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## TWO MEN PULL OFF TORONTO'S BIGGEST BANK HOLD-UP

### Egyptians And British In Sharp Clash At Suez

#### Russia Proposes U.N. Session To Consider Armistice In Korea

PARIS, Jan. 3 — (CP) — Russia today proposed a special top-level meeting of the United Nations Security Council to solve Korean and other international problems—a move interpreted by Western observers as aimed at killing the West's collective-measures program in the U. N.

#### Allies Expect Reds To Have New Truce Plan

MUNSAUNG, Korea, Jan. 4 — (Friday)—(AP)—Allied truce negotiators today expected the Communists to unfold a new plan for exchange of war prisoners — one of two main stumbling blocks to a Korean armistice.

#### French Premier Gets Confidence Vote

PARIS, Jan. 3 — (AP) — The five-month-old coalition government of Premier Rene Pleven won a narrow vote of confidence tonight in the National Assembly, averted a vote of no confidence.

#### Britain's Largest Helicopter Tested

BRISTOL, England, Jan. 3 — (Reuters)—Britain's largest helicopter, the Bristol 173, left the ground for 10 minutes today on its maiden flight.

#### HEAVY PORT TRAFFIC

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 3 — (CP)—Port officials said today that continuation of the recent grain shipping trend would mean a record volume through Saint John by spring.

### Mossadegh Rejects Plan To Revive Oil Industry

TEHRAN, Iran, Jan. 3 — (Reuters)—Prime Minister Mohammed Mossadegh today rejected the World Bank's proposals to revive Iran's oil industry, practically idle since British oilmen were kicked out last July.

### Terrorists In Attack On Railroad Guards

CAIRO, Jan. 3 — (CP) — The Egyptian Interior Ministry claimed tonight that 15 British officers and men were killed today in a clash at a Suez Canal workshop.

A British spokesman said one officer was slightly wounded when terrorists attacked troops guarding a railroad signal box. He said the troops involved were two infantry platoons plus the normal guards.

The Egyptian statement said seven Egyptian police and seven civilians were injured in a battle with an 1,800-man British force equipped with tanks and artillery.

The communiqué said Egyptian police came to the rescue when British troops fired on Egyptian state military workshops.

The latest reported outbreak followed a lull in the anti-British fighting. But tension has been mounting in Ismailia in the Suez Canal zone.

Before the Suez clash, British authorities said terrorists laid off attacks for the last three days because Ragunath Rao, Indian assistant director-general of the International Labor Organization, is in the Suez Canal zone.

Rao and his investigators tomorrow begin probing Egyptian charges that the British army is using forced labor in its camps.

### Montreal Man Charged With Murder

MONTREAL, Jan. 3 — (CP) — Victor Farrise, 31, today was charged with murder in the death of New Year's night of Adelard Lalonde, who lived in a rooming house Farrise operated.

### U. S. Government Deep In Red

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 — (AP)—The U. S. Government wound up the first half of the current fiscal year \$7,467,242,215 in the red — a deficit about 13 times as big as that for the same period last year.

### ASSAULT CAS: BRIDGEWATER, N.S., Jan. 3

(CP)—Katy Ritchey today was charged with causing "gross bodily harm" in connection with a December backwoods argument that sent Beverly Smith of nearby Stanley section to hospital with a gashed face.

### Uptown Location For Army Recruiting Centre

The end of the holiday season has brought a sharp upsurge in Army recruiting as reflected in the numbers of young men who are daily making inquiries at the local recruiting station.

In order to better suit the needs of the public the station has been moved from the Armouries to an uptown location in the Block Building at 162A Kent Street.

Heading the station as officer commanding is Capt. E. R. Burke, while the personnel Selection Officer is Major J. F. MacMillan, Medical Officer for the unit is Capt. O. H. Curtis and the Sergeant Major on duty is W. O. 2 H. H. MacLeod who is attached from Headquarters of Eastern Command, Halifax.

### Hong Kong Rumors Hint At New Chinese Invasion

#### Missing Nfld. Hunters Found

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 3 — (CP) — A ski-equipped rescue plane landed on an un-named Newfoundland lake today to fly out two hunters missing since Dec. 27 but English weather kept it from taking off again.

The plane will take off tomorrow if weather permits. Air Force Corporal Steve Trent, a native of Athol, Sask., and Jack Barton, manager of the Newfoundland Flying Club here, radioed they were in "good condition" despite days of wandering in the desolate, snow-covered barrens.

Trent, attached to the R. C. A. F. 103 Search and Rescue unit at Spotted Trent and Barton early today near Thorburn Lake. A message was dropped by parachute, instructing them to go to a nearby lake where ice was strong enough to support a plane.

#### By-Election Date In Newfoundland

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 3 — (CP)—Date of a St. John's West by-election to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Oliver L. Vardy from Premier Joseph Smallwood's cabinet, was announced today as Feb. 6 with nomination day Jan. 26.

Arthur Johnson, who entered the cabinet as Minister of Natural Resources on Mr. Vardy's department, will be the Liberal party contestant. The Progressive Conservative party announced earlier its candidate would be Malcolm Hollett, defeated by Mr. Vardy in the Nov. 26 general election.

Mr. Vardy quit the cabinet a month ago in a split over housing policies.

In the recent provincial general election the Liberals lost the second seat in the dual riding to Peter Cashin, Progressive Conservative opposition leader. He defeated provincial affairs minister James J. Spratt.

Standing in the 28-member house after Mr. Vardy's resignation: Liberals 22, Progressive Conservatives four vacant two. Laborator voting was deferred until the open season.

#### Snow In Scotland, Northern England

LONDON, Jan. 3 — (Reuters)—Deep snow blocked roads and delayed rail traffic today in Scotland and Northern England. A cold wave spread south, coating roads in Central and South-Western England with ice. London and the southeast was milder with periods of sunshine.

### Get \$50,000 From Branch Of Bank Of Commerce

TORONTO, Jan. 3 — (CP) — Two men today "pulled" what may be Toronto's biggest bank hold-up. Police said the loot was \$50,000.

One armed with a sub-machine-gun, the other with a revolver, the men worked with cold efficiency of apparent experience as they tied up 18 persons in a suburban York Township branch of the Bank of Commerce, looted the vault and coolly made two trips with the cash to a waiting automobile. No shots were fired and no one was hurt.

The bandits, one disguised with a false nose, the other with thick glasses, were waiting inside the bank when the first employee entered at 8:15 a.m. Police said they "must have had a key".

#### Tied Up One By One

As the 13 employees and five customers who by special arrangement came to the bank before the 10 o'clock opening hour entered one by one, they were tied up and laid on the floor.

At 9 a.m., when the time-lock on the vault opened the door, the bandits untied manager Edward Jackson and an accountant and forced them to open an inner safe. They stuffed two briefcases with cash and one of them took them to the car. They then donned the coats they had taken off earlier, unlocked the front door and left quietly.

A spokesman for the Bank of Commerce head office said it had been decided not to make public the amount of money stolen.

The police estimate was \$50,000, which would make it the largest bank robbery in the Toronto area. The previous high mark was \$35,000 in a suburban Leaside hold-up some weeks ago.

Whether Edwin Boyd, an escapee from Toronto's Don Jail believed implicated in the Leaside and other recent bank robberies here, was one of the two

#### Pope Pius Reduces Number of Audiences

VATICAN CITY, Jan. 3 — (Reuters)—The Pope has cut the number of his audiences in the last few days and the few visitors who were admitted remarked he looked tired, Vatican quarters said today.

He recently received in private audience his friend professor Lorenzo Cherubini, a prominent physician. The Pope will be 76 March 2.

#### Believe Reports Reliable

The man must remain anonymous owing to danger of reprisals. His information cannot be checked at the source. But responsible persons in this colony who have checked his background say they are reasonably satisfied that his information is in general, reliable.

#### Search Continues For Army Nurse

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 3 — (CP)—Army provost corps officials said today that the only hope of finding Lieut. Elizabeth Sansom, 26, lies in the R.C.M.P. or the Provost Corps turning up some new evidence in Montreal or Sherbrooke, Que.

Lieut. J.C. Charles McManus said virtually every possible lead has been investigated in this district in an effort to trace the attractive brown-eyed nursing sister who was last seen at the Kingston railway station Dec. 24.

The girl is a niece of Lt.-Gen. E.W. Sansom, retired wartime corps commander. She has been on the staff of Kingston Military Hospital.

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### Tug Reaches Side Of Disabled Freighter; Captain Still On Board

LONDON, Jan. 4 — (Friday) — (CP)—The British tug Turmoil made her rendezvous with the hull-cracked freighter Flying Enterprise and her one-man crew, Capt. Kurt Carlsen, in the Atlantic late last night.

"Preparations are under way for taking the Flying Enterprise in tow," said a radio message to U. S. navy headquarters here today from the U. S. destroyer John W. Weeks.

The Weeks has been standing by to warn shipping away from the helpless craft and rescue Carlsen if necessary.

The Turmoil came alongside the drifting Isbrandtsen Line vessel at 11 p.m. (6 p.m. EST).

Carlsen neared the decisive hour when the lines would be shot to the crazily leaning craft he has occupied alone for six days since storm damage caused him to order his passengers and crew to rescue ships.

Eyewitnesses reported that the freighter, though listing 60 or 65 degrees to port and down slightly at the head, was riding steadily in the heaving waters about 300 miles off West England's southern tip.

The destroyer Weeks reported the 37-year-old Carlsen, who had refused to leave his ship and its rich 2,550-ton general cargo, was "very cheerful and grateful" for offers of help but determined to remain aboard until the vessel reaches port.

Carlsen said he would be able to handle by himself the first lines to be shot aboard the Flying Enterprise by the Turmoil. He decided, with the others concurring, that his ship should be towed stern first. If good weather holds the Turmoil will head for Falmouth, Eng., after making the tow lines fast. Brest, France, and Bantry Bay, in Southern Ireland, were selected as alternative ports.

After three vain attempts, the Weeks finally succeeded in delivering coffee, sandwiches, candy, cigarettes, newspapers and magazines across a line fired to the freighter.

Eddie Worth, Associated Press photographer who flew over the ship in a Royal Air Force plane, said it was lying "quite steady" in bright sunshine.

Worth added: "The destroyer is pitching and rolling. The freighter is so heavy and down in the water it just rides like a rock."

The British tug which has undertaken the hazardous task is 1,236-ton with engines developing 4,003 horsepower, and has a crew of 31.

#### 1952 Farm Prospects For P.E.I. Reviewed

"In a general way I would expect farm prices to ease somewhat in 1952, with the possible exception of dairy products," Mr. W. R. Shaw, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, stated yesterday in a survey of agricultural prospects.

"Costs of operation at the same time will possibly rise, he said, with fertilizers higher, labour scarcer and higher, and farm equipment up in price at least 5 per cent. Following are excerpts from his report:

Greater supplies of pork, and no material change in beef and mutton, are the prospects for the next twelve months. Swine herds have been building up in both Canada and the United States. This trend will likely continue into 1952, and an exportable surplus in the millions of pounds, may be expected, with prospective lower prices domestic consumption of

#### Transit Strike Looms For Week-End In Toronto

TORONTO, Jan. 3 — (CP)—Toronto's street-car and bus operators voted tonight on the date and time of a strike to force settlement of a wage dispute. Threatened was a transit tie-up by Saturday night of Canada's second-largest city.

Voting began at midnight at a meeting of some 4,700 members of the Street Railway Employees' Union (A.F.L.-T.L.C.) in downtown Toronto's Massey Hall. When the result would be known was uncertain. But a walk-out was not expected before Saturday night when the usual week-end easing of traffic would create less dislocation for the public than a week-day deadline.

At issue in the dispute between the union and the publicly-owned Toronto Transportation Commission is the demand of the men for

### Death Yesterday Of Mr. H.H. Hatfield

HARTLAND, N. B., Jan. 3 — (CP)—H. H. Hatfield, Progressive Conservative member of Parliament for Victoria-Carleton, died at his home here today following a lengthy period of ill health.

Widely known in the potato industry of this province he was one of the pioneer mass producers of potatoes and potato products and had shipped seed potatoes to all world markets.

He was elected a member of Parliament in 1940 and had represented the Victoria-Carleton constituency ever since.

### Icebreakers Tow Barge To Quebec

QUEBEC, Jan. 3 — (CP) — The icebreaker Lady Grey left Quebec today for the lower St. Lawrence to meet the icebreaker N.B. McLean, which left Sept. 15 with the barge Easton in tow.

The McLean had gone to the aid of the barge which was caught in the ice of Sept. 15 Bay.

If ice conditions in the river permit, the three ships will reach Quebec tomorrow night or Saturday morning.



HALIFAX, Jan. 3 — (CP) — Official forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office here and valid until midnight Friday.

Synopsis: About four inches of snow fell in Nova Scotia Thursday. In Prince Edward Island and Southern New Brunswick two inches fell while farther north amounts were negligible.

An area of high pressure is approaching from the Great Lakes promising fine cold weather for Friday.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island — Variable cloudiness with snowflurries. Cold. Northwest winds 15 becoming light by afternoon. Low and high Friday at Charlottetown 5 and 25. Summary for Friday — Snowflurries and cold.

High tide today at 3:44 A. M. and 4:18 P. M. Sun rises today at 7:52 A. M. and sets at 4:44 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

#### MCA AIR SERVICE DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

Leave Charlottetown for Moncton 5:30 A.M.; 11:20 A.M.; 4:50 P.M. Ar. Charlottetown from Moncton 7:25 A.M.; 1:35 P.M.; 6:55 P.M. Leave Charlottetown for New Glasgow — Halifax 7:40 A.M. New Glasgow — Halifax 1:50 P.M. New Glasgow & Halifax Arrive Charlottetown from New Glasgow and Halifax 11:00 A.M. from New Glasgow 4:35 P.M. from New Glasgow and Halifax.

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY ONLY 9:10 A.M. Arrive Sydney from New Glasgow. 10:25 A.M. Arrive New Glasgow from Sydney.

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### Coming Events

- Card party at Seaview Hall, Friday night in aid of rink.
- Victoria Rink Saturday night skating.
- Buying fowl and chicken daily. See or phone Rex Dawson, Albany.
- Dance in Vernon River Hall, January 7th. In aid of C. W. L.
- Kinkora Hall, Friday, January 4th. See "Green Dolphin Street", 3 P. M. and 8 P. M.
- Card Party in Stanley Bridge School Friday, Jan. 4th, 1952, at 8:30 p.m.
- Hockey practice for Milton Hornets at North River rink tonight at 8:30.
- For Snapshots that will not fade mail your Films and Negatives to Garnham Photo Studios Charlottetown.
- Crapaud, District Lodge meets in Lorne Lodge room, DeSabley on Jan. 8th, meeting starting at 2:30 p.m. sharp.
- Our store will be closed January 3rd and 4th, Thursday and Friday for stock taking. J. F. Morris, Kinkora.
- Hockey North River Rink Saturday, Jan. 5th. Covehead Red Wings vs. Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs. Game time 8:30. Start after game.
- Dancing every Friday night, South Rustico, weather and roads permitting. Canteen, The Charlottetownians' Orchestra.
- Unloading car Quaker Full of Pop feeds. Chick starter, egg grower, pig green pellets, pig grower, calf meal pellets, dry and fitting ration, flour etc. Ellis Bros. Central Royalty, phone 3094-2.