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## ST. LAURENT URGES NORTH ATLANTIC SECURITY PLAN

### 19 Germans Kidnapped Despite Russian Promise

#### Nine Canadian Labor Leaders Suspected As Reds Barred From U. S.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 (CP)—C. S. Jackson, president of the Canadian section of the United Electrical Workers (I. O.) today was taken into custody by United States immigration officials when he was about to attend the U. E. W. convention here.

The immigration service said he was "potentially excluded" from the United States on the grounds that they were suspected of being in affiliation with the Communist Party.

Jackson, international vice-president of the U. E. W. and president of its Canadian affiliate, district five, was seized by immigration officials when he landed at La Guardia Field in a Trans-Canada Air-Line plane.

As the immigration automobile bearing Jackson was pulling away from the plane, two men, identified as U. E. W. lawyers, attempted to open the doors of the car and were almost knocked down as an official ordered the chauffeur to drive.

The Canadian official was taken to the nearby Ellis Island immigration center.

David Scribner, a general counsel for the U. E. W., told the convention today that Jackson will appear in Federal court Wednesday when the Union will seek his release on a writ of habeas corpus.

Scribner linked the detention of Jackson with the investigation begun last week by a sub-committee of the House of Representatives labor committee into "the ideological aspects" of the U. E. W.

He said that efforts by the Union to arrange bail at Ellis Island and through the office of the Attorney-General in Washington were rebuffed without explanation.

Arthur Kinross, an associate general counsel of the Union, said Jackson was on his way to take part in the national convention of the U. E. W., now in progress. The U. E. W., with 400,000 members, is the third largest C.I.O. union.

Kinross said that Jackson was elected chairman Monday of the major committee at the convention and was to take an active part in the convention activities today.

George B. Aldridge of Toronto, elected chairman Monday of the local 52, said Monday night that only seven of the 18 Canadian delegates had been permitted to enter the United States.

#### Coming Events

- Big Dance, New London, Friday night.
- Dance, Bright Spot tonight, 9:30 to 1. Admission 50 cents.
- Dance in Howe's Hall, Brackley Beach, Wednesday, Sept. 8.
- Come to the dance at Broad-albans Hall Thursday, Sept. 9.
- Sea Breeze Victoria, each Wednesday, dancing 9-1.
- Dance, Cornwall School, Sept. 9th. Drinks and Refreshments.
- Dance in Fortune Hall, Friday, September 10th.
- Edon - Movies - Friday. Return of Frank James, Tyrone Power.
- Annandale - Movies - Thursday. Return of Frances James, Tyrone Power.
- Dance in Woods' Mill, Thursday night, September 9th. Caf. Club.
- Junior Farmers' Dance, Woods' Mill, Farmington, Thursday, September 9th.
- Dance, Mt. Stewart, every Thursday. Eastern Rhythm Boys Orchestra.
- Ice Cream Social and Dance, Brookvale School, Friday, Sept. 10th. McNeill's Orchestra.
- Come to the Dance at Corran Bann Friday, September 10th. Good music.
- Bridgetown - Movies - Saturday. Return of Frank James, Tyrone Power.
- Unloading car Feeds at Colville, Wednesday afternoon and Thursday. Cecil J. Stewart.
- Dance Cardigan Head School, Friday, September 10th. Good music.
- Reserve Saturday, September 26th. Rummage Sale, Holy Name Hall. St. Charles Auxiliary.
- Chicken Supper and Dance, Little Pond, Monday, September 13th. Supper served form 5 o'clock.
- Chicken Supper and Dance, Jona Hall, Tuesday, September 14th. Suppers served from 6 P. M.
- King's County Flowering March, September 22nd. Sports, Luncheon, Ice Cream, Music, Dancing.
- Reserve Wednesday, September 24th. Chicken Supper and Dance, New Perth.
- Come to the Dance, Riverside School, Thursday, September 9th. Sale of refreshments. MacNeill's Orchestra.
- Dance in Crapaud Hall Tuesday, Sept. 21. In aid of Crapaud School. Music by Don Messer's Orchestra.
- A meeting of Canadian Legion to be held in Mt. Stewart Legion Hall Friday, Sept. 10 at 8:30 p.m. Charles Carrigan, Secretary.
- The monthly meeting of Kings-ton Branch No. 30, Canadian Legion, in Kingston School, Thursday, September 9th, 8:30 P. M. All Veterans please attend.
- Will all who are interested in retaining the Crapaud Branch of the Prince Edward Island Libraries attend a meeting in Crapaud Institute Room, Thursday, September 9th, at 8 P. M.
- Queens County L. O. L. will hold their annual parade at Brookfield, September 12th, at 2:30 P. M. before attending divine service at 3 P. M. The Rev. J. R. Skinner officiating. Sister Lodges cordially invited.
- Will be loading hogs at the following points each Thursday: Elmer Wigney, Bradabants, until 11:30 a. m.; Borden Bagnall, Hunter River, until noon; Summer-ville until 1:30 p. m.; and Kensington until 3 p. m. MacEwen and Coles.

#### Schuman Gov't Falls

PARIS, Sept. 7 (AP)—Premier Robert Schuman's French government resigned tonight 64 hours after it had laboriously put together.

Members of the cabinet submitted their resignations to President Vincent Auriol when they failed to receive a majority vote on a technical question in the Chamber of Deputies. The cabinet went under on its first test of strength.

During its short life the cabinet, the second headed by Schuman, ordered a cost of living bonus of 2500 francs (\$8.25) to almost all French office and industrial workers.

The bonus had been accepted by labor unions, but with protestations that it was not enough. The cabinet did not last long enough to take any other actions.

#### Find Death Of DeSable Man Was Accidental

That George McKay of DeSable came to his death at the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Sept. 1, 1948, as a result of an accident caused by a collision between a car driven by William Sharkey and a load of hay driven by George McKay on Aug. 23rd, the deceased later developing pneumonia from which he died Sept. 1, was the gist of the verdict brought in by a coroner's jury yesterday afternoon at an inquest held to inquire into the death of the late Mr. McKay.

The verdict further added "that no blame whatever be attached to the driver of the car, William Sharkey."

The jury consisted Messrs. Percy Gay (foreman), H. C. Atkinson, Sterling Beaton, P. S. Bradley, G. A. Cudmore, Elmer Blanchard and Fullerton McLeod.

Coroner was Dr. J. D. McGulgan. Representing the crown was Mr. G. R. Holmes, K.C., and the defense was Mr. A. W. Green, of Borden. Detachment conducted the case for the R.C.M.P.

Dr. J. H. Shaw, provincial pathologist, who performed the autopsy on the body of the deceased said the victim had suffered.

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#### Killer Continues At Liberty In Jamaica

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Sept. 7 (CP)—More than 400 police continued to search high and low tonight for killer Ivan Martin.

The swashbuckling desperado has slain at least three persons, wounded seven others and terrorized 125,000 Jamaicans since he went on the rampage a week ago. The convicted burglar broke out of penitentiary last April.

#### Jewish Ex-Terrorists Plan New Campaign

BY DANIEL DE LUCE  
JERUSALEM, Sept. 7 (AP)— Jewish ex-terrorists in Palestine are confidently planning a new campaign. Their objective is Jewish control of King Abdullah's Trans-Jordan.

Trigger-quick veterans of Irgun Zvai Leumi and the Stern Gang, proud of having spearheaded a long underground war against the Holy Land mandate against relinquished by Britain last May 15, say one more year may see their goal reached.

The Arab kingdom they covet is three times larger than Palestine, which it borders on the Jordan River. Its normal population is 400,000 Moslems and Christians. Now it also has 100,000 Palestinian refugees.

There is nothing furtive or hush-hush about Jewish territorial ambition. You can read about it in Irgun and Stern pamphlets handed out as freely as tourist folders.

You can hobnob with former underground chiefs at tea and cocktail parties. Over a glass of Palestine brandy you hear the remark: "may our next drink together be in Amman (capital of Trans-Jordan)."

To the question of how the Jews are to gain Trans-Jordan there is the careful reply: "not inevitably or necessarily by force. It might be done by negotiation. There are several ways. But it will be done."

Irgun and Stern hold the view that Palestine and Trans-Jordan are a single political economic entity which belongs to the Jews by historic right. They do not recognize British action in splitting off Trans-Jordan from Palestine and giving it to King Abdullah to rule.

They claim that when Israel expands to its logical frontiers it will be strong enough to lead the Arab world out of poverty-stricken foreign-exploited feudalism.

#### U. S. Labor Disputes Spread, Now Threaten Telephone Service

CHICAGO, Sept. 7 (AP)—Already in the grip of three major strikes, the United States today was threatened with a fourth work stoppage when C. I. O. union leaders said would cripple the country's telephone service.

The Association of Communication Equipment Workers, whose 25,000 members install telephone equipment, announced it had set Sept. 17 for a strike of Bell Telephone workers in 43 states.

Meanwhile strikes in the oil, trucking and shipping industries continued and there were no indications of an early settlement of any of the three disputes.

The strike call by the Communication Workers Union was ordered to enforce demands for higher wages and improved working conditions.

In New York, the A.F.L. trucking strike ended its first week amid reports that the city's milk supply is "getting critical" because of a lack of cardboard containers. The containers are available at manufacturing plant but can not be delivered because of the truck strike.

Some 8,400 members of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters are involved in the New York strike. Another 4,300 members of a local in Northern New Jersey joined the work stoppage during the Labor Day weekend. The strikers are asking a 26-cent hourly wage increase.

#### Ontario To Get First Grant Under Health Program

OTTAWA, Sept. 7 (CP)—Ontario is going to get the first grant under the Government's \$30,000,000 national health program, the Health Department announced today.

The announcement said a cheque for \$29,485 is being forwarded to the Provincial Treasurer of Ontario to assist the Province's health survey.

This payment constitutes 15 per cent of the \$196,570 allocated to Ontario under the over-all health program.

Ontario's application for an initial payment on the health survey grant was the first provincial request received in Ottawa. Requests also are coming in from other Provinces as they complete preparations to make the surveys for which \$625,000 of the \$30,000,000 has been provided.

The Government's health scheme was approved at the last session of Parliament.

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#### Left Berlin City Hall Under Safe Conduct Guarantee

BERLIN, Sept. 8 (Wednesday) (AP)—Nineteen western zone Berlin policemen were kidnapped by rival Russian-backed police and Soviet tommy-gunners today as they left the Berlin city hall under a Russian safe conduct guarantee.

The release had been negotiated by the French with the Russians.

They had been cornered in the city hall—in the Soviet sector of this divided, blockaded city—since Monday when they were brought in to help protect the anti-Communist city council against Communist-led demonstrators. They had taken refuge in the Western Allies' liaison offices in the building.

About three blocks from the city hall after they were released along with 11 British, United States and French liaison officers and correspondents, they were flagged down by two jeeps of Russian soldiers.

As the convoy stopped, about 20 Soviet zone police jumped out from behind a building and surrounded the western zone group.

Another four jeeps of Russian tommy-gunners drew up from behind. Then another truck carrying about 60 more Soviet zone police roared up, all seemed obvious the affair was a carefully planned trap.

"Those who have papers may go on," a Russian officer said. "Those who don't will have to come with us."

French officers protested and explained that Maj-Gen. Alexander Kotikov, the Russian commandant for Berlin, had agreed to give the western zone policemen safe conduct to the French zone of the city.

They argued for an hour. There was a promise made to call Rudolph Wagner, deputy to the Soviet zone police chief, Markgraf, but he never arrived.

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S.N.S. Photo. Jack Chapman president of the Canadian Lake Seamen's Union who succeeds J.A. "Pat" Sullivan. The C.L.S.U. merged with A.F.L. Seafarers International union and Sullivan stepped out.

#### Confine Oil Field Fire To One Well

EDMONTON, Sept. 7 (CP)—Less than 18 hours after a spectacular fire broke out at a remote Atlantic No. 3 well in the rich Leduc oil fields, Lands Minister N. E. Tanner announced that the fire has been "definitely localized" to the one well.

"We are taking every precaution possible to prevent any spread of the fire in the oilfield," said Mr. Tanner.

#### Recruit 2,392 Canadians For Maine Potato Fields

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 7 (AP)—Three teams of recruiters have signed up 2,392 Canadian workers for the Maine potato harvest, chairman L. C. Fortier of the Maine Unemployment Compensation Commission said today.

The employment service has set a goal of 7,000 Canadian workers to aid in the potato harvest.

Maine farmers who had been recruiting in Quebec and New Brunswick, Fortier said.

#### Living Costs Advanced Only Slightly In July

OTTAWA, Sept. 7 (CP)—The official cost-of-living index advanced only six-tenths of a point during July—from 166.9 to 167.5—the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

This was the narrowest change since January, 1947, and indicated a slackening in the rise which has carried the index up more than 20 points over the last year.

Today's report, covering the period from July 2 to Aug. 2, reflected the lifting of the special 25 per cent excise taxes on a broad list of durable household goods late in July.

It did not, however, show the rise in meat prices which came during August when the Govern-

#### Eire More Catholic Than Italy, Is Claim

OTTAWA, Sept. 7 (CP)—Eire "more Catholic than Italy" has swept out its Communists, Prime Minister Costello told a press conference today.

The nation now feared no unrest, no political strife, such as befell the country in which the Vatican is seated.

Mr. Costello envisaged a great new Ireland of the future, constituted with the aid of a United States loan of \$85,000,000 under the Marshall Plan.

The country would be independent of the British crown, yet "friendly and working in association with Commonwealth nations," he told members of the Parliamentary Press Gallery.

Willing to co-operate in the maintenance of the sterling area, Eire was nevertheless troubled with a serious shortage of American dollars. Her greatest need was a loan or a grant of United States currency.

If the United States loans Eire the \$85,000,000, she would be "very able" to repay the loan, Mr. Costello said.

One other problem was that of partition which was "forced on Ireland by the British Parliament in 1920." Partition must end, said

#### First Important Speech By New Liberal Leader

#### Immediate Action Needed In Face Of Direct Threat From Communism.

TORONTO, Sept. 7 (CP)—Organization of the forces of the free democracies to ensure collective resistance to aggression was urged today by External Affairs Minister St. Laurent.

He told the directors' luncheon at the Canadian National Exhibition that "such a collective action, even if at the beginning only on a regional basis, is urgent and necessary."

"The threat of aggressive and expansionist Communism," he stressed to the ambitions of a great power, is too great, too direct, too immediate for us to do nothing until all the freedom-loving nations reach agreement to act together."

"That is why the Canadian Government has been urging at home and abroad, in public statements, and through diplomatic channels and discussions the immediate establishment of a North Atlantic security system comprised of the United Kingdom, the United States, Canada and the free countries of Western Europe."

"We think such a system could create and maintain the necessary preponderance of defensive forces over any possible adversary or combination of aggressive adversaries."

It was Mr. St. Laurent's first important speech since his selection as national Liberal leader.

He said a collective arrangement of the kind suggested "is in the ultimate hope—and the possibility—of establishing freedom, order and welfare over a wide area."

"Under present conditions that seems to be our best formula for peace."

If it could be brought about "it may then come to pass that the forces of aggression, respecting our power for war and convinced of our will for peace, will abandon their mad designs, dismiss their unjustified suspicions and begin to co-operate with others without requiring that they become mere satellites."



#### Minimum and Maximum Temperatures

OTTAWA, Sept. 7 (CP)—Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until midnight Wednesday.

Synopsis: The heat wave is expected to continue Wednesday in inland sections of the Maritimes, with temperatures rising to the 80s. However, sea breezes along the Nova Scotia coast will cause slightly cooler weather there. A storm 600 miles south of Nova Scotia is moving northward, but is not expected to affect the Maritimes other than to cause overcast skies in Cape Breton on Wednesday evening.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island—Clear tonight and Wednesday. Continuing hot. Light winds. Low early Wednesday morning and high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 60 and 82.

High tide this afternoon at 2:33 and tonight at 2:25.

Sun sets this evening at 6:25 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:30.

First quarter moon September 10th-3:06 A. M.