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Inter-Labor Battle Is Seen in T. L. C. Revolt

Moscow Reports Death Of Another Party Official

Decide To Ask For Floor Price Under Present Potato Crop

HUGE FISH CAUGHT
PETERHEAD, Aberdeenshire, Scotland (CP)—A monster halibut, 280 pounds, landed here, sold for £18 14s (\$74.90).

Coming Events
*Unloading car of bulk oats at St. Herbert today. J. R. Driscoll.
*Cardigan Hall chicken supper and dance, Tuesday, Sept. 7.
*Ice Cream Social, North Melick School, Friday, September 3rd.
*Pictures at Morell every Tuesday and Saturday, Show 8:30 P. M.
*Dance Borden Friday night, Modern and old time. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra.
*Wood Islands—Movies Monday—Return of Frank James—Tyron Power.
*Ganoes Cove—Movies Wednesday—Return of Frank James—Tyron Power.
*Surgeon—Movies Tuesday—Return of Frank James—Tyron Power.
*Dance, Coles' Workshop, New London, Friday, September 3rd. Good music. Canteen service.
*Don't miss that grand Western Feature, the Virgins playing to night at MacDonald Bros. Theatre. Show starts 8:30.
*The Stores of Walter Bonness and Ralph Calbeck & Co. will be closed Labor Day, September 6th.
*Our Stores will be closed Monday, September 6th. Labor Day. C. S. Dingwell, R. L. Dickleson.
*Chicken supper and dance Tracadie Parish Hall, Monday, Labor Day, Sept. 6th.
*Our Store will be closed all day Tuesday, September 7th. Peters and Gallant Ltd. North Rustico.
*See new serial starting next week, Vernon, Hunter River, Wiltshire, Glasgow, Brackley, Bonshaw.
*Now in Stock, Bran. Shorts, Middlings and Oil Cake. Buying good feed bags daily. Dillon & Spillit.
*Chicken Supper and Dance in Vernon River Hall, Monday, September 6th. Supper served at 6 P. M. Millview Orchestra.
*Annual Chicken Supper, St. Margaret's Hall, Tuesday, September 7th. Supper served at 6 o'clock.
*Largest horse show and only showing match in the Province at Dundas, Sept. 22. Albert Acorn, Secretary, Cardigan.
*Dance in Walter Connick's Friday night. Our regular piano player will be present. Good time assured.
*Big Legion Dance at new potato warehouse in Morell Sept. 6. Labor Day. Al Blanchard's orchestra. Modern and old time dancing. Amusements.
*Accepting orders for baled shavings to make up carlot. Excellent for insulating attic floors and walls. Phone 2511-L or write L. MacDonald, Shur-Gain Feeds, Parkdale.
*The National Film Board will present their show "Touring the Maritimes" and other specialties in Wheatley River Hall, Friday, night, September 3rd. Sale of Ice Cream and Cake.
*Members of Prince Edward Lodge will meet at the Lodge Room, Stanley Bldg., September 5th, at 8:30 before attending Divine Service at St. Thomas' Church. Springsbrook at 7:30. Rev. Mr. Davies officiating. Sisters Lodges cordially invited.

Is Appointed To Command Queen Charlotte

Ontario Police Hunt For Three Bank Robbers
RIDGEWAY, Ont., Sept. 2—(CP)—More than 30 Provincial Police cruisers blocked off Niagara peninsula roads in the hope of trapping three men who shortly after noon today robbed the Imperial Bank here of almost \$5,000.
The bank manager C. J. Hamilton and two of the men in new blue dungarees, one of them wearing a white mask, herded eight employees and a customer at gunpoint into the vault and scooped the money from change tills. The vault could not be closed because of an electric light cord hung over the door.
The thugs were apparently after our payroll which we had distributed just an hour or two before," Mr. Hamilton said.
Police said the pair escaped in a dark blue or black sedan bearing New York State license plates and driven by a third gang member. They immediately set up road blocks throughout the Niagara peninsula.
Police said they are also considering the possibility the trio may be on foot and policemen have been instructed to approach wooded areas with "utmost caution."

Busy Session Looms at Legion Convention To Be Held At Souris

Plans yesterday were being finalized for the annual convention of the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., which is being held in Souris on Monday, Labor Day.
Some 50 delegates from 30 branches throughout the Province will gather for the important business sessions which will open at 9 p.m. and conclude late in the afternoon. A social evening will follow with the annual banquet being held in the Legion Hall. The business sessions will take place in the Souris Theatre.
Highlights of the convention will include an address in the afternoon by the Minister of Veterans' Affairs, Milton F. Gregg, V.C., and a message by the Dominion First Vice-President, Group Captain Alfred Wats, A.F.C.
The sessions will be opened by the President of the Provincial Command, Major John A. MacDonald, Cardigan. His Honor Lt. Governor Bernard has been invited to attend.
At noon provincial delegates and members of the Souris branch of the Legion will form parade and attend the unveiling of a monument to the war dead. The unveiling will be made by Daniel MacDonnell, Summerside, a veteran who lost an arm and leg in the Second World War while serving with Cape Breton Highlanders in the Italian Campaign.
Souris is preparing to welcome the Legion delegates to the first such convention to be held in the eastern township. Brief addresses of welcome will be made by its Worshipful Mayor Paul Gallant and by the Dominion Vice-President, Major J.A. MacLellan, Souris.
Officers of the Provincial Command of the Legion are: President, Senator Brewer Robinson, Summerside; Vice-President, Major J.A. MacLellan, Cardigan; Provincial Chairman, Harry Bishop, Summerside; Provincial Vice-Chairman, Roland Phillipson, Summerside; Dominion Representative, Major N.W. Lowther, K.C.M.G.; Provincial Secretary, Major T.E. MacNeil, M.B.E.; Prov. Hon. Treasurer, M.P. Titus, Summerside; Zone Chairmen, Prince, Lester Jenkins, Summerside, Queen's, H.R. Vessey, Charlottetown, Kings, Major P.A. MacLellan, Souris.

Zhdanov Is Buried After Huge Funeral

LONDON, Sept. 3—(Friday) (AP)—The Moscow radio early today announced the death of Sergei Georlovich Lukin, deputy of the Supreme Soviet and a member of the Communist Party's Central Control Commission.
The broadcast, heard in London, said Lukin died yesterday after a long illness.
The broadcast said: "The Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union (Bolsheviks) and the Council of Ministers of the U.S.S.R. announce with profound sorrow the death Sept. 2 following a long illness of Sergei Georlovich Lukin, member of the Central Control Commission of the Party, U.S.S.R. Supreme Soviet Deputy and Deputy Minister of Light Industry of the U.S.S.R." Lukin was the second prominent Soviet official to die this week.
Andrei A. Zhdanov, member of the powerful Politburo and a founder of the Communist Party of the U.S.S.R., died Tuesday.
MOSCOW, Sept. 2—(CP)—Andrei A. Zhdanov was buried in (Continued on Page 5 Col. 4)

23 Unions Oppose Current Policy of T. L. C. Executive

By JOHN LAMMANG
OTTAWA, Sept. 2—(CP)—High officers of 23 international unions in the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, revolting against Congress tolerance of Communists in its ranks, today set up a committee pledged to clean Reds out of that 370,000-man body.
Unions estimated at having a massed strength of between 150,000 and 175,000 members threw their weight into a drive not only to rid the T.L.C. of Reds, but also to bar from office anyone who "plays ball" with Communists.
The move was a direct rebellion against current policies of the Congress executive—particularly its backing of the Canadian Seaman's Union, alleged to be led by Reds—and it was seen, too, as a threat to the presidency of Percy Bengough.
Mr. Bengough later said he didn't take the committee "very seriously" and thought its members were "mesmerizing" themselves into delusions about their importance.
He doubted that the annual convention of the T.L.C. next month would banish the C.S.U. in favor of the Seafarers' International Union which the committee went on record as supporting.
Spokesmen for the revolting unions did not deny that Bengough would be opposed by them. (Continued on Page 5 Col. 4)



Brig. Milton F. Gregg, V.C., M.C. and Bar, M.A., Minister of Veterans Affairs, who will arrive in the Province today. He will be guest speaker at the annual Provincial Convention of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., which will be held at Souris, Monday. Accompanied by Mrs. Gregg the Hon. Mr. Gregg will be in the Province until Wednesday when he will proceed to Picton for the annual meeting of the Legion there. While in the Province they will be guests at Dalvey House.

Trying Out New Methods In Sea Fisheries Here

The Provincial Government in conjunction with the Federal Government and the Fisheries Research Board, is continuing to experiment in improved methods of fishing in the coastal waters of the Province that have not been tried here before.
A Rustico long lining experiment with "flying sets" has been arranged to be run in comparison with the present "under-running" method. Similar experiments are being carried out at Tignish and Souris.
Earlier this summer the Danish stining method was introduced, experimentally, at both extremities of the Province. Fisheries Minister Mayhew gained first hand knowledge of this type of fishing when he made a trip to Souris on a recent visit to the Province.
The long lining method is operated by a compass motor driven winch and gives a much greater coverage of a fishing area. It saves time and lessens the laborious task of drawing in lines by hand.
Mr. J. A. Reid, formerly of the Federal Fisheries Service, is coordinating the experimental work. Stress at present, is being laid on assisting fishermen in installing and operating experimental equipment. The methods used are not entirely new but have been found successful in the industry elsewhere. It is hoped to determine one that could be used to advantage by the fishermen here, both from the standpoint of economy and results obtained.
Mr. D.N. Fitzgerald, field technician of the ground fish section of the Atlantic Biological Station, Fisheries Research, arrived in the Province Tuesday and plans to visit the more well-known fishing localities. Emphasis on quality of haul is being stressed in the post-war years in order that markets established during war years should be retained in competition with fisheries output of other countries.

Truckers' Strike Is Threat To New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 2—(AP)—A truckers' walkout which threatens the city's economy and has spread to other drivers today and increased food prices were predicted.
Federal, state and city mediators talked with union and employer groups but no immediate prospect of a settlement was held out.
Mayor William O'Dwyer was not hopeful of a quick end of the tie-up.
The New York Retail Appretizers Association said "if the strike is not settled shortly, it may very well cause the inflationary spiral in food prices to skyrocket even further because of the law of supply and demand."
The Association represents 250 retail food outlets.
The stoppage began Wednesday when about 9,500 members of local 807 of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters (A.F.L.) quit after rejecting a new contract negotiated by their officers.
There was no immediate shortage of food in the stores and few New Yorkers felt directly the pinch of the stoppage. Store stocks were estimated as ample for two or three weeks.
O'Dwyer won an agreement from the Union Wednesday that it would continue to transport food, perishable items, medicines, building supplies and other vital commodities.
However, embargo on much railroad freight destined for the city was imposed Wednesday.

Viscount Alexander To Tour Manitoba

OTTAWA, Sept. 2—(CP)—Viscount Alexander will travel by aircraft, canoe and railway gas-car during a two-week tour of Manitoba starting Sunday. Visits to the military establishment at Fort Churchill and the mining economy of Pin Point will highlight the visit. The Governor-General's plan also calls for trout fishing at Lake Attikameg and duck and goose hunting east of Fort Churchill.
The Earl of Galeson, brother of Viscount Alexander, is expected to arrive in Ottawa next week-end to stay at Rideau Hall for an indefinite period. Government House said today, "Details of the visit were unavailable but it was believed the Governor-General's brother sailed from Ireland this week."

Maine Woman Is Injured At DeSable

Mrs. James Beck of Bangor, Maine, was taken to the Charlottetown Hospital late yesterday afternoon in the Outcliffe Funeral Home ambulance, as the result of a car accident near DeSable bridge about three o'clock yesterday afternoon.
The accident occurred when the car which Mr. Beck was driving, accompanied by his wife and son Thomas, went out of control and crashed into the ditch near the approach to DeSable bridge.
Although Mr. Beck and his son were only badly shaken up, Mrs. Beck received severe cuts and bruises but the exact extent of her injuries could not be learned last night.
Dr. N. R. Bover, Crapaud, who was called to the scene of the accident, administered first aid to Mrs. Beck. The Outcliffe ambulance, which by mere chance arrived at the place of the accident shortly after it occurred, took the injured woman to the City Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Beck and their son have been holidaying for the summer at a cottage at Argyle Shore.

BUY NEGRO NEWSPAPER

NEW YORK, Sept. 2—(AP)—The New York Age, one of the oldest Negro newspapers in the United States, has been purchased by an Englishman who says he wants to "improve the lot of the Negro in particular and of minority groups in general." The buyer is Richard Bourne-Vanneck of London, who said today his wife is of Negro parentage.

Minor Damage from Storm In St. John's

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Sept. 2—(CP)—Early reports from this area indicated that a minor transportation and communication tie-ups but no damage from the tropical hurricane which today whirled across Newfoundland after leaving a trail of wreckage in Northern Cape Breton yesterday.
Dominion Public Weather Office in Halifax said the Atlantic storm had suddenly shifted northward after passing over the desolate hills of Newfoundland. Strong gales swept across the northeastern half of the Island. Still progressing northwards, the hurricane had become a severe storm off the Labrador coast and was expected to abate further late tonight.

Toronto Man Dies While On Visit Here

A Toronto manufacturer's agent, A. E. Reason, died unexpectedly at the Charlottetown Hotel early yesterday. The 73-year-old man succumbed to a heart attack while on a holiday. His body is being forwarded to Toronto for burial.
Mr. Reason and his wife came to Saint John, N.B., to visit a son, J. F. Reason. The son came to Charlottetown on business and his father accompanied him. Hardy had the pair checked in at the hotel Wednesday night when Mr. Reason, Sr., became ill. He died about 3 a.m. yesterday.

Manhunt Continues For Jamaica Desperado

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 2—(CP)—An armed jail escapee who yesterday eluded a police trap after shooting two persons and seriously injuring two others is expected to abate further late tonight.
The threat to kill again came in a letter to police headquarters as armed officers scoured Western Kingston in the belief that the desperado had remained in the city. A reward was offered for information leading to his arrest.
Ivan Martin, an ex-soldier, burglar and jail escapee, shot six persons—two fatally—after he was cornered by police in a small hotel in Western Kingston.
Martin escaped from a Kingston jail April 26 while serving a five-year term for burglary and has been at large since. When police closed in on him yesterday he opened fire from his hotel room.
After the first skirmish Martin at first "played possum" and then

Government Warns of Pen Pal Spying

Germany to forward copies of Canadian telephone books.
The spokesman said it was significant that all requests came from persons in Soviet-dominated regions of Eastern Europe.
"There is nothing startlingly serious about the matter but it shows how careful you have to be," he said. "There obviously is something pretty sinister when someone starts asking for harbor views of Arctic posts."
The Canadian warning stems from a similar caution issued recently by the United States army, which disclosed that Chambers of Commerce and other public bodies were getting letters asking for maps of highways, railway lines and other information. These, too, came from Soviet-dominated areas in Europe.

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FLOUR PRODUCTION

OTTAWA, Sept. 2—(CP)—Wheat flour production in the 1947-48 crop year amounted to 24,244,000 barrels, a drop of 15 per cent from the record 28,368,000 of 1946-47. The Bureau of Statistics reported today. July output was 1,814,000 barrels, compared with 2,261,000 in July, 1947.

WINDS

Forecast: Prince Edward Island—variable cloudiness clearing during the night. Friday clear and warmer. Light winds. Low early Friday morning and high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 45 and 68.
High tide this morning at 10:03 and tonight at 11:15.
Sun sets this evening at 6:35 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:24.
New moon September 3rd, 8:21 A. M.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.
Daily Except Sunday
CAR FERRY "ABEGWEIT" Standard Time
Leaves Borden, 8:10 a. m., 1 p. m., 4:30 p. m., 9 p. m.
Leaves Summerside, 10:35 a. m., 2:44 p. m., 7:30 p. m., 10:30 p. m.
SUNDAY
Leaves Borden 9:10 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 4:45 p. m.
Leaves Summerside 10:35 a. m., 3:04 p. m., 6:50 p. m.
WOOD ISLANDS—CARIBOU Daily including Sunday Standard Time
Leaves Wood Islands, Prince Nova 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 3 p. m.
Charles A. Dunning, 9 a. m., 1 p. m., 5 p. m.
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Prince Nova, 9 a. m., 1 p. m., 5 p. m.