

Iron Rule Of Fear As Reds Move Into Haiphong

By LARRY ALLEN
HAIPHONG (AP)—Thousands of Communist Vietnamese troops swept into the northwest section of this big seaport Thursday and immediately imposed an iron rule of fear.

Occupation of Haiphong will be completed today, ending French colonialism in North Indochina. But the Vietnamese did not wait for the final day to strike terror in northwest Haiphong.

The occupying army of Moscow-trained Ho Chi Minh ordered a roundup of all Vietnamese who had collaborated with the French and Vietnamese forces during the eight-year Indochina war.

Almost before the echoes of the Vietminh entry died away, the threat of arrest and imprisonment cast a black shadow over the lives of Haiphong's 236,000 citizens.

BLARED ORDER
Vietminh army sound trucks blared this order:
"Every person who collaborated with the French and Vietnamese forces must report immediately to the nearest police station."
The announcement ordered every Vietnamese to denounce himself if he or his wife in any way had

Coming Events

- *Kelly's Cross play Lot 65 hall Friday, May 13. Dance after.
- *Plants listed on Page 14 are ready to move. Joe R. Smith.
- *Dance in Millview Hall every Friday night.
- *Your Saturday night Jam-boree, Forum this Saturday.
- *Opening dance Mt. Stewart Memorial Hall tonight. Burns Orchestra.
- *Dance in Emerald Hall Friday, May 13th. Canteen service. Music by the Myers Bros.
- *Grand Bingo. St. Andrew's Hall. Mt. Stewart, Monday, May 15th. 20 games, door prize.
- *Covehead Road variety concert in Harrington Hall, Friday, May 18. Sale of lunches.
- *Conservative Headquarters are located on Queen Street, next to Fennell & Chandler. Dial 9717.
- *Pantry sale Elmwood Women's Institute, May 13th. Simpson-Sears Store.
- *Reserve July 20th, for the Acadians Bi-Centennial Celebrations at South Ruston.
- *Dance in St. Peter's Holy Name Hall, Friday, May 13th. Chaisson's Orchestra. Cliff Peters at the piano.
- *Seven Mile Bay Hall tonight, 8.30. Two one-act plays. Special specialties featuring Special Bill MacCormack.
- *Opening dance at Gordon Lodge Friday night, May 13. Canteen service and a usual good music.
- *Unloading today car Master Feeds, Fredericton. Special price of car. Contact Preston Rackham or Arthur Campbell.
- *Your Saturday night Jam-boree presents George Weatherly, king of the island fiddlers, Forum, Saturday night.
- *Lobster Supper in Long Creek Hall, Tuesday, May 17th, starting 5.30. Adults \$1.00. Children 50c. Proceeds in aid of Hall.
- *Showing at Mt. Stewart Friday and Saturday, Saskatchewan—Outdoor drama starring Alan Ladd and Shelley Winters.
- *Fredericton, unloading today car Master Feeds. Special price of car. Contact Preston Rackham or Arthur Campbell.
- *Cornwall Players will present a set comedy drama "The Irish Millionaire", Cornwall Hall tonight, May 13th. Curtain 8.15. Admission 50c and 25c.
- *Boy Scouts and Cubs, Holy Redeemer Parish, cake sale today. Holman's, 1:30. In aid of summer camp. All home made cooking.
- *"Aunt of Green Gables" by Trinity Y. F. U., Hunter River May 18th, 8:30 p.m. Admission: 35c and 50c. Sponsored by Hunter River Y.P.U.
- *"See 'Mama's Angel Child' by Bedeque United Church Players in Stanley Bridge Hall, Thursday, May 26th. Curtain 8.30 p.m. Sponsored by Stanley Bridge United Church W. A.
- *"It's 'Friday 13th', but the Luck of the Irish will be with the Glengarry Dancers as they tap out the Irish Jig tonight at Parkdale Hall at 8 p.m. Come and have fun.
- *Showing at Morell tonight, Friday, only the love story behind the Billion Dollar Secret! It's M. G. M.'s "Above and Beyond" starring Robert Taylor, Eleanor Parker. Here is a love story that will keep you in suspense. You are sure to like it. Show time 7.30 and 9.30 p.m.

ALBERTA LEGISLATURE IS DISSOLVED AND ELECTION CALLED BUT NO DATE SELECTED

Council To Back Power Merger

MONCTON (CP)—The Atlantic provinces economic council indicated Thursday it will throw its full weight behind a plan to merge the power systems of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia—provided the scheme proves workable.

Executive manager O. Nelson Mann said in an interview, he was taking the initiative by requesting a copy of the report released Tuesday in Ottawa by Dr. A. G. Christie of Johns Hopkins University. Dr. Christie said the power pool under a joint authority was the logical avenue to greater industrialization and cheap electricity.

"APEC is a regional council which proposes, among other things, to bring the people of our four Atlantic provinces together on questions of common interest," Mr. Mann said. "If Dr. Christie's plan is sound and will provide cheaper power it will be given, we believe, the careful study and support it deserves."

MANY ADVANTAGES
APEC's industrial, business and government backers are pledged to the economic development of the four eastern provinces.

N. T. Avar of Amherst, president of the Moncton Electricity and Gas Co., Ltd. said he felt there are "undoubtedly many advantages to be obtained from one general grid system for supplying power to the two provinces."

He said there are "also many angles to consider in a comprehensive move of that nature", but full consideration will be given "any proposals which might be made."

DRAW FROM POOL
New Brunswick's current developed power capacity of about 333,000 horsepower is largely derived from hydro sources and distributed almost entirely on the grid system whereby all producers and consumers feed and draw from a pool. Nova Scotia leans heavily on steam-generated power and the plants that produce it are scattered about the province, each

Local Garrison Church Parade Sunday Morning
The Charlottetown Camera Club held its regular meeting at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday evening with the president George Lewis conducting the business.

Donnelly judged the "Class B" print competition on "Night Pictures." The winners were: Alice Chandler 1st, Lois McDonald 2nd and Edith Hume 3rd place. An interesting photographic quiz was conducted by the president and two winners were Marion Dockendorf and Bob Donnelly.

Hub-Hub Over Salk Vaccine May Get In U. S. Politics
By GEORGE KITCHEN
WASHINGTON (CP)—The big hub-hub in the United States over the Salk polio vaccine program contains the germ of a controversy that has the Eisenhower administration worried for fear of its political repercussions.

This is partly because some congressmen have suddenly tumbled on the fact—little publicized in Washington—that Canada has inoculated 500,000 children without a single case of unfavorable reaction.

Three Killed Scavenging Scrap Rockets
VALCARTIER, Que., (CP)—Three civilians, scavenging rockets to sell for scrap, were blown to bits Wednesday night when one of the rockets exploded at Valcartier army camp, 15 miles north of Quebec City.

The single survivor, wife of one of the victims, was seriously injured.

The group slipped into the camp after dark and overloaded their car with between 40 and 50 of the rockets. When the car could not be moved with the extra load, they started tossing the rockets out of the windows. One went off, demolishing the rear of the car and hurling one of the victims 10 feet through the air.

Death Yesterday of Prominent Scotchfort Man
The death occurred yesterday of Mr. John Angus MacDonald, prominent Scotchfort farmer in his 71st year. He had been in failing health for the last two months.

Mr. MacDonald was one of the direct descendants of the early Scotch settlers who came to the district of Scotchfort in the early days and it is on his farm, that the monument to these early settlers, still stands.

Will Sign Pact On Sunday Big Four Agree On Austrian Treaty
Ratification is expected to be completed by Dec. 31.

Austrians were jubilant. Vienna's coffee houses rang with joy. Franz Jonas, mayor of Vienna, asked every orchestra in the city to play the national anthem at 10 a.m. Sunday, the hour set for the treaty signing.

A communique from the Big Four ambassadors after a 90-minute meeting declared "full unanimity has been reached on all articles of the draft treaty." It added that by the end of this week the Big Four foreign ministers will meet here with representatives of Austria "for the examination and signature of the Austrian state treaty."

Brandon Braces For Flood Crest
BRANDON, Man., (CP)—The Assiniboine river strained banks Thursday as three flood crests rolled eastward through western Manitoba.

The first crest was expected to hit Brandon late Thursday night or early today. The river rose four inches overnight, up 14 inches from a low point three days ago, but still slightly below last year's peak.

China Pledges To Fight With Russia But Hopes Peace Can Be Preserved
By COLIN FROST
WARSAW, (AP)—Communist China pledged Thursday to fight alongside the Soviet Union and its European allies if war erupts in Europe. At the same time a Peiping spokesman said his government is convinced world peace can be preserved.

Peng Teh-huai, Red China's defence minister and deputy premier, made the declarations at the

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Conservative chairman Lord Woolton warned against "over-confidence" from Thursday's rightwing swing.

With results awaited from only two councils, the Conservatives showed a net gain of 310 seats, while Labor had a net loss of 24. Independents had a net gain of 25 and Liberal party candidates gained eight seats.

C.N.R. Passenger Train To Cross Causeway May 14

PORT HAWKESBURY, N. S. (CP)—A passenger train will roll across the \$23,000,000 Canso causeway Saturday, the first official trip across the highway link to be opened to traffic May 20.

Top officials of the Canadian National Railways and of contracting firms on the causeway will be on hand for the ceremony.

The causeway linking industrial Cape Breton island and mainland Nova Scotia was started Sept. 9, 1952. It will be opened May 20, earlier than originally planned to ease the traffic load caused by heavy fire damage to a highways department car ferry.

Prominent N.S. Doctor Dies

HALIFAX (CP)—Dr. Charles A. Morton, 78, one of Halifax's most prominent physicians, died in hospital Thursday night.

Dr. Morton was born in Wallace, N.S., a son of the late Rev. A. D. and Lillian Morton. He practiced in Halifax from 1908 until 1945.

Dr. Morton graduated from the University of Toronto in 1901 and did post graduate work in Edinburgh, Scotland, before coming to Halifax. He was a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons and the American College of Surgeons.

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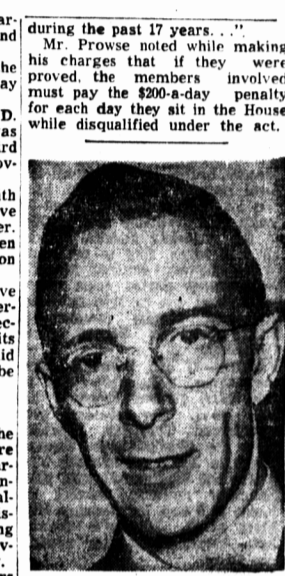
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Mr. E. S. Chandler was elected president of the Queen Charlotte High School Home and School Association at the annual meeting last night. Other officers named for the coming year were: vice-president, Dr. J. H. Shaw; recording secretary, W. H. Horton; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ronald Parker; treasurer, J. B. L. Anderson.

The officers were installed by Rev. Howard Christie, Mrs. Gordon MacDonald, president of the Provincial Home and School Association, spoke briefly, stating the Queen Charlotte was the largest Home and School Association on the Island. She reminded the meeting of the National Home and School Association meeting to be held in Fredericton, N.B., as well as the annual meeting of the Provincial Association in Charlottetown June 15.



Premier Manning

Canadian Students Sail For West Africa

MONTEAL, (CP)—Five Canadian students left here aboard the liner Columbia Thursday for Britain on route to West Africa for studies under world university service scholarships.

They included Nita Sederis of Halifax, student at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, N.S., and Carol Beachley of Montreal, student at Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B.

They will conduct a four-month study of political, economic and sociological conditions in various African countries.



WARMER TODAY THANKS?

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES:

City	Min.	Max.
Dawson	37	55
Edmonton	37	48
Calgary	30	56
Winnipeg		