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## TWO BRITISH SOLDIERS SLAIN IN JERUSALEM

### FOX SHOW BROUGHT TO SUCCESSFUL CLOSE

#### TROPHIES ARE PRESENTED TO PRIZE WINNERS

Stewart and Lewis Collect Major Number Of Awards, Champions Declared.

The Provincial Silver Fox Show concluded yesterday morning at the Exhibition grounds with the awarding of trophies and cups to the successful exhibitors by Premier, the Honorable Thane A. Campbell, M. A. After a brief speech in which he complimented the exhibitors and management on the success which had crowned their efforts, he personally presented the cups and trophies, congratulating each happy recipient.

The Premier was introduced by the President, S. R. Johnson, who also called upon the Honorable Mr. Dennis, Minister of Agriculture, for a few remarks. Mr. Dennis spoke of the great interest the Government was taking in the silver fox industry and assured the exhibitors and management that he was very proud of the success that had attended this Exhibition, and warmly congratulated the winners.

#### Climax To Show

Prior to this function, the judging of the Champions in the various sections and Grand Championships took place. Some were of the opinion that this was the most interesting of all the judging, because it brought together only the top foxes in each class. They certainly looked beautiful on the table and it was a difficult matter in some cases to decide the Champion.

Stewart and Lewis were the biggest winners, their collection of silverware being a truly magnificent one. The full list of donors and winners will be found below.

Roy Woodside of Malpeque, who last year had the Grand Champion of the show, this year had the Champion Male Pup, with Stewart and Lewis reserve. Ira D. Carr, Stanhope, held the Champion Female Pup, with Stewart and Lewis in Reserve. Competition for Champion Pup in the show was between Ira Carr's female pup and Roy Woodside's male pup, and Ira Carr carried off the honors. Stewart and Lewis had the Champion Male in the show and Brent Howatt the Champion Female. These two with the Champion pup were shown in a class for the Grand Championship and Stewart and Lewis' male won, with Brent Howatt's female having second honors. Stewart and Lewis won the Canada Packers Trophy for the greatest number of points in the 36 classes judged. This was the greatest test of all and speaks volumes for the great progress made by these young men in the past few years.

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#### COMING EVENTS

- Announcement is inserted in this column at 5 cents per word strictly payable in advance.
- Chicken Supper and Dance in Iona Hall, Monday, November 8th. L-1444-11-5-31.
- Chicken Supper in Lot 65 Hall on Monday, November 8th. Admission 20c and 35c. L-1332-11-3-5-51.
- Wo-he-lo Club cake sale at Moore and McLeod's Saturday Nov. 6 beginning at 11 a. m. L-1420-11-4-31.
- Masquerade Dance St. Teresa's Hall, Monday, November 8th. Webster's Orchestra. L-1246-10-30-11-2-6
- Chicken Supper, Bingo and Dance, Kelly's Cross Hall, Wednesday, November 10th. L-1484-11-6-31.
- Entries for Victoria Fiddling contest November 12th. Apply at once to Box 5, Victoria. L-1486-11-6-31.
- Rummage Sale Baptist School room tonight, November 6th at 7 o'clock. L-1404-11-5-21.
- The P. E. I. Poultry Association will hold their Annual Poultry Show in Ford Show Room, Great George Street, November 15th to 17th. L-1479-11-6-11.

The King and Queen With Mrs. Hunter



The King and Queen, on a three-day tour of Yorkshire, visited the Home for Aged Folks at Hull, and called on Mrs. Sarah Ann Hunter, 87, oldest tenant at the home. She is in the doorway after greeting Their Majesties.

#### DRAFT PLEA TO JAPAN

Nine - Power Conference Makes Little Progress.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 5.—(CP Cable)—The Nine-Power Conference invitation to Japan to take part in its deliberations is responsible for much heart searching among delegates. All day today they discussed drafts, redrafts and amendments until tonight the document bore little resemblance to its former self. Tomorrow, in its new form, it will be submitted to a private session of the full conference of delegates from 19 nations, searching for means to mediate the Chinese-Japanese conflict.

It is hoped to get the document away to Tokyo tomorrow. Then, necessarily, will come a pause in the conference work until the Japanese reply is received. Behind all these discussions lies a desire to get something definite accomplished by obtaining the active participation of Japan in the conference negotiations. Unofficial Japanese comments do not, so far, offer a great deal of hope. They indicate Japan has not changed its intention to negotiate only with Chinese local authorities direct.

#### Italy To Join Germany And Japan In Anti-Red Pact

ROME, Nov. 5.—The Italo-German-Japanese anti-Communist accord uniting the strongest anti-Soviet elements in two hemispheres will be signed at the Palazzo Venezia tomorrow. Joachim Von Ribbentrop, Chancellor Adolf Hitler's right-hand man whose formal post is at the Embassy in London, arrived today empowered to sign on behalf of the Reich. It is now known that Von Ribbentrop's visit here on Oct. 22, followed by that of the Japanese Ambassador, the Japanese Ambassador to Berlin, finally resulted in the Italian decision to join Germany and Japan in their anti-Red pact. Von Ribbentrop and Mushakoff signed the German-Japanese accord on Nov. 25, 1936. The tripartite accord will follow the same lines as the German-Japanese pact. It will be theoretically directed against the intervention of the Communist International in the affairs of nations. The signatories will agree to inform each other on Communist activity and to cooperate in defensive action. It is also likely the agreement will embody a clause inviting other powers to join.

#### Claim Nazi Report Was Circulated To "Impede" Parley

BRUSSELS, Nov. 5.—(AP)—The Chinese delegation asserted tonight that a report Chancellor Hitler of Germany might act as umpire in the Far Eastern conflict was circulated to "impede" the work of the Brussels Nine-Power Conference. The Chinese statement, issued after Cheng Tien-Fong, Chinese Ambassador to Berlin, arrived in Brussels, said there was "not a single word of truth" in the Berlin report. "It is quite obvious," the communication said, "the report has been circulated with the ulterior motive of confusing the opinion of delegates to the Nine-Power Conference and impede its work."

#### N. B. Plans Youth Training Program

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—Labor Minister Rogers tonight announced approval by the Dominion government of an agreement with New Brunswick under the Dominion-Provincial youth training program. All nine provinces are now cooperating in the plan. As in the other agreements, the two governments share the cost equally, with the province assuming cost of administration. Young people 18 to 30 years of age in necessary circumstances will be selected by the province.

#### JAPS TAKE OFFENSIVE

Establish Second Foot-hold Across Soochow Creek.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 5.—(AP)—Terminated Japanese thrusts today drove back Chinese troops at Shanghai and on two broad fronts in North China. A Japanese surprise attack forced out Chinese defenders from four villages on the south bank of Soochow Creek in the first decisive engagement since the Chinese retired to their "winter line" west of Shanghai. Under cover of a brisk attack by the small Japanese units which yesterday established a foothold south of the Soochow at Rubicon Village, 3,000 Japanese forced a crossing two miles farther west. In the rich North China province of Shansi the Japanese Army was reported nearing the gates of the capital, Taiyuanfu. The fall of the city was considered imminent.

(A late Japanese communique issued at Peking said the Chinese retreat was general with 30,000 troops fleeing to the south. A detachment of 5,000 Chinese supported by 20 heavy guns, the communique said, was making a last stand a few miles north of Taiyuanfu. The walled city of Changteh, just across the border in northern Honan Province, was reported captured by the Japanese. The Japanese were able to effect the crossing of the Soochow only after repeated attacks at half a dozen points by shock troops who were ferried over by sampans and rafts.

#### Military Funeral For Native Islander

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) AMESBURY, Mass., Nov. 5.—Full military honors were accorded Peter L. McDonald, native of Charlottetown, and commander of the Captain John M. Pettibell Camp for United States war veterans, at funeral services today. A volley was fired over his grave by a squad of legionnaires in charge of the commander of the Amesbury Post, American Legion, and taps was sounded by William Taylor.

#### WINDSOR'S U.S. VISIT IS POSTPONED

Future Plans Undisclosed In Statement Announcing Cancellation Of Trip.

(A.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) PARIS, Nov. 5.—The Duke of Windsor tonight postponed his trip to the United States for the study of housing and industrial conditions because of "grave misconceptions" over his motives. The announcement of the postponement came less than 15 hours before the Duke and Duchess, with a staff of seven, were to start for a 37 day tour of America. It was issued through Percy Phillips, President of the Anglo-American Press Association. Neither the Duke nor any member of his party was present. The decision to postpone the trip on the eve of its proposed beginning, it stated, was reached "with great reluctance" because of "grave misconceptions which have arisen and misstatements which have appeared" about the motives and purpose of the tour.

#### PLANS UNCERTAIN

No new date for the journey was set and there was no indication what the Duke intended to do next. The decision to abandon the trip for the present came after a three-hour conference among the Duke, Lee Owell, press agent; Lieut. Dudley Forwood, the Duke's equerry; and others. The statement added that "the Duke emphatically repeats that there is no shadow of justification for any suggestion he is allied with any industrial system or that he is for or against any particular political or racial doctrine." (The Baltimore Federation of Labor last Wednesday "warned" organized labor not to be "taken in" by "summing parties professing to help and to study labor." It called Charles E. Budaux, who had been arranging the Windsor's United States tour, an "arch enemy of labor.")

#### "MISTAKEN ATTACKS"

Bedaux, a few hours before the Paris statement was issued, called the Duke from New York asking to be relieved of all duties in connection with the tour "because of mistaken attacks upon me here." Even close associates of the former King were in doubt regarding his final decision until the last moment. Earlier, a day of conjecture on the Duke's reaction to the action of the Baltimore Federation of Labor seemed to have been ended by a terse communique issued by Lieut. Forwood stating "there is absolutely no change in our plans." The United States Embassy was not informed of the final announcement until after it was issued and a spokesman said the Embassy had "no statement" to make. British sources said the decision to postpone the trip probably was based upon two factors: 1. The Duke does not want to create any possible strain on Anglo-American relations. 2. The Duke does not want to create any possible strain on Anglo-American relations.

#### Britain Appeals To Spanish Combatants

(A.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) LONDON, Nov. 5.—Great Britain appealed to the Spanish Government and the urgent request for approval of the Non-Intervention Committee's plan to withdraw foreign volunteers from the civil war. The British Charge d'Affaires at Valencia and the British Ambassador at Hendaye, were instructed to seek quick replies to the notes sent them for delivery to the Government and General Franco. The action was considered the first concrete step toward isolating the civil war from the rest of Europe after months of deadlocked wrangling in the "hands-off-Spain" committee.

#### QUASH MURDER CONVICTION

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 5.—(CP Cable)—Upsetting a jury's verdict for the first time in Jamaica's history, the Island's Appeals Court today quashed a murder conviction against constable Fonseca Edwards of the rural police and instead sentenced him to 12 years' imprisonment for manslaughter.

#### Germany And Poland Pledged To Respect Rights Of Minorities

BERLIN, Nov. 5.—A major source of friction between Germany and Poland appeared eliminated tonight with publication here and in Warsaw of identical government declarations pledging respect for the rights of Germany and Polish minorities in both countries. An important phase of the accord was a promise of both countries not to attempt assimilation of, or pressure on, members of either minority group, particularly with respect to youth organizations. The Reich declares Germans living abroad still have definite ties to the Fatherland.

In addition to the official declaration, it was learned, Chancellor Hitler assured Polish Ambassador Josef Lipski during an interview today that the Danzig question could in no manner trouble German-Polish relations. This assurance was held significant in view of the Nazis' seizure of complete power in the Free City, where there is an important Polish minority group.

#### BRITISH ARMS PROGRAM FAST DEVELOPING

New And Important Discoveries In Land Defense Against Air Attacks.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Great Britain's vast rearmament program has developed at such a pace that officials in charge of it now believe the United Kingdom in five or six years will be invulnerable to attack from the air. This conviction, based on secret developments in land defence, stands out as the most salient fact in the current stage of the program, which has so far cost £228,000,000. The period of preparation has passed, and the United Kingdom's huge industrial system has been turned full blast to production of the engines of attack and defence. Production has not followed precisely the course originally mapped out, since some phases have been retarded and others are ahead of schedule. A glance at the results of the last two years leaves no doubt, however, that the effort expended by Sir Thomas Inskip, defence coordination minister, is being amply rewarded. Five large factories are producing military aircraft, but experiments are continuing and whole-sale production will be delayed for another eight or nine months, when it is hoped to turn out a steady flow of pursuit planes and bombers. Military engineers enlisted in the work of the defence program are believed to have made important discoveries regarding land defence against air attack. On these discoveries, about which no details are available, rest the conviction that Britain can make itself impregnable to enemy sky armadas by 1942 or 1943. The most clearly-marked progress has been made in rebuilding the navy. Already 150 new warships are under construction. Thirty, including six cruisers, will be launched this year. In 1938 four cruisers and nine destroyers will slide down the ways and, in the year following, five battleships.

#### Arab Assassins Tracked Down By British Troops

Believed Cornered In Village Of Siloe—Incident Heightens Tension.

JERUSALEM, Nov. 6.—(Saturday)—CP Havas—British troops today surrounded the nearby village of Siloe, believing they had cornered three Arab assassins who last night killed Privates Thomas Hutchinson and Albert Milton of the Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment) as they strolled off duty on the heavily travelled road separating the old city of Jerusalem from the new Jewish quarters.

The two soldiers were shot in the back from ambush. The incident represented a new peak in Arab terrorist daring. Officials viewed it as the most serious attack on Britons in Palestine since Lewis Yelland Andrews, district commissioner for Galilee, and his bodyguard were murdered Sept. 26 at Nazareth.

The Arabs escaped, but with the help of a Jewish eyewitness, who from a distance saw them trail the soldiers just before the shootings, police traced the slayers to Siloe. Meanwhile authorities ordered iron gates, recently installed in the wall around Jerusalem, closed and locked. Murder of the Highlanders provoked tension in the Holy Land, which in recent weeks has increasingly fallen prey to bloodshed and vandalism. The mayor of the Arab village of Treh, near Haifa, was shot and wounded tonight. Two villagers were arrested. A number of wholesalers at Jaffa, it was reported, received letters threatening death unless they help pay the collective fine levied on the city of Lydda after the first which destroyed airport buildings there. An investigation has been opened.

JERUSALEM, Nov. 5.—Two soldiers of the Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment) were shot to death by an Arab as they strolled off duty along Jerusalem's main street at 7 o'clock tonight. It was the most serious attack on Britons in Palestine since Lewis Yelland Andrews, district commissioner for Galilee and his bodyguard were murdered on Sept. 26 at Nazareth. Tension in the Holy Land increased as authorities grimly hunted the Arab assassin and an accomplice who made a successful escape. The fact the slayings occurred in the heart of Jerusalem added to the gravity with which they were viewed. Precautions were taken to prevent the shootings from setting the spark to city-wide outbreaks. Dispatches told of renewed terrorist activity in outlying cities. The worst outbreak occurred at Beisan, whose police station was the target for half-hour ambush during which 100 shots were fired. Armed reinforcements were rushed to the site to lift the miniature siege.

#### Fears Expressed For Great Lakes Vessel

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) HARBOR GRACE, Nfld., Nov. 5.—Shipping along Newfoundland, southeast coast was warned tonight to keep a sharp look-out for the Great Lakes freighter Cadagoc, unreported on a voyage from Sydney, N. S., to Bell Island. The 247 foot vessel, six days on the voyage, was feared to have encountered a heavy southwest gale that swept over Cabot Strait, between Cape Breton Island and Newfoundland, on the 300 miles between Sydney and Bell Island. Owned by Paterson Steamships.

#### Franco Paves Way For Major Offensive On Aragon Front

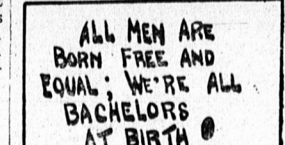
HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Nov. 5.—Insurgent sources reported tonight General Franco had completed the first phase of a carefully planned campaign to smash through Aragon into the heart of Government Spain. Spanish Foreign Legionnaires and Moroccan infantrymen today stormed San Pedro Hill, east of Jaca, 20 miles south of the French border in northeastern Spain, in the last of a series of bitterly fought attacks against key points on the long eastern civil war front. Insurgent military dispatches said the heavily fortified hill dominating the valley of the Gallego River was taken only after hours of close fighting. It was a typical engagement of Franco's campaign since the fall of Gijon in the northwest. These encounters of the last two weeks had seemed to outside observers as localized attacks until they emerged as an essential part of Franco's war plans. In view of the small territory captured the insurgent activity had appeared not worth the loss of lives, ammunition and time. Insurgent staff officers, however, were reported pleased at the capture of the strategic points needed for the general offensive.

#### Allisonians Honor College Founder

SACKVILLE, N. B., Nov. 5.—(CP)—Students and Faculty members of Mount Allison educational institutions paraded to Charles Pawcett Memorial Hall today for the annual service in memory of the Founder, Charles Frederick Allison. The address was delivered by very Rev. James Endicott, former moderator of the United Church of Canada. Others taking part in the service were Dr. George J. Trueman, president of Mount Allison University; Rev. W. T. Ross Fleming, headmaster of Mount Allison academy, and Rev. Robert Smart, pastor of the Central United Church of Canada, Moncton. Mount Allison reverts who attended a fall meeting today included Norman T. Avar and John S. Smiley, Amherst, N. S.; Rev. E. V. Forbes, Shubenacadie, N. S.; Rev. L. B. Campbell, Sydney; Mrs. W. Roy Smith, Annapolis Royal, N. S.; Charles A. Fowler, Nalifax; A. R. Cooper and J. P. Whear, Charlottetown.

#### Child Loses Life In Amherst Fire

AMHERST, N. S., Nov. 5.—Fire of undetermined origin that broke out today while Mrs. Lester Jolly more was visiting a neighbor, trapped her 14 months old baby, Edward, in the kitchen and the child was burned to death. Mrs. Jolly more was unable to enter the building but awakened another son, Raymond, four, by breaking a window and he escaped. The father is working in the Annapolis Valley.



| TORONTO, Nov. 5—Minimum and maximum temperatures: |       |
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| Victoria  | 46 54 |
| Edmonton  | 26 54 |
| Winnipeg  | 20 38 |
| Toronto   | 38 46 |
| Montreal  | 32 44 |
| Saint John  | 30 50 |
| Halifax   | 32 46 |
| Charlottetown                                     | 26 44 |

#### FORECAST

Maritime Provinces: Moderate to fresh-southerly winds; cloudy with occasional rain and probably fog. High tide this afternoon at 1.01 and tomorrow morning at 12.10. Sun sets this afternoon at 4.42 and rises tomorrow morning at 6.46. First quarter moon, Thursday Nov. 11, 4.33 a. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. THE GAR FERRY Leaves Borden 9.45 a. m., 1 p. m., Leaves Tormentine 11 a. m., 2.55 p. m.