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RAILWAY MOVE FOR FREIGHT RATE BOOST SHELVED

Miami Escapes Full Force Of Hurricane

Pearson Says War Not Inevitable But Might Occur At Any Time

Swift Canadian Co. In Court Action

TORONTO, Sept. 21 (CP)—The Prices Board today opened court prosecution of Swift Canadian Company, Ltd., on a charge of requiring storekeepers to buy goods they didn't need to get scarce goods. The hearing was adjourned until tomorrow after three merchants testified that they had to buy a certain type of pork and beans in order to get golden bantam corn, scarce at the time of the purchase.

CARNegie WIDOW'S ESTATE

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 (AP)—The widow of Andrew Carnegie, Scottish-born philanthropist and steel maker, left a \$10,068,104 net estate, an estate tax appraisal disclosed today. Papers filed indicated the gross estate of Mrs. Louise Whitefield Carnegie, who died June 24, 1946, amounted to \$20,620,241.

Coming Events

- "Ice cream social in French River Hall Thursday, Sept. 23.
- "Sea Breeze Victoria, each Wednesday, Dancing 9-11.
- "We do Custom Grain Grinding daily Livestock Feed Agency.
- "Dance, Bright Spot tonight 9:30 to 1. Admission 50 cents.
- "Regular Dance Coles' Workshop, New London, Friday night.
- "Dance Mount Stewart every Thursday. Eastern Rhythm Boys.
- "Drawing of lottery, ice cream and bingo, etc., Hope River Hall, Thursday evening, September 23.
- "Reserve Wednesday night, September 22nd for Legion Dance in Rustico Hall.
- "Dance, Long River Hall, Wednesday, September 22nd. Door prize.
- "Dance, Little Pond, Monday, Sept. 21st. McCormack's Orchestra.
- "Kinkora Chicken Supper, September 21st and 22nd. Supper served from 5 o'clock.
- "Don't forget the dance Bradshaw Hall Thursday night. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- "Don't forget the Dance in Harrington Hall, Friday, September 24th. Refreshments.
- "Hot Chicken Supper in Power-Hall 5th September 23rd. Supper from 5 to 9 p.m. In aid of school.
- "Dance at Stanley Bridge School Friday, September 24th. Ice cream and cake.
- "Come to Children Supper at J. Matheson's, Apple Road, Thursday, September 23rd. In aid of the church. Supper served from 6 P.M.
- "Bring your live chicken, fowl and capon to R. L. Dickson, New Glasgow, Buying Friday 10 A. M. until 3 P. M.
- "Chicken Supper, Bingo and Dance, Vernon River Hall, Monday, October 11th. Supper served at 6 P. M.
- "Dance to the music of the Prince County Pioneers Islanders, County Club, Travellers Rest, every Thursday.
- "Come to the big Dance in Albert Plains Hall on Wednesday, 22nd, in aid of the Montague Memorial Hospital, Millview Orchestra.
- "New Grain is not good for growing or finishing hogs and is wasteful. It needs a "support." Try Pen-Honor Hog Grower, bag for bag or so. It will pay at the new price. Livestock Feed Agency.
- "Will be loading hogs at the following points each Thursday: Elmer Wigmore, Bradford, until 11:30 a. m.; Borden Bagfield, Hunter River, until noon; Summerside until 1:30 p. m.; and Kensington until 3 p. m. MacEwen and Coles.

Other Parts Of Florida Hard Hit

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 21 (AP)—A temperamental tropical hurricane battered the town of Everglades with 100-mile winds tonight and left at least two dead in South Florida.

The Federal Storm Warning Service said it appeared the storm was moving slower than earlier reports indicated and its centre moved close to the fishing town on the southwest coast around midnight, about two hours after it had been expected to pass.

Winds at Miami ranged up to hurricane force in gusts. The highest was 82 miles at the airport.

Key West, 175 miles south of Miami, was raked by winds reaching an extreme reported velocity of 160 miles an hour.

Grady Norton, chief storm forecaster here, said the storm centre pulled abreast of Miami at 8:45 p. m. and the "worst is over here."

The fishing town of Everglades was in the eye of the disturbance as it crossed the coastline.

"We have no word from Everglades City," said Norton.

Hurricane winds extend about 60 miles to the east of the storm centre and 40 miles to the west, the Weather Bureau said. Gales extend outward 150 miles to the east and northeast.

The storm headed in the direction of Lake Okechobee. Norton said its centre may pass directly over the lake or just to the west of it.

"The hurricane is over land now and it can be expected that it will lose force until it passes over water again," said Norton.

The immensely rich Florida citrus groves with millions of orange, grapefruit and tangerine trees apparently were in for a heavy loss. Losses will run into millions of dollars if the citrus crop is hard hit.

United Church Moderator Named

VANCOUVER, Sept. 21 (CP)—Rev. Willard E. Brewster of St. George's United Church in Toronto tonight became the 14th moderator of the United Church of Canada.

Dr. Brewster, 67, was a unanimous choice to succeed Rev. T.W. Jones of Montreal.

News In Brief

PARIS, Sept. 21 (CP)—Gen. A.G.L. McLaughlin said tonight "we are quite certain Russia has not yet produced an atomic bomb."

OTTAWA, Sept. 21 (CP)—Sir Stafford Cripps met today with the external trade committee of the Cabinet for discussions which were confined to trade and financial topics.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21 (AP)—Plans were announced today for India's first newspaper mill to be built at Chandni, 325 miles northeast of Bombay, at a cost of \$8,000,000.

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 21 (AP)—High winds and seas tonight prevented efforts to remove 73 persons from the British freighter Lochonair, which ran aground early Sunday morning at Little Cayman Island.

BERLIN, Sept. 21 (AP)—The Russians revived today their campaign for withdrawal of all occupation forces from Germany. The Soviet-inspired press used Russia's announced intention of withdrawing her occupation forces from Northern Korea as a springboard for the latest campaign.

U. S. Backs Bernadotte Plan For Palestine

By ALAN HARVEY
PARIS, Sept. 21 (CP)—The United States backed Count Folke Bernadotte's plan for an enforced Palestine settlement as the third General Assembly of the United Nations opened today.

The action, announced by State Secretary Marshall, aroused immediate opposition from the Arabs who said they would reopen the Palestine situation in the Assembly.

Bernadotte's final report recognized the existence of Israel as a state, said its boundaries must be fixed by the United Nations if the Jews and Arabs could not agree on them and declared peace must be imposed in Palestine by any possible means. It recommended revision of the boundaries set forth in the original partition plan.

The Assembly, devoting its first session to organization, elected Dr. Herbert Ewart, Australian Deputy Prime Minister, as president after a close race with Dr. Juan Atilio Bramuglia, Argentine Foreign Minister.

Dr. Ewart, virtually assured of election before the Argentine drive gathered momentum, was elected on the second ballot. The vote was 31 to 20 with 29 needed for election.

Dana Wilgress, Canadian Ambassador to Switzerland, was elected chairman of the administrative and budgetary committee. Chairmanship of the hot political committee, where most of the big battles of the 58-country Assembly are fought, went to Paul Henri Spak, Belgian Premier.

One of the first delegates to enter the Assembly was Prime Minister Mackenzie King, head of the Canadian delegation. He reached the great white Palais de Chaillot a half-hour before the opening of the session.

French warplanes traced the letters "UNO" in a flawless autumn sky as a new act started in the world political drama. Nearly 2,000 persons crowded into the Assembly hall.

Outside the Assembly meeting, the Foreign Ministers of Britain, the United States and France met for the second time in two days to map their next move in the battle with Russia over Berlin.

This problem involves the basic issue of east-west differences which is the major concern of the delegates to the world organization.

But Palestine clearly dominated the day's Assembly proceedings. The body of Count Bernadotte, United Nations mediator in Palestine, killed by assassins in Jerusalem Friday, passed through Paris en route to Sweden just a few hours before the Assembly convened.

Delegates including the Canadian Prime Minister and French leaders, paid honor to Count Bernadotte in a brief ceremony at Orly airport.

Island Farm Produce For American Military Bases On Big Scale This Fall

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The Colonial Office added, however, that if tension in Europe eased in the immediate future there might be prospects of getting the money, perhaps about the middle of 1949.

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Secretary Of N. S. College Of Art Dies

HALIFAX, Sept. 21 (CP)—Miss Norma E. Smith of Halifax, secretary of the Nova Scotia College of Art for 25 years, died in hospital here today after a three week illness.

One of the city's most gifted writers, she wrote both prose and poetry. Her poetry was published in Canadian American and English journals. Individual poems appeared in many North American newspapers and magazines and feature articles were published in "The Atlantic Reader" and "The Canadian Author and Bookman."

She was president of the Nova Scotia Branch of the Poetry Society and the Nova Scotia Association of the Canadian Author's Branch for several years.

Potato Blight Not Serious In N. B.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21 (CP)—Harvesting of grains still is in progress in the Maritime Provinces with one third to one quarter of the crop still to be cut, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today in the last of a series of telegraphic crop reports.

Potato blight is severe in Prince Edward Island but in New Brunswick the damage is not serious. Pastures and aftermath throughout the area are particularly good. Reduced crops of apples are expected in both Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and in Nova Scotia apple scab and codling moth have reduced the quality of the fruit.

Rainfall in Quebec during last two weeks has been insufficient to improve pastures which are dry and short. Potatoes are being dug and results indicate a heavy yield.

In British Columbia, wet weather, however, has delayed operations and some spoilage of cereals is reported. The apple crop is maturing rapidly but the size of the fruit is smaller than usual.

Apart from northern areas in Alberta, "excellent" harvesting weather has generally prevailed throughout the Prairie Provinces over the last month.

Unexploded German Bomb Is Removed

LONDON, Sept. 21—A 600-pound unexploded German bomb that had been buried in the quayside at Surrey commercial docks in southeast London since May 10, 1941, was removed today.

Four Germans, former prisoners of war, volunteered for the job of digging out the missile their countrymen dropped. Three British officers worked with them.

Diefenbaker Ends Tour Of Maritimes

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 21 (CP)—John Diefenbaker, Progressive-Conservative member of Parliament for Lake Centre, Sask., and candidate for the party leadership ended a speaking tour of the Maritimes here today. He left tonight by plane for Saskatoon where he will continue his pre-convention campaign.

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Irish airline hostess, Joan Sheela, is sailing from Southampton for Canada to marry Edward Barks of the Canadian meteorological office at Goose Bay, Labrador. They met during one of her air trips.

Strikes Continue To Erupt In France

(By The Associated Press)

PARIS, Sept. 21—Strikes continued to erupt all over France today. They are due to reach a climax Friday in a two-hour national general strike.

Paris will be paralyzed for those two hours as well as the rest of the country.

Both non-Communist and Communist unions ordered the walk-out as a warning to Premier Henri Queuille that they want cost-of-living bonuses, wage increases and lower food prices.

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Will Come Up Again On Jan. 11

By John LeBlanc
OTTAWA, Sept. 21 (CP)—In a \$16,000,000 decision, the Board of Transport Commissioners today ruled it would not hear now the railways application for a new round of freight-rate increases.

At the request of seven Provinces and other objections from the railways, the Board tossed the issue back to a Jan. 11 hearing.

The \$16,000,000 is the estimated potential revenue the railways would have got between early October—the time asked by the railways for a hearing—and the date finally settled by the commissioners.

The Provinces had thrown their application in as a block to the request of the railways for a general 20-per-cent increase.

Earlier this year, the carriers had asked an increase of 21 per cent.

The seven provinces asked this be deferred until the cabinet had heard their appeal from the Board's decision granting the 21-per-cent hike.

In today's move, the Province of British Columbia joined with the others in asking for the deferment but also proposed that any extension be put past the Board's hearings on the mountain differential.

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THE AIR IS AS FREE AS EVER, IF JUST COSTS MORE TO BREATHE IT

TORONTO, Sept. 21—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria 51-59; Kamloops 46-56; Edmonton 40-73; Regina 46-84; Winnipeg 47-67; Toronto 45-60; Ottawa 43-58; Montreal 46-55; Quebec 45-53; Saint John 51-61; Moncton 51-59; Halifax 53-64; Charlottetown 52-57; Sydney 50-55; Yarmouth 52-57.

HALIFAX, Sept. 21 (CP)—Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until midnight Wednesday.

Synopsis: Tuesday evening the weather was fine over the south and west parts of the Maritimes. However a storm centred in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence was pushing rain in the northern sections. Relatively cool dry air is pushing into the district from the west giving clearing weather. There is the risk of frost in the valleys of New Brunswick where the sky has cleared. The storm is expected to move off to the northeast so that the drier air will cover the entire district. Only variable cloudiness with widely scattered showers is forecast for Wednesday.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island—Variable cloudiness with widely scattered showers. Little change in temperature. Light winds increasing in the morning to northwest fifteen. Low early Wednesday morning and high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 45 and 60.

High tide this afternoon at 1:25 and tonight at 1:10. Rain in the Sun sets this afternoon at 5:58 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:47.

Last quarter moon September 26th, 1:07 A. M.

Summerside tide sixteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Daily Except Sunday
CAR FERRY "ABEGWEIT"
Standard Time
Leaves Borden, 9:10 a.m., 1 p.m., 4:30 p. m.
Leaves Tormentine 10:35 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 7:30 p. m.
SUNDAY
Leaves Borden 6:45 P. M.
Leaves Tormentine 8 P. M.
WOOD ISLANDS - CARIBOU
Daily including Sunday
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