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CANADA'S U. N. DELEGATE IN OUTSPOKEN ADDRESS

Five Burned To Death At St. John's Nfld.

Canada To Increase Butter Imports From New Zealand

Discuss Crossing Improvements At Wood Islands

Discussions regarding improvements in the facilities for crossing the Strait of Northumberland at Wood Islands featured a meeting of the directors of the Inkeepers Association held last night at the Old Spain. Particular emphasis was placed on the waiting room facilities and a committee was set up to gather information on the situation and report back.

Mr. George Fraser, director of the Travel Bureau, told the gathering that there was only one area within 20 miles of Stanhope which was completely free of ragweed. However, the air index for the island as a whole was 0.27, considered a very low figure and it is the hope of the Association to have the index completely free by this fall.

222 Rescued From Stalled Luxury Train

EMIGRANT GAP, Calif., Jan. 16 (AP)—Picked out of the freezing cold that had locked them in a snow-bound train since Sunday, 222 men, women and children were safe and warm again tonight.

Snow plows finally reached them and a rescue train pulled up beside the lodges which had given them warm and welcome temporary haven after they were rescued from the streamliner.

Coming Events

- Until further notice motion pictures are being discontinued at Craupaud Theatre.
Wiltshire rink tonight, Hartsville, Wiltshire. Skate after. Canteen service.
Concert in Upper Montague School, Wednesday, Jan. 23rd. If stormy first fine night.
Farmers, ask about the Shur Gain Feed Finance Plan. For particulars contact your local feed mill.
Another Married Couples' dance, Winsloe Station Hall, Friday, Jan. 18. Lots of fun for all.
Card party at Stanley Bridge School Thursday, Jan. 17th, 8 p.m. Sponsored by Women's Institute.
Come in and talk over our Purina finance plan for feeding your hogs and poultry. Dillon & Spillett.
North River rink tonight, Milton Hornets versus Cornwall Meteors. Game time 8:30. Skate after.
Annual meeting Strathalbyn Scarier Chapter in Rose Valley Jan. 17th. If not fine, Monday, Jan. 21st.
For Snapshots—that will not fade mail your films and negatives to Garnham Photo Studios, Charlottetown.
As we are only getting to orders on hand, it would be advisable for any person wanting back checks for February and March delivery to place their orders with us immediately. Dillon & Spillett.

Whole Family Wiped Out In Early Morning

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 17 (CP)—An American navy couple, their two small children and a Newfoundland girl died early today when fire crept through their frame dwelling here. The victims, trapped on the second floor of the two-story building, were: Lt.-Cmdr. Victor Hampshire, Salt Lake City, Utah; his wife, their only children, Carl, 5, and Paul, 7; and Katherine Gushue, 17, a servant. Police Constable Eric Stoyles, the family's next door neighbor, heard a scream in the pre-dawn darkness and tried without success to break down the front door, near the kitchen, where the fire is believed to have started. He went around to the back of the rented home and forced an entrance. Before going inside, he heard a light tapping on an upstairs window. District Fire Chief Michael Caddigan said today it appeared that all but the youngest child had made a struggle to escape. The father was found lying on the floor of his bedroom, cut around the arms and head from an attempt to break the window. His wife and their eldest son were found near the bed. Chief Caddigan said she had apparently taken the child from the double-decker cot in the room where the boys slept, then collapsed. The body of the younger child was found in his bed with the covers drawn back. The body of the girl was lying on the floor of the Hampshire's bedroom. She had previously broken the inside window in her own room but apparently was unable to shatter the outside storm shutter. Police said he bodies were not burned badly and the victims had suffered from smoke and searing heat which melted paint on the bedroom walls.

U.S. Congressman Has Fantastic Ideas About 20th Century Canada

OTTAWA, Jan. 16 (CP)—Parliament Hill reacted with amazement and amusement today to the statements of Congressman Timothy Sheehan (Rep. Ill.) who wants Canada annexed to the United States. Mr. Sheehan's ideas about 20th century Canada were termed "fantastic" both by a member of parliament and a senior official of the External Affairs Department. In introducing a bill in Congress to explore the possibilities of Canada being annexed to the U.S., Mr. Sheehan said he "does not propose creation of a new nation" and that Britain should be paid "for giving up all rights and interests in Canada." Parliament Hill's rather scathing retorts were based on these three facts: 1. Canada is and has been an independent nation for a fair amount of time. 2. The day when Britain would have to be paid for giving up any rights of interests in Canada has long since passed away. 3. Fear of annexation by the U. S. was one of the big factors that helped confederate Canada in 1867. There has never been any substantial indication that annexation or union of the two countries has any marked support here.

British Troops Clear Trouble Spots In Egypt

By Ronald Bateheler TEL-EL-KEBR, Suez Canal Zone, Jan. 16 (Reuters)—British troops swept through two trouble-spot villages today, rounding up an Egyptian general and 160 police in their biggest hunt for terrorists and arms. Tanks and armored cars ringed the scene of recent fierce fighting as 1,000 troops searched the tiny hovels and tumble-down dwellings of El Hamada and Tel El Kebir. British officials reported five Egyptians killed and two wounded. One British soldier was wounded. After a few rifle shots from police headquarters in El Hamada, British forces marched off Gen. Mohammed Abdullah Raouf, a police chief from the Egyptian Interior Ministry, and his staff with more than 100 other police. Arms found in the inspector's office at the headquarters were "enough to equip a company,"

Souris Board Of Trade Urges Restoration Of Mail Trucks

The following resolution was passed yesterday afternoon at a special meeting of the Souris Board of Trade, at which there was a large attendance including Mr. Thomas J. Kickham, M.P., and Mr. Brenton St. John, M.L.A.: "Whereas the Souris Board of Trade has previously gone on record as favoring an improved and faster mail service, and "Whereas the service recently inaugurated through the medium of trucks was definitely an improved and faster service for people residing within the limits of the town of Souris, and "Whereas this truck mail service has now been discontinued, and "Whereas the Canadian National Railways are now serving the town of Souris with express and l.c.l. freight by truck; "Be it therefore resolved that the Souris Board of Trade recommend that in lieu of the present baggage car mail service to Souris by tri-weekly freight in the winter months, that the daily mail trucking service be restored. "Copies of this resolution to be sent to Mr. T. J. Kickham, M.P., and Mr. F. A. Coyle, postal inspector, Charlottetown." The resolution was moved by Mr. R. C. MacLean and seconded by Mr. C. E. White.

Georgetown Town Council Prefers Oldtime System

At the regular meeting Monday night of the Georgetown Town Council a motion was passed that the council "Support the stand of the delegation headed by T. J. Kickham regarding the change back to rail mail service." The motion was moved by Councillor Raymond Solomon and seconded by Councillor Patrick Murphy. It was supported by Councillors Emerson Llewellyn and Guy Hemphill. One Councillor Andrew MacNeill abstained from voting. Mayor P. L. Boudreault presided, and gave his support to the motion. Moving the resolution Councillor Solomon said he had found his mainland mail was slow by one day under the truck system. He mentioned particularly pension and family allowance cheques. In addition the truck service had a man out of a job at Georgetown, the driver of a truck which took the mail from the station to the post office. In winter he found the truck service not as reliable as the train service, but had already missed two days last week. Mayor Boudreault said the truck service was not so satisfactory for outgoing mail as the train, as with the truck the mail arrived at noon and the mail was delivered at 1 p.m. However, the truck goes directly back and does not get answering mail to correspondence received. With the train the mail arrived about 6:30 in the evening and then left at 7 a.m. the next day so that an outgoing answer could be prepared in the meantime. Councillor MacNeill in abstaining from voting said he felt the whole matter of the mail service was not a thing to be decided upon by several town bodies. He suggested a plebiscite of the whole county should be taken. He felt that the postal department at Ottawa had not received direct complaints before the Kickham delegation went to Ottawa. Since the Postal Department had stated it was trying the truck service as an experiment it was only fair to give it a try, and in time they might be able to fix up some of the difficulties.

Child Killed

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Jan. 16 (CP)—Elizabeth Carter, 9, was killed today at nearby Millerton when she coasted in front of a car driven by Tom Washburn of Blackville. Coroner Dr. E. H. Freeman, Chatham decided an inquest would be unnecessary.

Three Flares Prove Puzzling

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 16 (CP)—Three white floating flares in the Bay of Fundy off Cape Spencer, near Saint John, were observed late today from the steamship Princess Helene and a Trans-Canada Air Lines plane. The Helene, on her regular daily crossing from Digby, N. S., to Saint John, swerved from her course to search the area and arrived late at her destination. No wreckage or anything unusual was detected. There was no report here of any vessel or aircraft in trouble.

Carlson Crosses By Air This Time

MONTGTON, N. B., Jan. 16 (CP)—Captain Kurt Carlson, stayput skipper of the ill-fated freighter Flying Enterprise again crossed the Atlantic today, this time by air, enroute to a hero's welcome in New York. The doughy skipper was among the passengers aboard a Pan American Airways plane which landed here at 10:10 p. m. (AST) on a flight from London to New York. After a one-hour stopover here the plane was scheduled to complete the last leg of the flight to New York.

Tells Russia World Conquest Unhealthy Venture

PARIS, Jan. 16 (CP)—Justice Minister Stuart Garson of Canada today warned Russia that if she tries to sovietize the rest of the free world—as she has done to much of Europe—it will prove "an exceedingly unprofitable and unhealthy venture." In one of the most forthright speeches heard in the United Nations political committee, the leader of Canada's U. N. delegation denounced arguments by the Soviet Foreign Minister, Andrei Vishinsky, as not those of an intelligent man. Vishinsky's "fairly story" about American plans to dominate the world is a piece of "colossal impudence that insults the intelligence of every delegate in the United Nations," Garson said. In the fourth day of debate on the Soviet "peace plan," Garson told the Russians: "If you want peace, good, so do we. You say you fear our aggression, well, quite frankly, we fear yours. Let us see what we can do to banish these fears on both sides." Garson said that on the surface there is nothing new in Vishinsky's concession Saturday to Western demands for atomic control to indicate that this Soviet agreement was made in good faith. He asked Vishinsky whether he wants an effective system of international control coming into operation at the same time that the prohibition of atomic weapons comes into operation. Garson said he would support the Western resolution to refer the Russian proposals to the newly-established disarmament commission. These proposals would declare an unconditional ban on the atom bomb coupled with simultaneous control, a five-power peace pact, incompatibility of the Atlantic Pact with U. N. membership and an end to the war in Korea with the withdrawal of foreign troops within three months. New Proposals Coming The United States announced it will present important new proposals on control of atomic energy to the disarmament commission when the commission begins work in New York in a few weeks. U. S. Ambassador Ernest A. (Continued on page 5 col. 1)

Hockey Equipment For Korean Troops

OTTAWA, Jan. 16 (CP)—Defence Minister Claxton, who noted complaints of Canadian soldiers during his recent visit to Korea, has ordered shipment of 100 sets of hockey equipment for the troops there. It was announced at Defence Headquarters today. The equipment will be flown on a regular Pacific airlift flight of the R. C. A. F.'s 426 Squadron "as soon as possible." The troops have a large reservoir near the Imjin River on which there is likely to be ice this month. They have no hockey equipment.

Birth Of Prince Starts Celebration In Egypt

CAIRO, Jan. 16 (CP)—Egypt's struggle with Britain today took second place to the birth of a long-awaited son to King Farouk. A 101-gun salute boomed out to mark the advent of Prince Ahmed Fuad, born of the portly Farouk's union with the 18-year-old commoner Narriman. The 31-year-old monarch, who divorced his first queen after she bore him three daughters, proudly instructed his government to announce to "both parts of the Nile valley, north and south, and to the rest of the world the birth of Crown Prince Ahmed Fuad." He named his first son after his own father, the late King Fuad I, and gave him his own little when he was crown prince, Amir Al Said (Prince of Said). Said is that part of Egypt south of Cairo. Green Egyptian flags were hoisted up over all government buildings. The cabinet ordered free meals for 100,000 of the poor. It authorized payment of \$30,000 to families of Egyptians killed in clashes with British forces in the canal zone. A series of decrees also granted a \$10 bonus to all women giving birth to a baby boy today, free grants to poor students, a half-day holiday for school children. Tomorrow will be a holiday for everyone. Farouk ordered the Anglo-Swiss Hospital in Alexandria renamed Queen Narriman Hospital. The celebrations almost drowned out the noise of gunfire as fresh violence flared in the canal zone. The birth was a proud moment for Farouk. He was 18 when he married his first wife, Farida Hamen Zulficar, the 16-year-old daughter of a judge. In 10 years of married life she bore him only daughters—Ferial, 12, Fawzia, 11, and Fadia, 7. They were divorced in 1948.

Potato Shipments Show Sharp Decline Over Previous Season

A drop of approximately 500 cars of potatoes ferried over the Borden-Cape Tormentine route in the current crop season as compared to the number for the same period in the 1950-51 season is noted in a report issued by the Office of the Superintendent, Island Division, Canadian National Railways. The crop season commences on August 1 and ends July 31 of each year and the figures in each of the following instances are for the periods of August 1 to January 14. The number ferried to date in the 1951-52 season is 1,718 cars, representing a decrease of 491 cars from the 1950-51 total of 2,207 cars, and a decrease of 1,127 from the 1949-50 total of 2,843 cars. The total number of cars of potatoes ferried in the entire 1950-51 and 1949-50 seasons were 6,769 and 8,950 cars respectively. Turnip Shipments Heavier The figures for turnip movements in the same period, August 1 to January 14, show a gain this season to date of 108 cars over the 1950-51 season and a drop of 752 cars from the 1949-50 season. The figures are, 1949-50 — 1,293 cars, 1950-51 — 433 cars, 1951-52 — 541 cars. The total number of cars of turnips ferried on the entire 1950-51 and 1949-50 seasons were 759 and 1,770 cars respectively. Railway officials reported that the supply of refrigerator cars was reasonably good throughout the year 1950-51, and the situation for the current crop season has also been satisfactory to date. The total number of vehicles (Continued on page 5 col. 3)

Decrease In Nfld. TB Death Rate

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., Jan. 16 (CP)—Decreases in Newfoundland's tuberculosis and infant death rates for 1951 were revealed in figures released today by Health Minister James R. Chalke. Death rate for tuberculosis was 48 for every 100,000 population as against an average of 93 for the previous five years. Infant death rate was down to 46 from 50 in 1950 and a previous four-year average of 60.

N.S. Minister Declares Dairy Industry Sick

MONTREAL, Jan. 16 (CP)—F. W. Walsh, deputy minister of Agriculture for Nova Scotia, said today the Canadian dairy industry is sick. In recent years, said Mr. Walsh addressing a meeting of the Federation of Dairy Farmers of Canada, the industry has shown an over-all loss. Milk production per capita has been declining since 1941. From a substantial net export position in 1941, it declined to a point in 1951 where, in terms of net equivalent imports of dairy products are a little greater than exports. There are fewer cows on the farms than there have been in 20 years, he said. Annual production of butter has decreased more than 38,000,000 pounds. Much of the trouble could be traced to concern of many branches of the industry with "sacred cows," and the resultant hindrance to development. There has been a tendency by producers to make decisions on the basis of "breed sentimentality." Mr. Walsh cited the example of a dairy cattle owner who would not dehorn his cattle for sentimental reasons, although successful operation of a pen barn depended on dehorning. So far as manufacturing, processing and marketing are concerned, said Mr. Walsh, many plants are not operating as efficiently as they could. Mr. Walsh said that lack of clarity in legislative authority dealing with acts and regulations affecting the dairy industry in recent years had helped confuse the issue. "Findings and decisions of the Supreme Court and the Privy Council, coupled with lack of clarity as to federal authority under the British North America Act, have thrown the industry off its stride and interfered with united action."

Montreal Fur Sale Report

The following report of the Hudson's Bay Company's sale of silver fox and mutations, held in Montreal, Tuesday has been received: Selected silvers mainly unsold. Regulars and inferiors fair competition. Platinum selects and all pearl patterns firm to slightly easier than January, 1951. White marked silver mainly withdrawn. Signed George A. Callbeck, manager fur marketing department, Canadian National Fox Breeders' Association, Summerside.

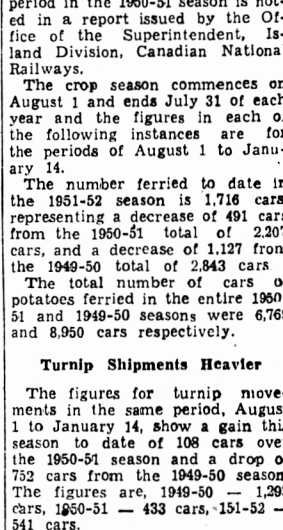
Truman Asks Tax Increase

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 (AP)—President Truman today asked Congress for roughly \$5,000,000,000 in new taxes and warned that 1952 will be a "year of strain" beset by inflationary dangers as the U. S. forges ahead toward peak rearmament. The President also called for higher price controls, a check on private spending, greater productivity, and a return to "pay-as-we-go" government financing "as quickly as possible." As expected, Truman's request for higher taxes—the fourth in 18 months—met a chilly reception. Some lawmakers said something might be done to pick up new revenue by closing "loopholes," but congress is clearly in no mood to enact another general tax boost.

MCA AIR SERVICE DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

Leave Charlottetown for Moncton 5:30 A.M.; 11:30 A.M.; 4:50 P.M. Arr. Charlottetown from Moncton 7:25 A.M.; 1:35 P.M.; 6:35 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 & Halifax 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. SUNDAY ONLY. Leave Charlottetown for Moncton 11:20 A.M. Arrive Charlottetown from Moncton 5:35 P.M. BORDEN — CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE Daily (Including Sunday) Leave Borden 8:10 A.M. 10:35 A.M. 1:00 P.M. 2:40 P.M. 4:30 P.M. 6:00 P.M. 7:30 P.M. Leave C. T. 10:35 A.M. 12:35 P.M. 2:40 P.M. 4:30 P.M. 6:00 P.M. 7:30 P.M.

AS LUCK WOULD HAVE IT, SOME FOLKS HAVE IT ALL!



HALIFAX, Jan. 16 (CP)—Official forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office here and valid until midnight Thursday.

Colder air is streaming in from the northwest. An area of high pressure is approaching from Ontario and fine, cold weather is forecast for Thursday. Forecast: Prince Edward Island—Variable cloudiness and colder. Northwest winds 20 becoming light Thursday evening. Low and high Thursday at Charlottetown 15 and 20. High tide today at 1:27 A. M. and 2:18 P. M. Sun rises today at 7:47 A. M. and sets at 4:59 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.