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KOREAN WAR MAY CHANGE CANADA'S DEFENCE PLANS

Invading Troops Enter Capital Of South Korea

Truman Throws Support Behind U. N. Efforts To End Korean Strife

By FRANCIS J. KELLY WASHINGTON, June 26—(AP)—President Truman today threw the "vigorous" support of the United States Government behind the United Nations' effort to end the Korean war.

Coming Events

- Show at Hunter's River, tonight at 8.30. Door prize. Marshfield Presbyterian Church, July 5th. St. Teresa's Tea Party, Wednesday, August 9th. Mail your films to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown. See Morell Players in St. Margaret's Hall, Friday, June 30th. Dance Long River hall, Wednesday night, \$5.00 door prize. Institute Dance, Vernon Hall, Friday, June 30th. Millview Orchestra. Dance and Ice Cream, Donagh School, June 28th. Music Country Cousins. Reserve Wednesday, July 5th, for Picnic on Baptist Church grounds, Tryon. Come to the regular Dance at the Bonshaw Inn Tuesday night, MacNeill's Orchestra. FOR SALE—New 7 room house Mount Edward Heights. Ready to move into. Phone 737. Ice Cream Festival, St. Mark's Anglican Church grounds, Rustico, Wednesday, June 28th. Don't forget the regular dance at Burlington Dance Hall, Wednesday, June 28th. Door prize. Home made Ice Cream and Cake, near Kelvin Grove School, June 28th, by Kelvin, W. L. Dance at Gordon Lodge every Friday night. Dancing from 9 till 1. Music by Western Ramblers. Hear Mr. Rice on the administration of the larger school unit, Pownall Hall, June 29th at 8 P. M. Queen's County L. O. L. annual service, July 8th, 3.00 P. M. at St. John's Anglican Church, Milton. Come to the Ice Cream Festival at North Bedouque Manse, Friday, June 30th, 7.00 to 10.00 P. M. Ice Cream Social in Pleasant Valley School, Friday, June 30th, in aid of United Church Ladies Aid. Free Photo to every customer Burke's Studio, 142 1/2 Great George Street, Charlottetown. Mail your films. See "The Darling Brats" by Stanley Bridge players, Summerfield Hall, Friday, June 30th at 8.30 p.m. Regular dance at Skyline New London every Tuesday night. Dancing from 9 till 1. Good music and canteen service. There will be a meeting Mt. Stewart Strawberry Growers Exchange, Thursday, June 29th, 8 o'clock, Mt. Stewart. Dancing, Country Club, Traveler's Rest, every Tuesday night. George Chappelle and his Merry Islanders Orchestra. Hunter's River Hall, Thursday, June 29th, 8.30. Play "Ready-Made Family." Sponsored by C. G. I. T. Excellent specialties. Dance, Morell Rear Community Hall, Thursday, June 29th. Good music. Lunches, Ice Cream and Refreshments. Collecting Hogs by truck for Canada Packers every Thursday, beginning May 4th. Phone 37-121 Hunter River Exchange. D. L. MacDowell. Our Stores will remain open on Dominion Day, July 1st, but will close on Monday, July 3rd. Clark Bros., Montague, Mt. Stewart and St. Peter's. See Virginia Mayo, a girl with a heart of ice in that great show "Meet Flossy Martin" at MacDonald Bros. Theatre, Mt. Stewart, tonight, plus Social.

Communications With Seoul Have Been Severed

U. S. Fighter Plane Shoots Down Russian-made Yak Fighter.

(By The Canadian Press) TOKYO, June 27—(Tuesday)—Tank-led Communist troops entered Seoul this morning, amid unconfirmed reports that the South Korean Government had left the embattled capital. As the seat of the young republic tottered, a United States fighter plane shot down a Russian-made Yak fighter over the city's Kimpo Airport. All ground communications were cut between Tokyo and Seoul, as well as commercial radio. What reports from the beleaguered city reached Tokyo after the curtain of silence fell with the Communists at the outskirts came from United States armed services radio. Gen. MacArthur's Allied occupation headquarters announced both the Communist entry and the shooting down of the fighter. There was no word from correspondents in Seoul itself. MacArthur's headquarters said the Yak was shot down while American personnel were being evacuated by air from Seoul. The headquarters reiterated that a complete air cover would be maintained until all Americans are evacuated from South Korea.

U. S. Sends Equipment Meanwhile, United States authorities were speeding arms and equipment to the hard-pressed South Korean forces, who collapsed Monday night after a sharp counter-attack on the second day of the fighting. Syngman Rhee, aged president of the republic, had said earlier in a statement that the United States aid was too little and too late. A spokesman for the South Korean mission in Tokyo said the Government was preparing to withdraw to Suwon, 20 miles to the south. Other sources said it had left already. The South Korean Defence Ministry called for citizens to stand by for street fighting, an indication the southerners intend to turn Seoul into a battleground.

Rev. J. H. Mullally Dies in Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, June 26—Rev. Father John Howard Mullally, 49-year-old pastor of St. Edward's Church, died here over the week-end. Father Mullally was born in Souris, West, P. E. I., and took his schooling there and at Charlottetown. He later studied at St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto.

Canada's Exports To The U.S. Climb

OTTAWA, June 26—Spurred by a record of \$175,290,000 worth of shipments in May, Canada's exports to the United States climbed to \$177,090,000 during the first five months this year, a rise of 26 per cent over the \$377,004,000 a year ago, the Bureau of Statistics reported today. Exports to Britain in May fell from \$72,403,000 last year to \$48,685,000, driving the five-month total down to \$183,561,000 from \$274,387,000.

Big Time U. S. Gambler Given 2-Year Jail Term

NEW YORK, June 26—(AP)—Rich, dapper bookmaker Frank Erickson, who has reigned for years over a country-wide gambling business, went to jail today for the first time. He was sentenced to serve two years. The court fined him \$30,000, the maximum amount. The penalty was assessed by a three-judge special sessions court panel, which could have given him up to 60 years for the gambling counts to which Erickson had pleaded guilty. Admitted boss of a \$12,500,000-a-year, coast-to-coast bet-booking network, Erickson heard the sentence with his usual poker-faced stoicism. The portly, baldish Erickson, wearing a grey suit, twirled his thumbs as sentence was pronounced. His lifted eyebrows gave his round face a questioning expression. Erickson, who by his guilty plea had made a bid for mercy, could be freed in 16 months, if he earns full time off for good behavior. Before sentence was passed, District Attorney Frank S. Hogan appealed to the court to put him in jail for five years. The prosecutor called the gambler "the master mechanic" in what is probably the "nation's biggest racket," and said he has "violated the law of every state in the union." Defence counsel Sol Geib, urging clemency, said Erickson should not be made "the sacrificial offering" to ease the conscience of the public for "its own vice."

Pre-convention Meeting Of A. I. C. Leaders Yesterday

Speaks This Evening

The board of directors forming the National Council of the Agricultural Institute of Canada convened throughout the day yesterday and early last night in a Charlottetown Hotel room, while downstairs in the lobby agricultural specialists from all parts of the Dominion registered for the Institute meeting which officially opens this afternoon in the Prince Edward Theatre. The Hotel was filled with agriculturists last night, many of them being accompanied by their wives. About 200 men and a large number of women attended a get-acquainted party in the Hotel. Already 185 men from outside the Province and nearly 100 women have arrived and more are expected today. Mr. W. J. Lavigne, of Shawinigan Water and Power Company, Montreal, was elected vice-president of the Institute for next year at yesterday's meeting of the directors. Mr. Lavigne is the Quebec director on the Council and is serving his second year in this capacity. He was formerly president of the Montreal branch of the Institute and has taken a keen interest in the work of the organization for a number of years. Chairman of the directors' meeting was Dr. F. J. Greaney, director of Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, and President of the Institute.

Stocks Decline In Wake Of Korean War; Grain Up

By The Canadian Press World stock markets plunged Monday in the wake of news that fighting had broken out in Korea, but the same news brought advances in grain and commodity markets. Stocks in New York fell from \$1 to \$8 as waves of selling hit the market. Brokers blamed the nose-dive on the war scare, but said many stocks were in vulnerable position after a year of rising prices, and traders were chasing profits in the face of uncertainty abroad. Nearly every issue on the London Stock Exchange, Europe's financial nerve centre, showed minus signs. Japanese bonds dropped sharply. Toronto Stock Exchange experienced one of the worst breaks since 1929. Losses up to \$4 showed in the industrial section, and western oils, base metals and gold stocks shared the general decline. The trend at Montreal was similar, with declines of from fractions to more than eight points appearing. Papers and industrials were among the heaviest losers. Futures prices of several major commodities climbed on United States markets. Cotton, cocoa and tin were exceptions, closing slightly lower. Wheat and soybeans spurred in an active market at Chicago, and other grains scored moderate advances. Soybeans advanced their daily trading limit of 10 cents a bushel, easing at the close to 7 1/2 to 9 cents higher. The selling on New York Stock Exchange cut the market value of all stocks listed by roughly \$4,000,000,000.

MacArthur Orders Red Paper Suspended

TOKYO, June 26—(AP)—General MacArthur today ordered the Japanese Government to suspend publication of the Communist Party newspaper Akahata for 30 days. Akahata's "perversion of truth in discussing Korean situation," MacArthur said was evidence it was "an instrument of foreign subversion."

News In Brief

VICTORIA, B.C., June 26—(CP)—It was reported here today that former R. C. A. F. fighter pilots were being asked by the South Korean Government to fly at \$1,000 a month in its war against Communist troops. PRETORIA, South Africa, June 26—(AP)—Field Marshal Jan Christian Smuts, 80, ailing former Prime Minister of South Africa, spent a comfortable day today. PARIS, June 26—(AP)—Former Premier Henri Queuille undertook today to end the French political crisis in the face of the fighting in East Asia. Premier Georges Bidault was forced to quit Saturday when the Assembly refused him a vote of confidence. LONDON, June 26—(Reuters)—Lord Beaverbrook's Conservative Evening Standard tonight told Britain to keep out of the Korean affair because "South Korea is a satellite of the United States" and "no doubt that great nation can take care of it." MAINE FARMER BEATEN, ROBBED VAN BUREN, Me., June 26—(AP)—An aged farmer was beaten and robbed of \$100 at his home in a wooded section outside this Canadian border town tonight. Fred Desjardins, 69, suffered a broken nose trying to protect his savings. He was released after treatment at a hospital. Two masked men entered his home and "beat me up," Desjardins told a doctor who treated him. They took the money from his clothing and also stole his .32 special rifle. RHEINLANDER, Wis., June 26—(AP)—A violent windstorm blasted an area near here last night, demolishing several homes, causing two drownings and injuring at least a dozen persons. The storm accompanied by a downpour of rain, lasted only a few minutes.

Claxton Says May Require More Money

How Much More?

By Douglas How OTTAWA, June 26—(CP)—Cabinet Ministers told the Commons today "unprovoked aggression" in Korea has posed "a very grave" situation that could force changes in Canada's military plans if the deterioration continues. Defence Minister Claxton said Canada's current defence budget of \$425,000,000 would be "peanuts" compared to what would be spent if a major war developed. The Korean development itself might force him to come back to the House to ask for greater outlays. But, he said, it is the feeling of the Government that the present budget represents a fair contribution by Canada to Atlantic Pact security and all that can be spared from the national income at present. The budget, a record one, was passed after another day of running debate that saw two Opposition members ask the Minister to tell the House just what amount he feels is necessary to provide adequate defence. Mr. Claxton said there is no definite answer. He added Canada was building forces that should be adequate to meet attacks in the foreseeable future. But he would say that if another \$200,000,000 were given to the Defence Department it would be spent largely on equipment—planes, ships, armaments and the Government would seriously consider sending a lot of that equipment to Atlantic Pact allies. He said 28 per cent of the present budget goes for equipment.

May Delay Cruise

The only indication of immediate reaction to Korea to come in statements by himself and External Affairs Minister Pearson was Mr. Claxton's announcement that if the situation continues to "look serious" the navy may have to delay plans to send a six-ship, 2,000-man squadron into European waters for exercises in August. Mr. Claxton also announced: "The R. C. A. F. will start early next year to send fighter squadrons to the United Kingdom and later possibly to Western Europe for training. They will go overseas on a rotation basis, each for a few months. But the R. C. A. F.'s primary task would continue to be defence of North America."

Gov't Giving Priority To Projects In Maritimes

OTTAWA, June 26—(CP)—Officials have said tonight for Federal spending aimed at countering unemployment in the Maritimes, the Government today told the House of Commons. This information was given in a statement tabled in answer to questions by Joseph Noseworthy (COP—York South), who wanted to know what action was being taken against recurrence of seasonal or regional unemployment. With respect to regional employment, the Government said, conditions in all parts of Canada were kept under review so that the Government could take measures when considered necessary. In the Maritimes, projects had been authorized with a more favorable priority rating than elsewhere. In addition, Government

Europeans Fear Start Of Third World War

LONDON, June 26—(AP)—Europe received the news of fighting in Korea with growing dread tonight. Many feared it was the forerunner of a third world war which might bring a searing atomic struggle for the whole world. Korea was compared to the Spanish Civil War, the Manchurian invasion by Japan, or Hitler's march into the Rhineland, events widely interpreted as preludes to the Second World War. Peter Roberts, a Conservative member of Britain's Parliament, asked the Government to seek United Nations approval of the use of an atomic bomb on Pyongyang, the capital of Communist-led North Korea. A Conservative spokesman told reporters later that Roberts' question in no way represented the views of the party. Many members shouted a shocked "oh" at Roberts' suggestions, and the Speaker ruled it out of order. Prime Minister Attlee said Britain is "deeply concerned" at the outbreak in Korea. In France, former Premier Henri

Expect U. S. To Ask For Strong U. N. Sanctions Against Reds In Korea

Commanders Of Destroyers Named

By Francis W. Carpenter LAKE SUCCESS, June 26—(AP)—The United States is expected to call tomorrow for strong United Nations sanctions against Communist forces of North Korea, which have defied a Security Council cease-fire order. Hints in Washington that the United States might be asked by the U. N. to enforce U. N. decisions against North Korea met only silence here. That is possible under the U. N. charter, but no one here is talking it up yet. The Americans tonight appeared to be preparing their demand for tomorrow's meeting of the Security Council (3 p. m. EDT). Chief delegate Warren R. Austin sent his top assistant, Ambassador Ernest A. Gross, to Washington for top level talks at the State Department. The United States mission was in conference all day and also in contact with Washington by telephone. The U. N. meanwhile, received a dark picture of events in Korea from its commission there. The Commission said the North Korean advances have created a dangerous situation "with possibilities of rapid deterioration." The Commission also transmitted to Lie an appeal from the National Assembly of the republic of Korea for immediate and effective steps to secure peace and security for Korea and the world. "This savage and unlawful act of the rebel force is the commission of an unpardonable sin," the assembly message said. Acting swiftly at the request of the United Nations, the Council issued its order yesterday. The Russians were not present, continuing the boycott they began in January against the presence of the Nationalist Chinese. But the Russians never have accepted U. N. decisions on Korea, and several delegates said the Soviet absence saved many hours of debate capped by a Russian veto. Gross indicated after the Council meeting that sanctions would be the next step if the North Koreans did not comply. The question now is—how strong does the U. N. want to make those sanctions? NEW ICE AGE If the average temperature of Europe dropped by nine degrees Fahrenheit the continent would experience another ice age.

Henry Ford II To Visit N.B. Capital

FREDERICTON, June 26—(CP)—Motor magnate Henry Ford II, accompanied by Sir Patrick Hennessey, manager of the Ford Motor Company of Great Britain, are scheduled to arrive in this New Brunswick capital tomorrow. It was reported they will be guests of Lord Beaverbrook, British publisher who arrived here today for his annual visit to the Province, his boyhood home.

Some Folks NEVER WASTE ANY WORDS; THEY USE THEM ALL!

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Table with ferry routes and times: Lv. Borden 9.10 A.M., Lv. Tormentin 9.10 A.M., 10.35 A.M., 10.35 A.M., 1.00 P.M., 1.00 P.M., 2.40 P.M., 2.40 P.M., 4.30 P.M., 4.30 P.M., 7.30 P.M., 7.30 P.M., 9.00 P.M., 9.00 P.M., 10.30 P.M., 10.30 P.M.