

Foreign Aid By Canada Said Heavier Than U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress was told Saturday night that Canada carries a heavier load of foreign aid than the United States, considering ability to pay.

A report prepared for a special Senate committee said France and Canada both "spend relatively more" than the U.S. This was "especially noteworthy" in the case of Canada which "lacks the global responsibilities and the political power of the U.S."

In actual figures, however, the U.S. foreign aid program far exceeds that of any other nation. The study estimated that the U.S. spent more than \$20,000,000,000 in the years 1952-55 while the other nations spent about \$5,000,000,000.

But on the basis of economic capacity, free foreign aid to nations spent about two-thirds as much as the U.S. on outside aid, although in many cases their aid was directed primarily to their own overseas territories.

French expenditures were listed

as \$2,425,000,000 and Canada's as \$1,466,000,000. Using the Public Statistics as 100 per cent of parity the ratio of French expenditures was given as 151.2 per cent and Canada's as 116.4 per cent.

NO SENATE COMMENT

Drafted by Stuart Rice Associates, a research organization, the report was prepared as part of its overall foreign aid study, the report was released without comment by chairman Theodore F. Green (Dem. R.I.).

It cited tables that would illuminate "the question frequently asked as to the extent to which the rest of the free world is carrying its 'fair share' of the burdens of foreign aid."

The report said that for the four-year period under study other free nations extended through public channels approximately \$6,000,000,000 or about 1,500,000,000 a year "to assist countries other than themselves."

\$20 BILLION FROM U.S.

While the U.S. contributed more

than \$20,000,000,000 for the same period, it said.

"The United States supplies a huge proportion—perhaps as much as half—of the industrial production of the world. It receives a corresponding share of world income. When measured contributions to foreign aid and weaker free nations total up to amounts not notably disproportionate to our own."

The report was added to a growing pile of surveys drafted for consideration by the Senate foreign relations committee in its current hearings on President Eisenhower's \$3,865,000,000 foreign aid bill for the fiscal year starting July 1.

"Aid programs of other free nations have been directed primarily to their overseas territories," it said.

"Thus, 90 per cent of the bilateral public aid extended by the United Kingdom and France, the largest contributors, was so directed."

Eisenhower-Adenauer Urge Russia Agree To Arms Plan

By JOHN SCALI
WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower and German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer Tuesday urged Soviet leaders to agree to a first-step disarmament plan in order to create "a degree of confidence" in Russia's word.

At the same time, they affirmed their readiness to give Moscow "far-reaching assurances" against revival of German militarism if the Russians would consent to unite Germany under a single democratic government.

Eisenhower and the 81-year-old German leader set forth this twin appeal to Moscow in a final communique outlining the results of their three days of conference.

It was issued as Adenauer was assuring Congress in a speech that "on my word before God, nobody in Germany plays with the idea of using force or war" even to unite his divided country.

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ACCIDENTS TOTAL 241,102

In a closing address, Mr. Chauncey said that from available records it is known that in Canada, since the use of the automobile became popular, at least 241,102 accidents have taken the lives of 59,640 persons and caused damage in excess of \$46,000,000.

The remedy for this "scourge" is inclusion in high school curricula of a complete course in both theory and behind-the-wheel practice in driver education.

Driver training would affect the lives of 98 per cent of high school graduates. Complete cost would be about \$31.15 for each student. In the United States a program in the schools was paying off.

"So I urge every motorist to take this matter to heart, and use all his influence at home to make high school driver training available to every boy and girl in Canada."

Ontario Man Heads Canadian Automobile Ass'n

QUEBEC (CP) — Alex Morrison of the Ontario Motor League, London, Ont., Saturday was elected president of the Canadian Automobile Association. He succeeds H. R. Chauncey of Calgary.

Mr. Chauncey announced at a session of the 43rd annual meeting, which closed Saturday that the CAA will move its headquarters from Calgary to Ottawa "within the next few months."

R. J. Hastings of the British Columbia Automobile Association, Vancouver, was elected vice-president.

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REFLECTS DEEP CONCERN

The 1,000-word Eisenhower-Adenauer declaration reflected their deep concern over the fate of critical East-West disarmament talks soon to be resumed in London.

In words aimed at Moscow, the two Western leaders said Soviet acceptance of a limited arms reduction plan could lead to a later "comprehensive disarmament agreement" which would control atomic-hydrogen and conventional weapons.

Adenauer proposed that the United States, Russia, Britain and France call a foreign minister meeting "within a reasonable time" after any limited East-West arms agreement to consider a settlement of the German problem.

Eisenhower promised to "consult" with the French and British on this proposal. He agreed with Adenauer that any second-step disarmament agreement with Russia "must necessarily presuppose a prior solution of the problem of German reunification."

Eisenhower and Adenauer mixed their appeal to Moscow with denunciations for "acts and policies of the Soviet Union" which they blame for continuing international tension. The "brutal Soviet intervention" in Hungary was

Dean of Canadian Poets Is Honored

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Two internationally-known men in the field of literature and the theatre received honorary degrees Saturday at the University of Western Ontario's spring convocation program, when a total of 638 students received degrees, scholarships, awards and diplomas.

Prof. E. J. Pratt, dean of Canadian poets, was conferred with a degree of doctor of letters, while "Yvonne Guthrie, well-known English producer and pioneer director of the Stratford Shakespearean Festival, received a doctor of laws degree.

"Calling him 'Canada's unofficial poet laureate,' the citation for Prof. Pratt, a native of Newfoundland, went on to say that he was "a rare story-teller, and his great epics of the sea are packed with power; they are heroic, they are dramatic, they are exciting."

TIMELY NOTES ON FUR TOPICS

A collection of 22,000 dressed Ceruleans was 99 per cent sold at prices 10 per cent over the EMBA sale held by the New York Auction Company. Cerulean standards top males brought \$60, females \$26.50; Stewart's (2600) 100 per cent sold, top males \$65, females \$25.50; 7000 Breath of Spring Ceruleans was 100 per cent sold with prices 10 per cent above April levels; Letitia standards were 95 per cent sold, top males \$63, females \$33.50; Blue Iris 98 per cent sold, top males \$48, females \$20.50. Sapphires sold briskly and the sales room agreed that prices were much stronger. The general feeling was that the market had improved by 10 per cent over April.

Others explained that the price curve during the last season began high and declined as the season progressed, reaching its low point in May. The reverse has been true this season with levels beginning low during December-January, advancing somewhat in February and continuing in an upward fashion in April and May.

The strongest area of competition in the above sale was over male bundles that sold for between \$38 and \$80. Extra fine merchandise sold well and drew good interest but more of the buyers were able to compete for the tops in the middle bracket goods as well as some of the fine collection.

Model Of Carrier Tells How To Improve Communications

By JOHN E. BIRD
Canadian Press Staff Writer
OTTAWA (CP)—The National Research Council has launched a research program to find a way of preventing communications blackouts on Canada's fighting ships.

The studies have been undertaken to improve the performance of shipboard antenna systems whose prime function is to transmit and receive radio waves. If the antennae are not working properly a ship cannot maintain effective and uninterrupted radio communication with other vessels or land-based stations.

Data now being compiled by NRC's division of radio and electrical engineering will enable the construction of antenna systems which will not black out under a variety of conditions.

SHIPBOARD HANDICAPS

Dr. James Y. Wong, 30-year-old Chinese-Canadian electrical engineer with the division, said in an interview that ships of the Royal Canadian Navy soon will benefit from the research program.

Modern fighting ships are equipped with complex electronic equipment. Part of this is the communications equipment including the antenna systems made up of a multitude of whip and wire antennae jutting from the ship.

The antenna systems often fail to give proper service when the ship is in a certain position or bearing. The result is that communications are blocked out until the ship moves into another position.

The ship's super structure, adjacent antennae and even the vessel's structure itself are some of the factors which influence the directional characteristics of the antenna.

NRC first attempted to test and measure antennae on operating ships, but this proved expensive in terms of money and ship availability.

Alberta To Cut Debt 60 Per Cent

EDMONTON (CP) — Premier Manning announced Tuesday the Alberta government will cut its provincial debt June 1 by \$51,421,000, or more than 60 per cent.

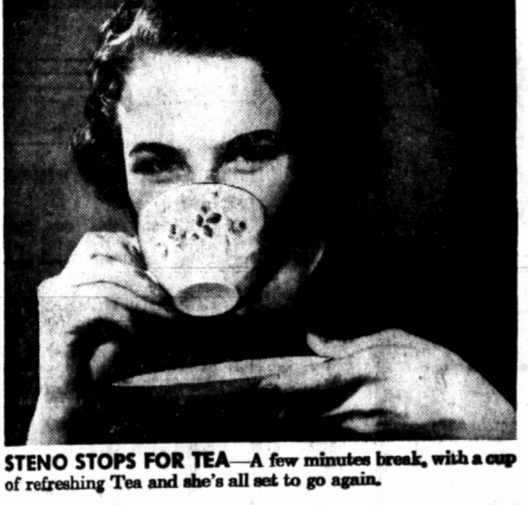
The premier said it is the largest single debt reduction made by any province in Canadian history. It also is the biggest cut ever made in one year by Alberta.

Such a reduction will leave this oil-rich province with \$30,817,607 in public debt, of which approximately \$21,218,200 is in debentures. The rest is made up of treasury bills owing to the federal government.

Balanced against this will be approximately \$383,000,000 in provincial reserves, including loans and advances which make up more than half the total.

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Population Of World Grows 5,000 Daily

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (Reuters) — The United Nations reported Saturday night that the world's population was 2,700,000,000 in 1955 and growing at the rate of 5,000 a day, or 43,000,000 a year.

Coupled with a birth rate of 34 a 1,000 and a death rate of 18 a 1,000, this rate of increase was expected to double the world's population by the end of this century, statisticians reported in the UN Demographic Yearbook for 1956.

Latin American was the world's fastest growing region population-wise, increasing at the rate of 4,400,000 persons a year. Africa, Southwest Asia and Oceania were growing almost as rapidly, at the rate of two per cent a year compared with Latin America's 2.9 per cent. Europe was growing the least at a rate calculated at 0.6 per cent to one per cent a year.

Highest life expectancy in the world was enjoyed by the Dutch, where females could expect to live to age 73 and males to 71. Women in England and Wales also enjoyed a life expectancy of 73 years. Shortest life expectancy occurred in India, where both males and females had a life expectancy of 32 years.

Hees Promises Highway Program

NEWCASTLE, N.B. (CP) — George Hees, former national president of the Progressive Conservative party, said Tuesday if his party is elected June 10 it will start on a Canada-wide highway program similar to a \$100,000,000 scheme now underway in the United States.

The Toronto Broadview candidate said in a campaign speech the federal government should initiate the program in conjunction with each provincial government. It would facilitate the development of Canada's natural resources.

He said PC leader John Diefenbaker has promised to start on such a program if his party is elected.

The Cyprus tree of the Pacific Coast grows up to 100 feet high with a thickness of two to three feet.

Former Head of Ont. Mining Ass'n Dies

TORONTO (CP) — Ernest Victor Neelands, 78, prominent mining executive and a former president of the Ontario Mining Association, died in hospital Saturday of a heart attack.

He was at various times president of Canadian Malartic Gold, a director of Niagaran Mines, Mines, vice-president of Frobisher Exploration Co., vice-president of International Titanium Copr., and

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