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"Me, like a fool, put my foot down when my wife suggested getting a maid with a Guardian Want Ad!"

Pravda Writer Declares Bevin Renounced Pact

(By Eddy Gilmore)
 MOSCOW, Jan. 15 (AP)—A commentator in Pravda, Communist Party organ, in one of the most outspoken declarations on British-Soviet relations since the war-torn Anglo-Soviet treaty of alliance of 1942.

The commentator, signing merely the initials "N.N." reminded Pravda's readers that Bevin in a speech Dec. 22 had declared Britain "does not tie herself to anybody," asked if he had forgotten the treaty of alliance and asserted that his proposal to extend the 20-year treaty to 50 years was not meant seriously.

A Foreign Office spokesman in London quickly denied that Bevin had "disavowed" the pact in his sweeping criticism of some British Labor members that Britain's foreign policy was too closely linked with the United States.

(The spokesman said the commentator had taken out of its context the statement that Britain "does not tie herself to anybody.")

London dispatches said the attack caused considerable concern in the British Government circles where it was noted that Pravda's blast came just when the return of Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery from a visit to Moscow had raised hopes of strengthened relations with the Soviet Union. One British source said the attack could indicate Russia was preparing to demand revision of the pact and other treaties.)

Drunk Convictions on The Increase

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (CP)—Convictions for drunkenness in Canada hit a high of 46,745 in 1945, the last year for which figures are available, but statistical officials here stressed that the figure might represent sterner law enforcement rather than excessive drinking.

A Dominion Bureau of Statistics report on the control, sale and use of alcoholic beverages since 1920 showed that convictions for drunkenness were high during the prosperous 1920's, low during the depression, and at their peak during the war years.

The high of 39,769 convictions in 1920 was not matched until 1941 when there were 40,002. The number jumped to 44,801 in 1942, dropped to 42,292 in 1943, dropped again to 41,521 in 1944 and then rose in 1945 to 46,745.

The low was 18,910 convictions in 1923.

Drunkenness convictions by provinces and territories during 1945, with 1944 figures in brackets, were as follows:—

Prince Edward Island, 612 (385); Nova Scotia, 3,064 (2,088); New Brunswick, 4,158 (4,292); Quebec, 10,339 (8,843); Ontario, 19,873 (25,812); Manitoba, 2,040 (1,451); Saskatchewan, 1,010 (864); Alberta, 1,515 (1,539); Yukon, 85 (54); Northwest Territories, 10 (10).

Like the number of convictions, the volume of consumption varied with the nation's prosperity. In the 1920's apparent consumption of spirituous liquor hit a high of 3,600,000 gallons. It fell during the 1930's and following the outbreak of war rose to a peak of 5,883,512 gallons in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1946.

Beer consumption hit a new high of 42,100,225 gallons in 1933 and then after the outbreak of war climbed to a peak of 130,086,099 gallons in the 1945-46 fiscal year.

Deaths attributed to alcoholism were set at 83 in 1941, 107 in 1942 and 66 in 1944. In 1941 there was a revision in the classification of causes of death and prior to the change a greater number of deaths were attributed to alcoholism. For instance, in 1920 the number was set at 247.



QUADS' MOTHER AWAITS HOME

Mother of quadruplets, British war bride Mrs. Charles Henn, Jr., is seen leaving hospital at Baltimore with her husband. Henn received many offers of homes after he told newspaper he didn't know where he and his new family would live.

SANFORD - JONES WEDDING

A wedding of widespread interest to a large circle of relatives and friends of the bride and groom took place at the First Baptist Church Parsonage, Cambridge, on Wednesday evening, November 27th, 1946, at 7 P. M. when Rev. H. Campbell Eatough, in a double ring ceremony united in Holy Matrimony, Emma Pearl Jones of Hazelbrook, Prince Edward Island, and Stanley Gladstone Sanford, B. A. of Cambridge, Mass.

Given in marriage by her uncle, William E. Jones, the bride was attractively gowned in a street length dress of rose crepe, and wore a corsage of Tallman Roses. Her only ornament was a double strand of pearls, gift of the groom.

Miss Sue Jones, gowned in aquamarine crepe, with a corsage of American Beauty Roses, acted as her sister's cry attendant.

Previous to her marriage the bride was the guest at several showers held in her honor and was the recipient of many valuable and useful gifts, including a beautiful chest of drawers, a silver service, a Hazelbrook Baptist Church, the Calvin Presbyterian Church and the Women's Institute also made presentations of purses of money and other lovely gifts.

The happy couple reside at 175 Prospect St., Cambridge, Mass.

KINGSTON Y. P. U.

The Kingston Y. P. U. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Newson on Jan. 9th, to re-organize the group. It was moved that Mr. Todd act as chairman.

The following officers were elected: President - Miss Christine King, Vice President - Mrs. Parker Newson. Secretary - Mrs. Calvin Holmes, Treasurer - Mrs. Elmer Colwill.

Mrs. Grant Willis was appointed to take charge of the collection for next meeting and Mr. Todd the Study Period, Recreation Period, Shirley Newson and Norma Smith. Mr. Todd then led in prayer. Mr. Todd gave an interesting talk on "Can My Radio Talk." Collection was taken which amounted to \$1.10. Lunch Committee, Verna Green and Mrs. Edgar Newson. Hymn, Bless Be Thee Thee That Brings. The remainder of the evening was spent in games. Lunch was served by the hostess. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Newson for the use of their home.

The regular meeting of the Y. P. U. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Willis on January 13th, and opened by singing, Wonderful words of Life. Devotional period was led by Mrs. Grant Willis. The Scripture lesson was taken from Psalm 19 read by Mr. Parker Newson. Mr. Todd led in prayer. 24 members paid fees, and six visitors were present. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

It was moved that the Secretary act as Press Reporter, Lunch Committee, Mr. Todd, Mrs. Parker Newson and Mrs. Elmer Colwill. Recreation Period for next meeting, Erma Newson and Roy Youngker. Study Period, Calvin Holmes and Mrs. Elmer Colwill. Devotional Period, Parker Newson. It was moved that meetings be held on Tuesday night with next meeting held at home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorena Smith. Book Committee, Shirley Newson, Verna Green. Study Period was led by Mr. Todd. It was decided to answer roll for next meeting with the first four books of the Bible. Mr. Todd welcomed Robert Denker back from overseas and remainder of the evening was spent in contests. Vote of thanks was extended to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Willis for the use of their home, after singing, Stand Up For Jesus. The meeting closed with the benediction.

DUNSTAFFNAGE W. I.

The monthly meeting of the Dunstaffnage Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Ephraim Clow on Jan. 8th. The meeting opened with the Creed in unison.

Roll call was responded to by eleven members naming an ornamental tree or shrub. The minutes read and approved. The School Committee reported paper towels and dustpan were needed, moved by Mrs. Clow, seconded by Mrs. R. Dennis, that we purchase same. Correspondence was read and discussed by members. A letter of appreciation from Miss Bertha was read, concerning the quilt. Mrs. Boswell Stewart kindly invited the members to her home to work on the quilt, Wednesday, Jan. 15th.

A discussion arose over school prizes to be given at the end of term. It was moved by Mrs. L. MacCallum, seconded by Mrs. W. Thompson that ten dollars be used for prizes. Mr. W. Thompson and Mrs. R. Dennis were appointed to interview the teacher about the prizes. Mrs. W. Thompson, Isabel Jenkins and the Secretary were appointed to see about getting up a play. Mrs. L. MacCallum kindly consented to open her home for a valentine supper. It was left over for the February meeting after some discussion program consisted of a paper on beautifying home surroundings read by Robertina Boswell.

A contest put on by Mrs. J. Thompson was enjoyed by all. Collection 40c. Two members paid dues. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess Mrs. Louis Dove.

GOD REVEALS HIS PRESENCE

When "Hide and Seek" two little daughters played, Their covert was a sofa and a chair; Least she should not be found, the smaller maid Gave signs to tell the eager searchers where.

She might be hid,—part of a foot was shown; Or roguish eyes around the corner peeped; Then when the hiding place at length was known, With laughter to her father's arms she leaped.

And so it is God would by us be found; Disclosures of He makes to heart and mind; Hints of His presence everywhere abound; Alas! Our ears are stopped, our eyes are blind.

And so to win us, counting not the cost, He sent His Son to seek and save the lost.

—Alexander Louis Fraser.

STEM WAISTLINE IN STYLE NEWS

New York.—Figures can't lie in the new spring clothes as shown by New York designers in their first collections after the lifting of government fabric restrictions. Though skirts are longer and fuller, the long, fitted torso of the 1947 silhouette leaves no room for excess galleons, and the girl with the rubber tire will be strictly out of luck.

Pauline Trigere sets the pace for the new season with a beautifully conceived and executed collection of dressed suits and ladylike dresses which accent the "stem torso" throughout. Her suits have long jackets which reach below the hips, and are swathed to the hips, flare out near the hem with deep ruffles or accordion pleated frills.

The skirts, from one end one half to two inches longer, use pleats, pressed and unpressed, to achieve the new fullness, but all are stitched to below the hips, giving a slim look through the middle. She shows matching vests with most suits, puts crisp lingerie touches on dark dresses, and uses exquisite details of handwork on dressier clothes.

Also providing top style news is the "contour" silhouette of the Troy Stik, of the "Troy Stik" brand. Other belts in contour shapes on both day and evening

REFLOATING THE STEAMER "LIBERTE"

Harbour authorities at Le Havre, preparing to refloat the Liberté (formerly Europa), damaged when a storm tore it from its moorings early in December, are at a loss to find a suitable berth for the ship with the rubber tire will be strictly out of luck.

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TRANSFUSIONS BENEFICIAL

Blood transfusions are being used more and more in new ways for treating every kind of imaginable disease.

dresses, and shocks her public with a new "taut neckline" suggesting the hobble skirts of 1918. Her afternoon dresses are elaborately draped and fitted through the midriff, accenting hips and busts, but keeping a streamlined effect through the torso.

Bruno shows evening dresses using 10 yards of fabric in the skirts.

Parkdale

It is pleasing to note that Mrs. Charles Swain has been out again after suffering a severe attack of the flu.

The people of Parkdale are greatly interested in the fact that there has been a new Branch of the Canadian Legion organized. Mr. Clarence Walker is the new President. It will look after the needs of the veterans of this district.

Miss Pearl Stewart, Kingsboro, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Percy Gay.

Captain Carl Burke of Maritime Central Airways, has been chosen to head the Charlottetown Board of Trade as president. It speaks for this young gentleman the confidence that such an organization has in him. Parkdale feels very proud to have such an honor come to a resident of this district.

The sympathy of the district goes out to the family of the late Albert E. Simpson of Parkdale. His passing will be a great loss to this district.

It is pleasing to note that the condition of Mr. Jack Gray, who is now in the Charlottetown Hospital with pneumonia is somewhat improved.

The members of the Parkdale Women's Institute are holding their annual rummage sale. This is a splendid organization of women, who have done a great deal in this community for the welfare of the school and district.

Residents appreciate the splendid work being done by Mr. Miller MacFadyen, principal, and his staff of three capable teachers in Parkdale School.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills and child of Moncton, N.B. are being welcomed. They have taken up residence in Mrs. Nelson Winchester's Apartments. Mr. Mills is a very capable pilot of the Maritime Central Airways. It is hoped their stay will be a pleasant one. —P.

RIVERDALE SCHOOL CONCERT

On the evening of December 20th a number of parents and visitors gathered at Riverdale School to enjoy a concert by the pupils of the school.

The schoolroom and tree were gallantly decked in their Christmas attire, that radiated the glorious atmosphere of the Yuletide season.

Mr. John N. MacFadyen capably acted as chairman, and the following well-performed program was carried out:

Opening Chorus; Welcome One and All—School.

Recitation: Welcome, Everybody—Kenneth MacKinnon.

Exercise: Howdy Do! —Eight girls.

Recitation: How Do You Do?—Annette McQuaid.

Recitation: No Time Wasted—Wilma MacLeod.

Dialogue: Popping the Question—Wanda Buchanan and Gerald McQuaid.

Recitation: Not Too Small—Celeste McQuaid.

Monologue: Reason for Complaining—Eddy McMurrer.

Recitation: Curiosity Killed A Cat—Joyce MacDonald.

Dialogue: A Nice Kind—Erma MacKinnon and William MacKinnon.

Recitation: I Wonder—Charles MacKinnon.

Recitation: The Sick Roll—Erma MacKinnon.

Monologue: Giving A Hint—Wanda Buchanan.

Recitation: Why Santa Claus Laughed—Joseph McQuaid.

Dialogue: Mrs. Pennington's Call—Wanda Buchanan and Velda MacKinnon.

Recitation: I Cannot Make A Great Big Speech—Tillie McQuaid.

Duet: Let's Pretend—Annette and Tillie McQuaid (encore).

Exercise: My Country—Twelve pupils.

Recitation: Understanding Santa—William MacKinnon.

Song: Song of The Christmas Greens—The Senior Girls (encore).

Instrumental Music: Wilfred Campbell and Mathias Flood.

Dialogue: Three O'clock in the Morning—Eddy McMurrer and Gerald McQuaid.

Recitation: A Boy's Troubles—Kenneth McMurrer.

Recitation: A Modest Request—Celeste McQuaid.

Monologue: Doing Well—Velda MacKinnon.

Exercise: Mustn't Touch—Melbourne MacKinnon, Gordon MacFadyen and Wendell MacDonald.

Recitation: Daddy's Girl—Wilma MacLeod.

Recitation: Too Many Santas—Willard MacDonald.

Dialogue: The Mock Wedding—Hazel MacDonald, Shirley MacDonald, Kelsie Buchanan, David Lamont, Eddy McMurrer, Kenneth MacKinnon.

Recitation: Christmas Baking—Joyce MacDonald.

Step Dance: Eddy McMurrer (encore).

Exercise: Christmas Bells—Erma MacKinnon, Joyce MacDonald, William MacKinnon, Ken-

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Seven At Funeral Of Murder Victim

TORONTO, Jan. 15 (CP)—Police investigating the hammer slaying of Angelo Fonti, 57-year-old restaurant dishwasher, today sifted a quantity of ashes taken from a downtown house in the hope of finding traces of a second pair of shoes worn by Fonti.

Detectives have in their possession one pair of boots identified as belonging to Fonti but they are still looking for the overcoat and shoes the little restaurant worker wore when he was beaten to death by men who stuffed his body into the mouth of a culvert in suburban Etobicoke Township. Fonti was buried today and only seven persons attended the funeral.

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