



POSTAL WORKERS' BALLOTS COUNTED

Bill Kay, president of the 11,000-member Canadian Union of Postal Workers, displays a "yes" ballot for strike action as he presides over counting of the ballots at Ottawa Wednesday. Postal workers may strike, possibly at the height of the Christmas mail rush, if current demands for a 39 to 50 per cent wage increase are not met. Of votes cast by 9,000 members, more than 85 per cent were in favor of strike action if negotiations fail. (CP Wirephoto)

Former Admiral Is Acquitted

BERLIN (Reuters) — Former Nazi admiral Paul Wencker has been cleared of the murder and attempted murder of two prisoners who allegedly died on his orders when ships

were scuttled during the Second World War. A federal high court rejected a prosecution appeal against a Hamburg court's ruling in February acquitting 76-year-old Wencker. The Hamburg court also decided that Wencker's action constituted manslaughter — a crime, however, for which he

can no longer be prosecuted under West Germany's statute of limitations. Wencker, Hitler's naval attaché in Tokyo, issued an order to let two German prisoners go down with German ships when they were scuttled in 1944 while on their way from Japan to Europe. The men were being taken

back to Germany for trial on charges of espionage and theft. **ERHARD WALKS OUT** BAD GODESBERG (AP) — West German Chancellor Erhard angrily walked out of a meeting of the Civil Service League Thursday when the head of the organization criticized his civil service policy.

U.S. Planning Expansion In Savings Bond Program

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson said here the U.S. treasury plans to expand the savings bond program in an effort to get Americans to loan more money to the government to help finance the Viet Nam war. Treasury Secretary Henry H. Fowler later said regular savings bonds may be supplemented by a new certificate or note that would carry a higher interest rate but could not be cashed at will. Emphasizing that no details have been worked out, Fowler gave this example of how the program might work: Participants in the regular

savings plan might be granted the right to buy one \$25 savings certificate or note on which they'd earn higher interest—for each regular \$25 bond purchased. The bonds, which pay 4.15 per cent interest, can be cashed at any time, but Fowler said the new note would have a fixed maturity date — perhaps 18 months or two years—and could not be redeemed until that time. **WON'T TELL RATE** He declined to speculate on the interest rate the new securities would carry, but said they would be attractive if not wholly competitive with yields on other types of savings.

The government customarily pays less interest when it borrows money because of its unblemished credit rating. Fowler said the new savings certificates, if placed on the market, would be launched simultaneously with a massive advertising promotion of the regular savings bond program. The bond drive would be patterned after one conducted during the Second World War and would appeal to citizens to show their support of the troops in Viet Nam by loaning money to the government. **Pipeline Permit Refusal Studied** OTTAWA (CP) — Several cabinet ministers are studying protests against the government's refusal to permit Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. to build a pipeline through the United States to increase deliveries of Al-

berta natural gas to Eastern Canada, an informant said here. However, he stressed that the cabinet has not yet decided whether it will reconsider the case. Prime Minister Pearson announced Aug. 25 that the project, involving a line from Emerson, Man., to Sarnia, Ont., had been vetoed by the government. He said it was not in the national interest to have a major domestic gas supply line outside Canadian jurisdiction. Trans-Canada now delivers western gas to Ontario and Quebec through an all-Canadian line that crosses Northern Ontario.

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