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Experiment With Anti-Cancer Serum

MINNEAPOLIS, March 8 (AP)—Dr. John Bittner, University of Minnesota scientist, said today that experiments conducted in his laboratory have established that mammary cancer in mice is a virus disease.

Coming Events

- We now have Pantheon Robb Hood specialists with feed orders, Livestock Feed Agency, 3-4-6.
•Concert—Bradabane Hall, Saturday, March 9th, 3-7-11.
•Loading Hogs at Vernon for Dand and Fraser's on Tuesday afternoon, March 12th, Ed Nelson, 3-6-9-21.

New Holstein Champ Declared

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., March 8 (AP)—Ionia Ormsby Queen of Michigan—who in 15 years has produced 128,281 quarts of milk and more than four tons of butter—today was hailed by the Holstein-Friesian Association as the new world's champion cow.

Moscow Radio Says Protest Made To U.S.

LONDON, March 8 (CP)—The Moscow radio said tonight the Soviet government had formally charged the United States with violation of the Moscow decision in suggesting new conditions for the opposition and the United States with raising new conditions.

Was 16th On Ships In British Ports Recently

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., March 8 (Reuters)—The full weight of Britain's protective services was thrown into action tonight to prevent further outbreaks of fire in liners under British ports, following a two-hour blaze today in the 85,000-ton Cunard White Star liner Queen Elizabeth.

City Council Passes Estimates For Year

OTTAWA, March 8—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today Canadian creamery butter production declined 18 per cent in February to 8,631,397 pounds from the 10,569,482 pounds produced in the corresponding month of 1945.

Commodore Taylor Receives Promotion

HALIFAX, March 8—The promotion of Commodore C.R.H. Taylor, C.B.E., commanding officer, Atlantic Coast, to rear admiral effective April 11 was announced here tonight.

Russians May Be Quitting Manchuria

CHUNGKING, March 8 (Gat-urday)—Russian troops are moving northward out of Midchen, the Chinese Central News Agency reported today, on a scale indicating the long-delayed withdrawal of Soviet forces from Manchuria.

Unemployment Claims Increase

OTTAWA, March 8—Sharp increase in applications for unemployment insurance was reflected in figures announced today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Romanian Censorship Bans Churchill Speech

BUCHAREST, March 8 (Reuters)—The Romanian censorship has prohibited publication of reports of Winston Churchill's speech at Fulton, Mo., Tuesday, All that has appeared here is a four-line item referring to Churchill's support for an extension of 50 years of the Anglo-Soviet alliance.

Butter Production Decline Continues

Table with columns: Expenditures, Revenue. Rows include City Government, Police, Health, etc.

Cardinal McGuigan Urges Aid For Europe

LONDON, March 8 (CP Cable)—Canada and the United States must do more to help Europe through the difficult post-war period of want and poverty, James Cardinal McGuigan, archbishop of Toronto, said in a fact-finding tour from Rome.

British Market Restrictions Cause Concern

OTTAWA, March 8—Canadian industry and groups specializing in primary products are pressing both the Canadian and British Governments for a clear statement of just what Canada's loan of \$1,250,000,000 will mean in increased British market.

Western Electric Strike Settled

NEW YORK, March 8 (AP)—The 66-day strike against the Western Electric Company by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, union and company officials announced.

Says Killed Father During Nightmare

MONTREAL, March 8—Adolphe Leduc, 60, died in hospital here today from injuries sustained when he was allegedly stabbed while at breakfast in his north-end home Feb. 5.

New Ratton Book Is Being Prepared

OTTAWA, March 8 (CP)—The Prices Board announced today a new ratton book—the sixth since Canada began rationing foodstuffs during the war—is being prepared and will be distributed to consumers "some time in the early fall."

N.B. Appoints Plant Pathologist

FREDERICTON, March 8 (CP)—Appointment of Scott F. Clark, son, Fredericton, as New Brunswick's first provincial plant pathologist, was announced today by Agriculture Minister A. C. Taylor.

Fact-Finding Board To Sit On Demands

(By The Canadian Press) NEW YORK, March 8—Railway union leaders indefinitely postponed a strike of 300,000 men—scheduled to begin Monday—today said a 66-day-old strike against the Western Electric Company had been settled.

Goering Seeks To Pose As Emissary Of Peace

By WES GALLAGHER NUREMBERG, March 8 (AP)—Hermann Goering today opened his defence against war crimes charges, leading off the 22 ranking Nazi defendants and his first witness sought to portray the former Reichsmarshal as an emissary of peace.

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METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE TORONTO, March 8 (CP)—Forecast: Vancouver 40, 54; Edmonton 10, 31; Regina 3, below 21; Winnipeg 9 below, 14; Toronto 32; Quebec 25, 41; Saint John 30, 53; Moncton 30, 50; Halifax 40, 42, 47; Yarmouth 38, 55.

Following is the official Friday weather synopsis at 9 P.M. Friday, March 8.

Pressure is high over the Maritimes but is beginning to fall as an extensive low pressure area now centered over Southern Michigan moves northward.

Following is the official marine weather forecast issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax at 10.30 P.M. Thursday night, March 8.

Northumberland Strait—Light southerly winds of 5 M.P.H. tonight, increasing Saturday.