

RED OFFENSIVE CONTINUES TO GAIN GROUND IN KOREA

Price Controls Continue Live Issue In Commons

Mrs. Sullivan Found Not Guilty Of Manslaughter In Death Of Husband

OTTAWA, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Mrs. Marion Sullivan tonight was acquitted on a charge of manslaughter arising out of the death of her husband.

A 12-man jury found her innocent after deliberating four hours. The 48-year-old Toronto woman was charged with manslaughter after the body of Francis J. Sullivan, her lawyer-husband, was found in a Chateau Laurier Hotel bedroom last Nov. 18.

Court-room spectators burst into applause, Mrs. Sullivan rose and thanked Chief Justice J. C. McRuer and the jury.

Two men, Cameron Lumsden and Emmet Rooney, were singled out from the crowd by the Chief Justice and held in contempt of court for applauding. However he imposed no punishment because "there were others in the crowd who applauded."

The Chief Justice said the verdict brought in was the only one which could be considered on the basis of the evidence.

Mrs. Sullivan said later in an interview: "I feel very happy."

Today the jury heard a summary of evidence by Crown Attorney Raoul Mercier; Royden Hughes, counsel for the defence, and received its charge from Chief Justice J. C. McRuer. It retired at 4:15 P.M. EST.

About two hours later, supper was sent in to the jury.

Mr. Mercier contended that Mr. Sullivan died from blows received in a struggle, Mr. Hughes that he died from natural causes.

Third Theory

As advanced by the Chief Justice in his 2-1/2-hour charge, the "third theory," as he called it, was that Mr. Sullivan died after a struggle which might not be considered a criminal assault.

The theory, added to those advanced by the Crown and the de-

Fresh Demands For Controls Made Yesterday

OTTAWA, Feb. 13 — (CP) — The Social Credit Party called tonight in the Commons for compulsory military training for home defence.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13 — (CP) — The Commons tonight defeated a C.C.F. motion of non-confidence in the Government by a vote of 150 to 54.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Fresh demands for price controls, fast becoming a dominant theme of this new session of Parliament, threaded a way through the Commons tonight in a three-hour debate today.

Opposition members again pressed the Government to institute controls as a weapon against inflation, despite Finance Minister Abbott's declaration of last night that he does not think controls would be desirable or effective at this time.

Defence and the international situation also were discussed as back-benchers held the floor.

Speakers included A. J. Brooks (PC—Royal), J. J. Smith (L—Moose Mountain), John Deore (L—Vegreville), Hosen Argue (CCF—Wood Mountain) and G. F. Higgins (PC—St. John's East).

In the opening stages, External Affairs Minister Pearson said any decision to recross the Korean 38th parallel should be a collective decision taken by countries with forces in Korea under the United Nations banner.

Defence Minister Claxton reported that 85 reinforcements to fill the gaps battle may make in the ranks of Canada's Korean battalion during its first month of action are on the way to Korea. This will be the battalion's monthly quota.

Claims Controls Necessary

In the main debate, Mr. Brooks suggested "some measure of control" is necessary to bring down the cost of living and to help curb the momentum of the inflationary pressures. Reports of rising prices appeared daily in the country's newspapers.

He agreed with Mr. Abbott that high taxes and a balanced budget would help to stem living costs, but said he still felt these steps must go hand in hand with controls.

Mr. Smith said he would support union demands for reimposition of price controls if they would



SHAH TAKES SECOND WIFE—originally scheduled to be married last December, but the wedding was postponed until Feb. 12 because of the bride's illness. The 18-year-old Soraya Isfandari, daughter of a chief of the powerful Bakhtiari tribe. The couple was from Princess Fawzia of Egypt.

Maritime Voices Heard In The Senate Yesterday

U. S. Given Votes Of Confidence

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Feb. 13 — (AP) — The United Nations Assembly gave the United States two big votes of confidence today. It rejected, 48 to five, Soviet demands for condemnation of the U. S. as an aggressor against Formosa. It refused, 51 to five to slap the U. S. for American bombings of Chinese territory along the North Korean border.

No one supported the Soviet bloc in either vote. Burma, Indonesia and Yugoslavia abstained on the aggressor decision and Yugoslavia and Afghanistan abstained on the second vote.

India, which fought hard against an assembly verdict calling Red China an aggressor in Korea, voted also against both Russian resolutions.

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 — (CP) — Senator Gordon Innor called today for decentralization of Canada's industry and said Nova Scotia was the place where the steel industry should be expanded to meet the growing needs of defence production.

He told the Senate during the Throne-Speech debate that the majority of defence contracts now were placed in Ontario and Quebec. This probably was because these provinces had the majority of the country's steel facilities. The government should establish new factories elsewhere, particularly in the Maritimes where employment was subject to great seasonal fluctuation.

Nova Scotia's steel facilities were in the centre of an area where necessary ores were available on tidewater. There was a shortage in Canada and the government should expand steel production.

Senator Innor said that from Dec. 1 last year until Jan. 13 this year, the Canadian commercial corporation had placed \$32,948,735 worth of contracts.

Of this total, Quebec had obtained \$14,487,392 and Ontario \$15,226,972, leaving but \$3,234,371 for the rest of Canada. By percentages, Quebec had got more than 43 per cent, Ontario more than 45 per cent.

Senator J. P. McIntyre (L—Prince Edward Island) noted that in Montreal there was a large aircraft factory manufacturing jet planes and asked if other parts of the country had such facilities. Senator Innor said he did not doubt there was good reason why Ontario and Quebec got the majority of the contracts but this lent weight to suggestions for decentralization. And Halifax had a good aircraft factory.

The Senate also heard Senator T. V. Grant (L—Prince Edward Island), appointed in June, 1949, make his maiden speech. He said he was against any suggestion for an elective rather than an appointed Senate, suggested the system of civil service appointments could be looked into and expressed satisfaction that old-age pension coverage was to be expanded.

On the international situation, Senator Grant said he believes that "despite Communism and all other evils, the powers of light shall yet prevail over the powers of darkness."

Aimed At Cracking U. N. Defence Line

(By Robert Eunsou, TOKYO, Feb. 14—(Wednesday)) — (AP)—An all-out Communist attack to drive back United Nations forces in rugged Central Korea broke with great fury today on a 20-mile front of Communist front-line.

Front-line dispatches said Wouju, key to all roads south, was hit hard shortly after 3 a.m. Allied units were in heavy action north and west of the town, reported AP correspondent John Randolph.

An even heavier Red assault struck and surrounded Chipyong, western bastion of the central front, Tuesday night. The Allied force in the town still was under intense enemy attack at 9 a.m.

Other Allied units were trapped in a pass near Chipyong, Randolph reported.

The 20-mile front between Wouju and Chipyong blazed with Allied and Red gunfire. Chipyong is 35 miles east of Seoul and 20 northwest of Wouju.

Strong Chinese forces punched southward toward the main Wouju-Yoju road in an effort to crack the U. N. line across Korea and cut communications lines. Yoju is 18 miles west of Wouju and 12 south of Chipyong.

Second Phase of Push

This was the second phase of the big Communist push to divide the U. S. Eighth Army and cut off the 100,000-man Allied force in the west.

These forces in the west carried the U. N. limited offensive to the Han River across from Seoul. They also recaptured Seoul's port of Incheon on the Yellow Sea and Kimpo Airfield, Korea's biggest, northwest of Seoul.

AP war correspondent Stan Swinton on the western front reported the Communists early today sent 400 to 800 infiltrators south of the Han River within rifle shot of a divisional command post.

The Reds were flushed out at daylight and mopping up continued.

Allied forces launched a concentrated attack today against enemy-held ridges south of the Han and east of Kumyangjang, more than 25 miles southeast of Seoul. AP correspondent Tom Bradshaw said the Allied troops advanced against heavy small arms and automatic weapons fire. The main fighting, however,

Thinks Russian Bombers Could Reach U.S. Targets

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 — (AP) — Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, chief of the Air Force, believes Russia could push at least 70 out of 100 bombers through to United States targets in a determined attack.

Vandenberg said in a signed article in the current issue of the Saturday Evening Post that Russia "has been working intensively on a heavy bomber to match the B-36" Superfort and "she unquestionably will build it."

Analyzing the Soviet striking power and United States' air defenses, Vandenberg said Russia "now has at least 450 planes that can strike our major population and industrial centres from bases in the U.S.S.R." (a reference to Russian copies of the B-29).

He expressed belief that no conceivable defence—not even such a preposterous device as a five-mile high steel fence around the country backed by an unbroken radar screen, a perfect warning system and an umbrella of fighter planes—could fully stop a determined bombing attack.

"Should war come," Vandenberg said, "we can be expected to destroy no more than 30 per cent of the planes making an attack in strength on the United States before bombing missions are completed. And our preparations today are not beefed (built) up to achieve even that figure."

"The U. S. must realize, the four-star General said, that Russia might sacrifice bombers in one-way atomic attacks on American industrial centres."

Vandenberg said a large-scale raid probably would include only a few planes carrying the A-bomb.

"Even if the enemy had 100 (atomic) bombs—which she hasn't now—she could not afford to throw all into one raid," he said.

"As for the ability of the U. S. to strike the U.S.S.R.," Vandenberg said, "the B-36 has more speed, range, armament and carries a heavier bomb load than any big plane in operation today, or any plane the Moscow regime can get into mass production in the next few years."

Coming Events

- **Mail your Films to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- **Marshall hall tonight, see page five.
- **Come to Valentine Social in Darnley Hall, February 15th.
- **Auction and Dance, Millview Hall, Friday, February 16th. Aid of March of Dimes.
- **Collecting Hogs for Swift Canadian Co. Contact K. MacDonald, Brookfield.
- **Hockey Match, Long River tonight. Graham's Road vs. Long River. If not fine, first fine night.
- **See the "Pageant of the Months" Craud Library Concert, February 22nd.
- **Hockey, Kelly's Cross, between New Haven Royals and Kelly's Cross Red Wings tonight.
- **Hockey Graham's Road tonight. Bradshaw vs. Norbro. If not fine, Thursday night.
- **Official opening of new school at Emville Thursday, February 15th at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.
- **The Millvale Driving Club will hold their first race of the season on February 14th, 1951, on Millvale Ice. Come and bring your horses.
- **Emerald School, Wednesday, February 14th, car party, sponsored by Home and School, lunch served.
- **Hockey, North River Rink tonight. Merrell White Stars vs. Charlottetown Monarchs. Game time 8:30 sharp. Skate after.
- **Buying pigs, feeder cattle and fowl, Monday at Fredericton. Paying \$27.00 a pair for good pigs over 30 lbs. each. Will also buy small ones. Knud Jorgenson.
- **Come and see E. I. S. of Emerald present their three act Comedy Drama, "Takes My Advice" in Emerald Hall, St. Patrick's night, March 17th.
- **Will be leading hogs at the following points each Thursday. Glen Wigmore, Bradshaw, US 1130 A. M. Borden Bagnall, Runtz River, until noon. Summerside until 1 P. M. and Kensington until 3 P. M. MacEwen and Casey.
- **Bring the family to South Winsloe Y. P. U. Valentine Supper today at Winsloe Road Hall. Admission 50 cents and 35 cents. Supper served at 5 P. M. Perfect roads.

Big Three To Demand Germany's Unification

By Daniel De Luca
FRANKFURT, Germany, Feb. 13 — (AP) — The Western Powers intend to confront Russia with a demand for Germany's unification on terms that would scuttle Communism in the whole country, high Allied sources said tonight.

There is skepticism about the possibility the Russians will accept. But Allied thinking appears to be the Western conditions will unmask the propaganda of any fresh Soviet proposals ostensibly aimed at reunion of Germany and betterment of her condition.

The British, American and French Governments were reported to have agreed that a reunited Germany must not become a Communist-infiltrated "people's democracy" on the Soviet-satellite model.

Consultations are under way to provide fool-proof safeguards for the Western democratic liberties which the three Allies would require to be introduced in East Germany in advance of unifying the former Reich, officials said.

This consultation is part of the preparation for a Big-Four foreign

U. K. - Argentina To Resume Wheat Talks

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 13 — (AP) — The Foreign Ministry announced today Britain and Argentina will resume negotiations on the purchase of Argentine wheat. Seven months ago Britain refused to pay higher prices asked by this country and stopped imports.

It is believed here that the British public, whose meat ration recently was cut to an all-time low for eight pence (nine cents) worth of fresh meat a week per person, will force the Labor Government to accept Argentina's price demands.

Temperature Records in N.Y. and Boston

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 — (AP) — A temperature record was reached today when the thermometer registered 59 degrees, the highest ever recorded for Feb. 13. The reading exceeded the previous high of 57.8 recorded in 1900.

The temperature in Boston also set a new heat record for the date today. The thermometer at the Weather Bureau climbed to 62 degrees at 11:30 A.M. the previous high was 60 in 1900.

Outbreaks Of Influenza Reported Across Canada

By The Canadian Press
Outbreaks of influenza appeared across Canada today. In Montreal, the disease reached epidemic proportions with 92 deaths reported since Jan. 1.

Montrealers were hard hit by the flu, prevalent in Britain. But Health Officer Dr. Adelaar Groulx said the spread of the disease now is probably at its peak.

Simultaneously an announcement came that since the turn of the year 92 persons have died in Montreal from causes "more or less directly attributed to influenza."

A newspaper survey showed a 20-per-cent absenteeism in Montreal business places because of flu.

Health Departments in Eastern Canada, where the winter has been comparatively "open," said many persons were suffering from colds.

Precautionary Measures

In Granby, 50 miles southeast of Montreal, some 2,000 of a population of 25,000 were reported ill with the disease and the high school closed as a precautionary measure. The Granby Hospital, following the lead of Montreal hospitals, banned visitors in an effort to avoid spreading flu.

A few cases were reported in Quebec City. However, Dr. Berchmans Paquet, city health director, said the "situation is absolutely normal." Two city hospitals—the Veterans' and Jeffrey Hale—closed their doors to visitors as precautionary measures.

A mild form of influenza, combined in some places with measles, chicken-pox and mumps, closed schools in several Maritime centres and forced tight restrictions on hospital visits.

Children under 18 were barred from rinks, theatres and other public places at Sydney, N. S., where all schools were closed after 1,500 students and 24 teachers were reported sick.

Schools at Liverpool, N. S. were ordered closed until Thursday. Mumps and measles were also reported in the town.

Fishermen Ill

Reports reaching Grand Banks, Nfld., said crew members of vessels on the fishing banks also were being hit and that some ships are operating with only half crews. Numerous cases of flu have been reported at Grand Falls and Botwood.

However, officials at St. John's said schools are not being closed.

Visits to the City Hospital at Moncton, N. B., were limited. A "good many" pupils also were reported away from school.

Quebec Holstein Sets World Record

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SAIGON, Indo-China, Feb. 13 — (Reuters) — French troops supported by gunboats killed at least 80 rebels, captured another 100 and sank 20 sampans in raids on rebel strongholds about 55 miles south of Hanoi, army authorities announced today.

Is Critical Of Pulpwood Cutting

OTTAWA, Feb. 13 — (CP) — A. J. Brooks, Progressive Conservative member for the New Brunswick constituency of Royal, today criticized indiscriminate cutting of Canadian pulpwood to make newsprint in United States.

"The cutting of pulpwood is one of the chief industries of this province," he said in the Commons.

"The price of pulp this winter, and in the past, has been so high, and the United States newspaper people so anxious to buy it, that almost every standing tree is being cut down for pulp."

"I feel that we are using up a heritage that belongs to the people who come after us."

"Trees that could be cut down later to make lumber now are going to the United States to be used in this manner. I think it is about time something was done about it."

"I believe it would be preferable to send this pulp to Great Britain or some of the European countries where the newspapers contain only three or four pages."

"I want to say that I would rather have a British paper of three or four pages so far as real news is concerned, than some of these bulky 25 and 30-page editions from the United States which contain a lot of trash."



TORONTO, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Minimum temps as observed between 7:30 P.M. and 7:30 A.M. EST; maximum temps between 7:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.: Victoria 32 43; Edmonton 55 30; Calgary 32 38; Regina 31B 3; Winnipeg 27B 2B; Toronto 32 39; Ottawa 30 31; Montreal 34 35; Quebec 27 34; Saint John 33 40; Moncton 31 40; Halifax 34 42; Charlottetown — 38; Sydney 34 42; Yarmouth 32 46; St. John's 31 34.

HALIFAX, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Official forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax:

Synopsis: The weather cleared and turned colder in Eastern Quebec tonight. Temperatures there were from zero to 10 above. On the other hand, most of the Maritimes had dull mild weather.

The colder air will move southward, embracing all of Nova Scotia by noon tomorrow. The fog patches will disappear, temperatures will fall and precipitation will gradually end.

Regional forecasts, valid until midnight Wednesday:

Prince Edward Island — Wednesday cloudy with snowflurries clearing in the evening. Colder. North winds 20. Early morning and mid afternoon temperatures at Charlottetown 32 and 30.

High tide today at 4:27 A. M. and 3:36 P. M.

Sun rises today at 7:17 A. M. and sets at 5:39 P. M.

BORDEN — CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE

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MCA AIR SERVICE

Lv. Charlottetown for Moncton 5:00 A.M.—11:20 A.M.—4:45 P.M.

Ar. Charlottetown from Moncton 7:40 A.M.—1:25 P.M.—6:55 P.M.

Lv. Charlottetown for New Glasgow — Halifax 7:55 A.M. New Glasgow only: 1:40 P.M. New Glasgow & Halifax.

Ar. Charlottetown from New Glasgow and Halifax, 11:10 A.M. from New Glasgow only 4:30 P.M. from New Glasgow and Charlottetown. Sydney flights every Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

Duplessis Announces Copper Find In Gaspe

QUEBEC, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Premier Duplessis today announced that Noranda Mines Limited had approved expenditure of "12,000,000 or 15,000,000" to start development of vast copper deposits in Gaspe Peninsula.

The Premier made the announcement to a delegation representing the Montreal and St. Johns, Que regional councils of the Canadian Congress of Labor.

The deposits, located in the rugged Gaspe interior, 65 miles west of the town of Gaspe, will be reached by a road to be built by the Quebec Government.

The Premier said there is enough copper in the peninsula for mining operations for 100 years.

News In Brief

TORONTO, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Joseph Macoske, 32, of Quebec, who tried to force his way into skater Barbara Ann Scott's apartment a week ago, today was declared mentally ill and committed to an institution.

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Feb. 13 — (AP) — Bing Crosby, operator upon for a kidney ailment Monday, is "getting along just fine," his doctor said today. The 46-year-old crooner will be in hospital about a week.

QUEBEC, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Approval in principle was given unanimously today by the Quebec Legislative Assembly to a Government bill creating Provincial rent control. It becomes effective upon expiration of Federal rent regulations April 30. Second reading was given the bill which will freeze rents in the province until Aug. 1.

QUEBEC, Feb. 13 — (CP) — Three workers fell 85 feet from the dome-like roof of Quebec's Coliseum today and were overcome when trapped under seven feet of snow which fell over them from the roof. The three men, Aldo Nanini, Maurice Bureau and Alphonse Blouin, were rescued by some 20 workers who shovelled them out.

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