18.—(AP)—Virginia Gayda, Mussolini's frequent mouthpiece, wrote today that with France in collapse and Britain fighting with American material assistance, the war had become a "purely Anglo-Saxon struggle against a large part of the rest of the world."

R. A. F. AIR RAIDS

London, June 18.—(AP)—The air ministry said today "the RAF heavily bombed military objectives over a wide area in the Rhineland, Ruhr and northwestern Germany last night."

CABINET WAITS

Bordeaux, June 18.—(AP)—The French cabinet met again today with Premier Marshal Petain still awaiting an answer to the aged premier's Sunday night appeal to the enemy for "peace with honor."

French Dominion Armies May Keep On With Fighting

London, June 18.—(AP)—French sources in London said today that they considered it "probable" that General Albert Nogués, commanding France's north African army, and General Mittelhauser, commanding the French army in the near east, had decided to continue fighting.

Greatest Fleet The World Has Ever Known Would Be Provided Under Program Suggested By Navy Chief of Staff.

Washington, June 18.—(AP)—Admiral Harold R. Stark unexpectedly recommended to Congress today a \$4,000,000,000 expansion of the Navy to give this country the greatest fleet the world has ever known.

Bonds of Local Units Are Sold

Raleigh, June 18.—(AP)—The Local Government Commission sold a \$25,000 Sampson county revenue anticipation note today to the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company at 1-1/2 percent interest with a premium of \$1.57.

Weather

FOR NORTH CAROLINA. Considerable cloudiness, scattered thundershowers Wednesday and in north portion this afternoon.

Harsh Terms For French Peace Are Expected; End To British Influence On Continent Sought

Authoritative Italians Indicate Separate Peace With France Is Counted On To Break British Influence In Europe.

Rome, June 18.—(AP)—Authoritative Italians indicated today that Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini were counting on a separate peace with France on terms that would break forever British influence on the European continent.

Petain Orders All French To Keep Up Fight

Bordeaux, June 18.—(AP)—Marshal Henri Philippe Petain ordered all French soldiers and sailors on land, sea and in the air tonight to keep on fighting—even while he awaited Adolf Hitler's reply to his plea for an honorable peace.

Leaf Control Program Is Approved

Raleigh, June 18.—(AP)—After being warned by J. B. Hutson, assistant Federal AAA administrator, that failure to approve a three-year crop control program might mean ruinous prices for tobacco growers, more than 200 growers, bankers, merchants and warehousemen resolved here today to back the three-year plan.

Cruiser At Montevideo

Washington, June 18.—(AP)—The Navy announced today that the cruiser Quincy was calling at Montevideo, Uruguay, where widespread Nazi activities have been under investigation recently by a committee of the Uruguayan congress.

Collapse Of French Army Progresses, Nazis Say

Berlin, June 18.—(AP)—The collapse of the French army is progressing rapidly, the German high command declared today, announcing that the Orne river had been crossed at several points between Cuen and Le Mans in northwestern France.

Hitler Enters Munich With Pomp of Present Day Napoleon, While Church Bells Ring and People Cry Out Their "Heils".

Munich, June 18.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini agreed tonight on the terms on which they propose to grant peace to France, and left Munich immediately.

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FRENCH FIGHT ON

Bordeaux, June 18.—(AP)—Isolated groups of the French army continued their dogged resistance today, said the war ministry spokesman, but he added that from now on there was nothing more to do save wait "the enemy's terms."

RUMANIAN CABINET SAID TO HAVE QUIT

London, June 18.—(AP)—Exchange Telegraph (British news agency) reported today that the Rumanian cabinet had resigned. It quoted DNB, German official news agency, as its source.

Uruguay Acts To Suppress Fifth Column

Montevideo, June 18.—(AP)—A government measure regulating the right of association with a view to suppressing organizations which might carry on "fifth column" activities became a law early this morning with a senate approval.

FRENCH FORTRESS OF VESOUL IS CAPTURED

Basel, Switzerland, June 18.—(AP)—The French fortress city of Vesoul, behind the Burgundian gate, fell to German motorized units this afternoon, according to refugees reaching Switzerland.

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