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French-Yanks' Differences Burst Into Open Monday

American General Blamed For Break

By HAROLD KING
 PARIS (Reuters)—Sharp differences between the United States and France burst into the open Monday when France protested against being blamed by an American general for cutting back on NATO defence requirements.

Foreign Minister Couve de Murville protested the U.S. State Secretary Herter about remarks made by Gen. Nathan Twining, chairman of the U.S. joint chiefs of staff, at a secret Atlantic pact meeting last week.

The French also complained that the United States abstained in the United Nations Saturday when an Afro-Asian resolution on Algeria was debated.

Couve de Murville and Herter held an unscheduled meeting as Western foreign, defence and economic ministers gathered for a full session of the 15-nation NATO council starting today to iron out differences in the alliance.

An attempt to patch up the French-American quarrel was planned at a quickly-arranged dinner Monday night of Herter, Couve de Murville and their senior military and financial advisers, including Twining.

PERSIAN RUGS ASTONISH IKE

TEHRAN, Iran (AP)—President Eisenhower was astonished to find his limousine rolling over rich Persian rugs in the streets of Tehran Monday.

Beautiful rugs were placed at several points along the four-mile route from the airport to the palace of the Shah. A bit later the Shah gave Eisenhower a large red and blue rug—a new one.

"Obviously, you must know how I love Persian carpets," the president said in accepting the rug. "I was chagrined when I saw how we were driving over them today. That is not the way we treat them in America."

Man, Wife Cry For Joy As Canada Trip Looms

By JOHN BIRD
 Canadian Press Staff Writer
 LATINA, Italy (CP)—Ferid Foco and his bride of six months, Munira, are to go to Canada. When this news swept through the refugee processing centre of Latina, 45 miles south of Rome, camp officials and refugees cheered or broke into tears.

"I saw people cry," said Dr. Zdenko Babic, movement officer of the camp for the inter-governmental committee for European migration.

The Foco story is one of a man's love for his childhood sweetheart.

Ferid, 20, could have gone to Australia last April but turned the chance down. Munira, 24, had tuberculosis and the Australians refused to accept her as an immigrant.

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TB Refugees Due In Halifax

HALIFAX, (CP)—Eighteen refugees, five of them suffering from tuberculosis, will arrive here Dec. 24 from Rome, immigration officials announced here Monday.

The group, mostly Yugoslavian, is being brought to Canada as part of the country's refugee year contribution. The immigrants will be cared for in Nova Scotia.

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TRY AUSTRALIA
 After being reunited in Trieste, Ferid and Munira applied to enter Australia as immigrants. Ferid received permission early this year, but Munira was rejected for health reasons.

"I couldn't leave my beloved Munira," Ferid said through an interpreter. "I decided I should stay with her even if it meant

Makarios Elected Cyprus President

NICOSIA, Cyprus (Reuters)—Archbishop Makarios, bearded peasant's son who returned from British-imposed exile to sign agreements making Cyprus independent, Monday night was elected the first president of the island.

Makarios, leader of the Greek Cypriot community, won a 2-to-1 victory over his only opponent in

Sunday's election and immediately promised better living conditions for both the Greek and Turkish communities.

A final count of ballots from the 238,879 eligible Greek Cypriot voters gave Makarios 144,501 votes against 71,753 for John Clerides, 72-year-old lawyer opposing him as a "nondictatorial" candidate.

Thousands of Makarios supporters crowded the streets of the main towns and villages to celebrate his victory after he was proclaimed president-elect of Cyprus, which will become a republic in February.

SUPPORTERS CELEBRATE
 Fireworks soared up through a forest of banners and Greek flags here and many celebrants danced around an effigy of Clerides.

The 46-year-old prelate, speaking from the balcony of the archbishopric, appealed for an end to fanaticism and antagonism between rival groups of Cypriots on the island. He called for co-operation between the Greek and Turkish communities.

France last summer refused to allow U.S. nuclear weapons to be stocked at American bases unless France shared control of the weapons. De Gaulle also has said France will retain sole control of the French Mediterranean fleet in case of war and has withheld the French Air Force from an integrated NATO group.

Couve de Murville told Herter that France had "difficultly understood" the American abstention at the UN. He also noted "that of the 15 member countries of the Atlantic alliance, six abstained or voted in favor of the Afro-Asian motion on Algeria."

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Grain Import Hike Seen In Province

A strong possibility of greatly increased imports of grain to this province next year is seen as a result of the failure of this year's crop here.

Contributing to the partial failure, in the opinion of S. C. Wright, deputy minister of agriculture, was the extremely wet month of August when the grain deteriorated noticeably. Mr. Wright could not recall another year when the quality was

so poor or so much of the grain was broken down.

Importation of grain to Prince Edward Island is aided by the federal freight assistance policy and under this there were 22,402 tons brought in during the crop year 1957-58 with \$27,799 paid in freight. The previous year 22,668 tons were brought in for \$312,056.

However, a majority of other crops joined grain in being lower in production this year with only spring wheat showing an increase. Production figures for this year, with last year's totals in brackets, are: spring wheat 94,000 (92,000); oats for grain 4,400,000 (4,559,000); barley 28,000 (30,000); mixed grains 2,280,000 (2,450,000); potatoes, in hundredweights, 6,132,000 (8,120,000); hay, in tons, 324,000 (403,000); field roots 72,000 (81,000).

Unusual Welcome Given For Eisenhower In Athens

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By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
 ATHENS (AP)—This ancient capital of Greece cut loose Monday with a mammoth welcome for President Eisenhower. The joy was dimmed by a railing collapse that injured 43 persons, several severely, at the height of the ovation.

About 750,000—approximately the same number that cheered Eisenhower earlier in the day in Iran—shouted greetings as the president rode 10 miles from the airport to the palace through the gaily decorated streets with King Paul.

The accident happened two blocks from the palace, at a spot the president had just passed. Opposite the U.S. Embassy a six-foot railing atop a wall in front of an apartment building crumbled under the weight of hundreds of persons who had been scrambling for a vantage point.

FALL ONTO SPECTATORS
 Those pressing against the railing were hurled down upon spectators jammed in the street. Pieces of railing fell upon the crowd.

Eight of the 43 injured required hospital treatment.

Eisenhower learned of the accident when he arrived at the palace, where he is spending the night as King Paul's guest. He asked that his regret be extended to the victims and their families.

It was the first incident to mar the president's trip to 11 countries, of which Greece is the seventh.

Eisenhower flew in at dusk near the end of a 22-hour day that began with a farewell to India. He got in two one-hour naps on his jet airliner, however, and looked fresh when he landed in Athens.

He grinned and waved in response to the cheers of the thousands who came out in the chill and mist to greet him.

King Paul and Premier Constantine Karamanlis welcomed Eisenhower warmly at the airport.

Eisenhower said Greece's long devotion to democratic principles has won the world's admiration. He had spoken similarly in Iran. Addressing parliament, he

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The tug Gregory pulled alongside the burning Viking Chief with fire extinguishers after the 85-foot vessel caught fire off Pender Harbour, 50 miles northwest of Vancouver on the British Columbia coast. The five crew members of the Viking Chief escaped earlier in a life-boat. No one was hurt. (CP Photo)

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THREE PRETTY KITTENS

These three kittens were put in a tied-up parcel and left at the main Edmonton Post Office. When post office workers heard sounds, they poked holes in the parcel so the kittens could get some air. Then the parcelled pussies poked out their heads to peer at the posties. (CP Photo)

Sewage Project Shelved As Strong Objection Taken

Faced with a formal objection on behalf of 138 interested citizens, criticism by the City Health Officer, and a difference in expert opinion City Council last night unanimously shelved a resolution asking for tenders on the sewerage interceptor for the proposed development west of the North River Road.

Mayor Johnstone pointed out that the solution depended entirely on the attitude of the health departments concerned. If they approve it would be necessary to go along with the recommendation of the consulting engineers, but if they disapproved some other means of solving the disposal problem would have to be found.

Deputy Mayor Gaudet said that in his opinion the addition of a commissioner or barrister to the system suggested earlier by the Crandall Associates might be the logical solution. As indicated by the experts present either of these two mechanisms would break down the solid refuse which seemed to be the root of the objection.

The motion to shelve the motion brought in by Councillor Arseneault, chairman of the Water

U.S. Court Rejects Chessman Appeal

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Supreme Court Monday dealt Caryl Chessman a possibly decisive defeat in his 11½-year battle to escape execution for sex abuses against girl holdup victims in California.

In a cryptic two-sentence order, the court rejected the latest appeal filed by Chessman, who has lived only a few steps from San Quentin prison's gas chamber since July 3, 1958. He has said he is not guilty.

The high court gave no reason for its decision. It noted that Chief Justice Earl Warren—a former governor of California—took no part.

Hamilton Pays Tribute To Late J.O. Hyndman

"We owe a great debt to the late J. O. Hyndman for protecting Fort Amherst for us," Hon. Alvin Hamilton, minister of northern affairs and natural resources, said last night as he arrived in this city.

Mr. Hamilton is in Charlottetown for the official signing of the roads to resources \$15,000,000 program agreement between Ottawa and this province. The agreement will be signed this morning in a ceremony in Confederation Chamber at 11 o'clock.

His department is in charge of preserving historic sites across the Dominion and recently accepted Fort Amherst at Rocky Point from the provincial government.

The old fort was the first English settlement in the province and was built near the site of the first French fort. It was abandoned a few years later.

The federal minister said his department is attempting to preserve some 500 such places the country with the first task being to get them before they are irretrievably lost.

Once a site is acquired, Mr. Hamilton stated, he attempts to visualize the completed project. In the case of Fort Amherst he said he had not seen it as this is his first visit here. However, he has examined maps of the area and pictures a restful place where historically minded visitors may rest and examine the old site. He does not believe any effort will be made to rebuild the fort.

Wrong Oil Paralyzes

TORONTO (CP)—A Canadian Red Cross team of two doctors and four physiotherapists leaves next week for Morocco to join an international medical unit which will help treat thousands of people paralyzed after eating cooking oil mixed with aviation oil.

The team leaves Montreal Dec. 21 for Rabat in answer to an appeal by the League of Red Cross Societies and the World Health Organization for aid for nearly 10,000 Moroccans stricken by the oil.

The Canadians will join similar teams from 11 European Red Cross societies. The 12-team force will be directed by Dr. Gustave Gingsas, executive director of the Rehabilitation Institute of Montreal, who leaves a few days in advance for briefing in Geneva. The teams will be in the field for six months.

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