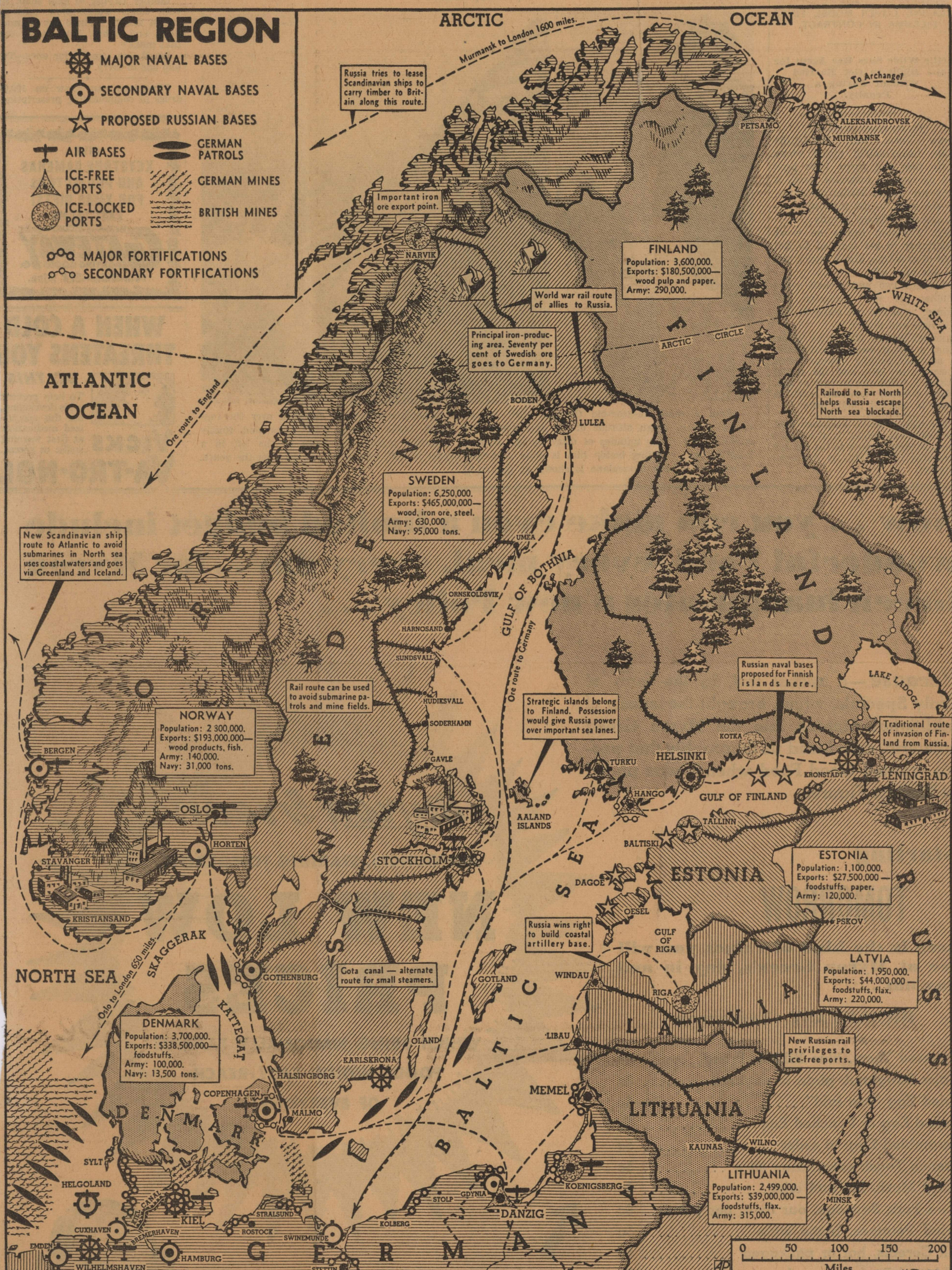


FINLAND, INVADED BY RUSSIA, AND HER BALTIC NEIGHBORS.

BALTIC REGION

- ◆ MAJOR NAVAL BASES
- SECONDARY NAVAL BASES
- ★ PROPOSED RUSSIAN BASES
- AIR BASES
- ▲ ICE-FREE PORTS
- ICE-LOCKED PORTS
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- ◆ GERMAN MINES
- ◆ BRITISH MINES
- MAJOR FORTIFICATIONS
- SECONDARY FORTIFICATIONS



The Russo-Finn crisis exploded today in warfare, when the military might of the Soviet was thrown against the small republic north of the Baltic. Much of the border was afire with the heaviest fighting between the Gulf of Finland and Lake Ladoga, north of Leningrad. Russian planes bombed Helsinki, Finland's capital, and the Russian navy seized the island of Seiskari. It was a swift, co-ordinated attack.