

I never could find any man who could think for two minutes together.

Tory and Whig in turn shall be my host; I taste no politics in boiled and roast.

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CANADA REVEALS PLANS FOR EUROPEAN RELIEF

162,000 U. S. Soft Coal Miners On Strike

Coming Events

- Talkies — Eldon, Friday.
- Talkies — Morell, Thursday.
- Cardigan Picnic, Wednesday, July 16th.
- Talkies—Bridgetown, Saturday.
- Movies and Dance, Thursday, Bradabane.
- Dance, Valleyfield Hall, Friday, June 27th, Refreshments.
- Dance in Bonshaw, Friday, June 27th. Music by McNellis.
- Buying weener pigs, 30 lbs. or over. Livestock Marketing Board.
- Dance in French River Hall, Thursday, June 26th.
- Dance, Orwell Hall, Friday, June 27th. Music by the Orchestra.
- Regular Dance tonight, Sea Breeze Pavilion, Dancing from 9 till 1.
- Legion Dance in Forest Hill Hall, Thursday, June 26th. Webster's Orchestra.
- S. S. Convention, Fortune Hall, June 27th, 3.00 P. M., 7.00 P. M. Supper.
- Bulk wheat arrived, unloading today and Wednesday, \$2.25 per cwt. R. L. Dickleson.
- Come to Stanley Friday, June 27, and hear the Harrington Variety Concert.
- To arrive this week, carload bran, shorts, etc. Flour \$2.60 per bag. R. L. Dickleson.
- Kingston — June 27th, Milton Players present "Uncle Josh Perkins".
- Ice Cream and Graduation Dance, Kinkora Hall, June 27th. Good music.
- Ice Cream and Dance in St. Ann's School on Friday night, June 27th.
- Now in stock five gallon Cream Cans, Iodized Salt in 5 lbs. and 50 lbs. blocks and 100 lb. bags. Dillon & Spilliet.
- Supper and Dance in St. Teresa's Hall, Monday, June 30th. Supper served from five till ten.
- Dundas Y. P. U. Players present their 3 act play "Have a Heart" in Kingston Hall, June 26th.
- In Murray Harbour South Hall, the play "Deacon Dubbs" will be presented by Georgetown Y. P. U., on June 27th, at 8.30 P. M.
- Regular Dance, Montague Curling Rink every Thursday. A. L. Blanchard's Orchestra, Modern and Old Time.
- Canoe Cove will present their play "Danny Boy" in Tryon Community Hall, Thursday, June 26th, under the auspices of the Tryon Women's Institute.
- Kinkora Dramatic Club will present their play, "Lena Rivers" at the Stella Maria Hall, North Rustico, July 2nd.
- Hospital Dance in Matthew & MacLean Warehouse, Thursday night, June 26. Downtown's Orchestra.
- Collecting hogs for Canada Packers Ltd by truck every Thursday. Phone N. A. Cutcliffe, Fredrickson, or write me, D. L. McDowall.
- Loading live Hogs Thursday as follows: Summerside till 1.30 P. M. Kensington till 3 P. M. Borden Bagnall, Hunter River Thursday all day. Elmer Wigmore, Bradabane, Thursday till train time. Trucking service when roads permit. MacEwen, and Caseley.
- Collecting hogs for Canada Packers each Friday from Tryon Albany, Charlottetown, Central Bedouque, Lower Bedouque, Kinkora, Newton, Cape Traverse and Augustine Cove. Messrs. L. D. McLeod and Sons, phone Albany 11 or Victoria 4-6.
- Seven Mile Bay Hall, Friday, June 27, Kelly's Cross Dramatic Club presents their play under the auspices of the Albany rural Women's Institute. Sale of ice cream and cake, Dance afterwards.

WASHINGTON, June 24 (AP) — At least 162,000 soft coal miners in the United States walked off the job today in protest against the new labor law and the National Coal Association said that a full-scale national strike seemed to be developing.

WASHINGTON, June 24 (AP) — Government officials reported tonight the Justice Department is investigating the sudden walkout of at least 162,000 United States soft coal miners to determine whether an injunction could be slapped on John L. Lewis and his United Mineworkers Union.

One spokesman described the events of today as apparently "a clear violation" of the Taft-Hartley Law and representative Howard Smith (Dem.-Va.) proposed that Congress renege the Government's plant-seizure powers to prevent "national calamity."

The walkouts started Monday night shortly after the Taft-Hartley labor bill—condemned by Union leaders as an "anti-labor" measure—became law. Earlier Monday the Senate had overridden President Truman's veto of the bill. The House of Representatives passed the bill last Friday.

The bill imposes widespread curbs on labor's organizational and striking powers.

Smith told the House that the Union-curling law, which the United Mine Workers and other Unions fought to the end, may not take care of a coal strike.

An author of the Smith-Connally War Labor Disputes Act, Smith proposed that Congress extend for a year from June 30 a provision in that act empowering the Government to seize strike-bound factories and mines.

Government possession of the mines, in which the miners have been kept at work with a Government contract, now is scheduled to expire along with the contract June 30.

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Minnie Hamish of Halifax says she is going to wait for David Noyes, 20-year-old ex-marine, now held at Ellis Island, New York, as a stowaway. Noyes met Minnie three years ago, and since his return to Britain has tried five times to stow away on ships bound for Canada.

"Abegweit" Now On Trial Test

OTTAWA, June 24 (Special) — With engines roaring at all speeds from full ahead to dead slow, the new car-ferry Abegweit is in the midst of exhaustive tests on the St. Lawrence River, Transport Department officials reported here today.

A veritable "floating powerhouse" the Abegweit has already proved the claim of its designers that it can "turn on a dime" and engineers of the Department, of the Canadian National Railways and of the builders, Marine Industries Limited, are highly pleased over her performance to date.

Since the Abegweit is of Canadian registry she will carry the Canadian red ensign, and depending on the composition of the crew, possibly the blue ensign on the stern. Prince Edward Island members today suggested to Transport Minister Chev'er that the ferry should also carry the Prince Edward Island crest with the motto "Parva sub Ingent" as a house flag, at least during the naming and manning ceremonies.

Preparing Report On Election Act

OTTAWA, June 24 (CP) — The Commons election committee today considered its revision of the Election Act and will prepare its report for presentation shortly to Parliament.

An important change to be recommended by the committee will make nomination days in all constituencies, except Yukon, 14 days before election day. The act now provides that in 71 of the constituencies with large areas the nomination day be 14 days before election day and seven days in the remainder.

The committee will recommend that in the case of Yukon the interval between nomination and polling be 28 days.

A motion was unanimously carried recommending that the salary of Jules Castonguay, chief electoral officer, be increased from \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year.

Commons Stage Sharp Debate On U. N. Bill

OTTAWA, June 24 (CP) — The Commons rejected today a proposal that it, in effect, kill a bill to enable the Government to carry out United Nations non-military sanctions after a boisterous debate which heard a call for Canadian withdrawal from the U.N.

Members voted 142-111 against an amendment that would have given the bill a six-month hold as advocated by T. L. Church (PC-Toronto to Broadview), John Blackmore (SC-Lethbridge), Jean Francois Pouliot (Ind. L-Temisconata) and Norman Jacques (SC-Wetaaskwin).

To their charges that the U.N. was "a booby-trap" and "a fiasco" replies were flung back by Rev. Dan McIvor (L-Fort William), Stanley Knowles (CCF-Winnipeg North Centre), Rodney Adamson (PC-York West) and Gordon Graydon (PC-Peel) that it represented the world's main hope for peace and that the bill simply implemented one phase of a charter Lie

Commons had approved unanimously.

Debate broke out again after the amendment was voted down, with Solon Low, Social Credit leader, arising to explain his party's stand.

In the voting, nine Social Credit members joined with Mr. Church and Mr. Pouliot in supporting the amendment.

The debate sprouted originally as the measure came up for third reading and saw speakers strayed off the subject. At one point Mr. Jacques challenged Maurice Hartt (L-Montreal Centre) to deny something Prime Minister Mackenzie King had said and that touched off a noisy wrangle which highlighted the discussion.

Mr. Church launched the issue by claiming the House had no opportunity to discuss the legislation which, he felt, would be one step leading Canada into a third world war.

French Workers In Protest Strike

Move Threatens Security Of Ramadier Gov't

PARIS, June 24 (AP) — Approximately 200,000 French workers were on strike tonight in protest against Premier Paul Ramadier's new tax bill, adopted by the National Assembly today over Communist opposition.

The walkouts, affecting coal mines, banks and important industries, threatened the stability of Ramadier's non-Communist government.

The tax bill—which will raise the prices of such items as milk, bread, cigars and gasoline—was approved 302 to 241 after an all-night, 16-hour session of the Assembly. Communists and rightists voted against the measure, and 59 deputies abstained.

The bill, which includes administrative economies and suppression of state subsidies, is designed to raise 136,000,000 francs (\$1,142,000,000). A Communist attempt to place a ceiling of 150,000,000 francs (\$1,246,000,000) on military expenditures was beaten down, 408 to 184, and

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Minister Explains Vote For New Ch'town Building

Amazing Escape By Ontario Couple

OTTAWA, June 24 (CP) — Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. MacDonnell, of Ottawa, were bailing more easily today after a railway-crossing escape Provincial Constable C.B. Creswell termed the "most amazing" in his experience.

Approaching a level crossing in the vicinity of nearby Bittanna, Ont. in his automobile, Mr. MacDonnell saw the approaching train too late. He slammed on his brakes and brought the car to a skidding stop in the centre of the tracks, where it stalled.

Mrs. MacDonnell leaped from her door, but stumbled over a rail, falling beside the track. Realizing the train would knock the vehicle against his wife, Mr. MacDonnell stuck with the car and managed to re-start it and back it partially off the track before it was struck. He jumped clear as the train hit the car, damaging it only slightly.

Work Commenced On New City Hospital Extension

After many delays caused by lack of building material, work on the extensions to the Charlottetown Hospital has been started with excavation of the ground adjoining the existing hospital building. It is expected to finish this part of the job within a fortnight and work will then start immediately on the building itself.

The contractor and supervisor is Mr. W. J. Hennessey, Charlottetown, the architects being Messrs. James Govan, Toronto and J. E. Harris, Charlottetown.

It is not known definitely how much extra accommodation the new building will provide, but the hospital trustees are estimating in the vicinity of eighty additional beds.

The extensions will comprise one wing, 45 by 168 feet, of three storeys and basement, running approximately east and west, with a connecting wing between this and the existing building, about 85 by 40 feet and of the same height. Another extension of one storey will be built across the western side, about 30 by 85 feet, forming a connecting link.

The exterior will be of citadel buff brick, similar in material and design to the present building. The

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Missing Ontario Plane Located

PORT ARTHUR, June 24 (CP) — Three men missing since Saturday in an Ontario Government Air Service plane were found today on Poshkogan Lake, 25 miles southwest of the chief bay on Lake Nipigon, by one of six searching aircraft.

All three, Pilot Mac Hallatt of Hamilton and Armstrong, Ont., J. F. Atcheson of Nearing Township, and A. G. Dentrey—the latter two Ontario game overseers—were unharmed.

War Veteran Drowns While On Vacation

EDMUNDSTON, N. B., June 24 (CP) — Prime Couturier, 29, of Edmundston, was drowned today in Baker Lake, 25 miles from here, after he apparently suffered cramps while swimming toward shore from a canoe. His wife, alone in the canoe, was unable to reach him and none of several witnesses on shore could swim.

The body was recovered early tonight. Couturier, with his wife and young daughter, started a vacation yesterday. He was a war veteran and well known softball player.

Wolfville Goes On Daylight Time Also

WOLFVILLE, N. S., June 24 (CP) — Mayor C. W. Falm announced tonight that Wolfville would set its clocks an hour ahead at midnight tomorrow night in conformity with the decision made by electors of Kentville, 10 miles away, yesterday.

Kentville citizens voted in a plebiscite to adopt daylight saving time between June 25 and Aug. 31.

To Quit Army For College Job

Gen. Eisenhower



WASHINGTON, June 24 (AP) — Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the man who led victorious Allied armies in Europe during the Second World War, disclosed today that he has accepted the presidency of Columbia University, New York, effective next year.

He succeeds Nicholas Murray Butler, who retired in 1945 and now is Columbia's president emeritus.

Speculation over Eisenhower's successor as United States Army chief-of-staff centred prominently on Gen. Omar N. Bradley, 54, one of the United States' top soldiers, who has been veterans' administrator since Aug. 9, 1945.

Bradley served under Eisenhower as commander of American ground forces in the European campaign that brought the downfall of Hitler and Nazi Germany.

Eisenhower's decision to quit military life for an academic role at one of the biggest universities in the United States was announced in a statement by Maj.-Gen. Floyd L. Parks, chief of the War Department's public relations division.

The statement said the five-star general of the army accepted the Columbia post today "with the approval of the President of the United States and Secretary of War" to become effective "at such time as his superiors may release him from active duty in the army."

Output Of Asphalt Shingles, Roofing Up

OTTAWA, June 24 (CP) — A small but important division of the building material shortage showed signs of easing in May, when production of asphalt shingles and rolled roofing increased to 502,365 squares, compared with 428,750 in the corresponding month last year, a Dominion Bureau of Statistics report showed today.

Output of tar and asphalt felts and sheathing also increased to 5,067 tons, from 4,908 last year, the Bureau reported.

Viscount Alexander Lands Big Salmon

EDMUNDSTON, N. B., June 24 (CP) — Viscount Alexander landed a 20-pound Atlantic salmon yesterday from the famed Restigouche River, where he is spending a few days vacation.

His first salmon gave the Governor-General a thrill. It was subdued in a half-hour battle.

Veteran guide Jock Ogilvie termed Viscount Alexander an expert angler. He hooked another fish in the morning but it got away.

Doctors Hold Hope For Asthma Sufferers

By Jack Averson
WINNIPEG, June 24 (CP) — Drug research carried on in France during the Second World War and ignored by the Nazi occupational forces because it seemed "insignificant" may some day be the means of providing untold relief for asthma sufferers and other allergy victims.

This was related today at the annual meeting of the Canadian Society of Allergists, held in conjunction with the 78th annual convention of the Canadian Medical Association, now in its second day.

The drugs themselves—under the general name of antihistamine and including pyriminamine and benadryl—are not considered to be of much value as a medium for certain allergies, but the hope is that they will advance new avenues of research which will aid in the prevention and relief of allergies.

The meeting was told by Dr. J.R. Ross of Toronto that the investigation into antihistone now is brighter than it had ever been.

Dr. C.H.A. Walton of Winnipeg warned against public belief that

\$8,000,000 Will Be Spent To Buy Fish

Government Announces Price Support Plan For Fishing Industry.

OTTAWA, June 24 (CP) — Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Fisheries Minister Bridges joined in the Commons today in announcing that Canada this year plans to provide \$20,000,000 — of which \$8,000,000 will be spent on Canadian canned and salted fish — for post-U.N. R. R. A. relief in hungry Europe.

At the same time, Mr. Bridges announced the Government was ready to proclaim the Fisheries Prices Support Act and to establish a five-man board to buy and sell fish and to prescribe prices in a support program related to an effort to expand the domestic market in frozen fish.

Mr. King detailed the needs of Europe as reported by the United Nations and said the Government planned to recommend to Parliament the \$20,000,000 appropriation, \$5,000,000 of which would go into an international children's emergency fund which would provide for children, adolescents and nursing mothers in countries which were victims of aggression. The fund's tentative budget is \$450,000,000.

He said the remainder of the \$20,000,000 appropriation would provide relief to "certain specified countries" and would be administered by Canada in consultation with other states which were adopting similar measures.

The United States, he reported, already had spent \$250,000,000, of which \$40,000,000 would go into the children's fund, for relief.

Mr. Bridges detailed the expenditure of the \$8,000,000.

The Minister said the Government in the next fiscal year would be prepared to buy, at prices to be determined, up to 10,000,000 pounds of dried salted cod and related species, up to 40,000 barrels of pickled fish, up to 50,000 boxes

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ALL WELCOMES WILL WEAR OUT WITH TIME!



TORONTO, June 24 (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver 56, 71; Edmonton 43, 74; Regina 45, 60; Winnipeg 52, 68; Toronto 66, 87; Ottawa 58, 79; Montreal 66, 79; Quebec 58, 85; Saint John 46, 61; Moncton 50, 83; Halifax 51, 66; Charlottetown 56, 80; Sydney 58, 85; Yarmouth 48, 75.

HALIFAX, June 23 (CP) — Weather synopsis and official inland forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at midnight Tuesday.

Synopsis: The weather was clear and hot throughout the Maritimes and Eastern Quebec on Tuesday except along the coast where the sea breezes kept the temperatures much lower. The fine weather has come to an end however. A disturbance centred near Cape Cod is moving northward and is now causing drizzle or rain in southwestern Nova Scotia. Rain is expected in all regions except the north shore on Wednesday and winds from the Atlantic will keep temperatures lower than the last few days.

Forecasts valid until Wednesday midnight.
Prince Edward Island — Cloudy, becoming overcast tonight. Cooler with rain Wednesday. Light winds increasing Wednesday morning to southeast 15. High Wednesday at Charlottetown 65.

High tide this morning at 4.07 and this afternoon at 3.54.
Sun sets this evening at 7.51 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.15.
First quarter moon June 25th, 7.25 A. M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Delicious Flavour!

Vacuum Packed - Always Fresh!