

CHAMBERLAIN DEFENDS FOREIGN POLICY

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PLAN CO-OP EXTENSION

Action Taken At Maritime Fishermen's Convention.

HALIFAX, Oct. 21—(CP)—Determination to extend co-operative effort throughout the Maritime Provinces was expressed in action taken by the United Maritime Fishermen's convention in Halifax today.

The delegates to the annual convention made provision that surplus funds be set aside to educate more young fishermen for leadership and for re-establishment of the association newspaper as a weapon against "unscrupulous interests" seeking to block the movement.

Dr. M. M. Coady, director of the extension department at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, N. S., and father of the union, declared "you have got to hammer people who are going to hammer you."

A resolution asking the Federal Government to take steps to help future development of the canned fish industry by making use of available canning equipment in the Maritimes was passed and delegates went on record as favoring the grading and inspection of all kinds of dry, pickled and processed fish.

PIGEON BLOODHOUND

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 21—E.A. Loyd, Australian trade commissioner in Tokyo, reported that one of his pigeons disappeared recently.

COMING EVENTS

- Annual chicken supper, dance, St. James Hall, Summerside, Tuesday, Oct. 26th. L-850-10-21-51.
- Dr. LaCoursiere, Denist, will be in Murray-River October 23rd, 25th, 26th. L-884-10-22-11.
- Mail couriers requested to attend a meeting in the Oddfellows Hall, Charlottetown, October 23 at 8 o'clock. L-799-10-20-31.
- Q. M. N. G. rummage sale, St. Peter's Cathedral Schoolroom Saturday, October 23, 7 p. m. L-892.
- Haymakers' big dance Webster's Corner, Friday, Transfer leaves Sunnyside 8 o'clock. L-844-10-21-21.
- FREE—A trial size of Skin Ton or Balsam Freshener with a \$1.00 purchase of Vita Ray Toiletries—Jamiesons. L-869-10-22-11.
- Come to Concert at Canoe Cove Monday, October 25th. Admission 10 cents. Sale of lunches. L-866-10-22-11.
- Variety Concert, Cardigan Hall, Tuesday, October 26th. Dance after with "Webster's Orchestra." L-714-10-18-22-23.
- Special meeting Ladies' Auxiliary P. E. I. Protestant Orphanage, Legion Building, Friday, October 22nd, 8.30. Members please attend. L-923-10-21-21.
- Reserve Wednesday, October 27th for Chicken Supper from 5 to 10 o'clock in Winslow Hall. Prices 25c and 35c. If not fine following fine night. L-863-10-22-26.
- Important business meeting, Hope River Farmer's Institute, Saturday, October 23rd, 7.30 P. M. If not fine will be held Monday evening. L-889-10-22-11.
- The Ladies' Aid of the Hazelbrook Baptist Church have changed the date of their Bean Supper and Bazaar to be held at the home of Layton Jones, Pownal to Thursday evening, October 28th. Supper from 6 to 9 o'clock 25 cents. L-883-10-22-11.
- Livestock Marketing Board leading hogs, lambs and calves through local shipping clubs week of Oct. 25 as follows: Tuesday forenoon, Kensington, Charlottetown; afternoon, Uigg, Montserrat, Cardigan, Elmira, Souris, St. Peter's; Wednesday forenoon Hill train time, North Wiltshire, Hunter River, Brada-Barne, York; afternoon 12 to 3, Albany. Please list all stock. L-895.

Gijon Falls To Insurgent Force

Speed Plans For Withdrawal Of Volunteers

LONDON, Oct. 21—The fall of Gijon on the Bay of Biscay to Spanish insurgents tonight thrust Europe's non-intervention machinery into a race to withdraw foreign volunteers from Spain before insurgent General Franco's legions threaten a complete conquest.

SOCRATS FACE LIBEL CHARGES

Pair Are Released On Bail Of \$20,000 Each.

EDMONTON, Oct. 21—George F. Powell, technical adviser to the Social Credit Board of Alberta, and Joseph H. Unwin, M. L. A. for Edmonton, were committed for trial and released on bail of \$20,000 each today on four charges developing from distribution of a pamphlet alleged to contain libel.

The four charges against each were counselling to murder, seditious libel and two charges of defamatory libel. Evidence was taken on the charge of publishing a defamatory libel knowing it to be false against Mr. Powell and then applied on the other three charges against Mr. Powell and the four charges against Mr. Unwin.

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Pleads For Unity



HON. J. L. HILSLEY

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) SYDNEY MINES, N. S., Oct. 21—National Revenue Minister J. L. Hilsley made a plea here tonight for unity at home, liberal and enlightened policies affecting our trading relations with foreign countries and for justice as well as peace abroad.

Prairie Wheat Yield Lowest In Years

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) MONTREAL, Oct. 21—The 1937 wheat crop of the Prairie Provinces was the "lowest of a succession of poor years but grade and quality were high," it was disclosed today in the final crop report of the Bank of Montreal.

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ARMIES LOCKED IN COMBAT ON THREE FRONTS

Japs Rush Reinforcements Into Fray To Halt Chinese Encircling Movement.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) SHANGHAI, Oct. 22—(Friday)—What may be the decisive battle for Shanghai raged today on all fronts of this area.

Triple-Offensive

Forty thousand Chinese were reported driving from three sides against a wedge which the Japanese, seeking to capture Tazang, drove into the Chinese front Tuesday. The Chinese said they hoped to complete encirclement of the Japanese before reinforcements could reach the latter.

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Labor Attacks Government Policies In Relation To Far East And Spanish Conflicts.

LONDON, Oct. 21—(CP)—Termining talk of economic sanctions, economic pressure and force in the Sino-Japanese embroglio a "mistake," Prime Minister Chamberlain told the House of Commons tonight Great Britain would seek a "peaceful solution of the problem" at the coming nine-power conference.

WINDS-UP DEBATE

The Prime Minister wound up a long and searching debate on foreign affairs in the first session of the Commons following the summer recess.

Charlottetown Lady Given Drama Award

(By The Canadian Press) VICTORIA, Oct. 21—Men and women in eight of Canada's nine provinces today held drama awards given each year by a committee here for outstanding contributions to the development of the drama in Canada.

Appeals For Co-operation

Sir Archibald Sinclair, opposition Liberal leader, made an appeal for close cooperation with the United States when the powers meet at Brussels the end of this month to seek a solution of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

Renewed Terrorist Violence Is Reported From Palestine

LONDON, Oct. 21—Renewed terrorist violence was reported from Palestine today as the Secretary of State for Colonial Affairs, William Ormsby-Gore, told the House of Commons Great Britain intended to go ahead with the plan for a three-way partition of the Holy Land.

Forecast

Maritime Provinces: fresh south-westerly winds; partly cloudy with stationary or a little lower temperature; probably a few scattered showers.



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