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GERMAN-HUNGARIAN FRIENDSHIP STRESSED

JAP PLANES ATTACK SINO - U. S. AIRLINER

Hitler Pledges Inviolability Of Neighbor's Border

RIDDLE CRAFT WITH MACHINE GUN BULLETS

Passenger Describes Harrowing Experience - 14 Persons Aboard Missing.

HONG KONG, Aug. 24 (CP)—One of the five known survivors of 19 persons aboard a Chinese-United States owned airplane to fight described the terror and harrowing experience of the Japanese pursuit planes forced down and machine-gunned the passenger craft on the South China coast.

The large plane carrying two women, a baby, a small child and 11 men as well as a four man crew, was forced to alight on a small river between Canton and Macao.

H. L. Woods of Winfield, Kansas, the pilot, reported Japanese airmen fired the airplane as it sank. Besides Woods, the known survivors are his wireless operator, Joe Loh, C. N. Lou, a passenger, and two unidentified passengers. All on the plane except Woods were Chinese.

Lou said two Japanese planes opened fire on the airplane shortly after it took off from Hong Kong. The pilot veered south from his northeast course to shake off the attackers.

A little later five pursuit planes attacked, diving close to the large plane so that it was forced down.

Lou, who reached a Maaoa Hospital with a bullet wound in his neck, said some of his fellow passengers were wounded while the plane was still in the air and others while they were attempting to

Radical Socialists Rally To Support Of Premier Daladier

PARIS, Aug. 24 (AP)—The Radical Socialist Party today gave President Premier Edouard Daladier full backing for his plan to bolster France's national defence and economy by abandoning the 40-hour work week.

The executive committee of the party, a Conservative unit of the Popular Front which is outnumbered only by the Socialists in the Chamber of Deputies, adopted a motion assuring Daladier its complete confidence.

The committee called for co-operation of all parties which seek the safety of liberty, of peace and of the fatherland.

The appeal was intended primarily for Socialists and Communists, co-partners in the Popular Front whose opposition to Daladier's plan had threatened to split the chamber majority and perhaps overthrow the government.

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OPENING OF 16TH DIOCESAN CONVENTION

Interesting Session As C. W. L. Delegates Meet At St. Dunstan's University.

The opening session of the 16th annual diocesan convention of the Catholic Women's League was held last night in St. Dunstan's University Hall.

The opening of the convention was presided over by Miss Kathleen Hornby of the local sub-division of the organization, who presided at last night's meeting.

Welcome to delegates and visitors was extended by Rev. J. A. Murphy, D. D., Rector of St. Dunstan's University.

A vocal solo by Miss Lucy Blanchard presided the address by Mrs. H. J. Hynes, Montague diocesan president of the C. W. L. Miss Blanchard was heartily endorsed.

Following her address Mrs. Hynes presented with a beautiful bouquet by little Miss Betty MacDonald on behalf of League members.

A delightful violin solo by Miss Carolyn Kenny, Charlottetown, was another enjoyable part of the evening's program.

Total membership in the 26 sub-divisions in the diocese was 2,000. Mrs. Catherine Greener, recording secretary said in the course of an address dealing with activities of her department for the year.

The crisis of the screen and literature must be combated by an enlightened public, she declared, referring to the educational work carried on by means of study clubs.

Receipts for the year had amounted to \$9,000 delegates were informed.

The success and principal endeavor of the C. W. L. was assisting the success of the League, Rev. Principal MacDonald, Indian River, principal speaker of the evening declared.

A spirit of loyalty and co-operation was very necessary for the success of the League, he stressed. It was necessary members realize when called upon the work was for God and for Canada, which God gave to the people of the world.

Selections by Miss Hornby's Orchestra provided the delegates with a period of relaxation before the business session continued.

Rev. P. McMahon, D. D., Rector (Continued on page 9, Col 4)

Man Arrested In Robbery Is Believed Native Of Pictou

VANCOUVER, Aug. 24 (CP)—Russell Mather Doyle, 36, was arrested and charged with robbery with violence today less than two blocks from a hotel where a night clerk had set a lone gunman in flight with a volley of revolver shots.

Jason Graham, hotel night clerk, reported to police a man entered the hotel and attempted to stage a holdup. Graham said he was able to disarm the bandit and then forced him to run with a volley of shots.

Police Constable George Ledingham and a taxi driver joined Graham in the chase. They saw a man running along a street and the policeman fired one shot. The man fell and was placed under arrest.

Doyle, taken to hospital with a fractured arm, told police he was a native of North Bay, Ont.

Police said, however, they were checking the possibility his real name was Daniel Norman Munroe, native of Pictou, N. S.

Wedding Of Interest Is Solemnized Here

A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday morning with Nuptial Mass in St. Dunstan's Basilica, when Catherine Bernadette MacMillan became the wife of Charles St. Clair Trainor.

The bride is the daughter of Hon. Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, a former Premier of Prince Edward Island, and Mrs. MacMillan, while the groom, barrister-at-law, and a member of the Provincial Legislature, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Francis Trainor, of Albany, P. E. I.

The ceremony was performed and Nuptial Mass celebrated by Rev. R. J. MacDonald, of St. Columba Church, East Point, cousin of the bride. The following clergymen were in the sanctuary: Rev. Dr. J. A. Murphy, Rector of St. Dunstan's University; Rev. P. L. Mullaity, Sturgeon; Rev. Basil Croken, St. Teresa's; Rev. Fredrick Cass, St. Dunstan's University; Rev. Louis Devane and Rev. P. McMahon, D. D., of the Basilica staff. The acolytes serving the Mass were Harold Wood and Albert Steale.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked lovely in a gown of ivory satin with a long train and tulle veil caught with a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

The bridesmaid, Miss Nora MacMillan, sister of the bride, wore turquoise lace with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of tallman flowers.

The groom was attended by Mr. Ivan Trainor. The bride's mother was attired in honey-colored lace, with accessories to match. Mrs. M. A. Farmer, sister of the bride, was given in charge of the wedding party.

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JAPS PREDICT SINO CONFLICT NEARING END

Undeclared Peace Expected To End War - Want Coastline Area.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 25 (Thursday)—(AP)—Japanese forces had fought their way into position today for a two-way drive against Hankow, Chinese provisional capital, which has 100,000 defenders.

Reports from the Central China fronts placed one Japanese force in a point 100 miles southeast of Hankow and another in position to strike overland 110 miles against the Peiping-Hankow Railway.

(By RELMAN MORIN Associated Press Foreign Staff)

TOKYO, Aug. 24 (AP)—Well-informed Japanese believe the war in China is nearly finished. "The air is thick with peace," one high-ranking Government official put it.

For horrid consumption, however, Japanese officials make such statements as that of Lieut. General Seishiro Itagaki, war minister, who said recently that Japan would continue fighting as long as Chiang Kai-Shek remained head of the Chinese Government, and added: "That may be for 10 or 20 years."

The Government is calling on the public to make great sacrifices, and it is believed the various campaigns for thrift and "spiritual mobilization" would soon warlike quick end if the man on the street thought the war was nearly over.

It has been an undeclared war, and informed Japanese believe it will be an undeclared peace. In fact, it will be a sort of a quiet cessation of hostilities, with a meeting of diplomats to draw up the legal documents of peace.

The war simply will peter out. It will fall in successive levels from active fighting to guerilla warfare, and then to a condition of peace—without the diplomatic trimmings.

What Japanese military men plan to do, however, is to carve out a chunk of China, along the coastline, then stop.

Once they stop the positions will be reversed. Japan will be on the defensive content to remain within the borders of the 41 year old island. Her army of some 600,000 men has taken from China since the war started July 7, 1937, at a cost of \$5,000,000 a day. Chinese will be forced to take the offensive to dislodge them.

Hawks, who in 1933 made the first transcontinental non-stop flight in a biplane, from Vancouver to Kingston, Ont., was a familiar figure at summer airshows where he thrilled thousands with spectacular power dives and vertical ascents.

Arrangements went forward in the meantime for the funeral of J. Hazara Campbell, 43, wealthy Buffalo sportsman, who was killed with Hawks. Both men were trapped in the flaming wreckage of an "air-car" which crashed in a suburban

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Co-operation In Wheat Marketing To Be Discussed

(C.P. By Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Aug. 24—No formal request for Canadian Government cooperation in United States on wheat marketing abroad has been revealed here but Prime Minister Mackenzie King told questions here today a conference with United States agricultural officials would open tomorrow on that and other farm problems.

A delegation of experts from the United States bureau, but not including Secretary Wallace, head of the agriculture, trade and commerce and external affairs departments.

No policies will be determined and the conversations will revolve about an exchange of knowledge and experience on agricultural and marketing problems, the Prime Minister said.

It had been reported Secretary Wallace would ask the Dominion Government to join in some arrangement for marketing exportable wheat of the two countries, so as to avoid "throat cutting."

MANY MOURN TRAGIC DEATH OF SPEED ACE

Ashes Of Frank Hawks To Be Flown To Connecticut Home For Burial.

(AP. By Guardian's Special Wire) BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 24—A friend of Lieutenant Commander Frank M. Hawks made ready tonight for a sorrowful flight back to Connecticut with the ashes of America's famous speed ace, who was killed in a plane crash late yesterday.

Jack R. Curtin, Commander Hawks' roommate and flying companion, will take off tomorrow for Hawks' home town of Redding, Conn., where he will be buried. Hawks' body was cremated in accordance with his own request.

The pilot's death, even though he predicted "I will die in an airplane," brought sadness to Canadian biplanes, many of whom were close friends of Hawks since his barnstorming days in Canadian air meets.

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BERLIN, Aug. 24—(A.P.)—Chancellor Hitler tonight guaranteed the inviolability of the borders of neighboring Hungary in an exchange of toasts with his guest, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, Regent of Hungary, at a state dinner.

Emphasizing the centuries of friendship and cooperation between Germany and the old Austro-Hungarian Empire, Hitler said:—"This firmly founded community based on mutually unshakable trust will be of special value to both peoples now that we as neighbors through historic events (union of Germany and Austria) have found our definite historical boundaries."

Admiral Horthy, in responding, stressed the three-cornered mutual friendship of Hungary, Italy and Germany and their common will for a "just peace."

The wish for continuation of peaceful reconstruction which animates us and our friends is safe insurance that our people can pursue successfully the high aim of peace based on mutual good will and justice through further close collaboration, thereby serving best their own interests and those of the rest of the world, the Regent said.

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CANADA NOT YET COMMITTED SAYS PREMIER

"Nothing Has Been Settled" Re Anglo-American Trade Treaty.

(C. P. By Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, Aug. 24—Whatever sacrifice Canada may be called upon to make in the interests of an Anglo-American trade agreement, nothing has been surrendered yet, Prime Minister Mackenzie King declared today.

Questioned on a report from England that Canada had offered to yield the preference of six cents a bushel on wheat enjoyed by the British market, to facilitate United Kingdom trade negotiations with United States, the Prime Minister replied "we have given up nothing and nothing has been settled."

There had been many suggestions, the Prime Minister said, but no conclusions and it was impossible to say at this stage that any particular course of action might be followed in the eventual agreement, which he expected to see concluded next month.

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Quebec Reports Budget Surplus

MONTREAL, Aug. 24 (CP)—Quebec's account books for the fiscal year ended June 30 show a surplus of \$3,008,287 compared with a deficit of \$3,968,565 for the previous year, treasurer Martin Fisher announced today.

Without any new taxation, the province's revenue increased by \$7,004,018 compared with revenue of \$46,280,019 in the previous year and a jump of \$14,677,738 over 1936.

The Union Nationale government of Premier Maurice Duplessis, however, spent more money than last year. Ordinary expenditures totalled \$50,335,750, a hoist of \$8,024,296 compared with \$42,311,454 the preceding year.

Extraordinary expenditures in the year under review were heavy totaling \$18,156,096 for such matters as direct relief for unemployment, public relief works, aids to youth and colonists. Lumped together, ordinary and extraordinary expenditures exceeded revenues by \$13,147,809.

Direct relief cost \$2,482,427 and public works to relieve unemployment \$8,601,952.

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Says "Raw Deal" Given Maritimes By Agreements

ST. ANDREWS, Aug. 24—Maritime fishermen have had a "raw deal" under the British West Indies trade agreement, O. F. MacKenzie, of Halifax, member of the economic council of Nova Scotia, asserted at the fisheries conference here yesterday.

"We must see to it," he stated, "that when these agreements come to for revision, our fishing industry is not sacrificed on the altar of Empire trade. If we are going to get a preference on fish, it must be a real preference."

He also advised that Canada should forget the western grain grower and concentrate on the Maritime fishermen in negotiating future treaties with Italy. Italy was self-sufficient as far as grain went. She would only buy when there was a crop failure, and then she would have to buy anyway. Italy, however, was a major importer of dried fish, and something material might be accomplished in this regard.

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Co-operation Urged In Public Health

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Aug. 24—(CP)—Complete application of joint community and professional effort for public health service was urged before the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities convention today by Dr. Warren Brown, assistant surgeon general of the United States public health service.

Individual physicians were too busy to follow the health problems of their communities, Dr. Draper said. More than 1,000 municipalities in the United States had taken advantage of federal funds to strengthen local health organizations.

More than 450 delegates attended the second day's session of the Union. They heard agriculture minister John A. McDonald urge reform in the correction system.

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COMING EVENTS

Wednesday is Dance Night at The Highlands. L-1257-6-11-1.

Talkies—Souris Monday. See Robert Taylor. L-642-8-24-31.

Talkies—Crappad Thursday. L-641-8-24-21.

Talkies—Canoe Cove Friday. L-611-8-24-21.

Buying live fowl daily. Bowman's Store, Hunter Rd. L-574-8-22-25-29-31-1-5-8.

Dance in Auburn School Friday night, August 26th. L-652-8-25-21.

Dance in Pownal Garage Hall Friday, August 26. Jackie Chipman's Orchestra. L-637-8-25-21.

Cape Traverse Church tea postponed until today, Thursday. L-680.

Loyalists Repulse Insurgent Thrusts

HENDAYE, France, Aug. 24—(AP)—Reports from the month-old Ebro River battlefield in South Catalonia indicated tonight that Spanish Government forces still controlled the west bank.

Connected attacks by planes, tanks, artillery and troops had given the insurgents slight gains since the Government's surprise thrust of July 25. Government advisers acknowledged, but only at a heavy cost and without budging the main Government line.

The Government was still entrenched east of Gandesa, these reports said. Gandesa was insurgent General Franco's south Catalonia regional headquarters.

The Ebro counter offensive was said now to be personally commanded by Franco from his base at Villalba de Los Arcos, about five miles northwest of Gandesa.

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OTTAWA, Aug. 24 (CP)—Careful consideration is being given the Government's reply to the letter from Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario to Prime Minister Mackenzie King asking for a statement of federal policy on the St. Lawrence waterways project.

Following Cabinet Council today Mr. MacKenzie King said consideration had been given the letter sent by Mr. Hepburn last week and that an answer would go forward tomorrow or Friday. He intimated the letter would be so drafted that there would be no room for misunderstanding.

Last Friday Mr. Hepburn wrote asking for a statement of the Federal Government's policy "if any" on the waterways project, and repeating the Ontario Government's determination not to agree to any expenditure for development of

additional water power. Mr. Hepburn's letter followed almost immediately on the appeal for Canadian co-operation in development of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River navigation and power resources, delivered by Premier King at the Thousand Islands bridge dedication.

During his long conversations with the President during the latter's visit to Ontario last week no mention was made of the St. Lawrence project. Mr. MacKenzie King said today.

There had been a report the President had invited him to Hyde Park for discussion of the waterways project, the Prime Minister said. He had received an invitation from the President to visit him at his New York residence, but only determination not to agree to any expenditure for development of

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Fresh from the Gardens "SALINA" TEA

Seaman Badly Burned In Fire Aboard Arleux

James Hashard, member of the crew of the Canadian Government Steamship Arleux, was in Prince County Hospital last night recovering from severe burns on his face and hands, as a result of a fire on the Arleux at Summerside early yesterday morning.

Another member of the crew suffered cuts from flying glass, and was given medical treatment on board. He was not seriously injured.

Little damage, except to painted parts, was reported from the blaze, which was said to have been caused from ignition of gasoline fumes which exploded when a seaman, carrying a lighted oil lantern, was drawing some gasoline from the ship's motor launch which was to have made a patrol trip off the harbor.

The flames spread rapidly along the metal decks of the Government boat, blazing as high as the masts at times, it was reported. Firemen soon had the fire under control, and Captain Swansburg of the Arleux said there was plenty of paint aboard and the damage soon would be repaired.

Headquarters of the Arleux is at Halifax, and for many years she was engaged in patrol of the waters off the Nova Scotia coast. The last few years, she has served as a revenue cutter in Prince Edward Island waters.



TORONTO, Aug. 24—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: Location, Temperature. Includes Vancouver, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, Halifax, Charlottetown.

FORECASTS Maritime east: fresh northeast to north winds; cloudy and cool with showers.

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