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COMMONS-SENATE COMMITTEE TO STUDY PUNISHMENT

Duplessis Aims Bill At Jehovah Witnesses

Avalanches Leave 157 Dead, Missing In Alps

(By Richard O'Roghan)
VIENNA, (AP) — Hundreds of avalanches plunging down the slopes of the Alps left 157 persons dead or missing and trails of destruction in three countries Tuesday night. Austria bore the brunt of the blows, also felt in Switzerland and West Germany.

German rescue squads, working in the third day of a snowstorm which showed no signs of letting up, found four dead in the path of slides in the Bavarian Alps. One was a 61-year-old woman killed in her farm house.

Attempt Today To Revive Korean Peace Conference

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
SEOUL, (AP)—U.S. and Communist aides tomorrow will attempt to revive the preliminary Korean peace talks, which blew up in an explosion of angry words a month ago.

The UN command agreed Tuesday to a Communist suggestion that liaison secretaries meet at Panmunjom. But the Reds said nothing about taking back a charge of "perfidy" levelled at the United States.

Date Hangs Fire

The liaison officers task is to try to work out conditions and a date for resuming the preliminary talks, which are designed to arrange a time and place for a Korean peace conference.

19-Year-Old Mother Burned To Death

THURSO, Que. (CP) — A 19-year-old mother was burned to death early Tuesday when flames enveloped her log cabin farm-house near this town 30 miles east of Ottawa.

Sales of Cars, Trucks Down In November

OTTAWA, (CP) — Sales of new passenger cars and trucks, which rose substantially earlier in 1953, dropped during November in the wake of a sales decline first noticed in September.

Coming Events

- The Covehead concert will be held on Wednesday, January 13th, at 8:30 p.m.
- Davis Ward will be singing at the Victoria concert, Victoria Hall, Jan. 14.
- Come and hear the MacDonald-Lette, directed by Dr. McQuarrie, Craupad, at the variety concert, Victoria Hall, Jan. 14.
- Come one, come all to High-land dancing and reading. Sponsored by Women's Institute Dance after.
- Hockey at North River Rink Wednesday, Jan. 13. Cornwall Meets vs. Glasgow Road. Maple Leafs. League game. Skate after.
- The Craupad district L.O.L. will be held at Argyle Shore Wednesday, Jan. 13 at 2:30.
- Come to Variety Concert and Box Social in Springfield Hall, Friday, January 15th. It starts Saturday evening. Proceeds for hall.
- Watch for announcement from your one stop Farm Supply Store. Shortly now its new for you from Kensington Feed Service Ltd. Let us do your grinding and mixing while you wait.
- New Wilshire district L. O. L. will meet in Barton Lodge room, Brookfield, Wednesday, Jan. 13 at 2:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.
- Buying pigs Friday at Brookfield 9 a.m., Milton 10; Charlottetown Market Square 11; York 1 p.m.; Bedford 2; Tracadie 2:30; Mt. Stewart 3. Slaughter \$30.00 a pair for good pigs over 30 lbs each. Will also buy smaller ones. Knud Jorgensen.

Will Ban Distribution Of Religious Tracts

QUEBEC, (CP)—Drastic steps to deal with distribution of religious tracts by Witnesses of Jehovah were announced Tuesday by Premier Duplessis.

Grand Jury Urges Severe Penalties For Drunken Driving

More severe penalties to discourage drunken driving were recommended by the Grand Jury in its report to the Supreme Court on completion of its rounds of duty yesterday.

Province Experiences First Severe Snowstorm Of Season

Gusts of wind at 90 miles per hour between noon and one p.m. yesterday lashed pedestrians with heavy falling and drifting snow and brought truck and car traffic in the city practically to a halt for several hours yesterday.

Cold Weather Appears Likely To Continue

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Cold weather and more cold weather seems to be the prospect for most of Canada as masses of Arctic air settled down over the country Tuesday.

News In Brief

NEW YORK, (AP) — Admiral William H. P. Blandy, 63, who directed atom-bomb tests against warships, died Tuesday.

Queen Elizabeth Holds Investiture In New Zealand

(By Gomer Jones)
WELLINGTON, (Reuters) — Three New Zealanders knelt in turn before Queen Elizabeth and rose as knights after a gentle sword tap on the shoulder Tuesday night.

Boy Shared Clothing With Lost Companions

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — In near-zero weather, a 16-year-old boy gave all his clothes except his underwear to his two lost companions.

Fanfani Called To Form New Italian Government

By FRANK BRUITTO
ROME, (AP) — Amintore Fanfani, the youngest man ever called to republican Italy's premiership, has begun seeking a government to end the third Italian political crisis since last year's elections.

Soviet Industrial Chiefs Warned To Cut Costs

By Don Dallas
LONDON, (Reuters) — Soviet industrial chiefs have received warning that they must cut production costs to aid Premier Malenkov's campaign for more and cheaper goods for the people.

Jet Plane Missing Near North Bay

NORTH BAY, Ont. (CP) — An RCAF T-33 Thunderjet training plane with only the pilot aboard failed to return to base here Tuesday night and was believed down in this northern Ontario district.

Decorates Pilot

The Queen also decorated Sqdn. Ldr. Lawrence Cook, 27, suffered fatal burns early Tuesday when fire of unknown cause destroyed a trailer in which he lived alone at nearby Chopped. A neighbor, Lewis Stoddard, chipped a through the burning vehicle and pulled out the victim but Cook died before a doctor could arrive.

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Sharp Split On Rates Scale

OTTAWA, (CP)—Western provinces and other bodies split widely Tuesday over a freight rate scale to equalize rates among different parts of Canada.

Cheque Cashing At New High

OTTAWA, (CP) — Reflecting a rise in business activity, cheque cashing in Canada rose to an all-time high of almost \$125,000,000 in the first 11 months of 1953.

Detergents Take Over From Soap

OTTAWA, (CP) — Canadian housewives are switching from soap powders to synthetic detergents.

Two Year Record

Toronto, itself, was hit by the coldest weather in two years when the temperature plunged to zero, 15 degrees below the normal for this time of year.

To Choose Site For Big Four Meeting

BERLIN, (Reuters) — Representatives of the Big Four powers will meet here again Wednesday to discuss the site and technical arrangements for the Berlin conference of foreign ministers Jan. 25.



TORONTO, (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

City	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	24	36
Victoria	34	41
Edmonton	6	11
Calgary	2b	25
Regina	5b	12
Winnipeg	27b	41
Toronto	4b	11
Ottawa	2b	10
Quebec	3b	11
St. John	2b	22
Moncton	15	22
Halifax	20	23
Charlottetown	20	24
Yarmouth	20	26
Sydney	20	29
St. John's	4b	44