

Ontario Civil Servants Get Salary Increases

TORONTO (CP) — Premier Frost Friday announced pay increases for Ontario's 30,000 salaried civil servants.

Increases will range between \$120 and \$500 a year and are retroactive to Oct. 1. They will cost the government an annual \$4,500,000.

Some 14,000 casual workers in the civil service are not included in the pay raises.

Mr. Frost said the government is also studying the basic salary classifications for 10,000 civil servants in the trade and professional groups.

CHRISTMAS CHEQUE

Civil servants getting increases will receive their extra money for October, November and December in a special cheque before Christmas, Provincial Treasurer Allan said.

Nehru Gives Ultimatum To Communist Chinese

By PETER JACKSON

NEW DELHI (Reuters)—Prime Minister Nehru said Friday Communist Chinese troops must pull out of Indian-claimed territory before he will sit down with Chinese Premier Chou En-lai to discuss the border crisis.

While Nehru was laying down conditions for border talks, Defence Minister V. K. Krishna Menon appealed to Indians to join the reserve army.

NEHRU'S CONDITIONS

Nehru laid down three conditions in a letter to Chou disclosed in Parliament Friday:

1. All Chinese and Indian forces must be withdrawn from the disputed area of Ladakh, in the southwest of Tibet's border—the

Indians behind the border which China claims and the Chinese behind the boundary claimed by India.

2. The Chinese must pull out of the Indian outpost of Longju on the northeast frontier. India would not reoccupy it.
3. Both sides should agree not to send out patrols along the rest of the frontier.

Nehru told reporters later that his proposals to Chou amounted to the temporary creation of a political no man's land on Indian territory in Ladakh.

Nehru said that once his conditions are met, he is prepared to meet the Chinese premier at a time and place convenient to both leaders.

Prisoners Authorized To Represent Rebels

By HAROLD KING

PARIS (Reuters)—Algerian rebels Friday authorized five of their imprisoned leaders to negotiate with France on Algeria's future.

French officials almost immediately rejected the move.

An announcement from rebel headquarters in Tunis said the talks should concern details of President de Gaulle's promise Sept. 16 of self-determination for Algeria.

"There cannot be a cease-fire without an accord on the guarantees of a healthy application of the principle of self-determination," the announcement said.

TERMS UNACCEPTABLE

The French officials here said the terms of the rebel offer were unacceptable.

They said de Gaulle has invited insurgent leaders to France only for military talks on a cease-fire. He has refused to discuss a political settlement with the Algerian provisional government on grounds it is not the elected representative of the Algerian population.

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men who are doing the fighting and not those who are outside." It was his only reference to the Algerian move.

This was interpreted here as meaning he would not negotiate with five men who have been held in French prisons for three years far from the Algerian battlefields and the rebels' headquarters.

CHIEF NEGOTIATOR

The chief of the rebel negotiators named Friday is Mohammed Ben Bella, 42. He served as military chief and deputy premier of the insurgent regime until his capture in Algiers in October, 1956.

Their lawyer, Hachem Cherif, told reporters in Paris Friday it would take a month to settle the legal problems involved in their release from prison to serve as negotiators.

Rebel forces have shown interest in de Gaulle's self-determination plan ever since it was announced, but Friday's move was the first time they have gone as far as appointing a mission to negotiate.

Their statement shows they are still suspicious of how the promise of self-determination would be carried out.

De Gaulle pledged that within four years of the end of hostilities, the Algerians would be free to vote for independence, integration with France or a looser association within the French community.

EXPORT TRADE CLIMBS

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's export trade climbed to a record \$471,900,000 in October, due almost entirely to a nine-per-cent gain in shipments to the United States, the bureau of statistics reported. The pick-up in October followed a sharp rise in September, when exports were 15 per cent higher than a year earlier.




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