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—HINDS CREAM for chapped skin with Free pump at Taylor Drug Co., Kensington.

—LEFT FOR MONTREAL—Mrs. H. G. Muttart of Summerside left on Saturday on a visit to Montreal.—S.

—FARMERS ATTENTION.—Sawing daily perfect hauling. Prompt service. Webster, Sash and Door Factory, Kensington. L-251-2-10-7i.

—RETURNED FROM MAINLAND—Mr. B. Graham Rogers has returned from Aulac, where he had been in connection with the Tourist trade of P. E. I. S.

—VALENTINE skate Bedeque rink Tuesday, Feb. 13th. Ticket holders and costumes free. Prize given for best costume. Admission 20c. L-254-2-10-3i.

—GIVEN JAIL SENTENCE — An old offender in the Summerside Police Court was sentenced to 60 days in the County Jail for drunkenness on Monday. Another man charged with drunkenness was fined five dollars and costs. S.

—CARS IN COLLISION — The dangerous state of the roads at the present time is responsible for many car accidents. On Saturday afternoon two cars collided head on just east of Summerside. The machines were badly damaged but fortunately no one was hurt. S.

—LANTERN LECTURE — The Junior W.A. of St. Mary's Church put on a very interesting lecture in St. Mary's hall on Friday evening. The lecture dealt with Mission Work of the Anglican Church in Northern Canada. Mr. Ross MacKenzie operated the slides and Mrs. Wm. Strong gave the lecture. Miss Ruby Key and Miss Aleah Palmer gave a short play. There were recitations by Master Palmer, Edythe MacLellan and Ruth and Mary Simmons. There was a sale of candy. There was a very good attendance. S.

—FIRE IN DAIRY— The Ideal Dairy on Central Street Summerside was damaged by fire early last night. Firemen used two streams of water to quell the flames which apparently originated in a room about the dairy, which occupies only the ground floor. Damage was said to have been considerable, from fire, smoke and water before the blaze was extinguished after an hour's battle. The building housing the dairy is owned by Harold Gaudet while the proprietor of the dairy itself is Elmer Offer, it was learned. Amount of the loss could not be learned last night.

—SUFFERS BROKEN LIMB—Francis Arsenault, second son of Mr. A. F. Arsenault, K. C., Summerside, met with a painful accident on Saturday evening about five o'clock when he slipped on the icy sidewalk just as he was about to enter his father's office on Water Street. The doctor was called and the young boy was taken to hospital where it was found he had fractured the small bone of the leg near the ankle; after remaining in the hospital until Sunday he was allowed to go home, although he will not be able to walk for a few weeks. Francis is one of the Guardian's news boys, and his first thought Sunday on his return from the hospital was to find a substitute for his route, which he succeeded in doing that evening. While he is laid up his customers will be taken care of by John Sharp, who is doing his best to carry on for his friend. The Guardian along with Francis' many friends were sorry to learn of his accident and hope he will soon be out and about again.—S.

PERSONALS

—Mr. Wilfred Inman of the R. C. M. P. is visiting his mother, Mrs. Inman of Summerside. S.

—Mr. F Earle Grant of Montague, is visiting in Summerside, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Grant. S.

—Miss Katherine Ready of Kensington, was a weekend visitor to Summerside, the guest of Miss Enid Lockhart. S.

—Miss Hazel McCardle spent the weekend in Charlottetown, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Earle Hickey and Mr. Hickey. S.

Night Coughs

Terribly wearing on the system is the cough that comes on at night and prevents sleep.

Sometimes it is the constant cough, cough that will not be quieted. Sometimes it is a choked-up, stuffed-up feeling that makes breathing difficult.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the remedy you need to give you relief, for the reason that this preparation contains the healing virtues of the Norway pine tree with which is combined wild cherry bark, and the soothing, healing and expectorant properties of other excellent balsams, barks and herbs.

The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

—FLAGS AT HALF MAST—The flags on the public buildings in Summerside are flying at half mast on account of the death of Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor General of Canada.—S.

Kensington And Vicinity

Mrs. George Webster has returned home from a pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. Wyman Clark, Wilmot.

Mr. John Doyle of Charlottetown, was a recent visitor to Kensington

Mrs. Carrie Kennedy and daughter, Doris were visitors to Charlottetown during the week.

Pte. George Mills of the P. E. I. Highlanders stationed somewhere in Nova Scotia arrived home on Saturday on a six day furlough and is receiving a warm welcome.

The highway between Charlottetown and Summerside thanks to the snow plows was open to motor traffic at noon on Saturday after the storm of Friday, which completely blocked it.

Mr. Leigh Howatt was a visitor to Charlottetown over the weekend.

Mrs. Donald MacCausland, little daughter and baby son of O'Leary is enjoying a pleasant holiday in Kensington with her sister, Mrs. A. R. Howatt.

Mr. Ernest Mountain returned to Kensington on Friday, from a business trip to Charlottetown.

A large number of friends recently assembled at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Champion to tender their daughter, Edna, Mrs. Lorne Monkley, a miscellaneous shower. After the large number of friends had gathered the happy bride was sedately escorted down the stairs, to the seat of honor, which was tastefully decorated in pink and white, by Miss Mildred Bishop. The large baskets of beautiful and useful gifts were then brought in and opened by the Misses Kathleen Ready and Marjorie Kennedy, the verses were read by Miss Mary Power and the gifts were presented to Mrs. Monkley by Miss Eileen Shea, after which they were daintily arranged on the table by Mrs. James MacDougall. Although taken by surprise Edna in her most charming manner thanked them one and all for their beautiful gifts and extended all a cordial invitation to visit her at any time and assuring them that the invitation would always hold good, now and when her popular husband, who is now serving his King and country would return, after which, all heartily joined in singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow." A dainty lunch was then served by her girl friends and the remainder of the evening was happily wiled away with music and social chatter.

Aided Hitler To Power, Now Becomes Exile

BERLIN, Feb. 12 —(AP) —Fritz Thyssen, once one of the wealthiest men in Europe and an industrialist whose support did much to raise Adolf Hitler to power, became a man without a country today.

A decree in the official Gazette, signed by Interior Minister Wilhelm Frick with the approval of Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop, deprived Thyssen and his wife of their German citizenship. Informed quarters described the action as the final break between the Nazis and their one-time supporter.

(Thyssen and his wife have been in voluntary exile in Switzerland since last November, living quietly in Locarno.)

Although the former owner of the greatest steel corporation in Europe thus lost his German rights, his vast Rhine Valley industries continued working for the Reich on a greatly accelerated schedule.

Thyssen's steel mills, mines, and other enterprises have been incorporated into Marshal Goering's four-year-plan. The holdings were confiscated by the German Government shortly after he reached Switzerland.

German authorities for a long time have refused to comment on persistent reports that Thyssen had fallen from grace, after criticizing the Russo-German pact, explaining his absence from the Reich by saying he merely was travelling abroad.

Anti-Nazi sources in Switzerland have said Thyssen "bought" his way out of Germany by turning over his entire fortune to the Nazis. However, Thyssen himself gives little sign of that in his sumptious quarters in Locarno.)

Dr. Manion To Broadcast

FORT WILLIAM, Feb. 12—(CP) —Conservative leader R. J. Manion will broadcast over a national network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation from Brandon, Friday from 12:30 p.m. to 1 p.m. A. S. T.

Dr. Manion announced this broadcast as substitute for one scheduled tonight, which was postponed because of the death of the Governor-General.

RoutineBusiness At Meeting Of S'side Council

The first meeting of the Summerside Town Council since the civic election was held last night Mayor Campbell presiding. The only newcomer to the Board was Councillor Lloyd Gorrill who is representing the east ward. Councillors MacNeill and Mollison were absent through illness.

In a short address Mayor Campbell welcomed Councillor Gorrill to the Board and outlined the policy he intends to follow through the year. He also referred to the death of Lord Tweedsmuir, and that he had sent a telegram of condolence to Lady Tweedsmuir on behalf of the citizens of Summerside. In speaking of the policy of the Council, Mayor Campbell said that in the present condition of the world that it was imperative that the Council conserve their resources. That they must curtail expenditures until it hurt. This might sound very unprogressive, but with the flower of our manhood offering themselves for their King and country, and with unforseen and often unannounced war taxes "it is our duty to see that we do not spend money on unnecessary things," Mayor Campbell said.

There must not be any extraordinary expenditures and expenditures must be within the limits of the people's capacity to pay.

There were two things that would have to be discussed. One that the hospital is asking for a larger grant owing to the fact that they have installed a water sprinkler, which has converted the hospital from a firetrap to a building of comparative safety. The other is a request from the School Board for an additional grant. These are worthy objects and should be considered by the Council before the next meeting.

The Mayor also brought to the attention of the Council the matter of war tax on elcetric light, which had come up for discussion before. Mayor Campbell said that he had spoken to Col. Ralston on the subject and had also referred the matter to the Canadian Federation of Mayors and municipalities. Mayor Campbell has received word from them that the matter had been taken up at an executive meeting of the C. F. M. and M. held in Toronto on January 26th when the following resolution was passed: "Resolved that this Executive meeting of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities do forthwith petition the Federal Government to change the incidence of taxation under the special War Revenue Act 1939, so far as the 8 percent sales tax on domestic electricity and gas is concerned so that it be applied on a kilowatt cubic foot or other usage basis only, rather than on the amount of the bills as presently prevails."

The letter further stated that this resolution was forthwith communicated to the Minister of Finance, and further that the Executive Committee of the Federation, through its president, the Mayor of Ottawa, will have personal conversations with the Minister in furtherance of the foregoing resolution, and if no action is taken by the time the conference of Mayors is held, sometime in early May an approoriate resolution will be presented for discussion at the conference, to be followed up by a representative delegation of Canadian Mayors when they meet the Cabinet, as is the custom, following the conference session.

Councillor Wood asked that a reduction in the light rate be considered. There was also some discussion on the matter of installing a town scale. Both these matters will be taken up at the next meeting. Mayor Campbell said that he had received a communication from the Irving Oil Company asking him to relax some of the conditions on which the Council had based their decision to allow the company to build oil tanks at the Queens Wharf.

Mayor Campbell said that he had replied that the Council would not depart from the conditions laid down. He referred particularly to the rule that there was to be no increase in the fire insurance for properties in the vicinity of the proposed oil tanks. Town bills were passed as follows: Town paid bills $12,243.15, unpaid bills $100.15. Electric Light paid bills $283.46, unpaid $1,009.00. Councillor Gorrill made his maiden speech when he replied to the welcome given him and expressed this opinion that both the hospital and school were worthy objects. He also spoke on the matter of town scales. S

Lincoln Day Is Observed

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12— AP)—Republican notables celebrated Lincoln Day today with speeches extolling the civil war president and, usually, condemned the new deal.

Orators included two candidates for the party's presidential nomination, Thomas E. Dewey of New York and Senator Robert Taft of Ohio; while they refrained from pressing their candidacies, their expressions on current problems were searched by political observers.

Taft, at Greensboro, N. C., asserted that "if the new deal were licensed to proceed in the 1940 elections," forces would be unloosed which would carry the nation inevitably to "a modern streamlined totalitarian dictatorship."

From Dewey, at Portland, Ore., came a statement that the last seven years had seen a "constant erosion of capital." A capital outlay of $36,000,000,000 would have been necessary to offset wear and tear on industrial plants and equipment, he asserted, while only $29,000,000,000 had actually been spent for this purpose. The new deal, he added, totally fails to recognize this factor.

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parture of the body from Ottawa.

Lord Tweedsmuir's remains will be taken to Montreal by special train for cremation prior to the journey to the United Kingdom, possibly aboard a warship, for interment.

A three-hour period Tuesday afternoon and a two-hour period Wednesday morning, during which the body will lie in state, will provide an opportunity for citizens to file past the casket in the Senate.

At Presbyterian Church

Services Wednesday afternoon will be in St. Andrews Presbyterian Church at which His Excellency worshipped during his residence here and where he was an Elder.

The Church is located in downtown Ottawa a few blocks west of Parliament Hill.

Hundreds of telegrams and communications have been received by the Government and at the office of the Governor-General bringing messages of sympathy from governments and organizations all over the world, and from people of all classes.

Throughout Ottawa flags are at half mast on all Government buildings and on foreign legations and office buildings. Numerous public events scheduled for this week have been cancelled as a mark of respect and mourning.

A special funeral train will bring His Excellency's body from Montreal with a small escort of the Governor-General's staff and Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Government leader in the Senate, representing the Dominion Government.

At the station to receive the body will be Prime Minister Mackenzie King and members of his cabinet, Conservative leader Manion, ministers of the five foreign powers which maintain legations here, high commissioners of the United Kingdom, South Africa and Eire, members of the defence council and Mayor Stanley Lewis of Ottawa.

Pall bearers will be from the Governor-General's foot-guards and members of that unit also will line the passage through the railway station to the motor hearse which will convey the body to Parliament Hill accompanied by a police escort. No troops will be used in the escort.

In the centre block of Parliament Buildings members of the Royal Canadian Air Force will line the passage from the centre entrance, beneath the peace tower, to the Senate Chamber.

At the foot of the throne dais in the Senate Chamber, where His Excellency so often presided in the full exercise of his prerogative as the King's personal representative —opening and closing Parliament, giving assent to bills and receiving guests at the annual drawing room—the casket will rest until it is taken away Wednesday afternoon for the funeral service.

Wednesday afternoon the cortege leaves from the centre door of Parliament Buildings to St. Andrews Church, a few blocks west on Wellington Street. The body will be carried again in a motor hearse and the bearers will be two representatives from each of the navy, army, air force and Royal Canadian Mounted Police There will be a foot escort representative of the three branches of the armed forces.

Admission to the church is by ticket and the customary table of precedence will be followed in seating arrangements.

Details Not Complete

Details have not been completed yet for the funeral service, conducted by Rev. Alexander Ferguson, pastor of the church. Officials, including the Prime Minister and others, take their seats in the church before arrival of the cortege.

Immediately after the service the body will be placed upon a draped gun carriage for the procession to Union Station where a special train will bear His Excellency's remains back to Montreal.

The same bearers will be used for the procession to the railway train and mourners follow in motor cars.

A salute will be fired from Cartier Square, near the train yards, as the funeral train moves away from the station.

Federal government offices in all parts of Canada are to be closed Wednesday afternoon and flags will remain at half mast throughout the period of official mourning which ends next Sunday. Provincial governments will follow the same practice No half holiday will be proclaimed.

Lady Tweedsmuir retired at once to Rideau Hall on her return to Ottawa this morning, after a brief meeting with Prime Minister Mackenzie King who met her at the railway station and expressed the deep grief of all Canada and sympathy for her and her family.

As a precautionary measure an ambulance was at the station because of the possibility the long and heartbroking strain borne by Her Excellency would result in a physical breakdown. But Lady Tweedsmuir bore her sorrow well and proceeded to Government House in a staff car.

Will Accompany Ashes

It is expected Lady Tweedsmuir and her son will accompany the ashes home to Great Britain where her daughter and two other sons are now. No official announcement has been made but it is believed a Canadian Privy Councillor will accompany the remains from Canada and it is believed possible a warship will be used.

SEA LORD MARRIED

LONDON —(CP) — Sir Charles Little, Second Sea Lord, was married in St. Faith's Chapel in Westminster Abbey to his cousin, Mary Elizabeth Little. Sir Charles' first wife died last May.

NABBED BAG-SNATCHERS

SEAFORTH, England —(CP) — Bag-snatchers did not reckon with the tenacity of two girls they attempted to rob during the blackout here The girls chased and caught them, with the assistance of police.

AUSTRALIANS, N. ZEALANDERS LAND AT SUEZ

Thousands Of Fighting Men Disembarked After 10,000-Mile Voyage.

SUEZ, Egypt, Feb. 12 —(CP) — The British Empire established a huge encampment of Australian and New Zealand troops today at this military and maritime keystone of the near east.

Thousands of fighting men from "down under" disembarked from gray luxury liners turned troopships for the occasion, which had carried them 10,00 miles from their homes in what was said to be one of the greatest troopships convoys in history.

The number of troops in the Australian and New Zealand contingents was not disclosed, but last September Australia announced it was organizing a division —20,000 men —for immediate overseas service. The New Zealanders were understood to include a number of Maoris, as thousands of natives tried to enlist for service overseas as soon as war was declared.

(Advices reaching Istanbul said 30,00 men had landed in Egypt.)

The Australians are known as "the second Autralian Imperial force", to distinguish them now and in the future from the Australians who served at Gallipoli and in France during the first Great War.

CANADA'S LIFE

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ing," he said. Accordingly, he pledged himself "to unremitting effort to provide opportunity for your youth, irrespective of their creed, politics, social or economic status, to train them to occupy their rightful places of service and responsibility in the community."

He promised to appoint a Minister of Youth Welfare for that purpose who would be responsible for administration of all policies and projects for the protection and development of youth.

Such a minister would be assisted by a voluntary and unpaid advisory committee of the best qualified young people's workers, who would formulate proposals for employment developments for youth.

The minister and this committee would seek the help of business, educational, union, social and religious bodies through local and sectional advisory committees.

Elaborated Idea

Dr. Manion said he had elaborated this idea more fully before the war. Then he had also said he would set up work centres along the lines of the Civilian Conservation Corps camps in the United States and would also propose a scheme of apprenticeship in industry, assisted by Government subsidy, which would give young people an opportunity to learn a trade.

The Conseravtive leader made brief reference to an exchange of letters he had last March with Tim Buck, Dominion secretary of the Communist party of Canada, in which he had cited an encyclopedia definition of Communism, in part, as emphasizing the "initial necessity of civil war."

At that time he had remarked to Buck that he had no knowledge that the Communist party of Canada had dissociated itself from Russian Communism and its world revolution aims, its wiping out of freedom of speech, press and assembly, its attempted destruction of religion and family life.

If Hitler should win in this war, he said, Canada might well be the prize Germany would aim at, with its rich resources, huge areas and sparse population.

On the material side he pointed out that Britain was the world's greatest market for foodstuffs and many raw products abounding in Canada.

"Our huge exports to that country are of the utmost importance to us," he said. "In wheat, Britain imports about 200,000,000 bushels a year, of which we supply a goodly portion. In lumber, fish, nickel, and other materials, fruits, bacon and cheese, Canada is the source of supply to such an extent that that market is of vital importance to us.

"Should Britain and France be defeated by Germany, Britain would then be in the subservient position that Czecho-Slovakia and Poland now are. She would be a second-rate power, if a power at all, and our markets probably would be gone.

"Where would we sell our surplus products, a large proportion of which we sell now in the British market? That is a question that puzzles thoughtful men in all parts of Canada, especially those who are interested in exporting our products."

"Not only through sentimental attachment to the British Empire, not only because of deep affection for the liberties to which we are accustomed, but from the standpoint, as well, of our export trade and all its effects upon our various lines of business and industry, it is vitally important that Britain and her allies must win this war."

SAME OLD DESIRE

NEW YORK —(CP) —Girls of 15 and 21 run away from home chiefly because they want to become motion picture or stage actresses and most boys of the same age because they dislike school, says the report of the Bureau of Missing Persons.

The Leopard Cannot Change—

He—You told your mother I was sorry for having made an idiot of myself at her dinner-party last night— what did she say?

She— Oh, she said she noticed nothing unusual!

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Civic Financial

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es during 1939 were $215,261.10 as against $202,131.92 in 1938, being an improvement of $13,129.18 of which $5,906.41 represents better collection of taxes for the current year, and $7,222.77 better collection of arrears.

"(D). Street and sidewalk collections for 1939 were $10,261.44 as against $8,625.36 for the preceding year. This is an increase of $1,636.08 or approximately a 20% improvement.

Uncontrollable Expenditure

"(E). Uncontrollable Expenditure. This is expenditure which occurs in increasing amount each year and over which your Council has absolutely no control.

Debenture Interest	$102,745.00
Sinking fund	$37,425.16
School Board	57,222.00
Street lighting	10,006.42
	$207,448.58

"When this expenditure of $207,448.58 is made from a total net revenue of $284,595.60 it leaves your Council the sum of $77,147.02 with which to run the City, and provide all the services demanded by our citizens, such as Police and Fire Protection, Street Maintenance, Insurance on City Property, Maintenance of City Hall, Library, Market House, Victora Piark, City Government, and the numerous other items you will find in the statement of Expenditure. It is from this $77,147.02, and from this only, that any reductions in expenditure can be made. Your Committee trusts that Your Worship, and your Council and our citizens, will see from this section of this report the difficulties facing any Council attempting to achieve a balanced budget through the practice of economies, when such economies can be applied only to such a small proportion of the City's expenditures. On the other hand your Committee, after very careful study, and consideration, is absolutely convinced that the City's real and personal property holders can stand no further increase in the rate of taxation, without being exposed to such an unfavorable discrimination, when compared with those in possession of similar properties located outside the City's boundaries, as to make residence within the City undesirable and to encourage more and more of our property holding citizens to dispose of their urban holdings, and locate in the suburbs, thus further depreciating City property, and reducing the City's potential revenue.

The Remedy

"The remedy would appear to be in effecting all possible economies within the controllable portion of the City's expenditures, and developing new sources of revenue to produce the additional amount which will undoubtedly be required. Where these new sources of revenue may be found, and what economies can be practiced, are matters with which a new Council must deal.

"During the later months of the year the Civic Tax Adjustment Board under the Chairmanship of the Honourable H. L. Palmer, with Mr. J. E. Sterns and Mr. W. D. Gillis as members, considered many cases of taxpayers who believed themselves to have been wrogly billed for arrears of taxes. As th's Board was constituted by Order In Council of the Provincial Government, and must submit its report to the Government, there is very little your Committee can say regarding this Board's activities, except to very emphatically state that, to your Committee's personal knowledge, every citizen appearing before Judge Palmer and his associates was accorded a courteous, and even sympathetic hearing, and that in nine cases out of every ten a taxpayer left the Court room satisfied that, whether or not his contention was allowed, he had received every possible consideration.

"Your Worship, your Finance Committee submitting its second and final report, wishes to express to you and every member of this Council its sincere appreciation of the advice, assistance and support accorded it during one of the most trying years in the City's history," the report presented by Councillor Chandler concluded.

Daily War Survey

(By The Canadian Press)

Russian attacks on the Mannerheim Line continued yesterday. After 11 days of furious pounding the Red forces appear to have done little more than demolish some of the Finnish advance posts.

Were it not for the incompetence displayed by the Russians in previous battles of the Finnish war the long assault on the Finnish fortifications might be taken as an indication of what would happen if the Germans attacked the Maginot Line or the British and French the Seigfried Line.

The Mannerheim Line is a thoroughly modern system of fortifications although less elaborate and perhaps having less firepower than either the German Westwall or the French fortifications facing Germany. All three are designed to enable a smaller body of troops on the defence to hold up and destroy a much larger body on the attack.

So far the Mannerheim Line has functioned as it was expected to function. The Russian attacks have cost them great numbers of lives and many tanks.

An attack by either the Germans or the Allies on the fortifications opposing them in the west would be costly in men and material. The side launching the attack certainly would try to obtain a vast numerical superiority over the defending forces.

The Finnish success in stopping the Russian steam-roller in the Karelian Isthmus will be studied carefully by German and Allied staff officers in planning both defensive and offensive operations in the west. They will have the task of estimating how far the result at the Mannerheim Line was due to the strength of the line itself and how much to faulty generalship and mistakes on the part of the Russians.

FOR SHELTERED GOODBYES

HASTINGS-ON-THE- HUDSON, N. Y., —(CP)— Wives here have made an organized demand of the New York Central Railroad to build a station platform, sheltered from rain, snow and cold, where they may kiss their commuting menfolk goodbye.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

LONDON, Feb. 13—(Tuesday) (AP)—Transport of the Australian and New Zealand Expeditionary Forces to the near east "demonstrated to the world that Britain's Navy still is in effective command of the seas," the Daily Telegraph said today.

TOKYO, Feb. 13—(Tuesday) —AP) —The first outright criticism of the army since the war in China started was expressed in the Japanese Diet today, with a member of the House Budget Committee assailing bitterly the secrecy surrounding the military expense account and demanding a detailed explanation. War Minister Shunroku Hata bluntly refused.

SYDNEY, N. S. Feb. 12—(CP) —Employees of the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation's Plant here voted overwhelmingly today to strike if necessary to enforce their demands for higher wages and improved working conditions.

EDMONTON, Feb. 12 —(CP) —An overall deficit of $1,169,841 was forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1941, by Provincial Treasurer Solon Low in his budget speech in the Alberta Legislature today.

The estimated overall deficit was an increase of $18,733 over the $1,151,108 estimated deficit for the year ending March 31, 1940.

The Provincial Treasurer said no increase in taxation would be imposed.

LONDON, Feb. 12—(CP)—Great Britain today announced a new trade accord with Turkey would go into effect Feb. 19 in an effort to increase commerce between the two nations. Britain hopes to oust Germany from her position as the leading salesman to Turkey and Turkey's best customer, as part of the allied economic warfare against the Reich.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 13—(AP)—(Tuesday)—A Chinese army supporting former premier Wang Ching-Wei has landed on the coast of Fukien Province and is fighting forces of General Chiang Kai-Shek, Japanese military authorities here stated today. Without mentioning where the troops came from, the Japanese said they had landed Monday at an unnamed spot "with the cooperation of the Japanese army and navy."