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SECRET TREATY AT YALTA IS BIG SURPRISE

Diplomatic Surprise Of The Decade

By PAMELA MATTHEWS LONDON, Feb. 11 (Reuters) Today's publication of the secret agreement concluded at the "Big Three" parley one year ago provides one of the biggest diplomatic surprises of the decade.

Probe Mystery Shooting At Stellarton

Held In Death Of "Unwanted Child"



Because she was "an unwanted child and I couldn't bring myself to love her," police say Mrs. Stella Gerber, left, 35, mother of four children, beat her three-year-old daughter, Judy, right, to death with a telephone in McKeesport, Pa. The child, shown lying in a hospital before succumbing to her injuries, died Feb. 4.

Grocer Is Found Dead In Store

STELLARTON N. S., Feb. 11 (CP) — A coroner's jury studied the bullet-riddled body of a 61-year-old Stellarton grocery store operator tonight and quickly adjourned until next Saturday as Royal Canadian Mounted Police officials pressed a widespread investigation.

Reconversion Job 50 P. C. Finished

OTTAWA, Feb. 11 (CP) — Reconstruction Minister Howe, flipping over the pages of bulky reports, today told a group of newspapermen that Canada's reconversion job was "roughly about 50 per cent done."

Expect V. G. For Famous "Padre X"

CAMP BORDEN, Ont., Feb. 11 (CP) — Senior officials of this camp where Major John Footes of Barrie is the Protestant chaplain said tonight they understood the award of the Victoria Cross to the chaplain—famous "Padre X" of the Dieppe force—would be officially announced within a few days.

Crippled Freighter Arrives At Halifax

HALIFAX, Feb. 11 (CP) — Carrying the body of Captain H. H. Dunning, the 7,000-ton freighter Empire Abbey arrived in Halifax tonight in low of the Halifax Foundation Franklin, after fighting to reach port for nearly two weeks.

News Briefs

LONDON, Feb. 11 (CP) — The United Nations Assembly permanent headquarters committee tonight approved the plan to build a new Westchester County, N. Y., area tonight as the United Nations permanent home, by a vote of 12 to 1.

Que. Legislature Meets Wednesday

QUEBEC, Feb. 11 (CP) — Council and Assembly members scheduled to meet tonight for the opening of the second session of the 22nd Legislature of the province of Quebec.

Byrnes Urges Approval Of U. S. Loan To Britain

NEW YORK, Feb. 11 (AP) — State Secretary Byrnes said tonight the projected \$3,750,000,000 loan to Britain would provide aid and stimulation of trade preferences.

Pittsburgh Faces Power Shut Down

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 11 (AP) — The threat of a strike that would shut down the city's electric service tonight over this strike-beleaguered steel capital and its industrial environs.

Fire Destroys Local Foundry

Fire destroyed the foundry of Hall and Stavert, located on Pickard's Wharf yesterday evening. The greater part of the loss is represented in the destruction of expensive patterns and the damage done to a valuable motor.

Coming Events

- Supper and Auction Sale, Seaview Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 12, 7:30-11:30 p.m.
Basket Social and Dance, Bonshaw Hall, Feb. 14, Ladies with boxes free. If stormy Friday, 2-11-46.

British Back-Bencher Opposes Insurance Bill

LONDON, Feb. 11 (CP Cable) — Sir Waldron Smithers sits in the Conservative back benches in the British House of Commons but the bald, heavy-set 66-year-old member is not one to go with the crowd.

Philadelphia Has Record Traffic Jam

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11 — The greatest traffic jam in Philadelphia's history choked downtown streets today as a strike of nearly 10,000 transit workers immobilized all bus, trolley, elevated and subway lines.

Subsidy On Imported Beans Is Discontinued

OTTAWA, Feb. 11 (CP) — The Prince Edward Island government today announced the discontinuation of the subsidy of 80 cents a pound paid on imported beans during 1944 and 1945.

Broken Vial Postponed

National Progressive Conservative headquarters announced today that Opposition leader John Bracken would be forced to forego his projected visit to the Maritime Provinces this month owing to pressure of pre-essional duties in Ottawa.

Manila, Feb. 11 (AP) — Gen. MacArthur's self-styled opponent of Japan's reckless war policy, was convicted today of responsibility for the notorious Manila death march of 1942 and other atrocities, and sentenced to die before a firing squad.

FOR BETTER BAKING BLOSSOM OF CANADA FLOUR

Stalin Went To War With Japs At A Price

LONDON, Feb. 11 (CP) — Premier Stalin exacted three major concessions — including outright possession of the Kurile Islands — from the late President Roosevelt and Winston Churchill in return for Russia's entry into the war against Japan.

All Business Concerns Like To Break Their Records, Except The Phonograph Companies

Meteorological Office Toronto, Feb. 11 (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures Vancouver 27, St. Edmonton 23 below; Regina 16 below; Winnipeg 20 below; Toronto 16, 27; Ottawa 6 below; Montreal 4, 14; Quebec 3 below; St. John 3, 22; Moncton 2 below; Halifax 5, 21; Charlottetown 1, 19; Yorkton 16, 24.

Halifax, Feb. 11 (CP) — Following is official weather synopsis at 8:30 P.M. Monday: Sun seen, but obscured 500 miles south east of Sable Island is moving rapidly eastward and is not expected to affect the forecast.

High tide this morning at 7:41 and this evening at 6:57. Sun seen, but obscured 500 miles south east of Sable Island is moving rapidly eastward and is not expected to affect the forecast.