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JAPAN PLEDGES POLICY OF "OPEN DOOR"

KING TOURS ROYAL AIR FORCE STATIONS

S IMPRESSED WITH DISPLAY OF STRENGTH

heering Crowds Greet His Majesty On Flying Visits To Air Bases.

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)
LONDON, May 9—The King, pleting a 200-mile air tour of r Royal Air Force stations, sent congratulatory message to Vis- nt Swinton, Air Secretary, to- y on the "determined and suc- sful way" in which the service meeting the heavy demands im- ed by Great Britain's vast re- nament program.

The Sovereign made the day's nd of visits in his scarlet and e plane flown by Wing Com- nder E. H. Fielden, Captain of King's Flight. Cheering crowds

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OMING EVENTS

*Dance Iona Hall, Wednesday, y 11th. L-332-5-10-1i.

*Borden Line Club loading hogs bs, calves every Tuesday. Hours to 3. L-348-12-M-2-5-tf.

*Dance in Millview Hall, May th, in aid of Women's Institute. L-335-5-10-1i.

*Hunter River Starch Factory is n to receive potatoes by truck or load. L-278-5-7-6i

*Come to the Dance at Mayfield dnesday, May 11th. Men 25c. dies free. L-334-5-10-1i.

*Come and see "Tony the Con- t" at Kelly's Cross Hall Wednes- y, May 11th. L341-5-10-2i

*Concert and Lecture by Rev. . Manzer, Wednesday, May 11th, ng Creek Hall. L-322-5-10-1i.

*Clyde River Fox Club meeting dnesday, May 11th. Mr. Burke d Mr. Gillis will attend. L-292-5-9-3i.

*Buying live hogs at Albany hursday, 12th, Emerald, Friday h until noon. G. C. Green. L-487-3-twt-tf.

*See St. Eleanors Dramatic Club sent "Too Many Bosses" in ench River, Wednesday, May th. L-317-5-5-10-2i.

*Kingston players will present ir three act comedy "The Chore y" in Bonshaw Hall, May 10th. ood specialties. L-318-5-10-1i.

*Memorial L. O. B. A. members ase send donations for Grand dge to Masonic Hall Wednesday orning. L-349.

*Reserve Friday, May 13th., for d fashioned comedy drama "Dot e Miner's Daughter" by Central hurch Y. P. S. in Marshfield all. L-356.

*Come to Brookfield Hall Thurs- y, May 12 and see "The Rage of ne Grove", presented by Ken- ington players with specialties in- uding the "Quints." L-355-5-10-2i.

*Cape Traverse Hall, Thursday y 12th., St. Eleanors Players esent their three act comedy oo Many Bosses". Proceeds in d of Hall. L-347-5-10-3i.

*Come and hear Oliver Ross and ymond Sellick sing at the errymakers' concert at Bradal- ne Hall on Wednesday, May 11th. ance after program. L339-5-10-2i

*Cream Route—Kenneth Doch- ty, New Haven, will make his first ip over Cream Route to Central reameries, Ltd., Charlottetown, hursday, May 12th, one trip week- L-293-5-6-9-3i.

*Cream Route — Beginning ednesday, May 11th, Clyde River, eadowbank, etc., to Central reameries, Ltd., Charlottetown, ne trip weekly. John Gillespie, uler. L-293-5-9-3i.

*A life-time of research and ex- rience lies behind Ross-Miller Fox oods, Mr. George Miller is one of anada's experts on the feeding of r bearing animals in captivity, d also the feeding of dogs of all es and breeds.

*T. L. Steele, Grand Master, lack Chapter, B. A., will address e Grand Orange Lodge in an- ual session Wednesday evening Charlottetown. Past Grand Mas- rs are requested to be present. L-350.

*We have some wonderful atches coming off our new in- ubator and would advise order- g well in advance owing to club ders being quite large. Also on and some infertile eggs for fox ed at right prices. Hen feeds, medies, equipments, brooders, etc., cludes the famous wickless oil rooder at a cooperative saving. P. E. I. Cooperative Egg and Poul- y Association. L-14-5-2-6i.

Will Discontinue Relief May 15th

City Unable To Bear Burden—Plan Street-paving Program.

Direct relief in Charlottetown would be discontinued after May 15th., City Councillors meeting in regular monthly session last night decided after some discussion. The resolution pointed out that relief would then have been continued 15 days longer than usual and that the finances of the City would not permit of any further continuance. Coun. J. T. McKee, stated that, although he was mover of the resolution, 480 families would be left without means of support on May 15.

Meanwhile the council arranged for a meeting of the Street Committee today to recommend a street paving program which Coun. R. C. Chandler, chairman of the finance committee, advised should not exceed $25,000.00. All members of the council would meet with the street committee, it was decided. The program would be placed before a special meeting of the council in the near future in an endeavour to have work start as soon after May 15 as possible.

Earlier in the meeting Mayor E. A. Foster, chairman of a delegation appointed at a special meeting of the Council last week, to present a resolution passed then to the Government, gave a report. He said the delegation, although Coun. Chandler had been unable to attend, had arranged to meet the Premier and members of his Government at 11:30 Saturday morning. After waiting for 35 or 40 minutes after the appointed hour without the Premier appearing Mayor Foster said he and City Clerk G. P. Nicholson, members of the delegation present, went back to their places of business. Since then there had not been an opportunity to arrange a meeting as the Premier was out of town. However, Mayor Foster anticipated that a meeting would be arranged between his committee and the Government at an early date, probably today. The Premier apparently had important business with the Treasury Board Saturday at the hour arranged to meet the City delegation, the Mayor said.

The special meeting of the council last week passed resolutions urging on the Government the need for providing employment for City laborers and suggesting Brighton Bridges and waterfront development as desireable projects.

Mayor Foster presided last night. All Councillors were present with the exception of Coun.

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ADOLF HITLER ENDS SIX-DAY VISIT TO ITALY

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

FLORENCE, Italy, May 9—Adolf Hitler tonight headed across the Alps toward Germany ending a dramatic six-day visit with his close collaborator, Benito Mussolini.

The German Fuehrer's train pulled out of Florence just at midnight to start for Brenner Pass, the Alpine gateway to Italy he pledged his nation forever would consider inviolate.

Mussolini bade Hitler goodbye with a surprise spectacle which rivalled all the other grandiose events of his stay in Italy.

As the Fascist and Nazi dictators reached the railway station a barrage of fireworks burst from the station roof illumining the sky for miles around.

A chorus of 10,000 children, uniformed and lined up row on row against the nearby fountains, sang a farewell to Hitler.

Hitler wore an expression of pleasure and bewilderment when the fireworks shot up and the singing began.

It was Mussolini's final gesture. Then Hitler stepped aboard his special train and headed for home.

The program in Florence in his honor was a crowded one. The last event was a special opera performance at which he arrived a half an hour late and left after the first act.

The first civil mobilization in Italy since the Ethiopian war of 1935-36 was decreed in the city so all Florentines could welcome the Nazi leader.

Premier Mussolini, who was at the station in Rome when King Vittorio Emanuele and Hitler exchanged farewells, dashed to Florence to receive the Fuehrer on his arrival.

Together they drove through historic streets, lined with cheering crowds, to see the city's prized art.

Florence gave Hitler the warmest reception since his arrival in Italy and provided decorations which rivalled those of Rome and Naples in beauty and originality.

President Roosevelt Issues Warning To "Alien Influences"

WASHINGTON, May 9—(AP)—President Roosevelt warned "alien influences" tonight against seeking to under mine United States institutions.

He expressed his views in a message sent to the convention of B'nai B'rith, Jewish Fraternal Order. A few hours before the convention heard Sigmund Livingstone, Chicago Attorney, accuse Nazi Germany of spreading anti-Jewish propaganda in the United States in an attempt to undermine democracy.

Tonight Speaker William Bankhead of the United States House of Representatives proclaimed to the world that the United States, Great Britain and other democratic powers were invulnerable "against the assaults of any or all totalitarian states."

Bankhead's speech was broadcast over a National Network and also to Europe, South America and Palestine.

Mr. Roosevelt's message follows, in part:

"In the conflict of policies and political principles which the world witnesses today this nation remains unshaken in its devotion to the ideals and the institutions of democracy. Except insofar as we deplore ill treatment of human beings anywhere the domestic policies of other nations are of no concern to the United States. When, however, alien influences seek to undermine the foundations of our own institutions we become definitely concerned.

"This country for its own guidance and for the guidance of other nations if they will follow it, has ever held aloft the torch of freedom. Our conception of freedom embraces complete liberty of conscience and of thought, freedom of education, freedom of the press, the right of free speech and of assembly. On that conception of liberty all our happiness as a nation has been built."

GENEVA, May 9—(CP Havas)—The Spanish people will fight foreign invaders until final victory, foreign minister Julio Alvarez del Vayo declared upon his arrival today for the League of Nations Council.

Death Toll Reaches Three In Wreck Of Freight Train

QUYON, Que., May 9—(CP)—A death toll of three was recorded tonight as Canadian National Railways wrecking crews worked to clear the line near this Pontiac County settlement, 42 miles west of Ottawa, after a Sunday derailment piled up 19 freight cars in a swamp beside the track.

Railway officials expected the line to be open for traffic sometime tonight. An unidentified number of transients rode on the train, a fast Vancouver-Montreal freight, and survivors said from eight to 13 might have been killed. Railway officials said they believed all survived and left the scene to escape arrest for trespassing.

Coroner Dr. J. Renaud of Pontiac County opened an inquest into the deaths. One identified man was found dead last night after the crash. The body of another unidentified man was recovered this morning. Billy Hilton, 23, of Westville, N. S., died of injuries early today in Sacred Heart Hospital, Hull.

Hilton, his 19-year-old brother John Green, 23, all of Westville were taken to the Hull Hospital, suffering from a variety of fractures, Frank Garbeau of Montreal, Alexander Campbell, no fixed address and an unidentified man were taken to Ottawa Civic Hospital. The unidentified patient was discharged today.

Cauce of the wreck was said to have been a broken wheel on one car but the railway has yet to announce findings of an official investigation. Leo Elliott, section foreman of Pontiac Station, said he inspected the track just before the derailment and found it in sound condition.

INTERESTING ANNIVERSARY IS RECORDED

Mother Superior At St. Joseph's Observes 60 Years In Religious Order.

An unique event, the first of its kind in the history of this Province, occurred Saturday, May 7, when Mother St. Catherine of Sweden, Superior of St. Joseph's Convent Charlottetown celebrated the diamond jubilee of her religious profession.

The celebration was private as the Mother Superior is convalescing from injuries received in an accident three months ago.

His Excellency Most Rev. J. A. O'Sullivan, Bishop of Charlottetown said mass at St. Joseph's in the morning for the venerable jubilist and the Superiors of the other Notre Dame Convents in the province assisted in the celebration. At the close of the mass the Bishop in a short address congratulated the Mother Superior and paid deep and feeling tribute to the work she had accomplished. The Bishop said mass at 7 a.m., and at 7.30 Monsignor G. J. McLellan, V. G., of Summerside offered a second mass for the Mother Superior.

Later in the day a delegation of pupils presented her with the good wishes of their companions. The expression of felicitation was accompanied by a basket of roses and a spiritual bouquet.

In the evening Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was given by the Rev. Wilfred Keefe, of St. Dunstan's Basilica staff, Charlottetown.

During the day Mother Superior received many messages of congratulations from friends in this Province and abroad while all the clergy of the diocese sent greetings.

Mother St. Catherine (Annie Campbell) was born at Summerside 79 years ago. She comes of a fam-

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HOUSE PASSES RELIEF BILL

Bennett Renews Charges Of Political Corruption.

OTTAWA, May 9—With a blast on political corruption from opposition leader Bennett and a declaration from Labor Minister Rogers that no country had solved its unemployment problem without forced labor and increased military forces, the 1938-39 relief measure was given third reading in the House of Commons tonight. It still has to pass the Senate.

The bill authorizes the Government to make expenditures on direct relief and projects for the provision of work. Details of expenditures and the work to be undertaken will not be made known until the supplementary estimates are tabled.

Third reading brought a brief debate in which Mr. Bennett repeated his charges that the taxpayers money had been used for political purposes on labor projects, particularly in the Kingston, Ont., district, represented by the minister. He declared he would have more to say on the estimates.

Governor-General Visits University

SASKATOON, May 9—(CP)—Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada roamed informally today about the campus of University of Saskatchewan, meeting members of the faculty and staff and learning about the many departments of the University.

Lord Tweedsmuir arrived here Sunday night. He was greeted officially today by the Chancellor of the University, Sir Frederick Haultain; the Chairman of the Board, Mr. Justice P. E. MacKenzie, and President, James S. Thomson.

Surgical Operation Performed In Effort To Save Child's Life

(A. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

CHICAGO, May 9—Baby Helaine Colan underwent a delicate and dramatic operation today in a desperate effort to save her life.

In 10 tense minutes her tumor-swollen left eye was removed.

"She is doing very well."

That announcement and her quick recovery spurred the hopes of a council of 10 medical experts who decided the five-weeks-old infant should be submitted to surgery at once rather than chance death within two months from growths creeping toward her brain.

But the operation was only the initial step in a grim struggle to stave off the advance of glioma, the dread disease which had blinded the child's left eye and impaired the vision of the right.

Little Helaine was borne to the operating room as her mother pleaded: "Save her life. Whether she has one eye or no eyes, I want my baby."

Dr. Robert H. Good and his assistant, Dr. E. P. Garraghan, removed the left eyeball and about a half inch of the optic nerve.

The eyeball was enlarged. This was regarded a favorable factor because the cancerous growth was inside the eyeball and indicated a similar, although smaller, tumor in the right eye might be checked before it could encroach upon the brain.

The tiny patient rallied quickly from the effects of the ether and lost little blood.

The eyeball was given to Dr. Edward V. L. Brown. He and a committee of eight X-ray specialists planned to subject it to microscopic study.

Then, after further examination of the baby within the next 48 hours, they will decide whether the right eye can be saved by X-ray treatment or must be removed.

WAS UNDER SUSPENSION

Probe Death Of Ontario Jail Governor.

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

CORNWALL, Ont., May 9—Police investigating the shooting of Ralph A. Cook, 57 year old jail governor, whose body was found early Sunday morning in the garage behind his home, said today they had learned Cook had received official notice Friday that his services would no longer be required.

Cook had been under suspension for two weeks prior to his death pending completion of an official investigation into operation of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Counties jail, police said. It also was learned that Cook made his will two days after his suspension began.

Relatives today made final arrangements for funeral services tomorrow as police continued their investigation into the shooting. Following an autopsy, Coroner C. A. Stewart released the body for burial and said that no date for an inquest would be set until police completed their investigation.

Official investigation centred around the finding of a new .22-calibre rifle, with all identification marks filed off, beside the body, and the finding today of a wallet, habitually carried by the Jail Governor, 100 feet behind the garage.

Loyalist Troops Launch Offensive

HENDAYE, France, May 9—(AP)—The Spanish Government's Central Army today took a bite of territory from the Insurgent corridor to the Mediterranean.

The corridor reaches the sea between Barcelona and Valencia. Today's action was on the Valencia, or southern, side.

Government dispatches said General Jose Miaja's troops started an offensive in which they occupied positions just north of Cuevas de Vinroma, after checking the Insurgents along the Alcala de Chivert-Cuevas de Vinroma line.

Alcala de Chivert and Cuevas de Vinroma are about eight miles apart. Each is on a main highway running southwest to Castellon de La Plana, about 20 miles away. Seventy miles down the coast from Castellon de La Plana is Valencia.

CONFERENCE OF W. M. S. OPENS HERE TONIGHT

Large And Representative Gathering From Maritime Points Expected.

The Maritime Conference branch of the W. M. S. of the United Church of Canada opens in Charlottetown this evening. The session which will continue on Wednesday and Thursday will be in Heartz Memorial Hall and the auditorium of Trinity United Church. All meetings open to public.

This evening at 8 o'clock the Advisory Finance and Nominating Committees will meet, at 8.30 full executive. Tea will be served to these members on arrival of train by the Wiling Circle of King's Daughters.

Tomorrow at 9.30 the convention will open for business and Mrs. W. A. Thomson, president of Trinity W. M. S., and vice president of the Maritime branch will give the address of welcome.

AFTERNOON SESSION

At two o'clock departmental activities and reports of secretaries and committees will be discussed.

At 5 p. m. there will be a reception by His Honour the Lieut-Governor and Mrs. DeBlois at Government House.

EVENING SESSION

At 7.30 there will be a public meeting in the Auditorium. Greetings from Rev. H. T. S. Gornall, president of Maritime Conference reply by Mrs. J. T. Burchell, president W. M. S. branch.

Address, Miss Jost, Japan.
Special music by choir.
Offering.

THURSDAY
Morning Session

9.30 Devotions.
Departmental conferences.
Memorials and resolutions.
Forum, Findings of Conferences.
12.30 Adjournment for dinner.
1.30 visit to Confederation Cham-

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GRAIN REPORT IS TABLED

Exhaustive Enquiry By Mr. Justice Turgeon.

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire)

OTTAWA, May 9 — Extensive supervisory powers of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange will be vested in the Board of Grain Commissioners if the report of Mr. Justice W. F. A. Turgeon on grain and grain marketing is implemented by legislation.

The 350 page report, crammed with historical, statistical and analytical material on wheat, its growth and movement from the field to the table was presented to the House of Commons today by Trade Minister Euler.

It is the result of the Judge's investigations as a Royal Commissioner, extending over a year and including public hearings in Canada, the United States, the United Kingdom and Europe.

Generally, he recommends against the establishment of a compulsory government wheat marketing board and in favor of the present open market and futures trading system.

With this system he believes the establishment of voluntary wheat pools should be encouraged, the grain exchange should be supervised and an official posted in London, England, to investigate and report on complaints regarding the

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Would Alleviate Fears Regarding War With China

Japanese Premier Gives Assurances To Protect Rights And Interests Of Foreign Powers.

TOKYO, May 9—(CP)—Foreign powers received fresh assurance today from Japan's Premier and Foreign Minister that their rights and interests in China would remain inviolate.

Interviews given by Premier Fumimaro Konoye and Foreign Minister Koki Hirota coincided with front-line Japanese dispatches reporting an offensive was underway in North China to realize the decisive victory that has eluded the Japanese forces for 10 months.

Hirota, speaking to foreign correspondents, specifically used the term "open door", declaring Tokyo does not plan to abandon that principle in China.

Prince Konoye promised the newly-organized North and Central China development companies would avoid friction with, or antagonism to, rights and interests of third powers in China.

Hirota disavowed any Japanese intention of adopting an aggressive policy toward the United States. The concern of many Japanese, on the contrary, he declared, was with the possibility of the United States adopting "such an attitude as would adversely affect the natural development of Japan's policy in this part of the world."

The Foreign Minister:

1. Declared "non-aggression is a desirable condition to exist among nations" in commenting on rumors Japan was prepared to discuss a non-aggression treaty with the United States.

2. Praised the "fair and impartial attitude" of the United States since the outbreak of the Chinese-Japanese war.

3. Ridiculed fears Japan would menace the Philippines after independence was gained by those Pacific Islands.

Favorable Japanese sentiment toward the United States, he said, "really is the result of the fair and impartial attitude the United States had maintained since the outbreak of the Chinese affair.

Hirota was "officially" optimistic regarding progress of the war, but admitted privately he feared the hostilities will be protracted. After repeating his condemnation of Chinese general Chiang Kai-Shek, he was asked whether Japan—as Tokyo has maintained—has no territorial designs on China.

"This is indeed a small matter," he parried in reply, "because Japan wants both Japan and China to live together in pece, politically, economically and socially, as is evidenced by the fact that Japan now is letting Chinese rule territory occupied by herself (Japan) and assisting them to do so."

This reference to the Japanese-controled governments installed at Peiping and Nanking was carried a step further by Premier Konoye. Developments of the war situation will soon justify a merger of the two regimes, he said.

SHANGHAI, May 10—(Tuesday)—(AP)—After 307 days of bitter warfare at an estimated cost of more than 1,000,000 casualties, about 1,000,000 Chinese and Japanese soldiers fought today for control of China's vast interior.

The struggle centred on the Central Chinese front where domination of the Lunghai Railway, running more than 600 miles west into the heart of China, and 150 unconquered miles of the intersecting Tientsin-Pukow Railway were the principal Japanese objectives.

Three Japanese columns were thrusting northward against the Lunghai—two across country and the centre column along the Tientsin-Pukow line—in a desperate effort to circumvent the costly deadlock and crack the central front from Shantung Province, on the north.

The right wing force had driven within 60 miles of the eastern end of the Lunghai in northern Kiangsu Province near Fowring. It was the nearest of the three southern spearheads to the railway.

COMMISSIONER GIVES LOBSTER PROBE REPORT

Illegal Fishing Problem In Maritimes Discussed In Le-Blanc Report.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

OTTAWA, May 9—There was considerable illegal lobster fishing and canning in two Maritime lobster fishing districts during 1936 and the local employees in the Fisheries Department did not efficiently discharge their duties, Mr. Justice Arthur T. LeBlanc said in his Royal Commission report tabled in the House of Commons today by Fisheries Minister Michaud.

The fact-finding commission set up Dec. 6, 1936, following representations to the department concerning illegal lobster fishing, also reported that Fisheries Department employees did not accept bribes to connive at illegal practices.

The report also said there was a sporadic outbreak of illegal smelt fishing in the fall of 1936 but it was immediately taken in hand by local fisheries employees and other officers. There was no evidence of any serious illegal smelt fishing in Prince Edward Island.

Situation Remedied

Commenting on the report, Fisheries Department officials said th. illegal fishing situation had

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High tide this morning at 7.30 and tonight at 8.14.

Sun sets this evening at 7.16 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.37

Full moon May 14, 4.39 A.M.

Summerside tide 18 minutes later than Charlottetown.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

Toronto, May 9—(C P)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	26	60
Victoria	44	58
Edmonton	32	54
Winnipeg	34	64
Toronto	45	54
Ottawa	38	70
Montreal	48	70
Quebec	38	70
Saint John	38	60
Halifax	38	62
Charlottetown	36	52

Maritime Provinces: Moderate to fresh variable winds; partly cloudy with much the same temperature; showers in some districts.

THE CAR FERRY

..Leaves Borden 9.45 a. m. 1 p. m.
Leaves Tormentine 11 a.m. 2.55 p.m

League Council Holds Secret Session On Ethiopian Issue

GENEVA, May 9—(AP)—In a three-hour secret session of the League of Nations Council tonight Great Britain and France despite strong opposition of Soviet Russia, won assurances they would be freed of the obligation not to recognize Italy's conquest of Ethiopia.

Italy annexed Ethiopia two years ago today after a war for which the League condemned her as an aggressor and 52 nations applied financial and economic penalties from Oct. 31, 1935, to July 15, 1936.

Oppose Move

Delegates from New Zealand, China and Bolivia, according to word from the Council room, joined Maxim Litvinoff, the Soviet Commissar, in declining at today's session to back the Franco-British proposal but other members of the Council agreed.

That meant a series of declarations before the Council, probably Thursday, would give League members freedom to recognize Italy's conquest without taking a vote.

Wilhelm Munters, Latvia's Foreign Minister, as president of the Council, will make a resume of the declarations and the issue wil be ended.

The Ethiopia delegate will be present at the Council table but he will be able only to make a speech of protest.

Litvinoff led a bitter attack on Anglo-French politics in the opening battle of the 101st Council session which kept delegates in secret meeting for more than three hours.

Enjoy tea at its best
"SALADA" TEA