

Russia Rejects Plan To End Border Dispute

Claims Frontier Has Already Been Clearly Defined

Mixed Commission Suggestion By Japan To Re-establish Russia-Manchoukuo Border Is Turned Down.

(By John Lloyd, Associated Press Foreign Staff)
(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
MOSCOW, Feb. 20.—The government newspaper Izvestia asserted today that Russia has rejected Japanese suggestions for the establishment of a mixed commission to re-establish the frontier between Russia and Manchoukuo. (A number of incidents have occurred in recent months among soldiers of Japan, Russia, the Japanese-created state of Manchoukuo, and the Russian-occupied state of Mongolia. In each case the fighting troops claimed their opponents had violated national boundaries.)

The Izvestia statement was an official announcement. It stated that Japanese suggestions that the frontiers in question be re-surveyed were unnecessary, asserting that the boundaries were clearly fixed by the treaties of Peking and Mukden.

The Russian announcement advanced the counter-proposal that Japan and Manchoukuo withdraw White Russian agents whom it alleged had been sent into Soviet territory as spies and terrorists.

War Veterans Hospitalization Allowances Cut

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—An order-in-council will become operative March 1 giving effect to drastic reductions in hospitalization allowances for all war veterans other than privateers. In the House of Commons today Veterans Minister Power informed C. Grant MacNeill (C.C.F. Vancouver North) the new rates would be applied. He also told the Vancouver member the government was considering referring the order-in-council to a parliamentary committee which will be established to consider ex-service men's affairs. The order-in-council reduces the basis of hospitalization allowances. The rates previously in force were founded on army pay and allowances at the time of discharge; the new rates will be approximately the same as a 100 per cent disability pension based on the rank of the recipient at the time the disability was incurred—less about \$30 a month. All ranks, with the exception of former...

COMMONS DEFEATS C.C.F. RESOLUTION

Day-long Discussion In House Re Retiring Allowances For The Aged.

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The House of Commons tonight heard a day-long discussion on retiring allowances for the aged. The C.C.F. turned its attention to Oriental immigration. A resolution sponsored by A. A. Heaps (C.C.F.-Winnipeg North) asking payment of monthly pensions to persons over the age of 60 who were willing to retire from their jobs was ruled out of order by Speaker Casgrain. An objection by J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader, precipitated a vote in which Liberals and Conservatives lined up to defeat the C.C.F. and Social Credit members 158-22.

COMING EVENTS

- *Alden Moose outing live hogs at Kensington Monday, Feb. 24; Everett Hiaslam, Emerald and Hunter River Tuesday morning. (8g.d.) A. E. Whitlock. L-3022
- *Attend cake sale at Holman's store Saturday afternoon. L-3020
- *Doubleheader at Highfield tonight, West Royals vs. St. Avars; Sherwood Tigers vs. Highfield Granites. First game starts at 7. L-3024
- *Hockey at Mt. Herbert rink tonight and skate after. L-3023
- *Playoff game at Stanley rink tonight, Sea View vs. Stanley. If not fine, Saturday night. Admission 15 cents. L-3025
- *Institute dance, Belfast Hall, Monday, February 24th. Admission 25c. Lunch free. If stormy, night following. L-2083-2-21-21.
- *A Hospital Cake Sale by Ladies of the Baptist Church Saturday, at Moore and McLeod's. L-2083-2-21-21.
- *Fredericton Pirates vs. Ramblers at Wheatley River tonight. L-2099
- *Potato Growers Association is now represented at Carleton by Elmer Francis who will be receiving potatoes and turnips daily at the warehouse. L-2089
- *Auction and dance at the home of Philip McNally, Summerfield, on Friday night, Feb. 21st. Music by G. McMahon and Clifford Sharron. L-2095
- *Annual Meeting of Bedeque Egg Circle at Central Bedeque Hall, on Monday, February 24, at 2 P. M. Patrons will be paid bonus for 1935. Delegates report from Central Meeting. Fred E. Moore, Secretary. L-3006-2-21-21.

ITALO-GERMAN ALLIANCE IMMINENT BELIEF

REPORT PAUL REDFERN SEEN IS DENIED

Head of American Expedition In Search Of Missing Flier Labels Report False.

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
GEORGETOWN, British Guiana Feb. 20.—(C. P. Cable)—A bizarre story that Paul Redfern had been found in the Tumacac Mountains of Brazil was labelled as false tonight by Arthur J. Williams, American aviator in charge of an expedition searching for Redfern, missing for eight years.

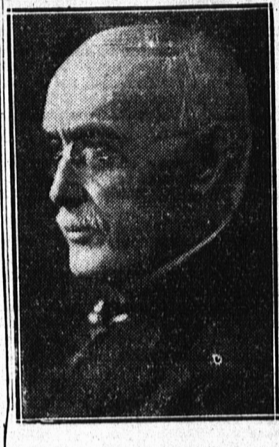
The story by one, Alfred Harred, an alleged employee of the International Boundary Comm., was released simultaneously today by the Paramaribo "Banner" in Dutch Guiana and the Georgetown Daily Chronicle in British Guiana. It said that Redfern's plane crashed in the thick jungle district southwest of a tributary of the Amazon and had been discovered by Harred and Williams.

According to Harred, whom Williams brands as a "publicity hunter" they talked with Redfern but could not bring him back because of the threats of the savages who worship the American as a "white god."

Spanish Soviet Is Predicted

(By H. E. Knoblauch, Associated Press Staff Writer)
(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
MADRID, Feb. 20.—Socialist leaders, in the vanguard of the politically victorious Liberals, predicted a Spanish Soviet tonight as celebrating Radicals tried to burn several churches. One more man was killed in the disorders which, since the parliamentary elections Sunday, have brought death to a dozen persons and injuries to scores. Attempts were made to burn churches and convents in Alicante, Valencia, Sevilla, Barcelona, Palma Del Rio, and Villa Del Rio. Statues and paintings were destroyed. The Socialist chiefs said the United Leftists' victory at the polls and the subsequent formation of a Leftist government was a stepping stone to a Spanish Soviet.

Death Of Hon. John McLean Yesterday



THE LATE HON. JOHN MCLEAN

Hon. John McLean died at Souris yesterday following a lingering illness. He was 89 years old. Eight months ago the same illness had forced him to resign the senatorship he had held for 20 years. He was succeeded by Hon. John A. MacDonald. Death came to the aged ex-senator at the home of a son, Roy, prominent Souris merchant, with whom he had lived since the passing of his wife two years ago. His physician and one of the two nurses who had cared for him for the past year were at the bedside. Since his retirement last July Mr. McLean had battled almost continually against illness and on three occasions when he contracted colds, his life was despaired of. But each time he rallied valiantly and was able to get up and go about among his fellow townsmen again. Yesterday his condition had cumulated after his condition had been ordered to his bed one week ago. He was the last member of a family of five brothers and two sisters. The aged "fine gentleman" as he was known to the townsfolk and farmers of the district, will be greatly missed in the community. Even until a month ago he had driven about with horse and sleigh with a cheery salutation for everyone he met. Every member of all the families "for miles around" he knew and greeted by name. Two sons, Roy, with whom he lived, and Harry D., former member of the provincial legislature, survive.

LATE HON. JOHN MCLEAN

Pioneer business man of Souris, P. E. I., Hon. John McLean had a distinguished career as a politician. He was once described by a prominent jurist as a man who never knew how to tell a lie. He lived to be the oldest member of the Senate of Canada, from which he resigned last year, and was succeeded by Hon. J. A. MacDonald. From 1922 when he first was elected by acclamation to represent King's County in the Provincial Legislature until 1915 when he entered the Senate, John McLean, a Conservative, offered himself to the electorate nine times. Twice he was defeated, once by seven votes and again by 57. Four times he was elected to the legislature and once to the House of Commons at Ottawa. From 1912 to 1917 he was a member without portfolio of the Matheson Provincial Government. John McLean was born Sept. 23, 1846, in Mount Herbert, the son of Donald McLean and Sarah (Currie) McLean, both of whom came out from Scotland to settle here. He knew well the chores of the farmyard and experienced the sacrifices necessary to gain an education those days.

CONDEMNED MAN STICKS TO STORY

Final Effort To Wring Confession From Bruno Hauptmann Fails.

(By Samuel Blackman, Associated Press Staff Writer)
(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 20.—Governor Hoffman said tonight the failure of Samuel Lebowitz, New York attorney, to "get something" from Bruno Richard Hauptmann convinced him "more than ever" that the Lindbergh kidnaping case was unsolved. The Governor, who on Jan. 16 gave Hauptmann a 30-day reprieve, said he did not plan another. A futile attempt to wring a death house confession from Bruno Richard Hauptmann by stamping on his mind the horror of death in the electric chair was made yesterday, it was disclosed today. Through the eyes of Samuel Lebowitz, New York criminal lawyer, the condemned man "saw" the chair, six paces from cell no. 9, and just beyond the little door which leads to the execution chamber. Hauptmann paled, the person who described the episode of the interview said, and his hands revealed his nervous state of mind. But scared as he obviously was, he did not change the story he has told since his arrest, and in a short time he recovered his calm. Lebowitz, who was hopeful of getting from Hauptmann "the whole truth," questioned him on many things. It was as if he was talking on the most indifferent subjects in the world. His very casualness, the source said, was his curiously hypnotic effect on Hauptmann, and the prisoner frequently raised his voice. The lawyer asked the guards to remove a wire screen from the cell. This was done. Then Lebowitz, assured that Hauptmann could not observe more closely what he meant to do, moved to the door of the execution chamber. He looked through a peep hole, but he did not open the door. Hauptmann could not see the chair, but he knew Lebowitz's eyes were on it as it stood shrouded in a white cover, and he stared. Lebowitz, without a note of agitation in his voice, asked the guard if that was the chair. The guard said yes, and Hauptmann grew aghast. "He shivered and sighed and lost his voice momentarily, but no tears came to his eyes," the source said. Lebowitz held another trick in his bag, but this, too, failed to shake Hauptmann. He tore several sheets of paper into small pieces.

5 Arraigned In Conspiracy Case

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
HALIFAX, Feb. 20.—Five of eight men summoned by Royal Canadian Mounted Police to answer charges of conspiracy to smuggle liquor were arraigned in Halifax police court today and released on bail of \$1,000 to appear again Feb. 27. The five were William H. Awalk and George A. Mader, Mahone Bay; Thomas J. Greaser, Riverport; Roy Ernst, Blockhouse, and William S. Somers, Medford, Guysboro County. The three others who failed to appear were named by police as Jack Creighton, Lower Lohave; Clarence Tanner, Lunenburg; and Thomas Flanigan, Trinity. Flanigan is said to be recovering from immersion, the result of a narrow escape from drowning when an automobile in which he was a passenger broke through the ice on Mahone Bay Wednesday. Charges laid against them are the same as those on which 11 Maritimers were convicted last summer and sentenced to fines and imprisonment. The Minister of Agriculture also spoke briefly. He stressed the need for improvement in the fertility of the soil of the province by the application of lime and a system of mixed farming. Mr. J. W. Boulter, secretary treasurer, read the financial statement showing the association to...

Late News Flashes

- LONDON, Feb. 20.—(C.P.-Havas)—Reports were current in usually well-informed quarters today that Italy would not sign any naval limitation treaty as long as League Nations sanctions against her remained in effect. The reports could not be confirmed, however, but added to the air of pessimism prevailing in conference circles.
- NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(A.P.)—Young Caleb Milne 4th went free today on any charges growing out of the hoax kidnaping of himself he perpetrated for publicity last December. Charges of extortion against the actor, member of a socially prominent Philadelphia family, were dropped when a federal grand jury returned no indictment.
- TORONTO, Feb. 20.—(C.P.)—Rt. Rev. Dr. Richard Roberts, Moderator of the United Church of Canada, will leave early in March for the Maritime Provinces where he will conduct missions in the principal towns and cities. He will remain in the East until Easter.
- NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(A.P.)—In tow of the Eastern Prince, the disabled passenger liner Nova Scotia tonight neared Bermuda, where she was expected to dock sometime tomorrow for replacement of her lost propeller. Both are Furness Withy Line boats.
- CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 20.—(C.P.)—Quadruplets—all girls—were born today to Sallie Glover, wife of Sam Glover, negro farm hand, in an unheated cabin at Parrishville, near here.
- NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 20.—(A.P.)—The Norfolk, Baltimore and Carolina freighter Pawtucket was reported in a sinking condition three miles east of Point No Point in Chesapeake Bay in a wireless message received at 5:40 P. M. A.S.T. by the tanker Christy Payne which was standing by.

Farmers Conclude Busy Sessions At Dairymen's Meet

Interesting Addresses At Afternoon And Evening Sessions Of P. E. I. Dairymen's Assn. Mr. W. N. Jenkins Re-elected President.

Prince Edward Island's three-day farmers' parliament was brought to a close here last night with the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Dairymen's Association of the province. Problems which cropped up during the past year in all branches of agriculture were dealt with at annual meetings of six of the province's farming organizations. Motions were made for agriculture's betterment in Prince Edward Island and plans laid for 1936 during the farmers week in Charlottetown. At each of the six meetings the farmers of the province were assured of the co-operation of the department of agriculture. Mr. W. J. Gibson of Dunstaffnage was appointed Honorary president of the Dairymen's Association at the closing session of the annual meeting last night, and Mr. W. N. Jenkins of Bedeque was re-elected president. Mr. J. L. Clarke of New Glasgow was elected vice president and Mr. J. W. Boulter of Charlottetown was re-elected secretary. Directors of the association for 1936 are as follows: Kings: J. A. Dewar, John McLeod. Queens: W. J. Gibson, J. L. Clarke, Percy Simmonds. Prince: Robert Doucette, W. N. Jenkins. The dairymen's sessions opened in the afternoon when the president, Mr. W. N. Jenkins, gave an address, which was spoken of very highly by the dairymen, who congratulated the speaker on the great amount of valuable material it contained. The address appears in full on another page of this issue. Before proceeding with the main part of his address Mr. Jenkins referred to the death of Hon. W. M. Lea. "It shall indeed be hard to replace him and we shall miss his splendid contribution to and keen interest in agriculture," Mr. Jenkins said. He also referred to the passing of Mr. A. McLeod, editor-in-chief of the Maritime Farmer. The Premier, the Hon. T. A. Campbell, spoke briefly to the delegates. He told them that the Prince Edward Island Government's policy of economy would be carried out "by curtailment along the lines of paved roads rather than along agricultural lines." Premier Campbell promised the delegates that "anything within reason" having to do with the agricultural betterment of the Province "will meet with the keen sympathy and consideration" from his government. The Minister of Agriculture also spoke briefly. He stressed the need for improvement in the fertility of the soil of the province by the application of lime and a system of mixed farming. Mr. J. W. Boulter, secretary treasurer, read the financial statement showing the association to...

Gomez Lands At Jamaica

(C. P. Cable By Guardian's Special Wire)
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 20.—General F. M. Gomez, fleeing with his family from riot-torn Venezuela, was allowed to land here today after being held up at the ganplanck by authorities for several hours after his arrival on the motorship Georgia. The brother of the man who ruled Venezuela, as dictator-president for a quarter-century announced his intention of remaining here a month before embarking for England. Since the death of President Gomez in December, strong opposition to his government has arisen. Sixteen persons were killed by police bullets in disorders at Caracas last week. General Gomez was accompanied by his two daughters and other relatives.

CONFERENCE DEVELOPMENTS KEPT SECRET

Central Powers Believed Planning Alignment to Counterbalance British-French-Russian Front.

(By Wade Werner, Associated Press Foreign Staff)
(A. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
BERLIN, Feb. 20.—The possibility of an Italo-German rapprochement became the centre of interest for diplomats tonight as Ulrich Von Hassel, Germany's Ambassador to Italy, left for Rome after his second conference in five days with Reichsfuehrer Hitler. Belief was expressed in diplomatic circles that Hitler and Premier Mussolini were discussing, through Von Hassel, the possibility of Italy taking reprisals against France by withdrawing as a guarantor of the Locarno Pact if all sanctions were voted against Italy. Von Hassel had flown here after a conference with Fulvio Suvich, Italian Undersecretary for Foreign Affairs. Retain Silence German officials declined to discuss the reasons for the Ambassador's flying trips, and ignored reports from Italy that Hitler and Mussolini were seeking an agreement regarding independent Austria. The Foreign Office was non-committal in quarters close to Hitler. It was stated positively that the initiative for any rapprochement certainly did not come from him. No one denied, however, that Ambassador Von Hassel was extremely busy with a series of conferences with high government officials. There is a strong section of Nazi opinion sympathetic to Italy and favoring Italo-German understanding. This opinion is based to a large extent on the fact that Germany and Italy are the most im-

Wonder Why Some of Those Birds Who Would Die for the Dear Old College Don't Do So!



(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire)
TORONTO, Feb. 20.—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	14B	6B
Aklavik	34B	14B
Edmonton	20B	0
Regina	30B	2
Winnipeg	30B	0
Toronto	12B	10
Ottawa	0	14
Montreal	0	14
Quebec	4B	10
Saint John	4	24
Halifax	10	24
Charlottetown	0	22

Maritime Provinces: Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy with a little higher temperature; probably scattered snowflurries. High tide this morning at 9:58 and tonight at 9:26. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:34 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:53. New moon Saturday, Feb. 22, 2:42 P.M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy with a little higher temperature; probably scattered snowflurries. THE CAR FERRY

Leave Borden 9:45 A. M. (Extra)
1 P. M.
Leave Tormentine (Extra) 11 A. M.
9:55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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