

UNITED STATES MARINE STRIKE BEGINS TODAY

Union Conference Here This Week

Delegates to the conference of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way employees will arrive in the City this evening to begin their three-day conference. Among the prominent officials of the Brotherhood expected to attend are Mr. W. L. Cramp-ton, general chairman Canadian National Eastern Lines; Mr. A. Shoemaker, secretary-treasurer, International Brotherhood, Detroit, Mich.; and Mr. J. J. O'Grady, Ottawa, vice-president, Grand Lodge of the Brotherhood.

Palestine Commission Begins Work Today

JERUSALEM, June 15 (CP)—The United Nations Commission on Palestine will begin its hunt for a solution to the Holy Land problem tomorrow amid a scheduled general strike of the Arab population. The strike was expected to close all Arab shops and cafes and cripple transportation. It was called to emphasize the Arab boycott of the U.N. inquiry.

Former Commander Of C. B. Highlanders Dies

HALFAX, June 15 (CP)—Lt. Col. R. Theodore Chisholm, 55, former commanding officer of the C. B. Highlanders at the outbreak of war, died in hospital today. He served overseas with the Nova Scotia Highland Brigade in the First World War.

Coming Events

- Merry Minstrels at Cardigan Hall Monday, June 16, 8:30 P.M.
- Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers each Tuesday. Earl Jay.
- Ice Cream and Dance, Orwell Cove Hall, Tuesday, July 1st.
- See Cornwall Play, Bonshaw Hall, Tuesday, June 17.
- Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers each Tuesday afternoon. W. Crane.
- Dance in Corran Bann Hall, June 17th. Good music.
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- Unloading car feed wheat, bulk, Monday noon till Tuesday evening. Court & Son.
- Collecting Hogs each Wednesday morning for Canada Packers. Robt. Dawson, Crapaud.
- New Wiltshire Scarlet Chappels will meet at Clyde River Tuesday, June 17th.
- Don't forget the Dance, French River Hall, Tuesday 17th. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Come one, come all to Bonshaw Hall, Monday June 16. MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Dance Tracadie Hall, Wednesday, June 18th. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra. Dancing 9:30 to 12:30.
- Covehead Hall—Milton Play-ers present "Uncle Josh Perkins" and Specialties, Wednesday, June 18th.
- Dance in Crapaud Hall, Monday, June 16th. Music by Don Messer and his Islanders. Crapaud W. I.
- Come to Victoria Hall, Wednesday evening, June 18th for Cold Meat and Salad Supper. Auspices Women's Institute.
- Concert and Lecture "On Palestine" by Rev. D. A. Campbell in New London Hall on Wednesday, June 18th at 8:30 P. M. If rainy come Thursday night.
- Collecting Hogs each Tuesday for Canada Packers from Vernon River, Ulg. Elliotville, Summerville, Hermitage, Avondale and Glenoe. Call Ralph Lea, Vernon River.
- Come one, come all, to Kings-ton Hall, Tuesday, June 17th, 1947. 8:30 P. M., where Harrington will present their Variety Concert. Auspices Kings-ton Branch Canadian Legion. Refreshments.

President Truman Orders Probe Of Air Safety

4 Meet Fiery Death In Yacht Explosion

To Probe Russian Printing Of Money From U. S. Plates

WASHINGTON, June 15—(AP)—Three Senate committees will open a combined investigation Tuesday into Russian use of United States plates to print a reported \$500,000,000 or more in invasion money.

Chairman Styles Bridges of the appropriations committee has said he understands that "between \$100,000,000 and \$900,000,000 worth of this invasion money has been or is being redeemed with American dollars." But War Department officials have denied that there will be any substantial loss to the treasury on the ground that the army can use the currency for purchases in Germany.

Bridges announced today that his committee will be joined by those on armed services and banking and currency to conduct the unusual tri-committee inquiry.

"High ranking officials of the War, Treasury and State departments have been requested to testify" at the inquiry into military occupation policies, procedures and transactions of the Federal Government," he said in a statement.

Bridges has said that the agreement for a special German invasion currency was reached at the Yalta conference, and that American officials agreed to turn the plates over to the Russians after first refusing to do so.

He said he understands the Russians still retain the printing plates.

Russia Seeking Trade Pact With Spain?

PARIS, June 15 (AP)—The Socialist paper Le Populaire said today that secret trade negotiations are proceeding between the Soviet Union and Franco's Spain with the aim of concluding a commercial agreement.

In a dispatch from its "own correspondent" with a "Spanish Frontier" dateline, Le Populaire said a secret Soviet envoy now is in Spain, conducting negotiations with Senor Carol Olaya, foreign policy director at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and former Spanish Ambassador to Finland.

The paper asserted that the special envoy is a Ukrainian priest, Father Kohut, who lived in Madrid for a long time.

TAKES MORE THAN FLOOD

CHELSEA, Ia., June 15 (AP)—High waters blocked the approach to church by Helen Neuman and scheduled wedding party, officiating priest and guests were taken to the church in boats.

Russian Turns Down Probe Of Hungary

(By Jack Guinn)
BUDAPEST, June 15 (AP)—The Russian commander in Budapest today refused, for the third time, a United States proposal for a tri-partite investigation of Hungarian internal affairs.

Three Commercial Crashes Take 146 Lives In 3 Weeks

(By The Associated Press)
The mounting toll of lives in commercial aviation accidents in the United States brought an expression of deep concern Sunday from the White House.

Mrs. D. Demontigny (age unav-ailable) of Montreal.

A woman identified only as Miss Lavole.

Police said the yacht was en route to New York on a pleasure cruise.

The three survivors were either thrown or jumped into the water.

At Windsor Locks, Conn., Capt. William H. Greenleaf, a Connecticut Air National Guard officer, was killed in the crash of his P-47.

At Fort Knex, an Army C-47 crashed and burned as the ship missed the runway in an emergency landing a few minutes after it had taken off.

Asks Question Re Appointment Of Superintendent

OTTAWA, June 15 (Special)—Renewed dissatisfaction over the appointment of a superintendent of the Experimental Farm at Charlottetown was voiced in the Commons by W. Chester S. McLure, Progressive Conservative member for Queen's, subsequent to his protest over the appointment on Thursday night.

Prior to the week-end adjournment of the House, the Queen's member again demanded of Agriculture Minister Gardiner, the names of the men on the Board who had recommended the appointment.

Mr. Gardiner gave the names as follows: G.E.B. Sinclair, general executive assistant, Department of Mines and Resources; C.V. Putnam, formerly of the Civil Service Commission, and J.C. Maynard of the Department of Agriculture.

Falls From Ferry, Is Rescued Uninjured

HALIFAX, June 15 (CP)—Passengers on the Halifax harbor ferry Chubucto watched with terror when Frank Graham, 45, fell from the boat as it left its dock Saturday night.

Famous Ceiling Walking Circus Star Dies At 85

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., June 15 (AP)—Alfred Gillette, 85, credited with creating the famous upside-down or ceiling walking act while with the old Ringling Brothers circus 50 years ago, died here Saturday.

Death Saturday Of Well Known Ch'town Citizen

(By BARTON D. PATHE)
LONDON, June 15 (AP)—Officials in European capitals read the dispatches from Madrid today and wondered whether Evita Duarte Peron would consider everything an anti-climax when she arrives in London, Paris and Rome.

Francisco Franco has pulled out all the stops in welcoming Argentina's first lady to Spain. Unofficial estimates of the cost of her reception have run between \$2,000,000 and \$4,000,000.

Britain and France indicated that they would regard Mrs. Peron's arrival in London and Paris as unofficial affairs, since the Argentine Government had clarified her European tour as a personal matter.

Press attaches in Paris said neither President Vincent Auriol nor Premier Paul Ramadier would receive her—or, at least, they hadn't been told about such plans.

He was prominent in the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion. He was vice-president in 1945-46 but perhaps it was as chairman of the property committee for the new annex to the Legion Home that he was best known.

Mr. McKenna joined the Canadian National Railways in 1920 and continued with the company until his death. He worked in the local shops.

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1,150 Sail On Liner Aquitania

HALIFAX, June 15 (CP)—The liner Aquitania slipped her lines and sailed for Southampton early today with 23 young Canadians bound for the World Federation of Democratic youth festival at Prague listed among her 1,150 passengers.

Headed by Miss Shirley Sanders of Toronto, official delegate from the Canadian Federation of World Democratic Youth, the group included students from the University of Toronto and McGill University and a number of trade unions.

Representing the Macedonian-Bulgarian Youth Club, Miss Mary Vasil came from Toronto. A representative of a west coast fishermen's union intended to follow up the Prague festival by working a fortnight on Marshal Tito's damaged railroads in Yugoslavia.

Truman Denounces Communist Gov'ts

WASHINGTON, June 15 (AP)—President Truman denounced the Communist Governments of Hungary, Rumania and Bulgaria Saturday as regimes which oppress their people.

SHIP'S COMPANY

Medieval ship's, used during the Crusades, accommodated 40 knights, 40 horses, 40 men-of-arms, a complement of 16 sailors, servants and stores.

June Rainfall Near New Record In This Province

June precipitation in this Province is already near an all-time record, following a weekend rain which saw 1.42 inches fall, it was learned last night from Mr. Warren Burns, weather observer at the Charlottetown Experimental Station.

At the end of yesterday's downpour total precipitation for the month stood at 5.02 inches. That amount was only exceeded in June on three previous occasions since weather records were started here 46 years ago.

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Investigation Of Fish Marketing Methods Likely

OTTAWA, June 15 (Special)—Investigation of the domestic marketing of fish in Central Canada may follow revelations made to the House of Commons during the past few days in the debate on the Fisheries Research Board Act, The Guardian learned this week-end.

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(1) Per capita consumption of fish in Canada is far below that of the majority of countries having fishing industries.

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FOR BETTER BAKING BLOSSOM OF CANADA FLOUR

The flour that blooms on the ocean

200,000 Expected To Stop Work

NEW YORK, June 16—(Monday)—(AP)—Contracts between three Maritime Unions affiliated with the C.I.O. and 30 shipping companies expired at 12:01 a.m. EDT today, and some 200,000 persons were expected to stop work, either through walkouts or refusal to cross picket lines.

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TORONTO, June 15 (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver 48-68; Edmonton 45-69; Regina 43-72; Winnipeg 54-76; Toronto 53-63; Ottawa 53-63; Montreal 54-65; Quebec 48-54; Saint John—40; Moncton 47-63; Halifax 48-68; Charlottetown 50-63; Sydney 45-48; Yarmouth 55-60.

HALIFAX, June 15 (CP)—Weather synopsis and official inland forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at midnight tonight.

Synopsis: Rain was general throughout the Maritimes Sunday morning. There was more than an inch in Prince Edward Island but generally smaller amounts elsewhere in the district. However in the Montreal area over an inch and a half fell in a region already water soaked by considerable rain the previous day. Drier air pushed into the Eastern States Sunday and began to drift into the Maritimes in the evening. As it covers the district the fog that blankets the south coast will gradually disappear.

Forecasts, valid until Monday midnight:

Prince Edward Island: Occasional showers during the night. Monday, clearing with much the same temperatures. Light winds. High Monday at Charlottetown 65.

High tide this morning at 7:42 and tonight at 9:05.

Sun sets this evening at 4:12 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:12.

New moon June 15th, 4:26 P. M.

Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.