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TRUMAN BLASTS REPUBLICANS IN WHITE CASE SPEECH

First Legislation Of New Session Introduced

Leaders Speak As Throne Speech Debate Resumed In Commons

Hope Chilled For Settlement Of Trieste Dispute

By STAN SWINTON

ROME, (AP)—New Yugoslav demands chilled optimism for an early Trieste settlement on the eve of a critical foreign policy debate in the Italian Parliament.

The Italian cabinet worked late Monday night framing answers which Premier Giuseppe Pella will give to six questioners in the Chamber of Deputies. The chamber may decide whether Italy will sit down at a five-power conference on the thorny Trieste problem.

Informed sources said Pella must emerge from the chamber session with full freedom to negotiate at any five-power meeting. Otherwise, these informants said, little that is fruitful can be expected from a meeting which diplomats are trying to arrange among Britain, the United States, France, Italy and Yugoslavia.

When Yugoslav President Tito in a major policy speech in Belgrade Sunday failed to mention his previous proposal that the city of Trieste be made autonomous—but did say Yugoslavia would waive its claims to the city in exchange for the rest of the Allied occupation zone of the free territory—hope for a compromise settlement sprang up here.

Outlook Dim

This hope appeared chilled Monday when Borja, official newspaper of Tito's Communist party, declared emphatically that Belgrade would regard as an "act of aggression" any Italian move to take over the key Adriatic port city before final settlement of the whole Trieste problem.

Borja came out with these declarations.

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Coming Events

*Dance Fortune hall Tuesday night, Nov. 17.

*Dance, South Melville School, Wednesday, November 18th.

*Shur Gain Amateur Cavalcade, Graham's Road Hall, November 19th.

*Dance every Tuesday night, Stanley Bridge Rink Hall, Music by Munroe's Orchestra.

*St. Andrew's Parish Hot Chicken Supper, November 18th. Legion Hall, Mount Stewart.

*Sadie Hawkins Dance, Morell, November 18th. Sponsored by Women's Institute.

*Please note date Highfield Women's Association Pantry Sale, November 21st.

*Hot Turkey Supper and Bazaar, Tryon Baptist Hall, November 18th. Serving from 5. In aid of Baptist W. M. S.

*Hear "Music and the Written Word" by Rev. and Mrs. H. F. MacEwen, Wheatley River Hall, Friday evening at 8:15.

*Men's Supper and Bazaar of Murray Harbour United Church, Thursday, November 19th, at 5 o'clock.

Social Evening, Little Sands Hall, Friday, November 20th. Lecture, by Rev. D. W. MacPherson, "A Ten Thousand Mile Cruise."

*Don Messer and his Islanders at Crapaud Hall, Wednesday, Nov. 25th. Entertainment and Dance, in aid of Crapaud Women's Institute.

*Shur Gain Amateur Cavalcade, Mansfield Hall, December 1st. Sponsored by Dunstaffnage Women's Institute. Send entries to Mrs. Wilfred Thompson, before November 27th.

*Come to Supper in Cornwall Hall, Wednesday, November 18th. Delicious home baked beans and brown bread. In aid of Cornwall United Church Choir. Supper starting at 5 o'clock.

*Poultry Wanted. Buying live and dressed poultry daily, except Saturday. We weigh and pay for five birds on farm. Phone collect for pick up service. Day 9636. Night 1886. Central Egg and Poultry Station, Grafton Street, Charlottetown.

Criminal Code Revision Is Major Item

Ambassador To France To Retire

OTTAWA, (CP)—The government Monday introduced its first legislation of the new session in the Commons.

Major item of the six government measures given first reading was a comprehensive rewrite of the Criminal Code, brought in for lack of time to complete passage.

Pipeline legislation would give the Federal Board of Transport Commissioners full control over companies operating lines across provincial or international borders and make such companies get their incorporation from Parliament.

Prime Minister St. Laurent personally introduced a measure re-defining the duties of the Resources and Development Department to place more emphasis on development of northern affairs and national resources.

The three other government measures were of a routine character.

Wholesale Revision

The Criminal Code bill, under study by a special committee, is the first wholesale revision of the code in around 50 years. A special committee spent almost all of the last session whipping it into shape.

The pipeline legislation will reinforce the cabinet's determination to set up a Canadian line for the transport of natural gas bulk from Alberta into Ontario and Quebec.

The government has looked with disfavor on the proposal of Consumers Gas Company of Toronto to import Texas gas into Ontario, contending this might spoil the date.

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750 Turkeys Are Lost In Blaze

GATINEAU, Que. (CP)—More than 750 turkeys being fattened for the Christmas market were killed in a fire Sunday that destroyed two sheds on a farm near this town, five miles northeast of Ottawa.

Mr. Caldwell's motion, a sub-amendment, deleted the reference to free competition from the Progressive Conservative motion and said the House "regrets" the cabinet "failed to recommend legislation establishing a nationwide health insurance program with the provision for provincial participation."

Mr. Drew said the government's decision on the OPA application "raises issues as important as immigration."

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Coal Industry In Serious Position

OTTAWA, (CP)—Canada's coal industry is in a serious position, the Dominion coal board reported Monday to Parliament.

It added that the inroads of oil and natural gas into the Canadian coal market are likely to cause "further dislocation" of the industry.

However, the board, in its annual report tabled in the Commons by Mines Minister Prud'homme, said Canada's future energy requirements indicate demand for coal will be stepped up substantially over the present level from about 1965 onwards.

For the 1952-53 fiscal year under review, the board cited a combination of abnormally mild weather and the oil-gas loads as factors causing a decline in consumption of 3,100,000 tons compared with the previous year.

The Nova Scotia coal industry, it said, is in "critical condition" and the immediate prospects for western mines are "not encouraging."

Morris Motors Form Canadian Company

TORONTO, (CP)—Morris Motors of England, makers of Morris cars, have incorporated a Canadian company at Hamilton called Morris Motors (Canada) Ltd. The plant will service the cars before distribution to Canadian dealers. The Bank of England has authorized capitalization of the new company at \$1,000,000.

Colorful Former Yacht Founders During Fire

GLoucester, Mass. (CP)—The mackerel seiger Jean and Patricia, which had a colorful history as a racing yacht and rum-runner, burst into flames and foundered in Massachusetts Bay today.

Her crew of nine was picked up by another Gloucesterman, the Serifina II.

Built as the yacht Taormina by the late George Lawley in 1906, she won 70 per cent of her races for the Eastern and New York yacht clubs.

Then the late Bill McCoy—known to his run-running associates of prohibition days as "the real McCoy"—acquired her.

Her name was changed to Jean and Patricia when Gloucester fishermen took her over.

Originally the Jean and Patricia was rigged as a schooner, so beautiful that her photographs were used by mail-makers as advertisements. She was 92 feet long, had

Island Bull At Royal Fair Awarded Grand Championship

Ambassador To France To Retire

OTTAWA, (CP)—Maj. - Gen. George P. Vanier, 65, Canadian ambassador to France since 1944, will retire at the end of the year.

The department said General Vanier's successor in the Paris post will be announced soon.

A native of Montreal, General Vanier graduated from Laval University in 1911 and practised law for two years before joining the Canadian Army in 1914.

Mild Weather In West And Ontario

TORONTO, (CP)—Spring-like weather spread across most of western Canada and Ontario today. The weatherman said it will probably break a temperature record here Tuesday.

The warm air, expected to continue for the next few days and head into Quebec and the Maritime provinces, has already broken a temperature record in Saskatchewan. It was 63 in Regina Sunday, the highest ever recorded for the date.

U.K. Recalls Negotiator In Suez Canal Dispute

LONDON, (Reuters)—Britain Monday recalled Gen. Sir Brian Robertson, her top negotiator in the Anglo-Egyptian dispute over Suez Canal base, indicating there is no sign of an early agreement on the issue.

Robertson was asked to lead the negotiations last May, when Ambassador Sir Ralph Stevenson fell ill. He will fly back to England this week to take up his job as chairman of the British Transport Commission.

At the same time, the Foreign Office announced that Stevenson will return to Cairo next month "in better health than he has been for many years."

The Cairo negotiations are not expected to be resumed before he arrives in mid-December. By then, the Sudan elections, over which Britain and Egypt have clashes with mutual recriminations of interference, will have ended.

Principal obstacles to agreement on evacuation of British troops from the \$1,400,000,000 Suez base are:

1. Whether the 4,000 British technicians to remain after evacuation should wear British uniforms.

2. Definition of the "emergency" circumstances in which Allied troops can again use the base.

Britain insists that the technicians have the right to wear uniforms, even if they do not wear them while on duty. Egypt maintains this would symbolically perpetuate British "occupation" of Egyptian territory and would incur bitter resentment.

Britain wants the right to re-occupy the base on the recommendation of the United Nations in the event of any Middle Eastern country being attacked. Egypt insists that the base be used only if a member of the Arab League is attacked. This would not include Iran, Turkey or Israel.

Memorial To Brave Pilot

FORESTVILLE, Md. (AP)—Five months ago today, Capt. Francis T. Evans Jr., saw that his crippled Sabre jet was headed for a school yard crowded with 250 children.

He put the plane into a dive and leaped only after he was certain it would miss the playground. It did, by 300 yards, but there wasn't time left for his parachute to open.

Sunday, the grateful fathers and mothers of this little suburb of Washington, D. C., gathered in the schoolhouse as Evans' widow dedicated the "Francis T. Evans auditorium."

A children's choir—several of its members were on the playground that day—sang "Saints of God."

Twice during the 90-minute service, the words of the speakers were drowned out by the noise of planes from nearby Andrews air force base, one of the main links in Washington's aerial defence ring.

Torso Murder Victim Remains Unidentified

MONTREAL, (CP)—Police said Monday they believed that a man whose decapitated body was found two weeks ago in an east-end lane was shot twice, once through the head and once through the heart.

The head found last week by men putting up a snow fence about 10 miles north of here, appeared to have been run over by an automobile, they said. Another possibility, they added, was that the head had been crushed in a tobacco press.

Every bone, except the jaw bones, was broken.

Police said the man had no teeth of his own. His upper and lower jaws were intact.

Former President Reveals His Side In Controversy

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP)—Harry S. Truman said Monday night that Harry Dexter White was retained in government service despite accusations of disloyalty against him because it was of great importance that an investigation involving many other persons go forward.

Asserting that final responsibility for this decision was his, the former president said "any unusual action with respect to Mr. White's appointment might well have alerted all the persons involved to the fact the investigation was underway, and thus endanger the success of the investigation."

At that time, in February 1946, White was under consideration for appointment as a member of the international monetary club, a new international organization then being set up.

"Tonight, I want the American people to understand that the course we took protected the public interest and security and at the same time permitted the intensive FBI investigation then in progress to continue."

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C.P.A. Orders Fleet Of Comet Jets

VANCOUVER, (CP)—Canadian Pacific Airlines has ordered a fleet of the latest Comet II jet airliners, president G. W. G. McConachie announced here Monday.

They will be delivered next fall for use on intercontinental routes from Vancouver to the South Pacific and South America. The cost is placed at \$4,500,000.

Mr. McConachie said three of the 500-mile-an-hour jet transports have been ordered from De Havilland of England. CPA has an option on purchase of a fourth for delivery in 1955.

Three Youthful Bandits Sentenced

OTTAWA, (CP)—Characterized in magistrate's court as "potential murderers," three youthful hold-up men were sentenced Monday to Kingston Penitentiary terms totalling 15 years and six months.

Roland Seguin, 20, Jean Croteau, 20 and Gerard Despard, 17, all of the Ottawa area, were convicted of the armed robbery of an Eastview, Ont. taxi driver last Nov. 6. The robbery had netted them \$16.

Seguin, described as the ringleader, received a term of seven years, Croteau five years and Despard, three years and six months.

As the three were led away from the court room, Despard told a reporter: "Write this up good. It may serve as a lesson to keep other young fellows out of trouble like this."

Fined For Selling Imitation Ice Cream

OSHAWA, Ont. (CP)—Magistrate F. S. Ebbs Monday convicted Godfrey Schilling of nearby Whitby on a charge of selling an edible oil product manufactured in such a way that it is an imitation of or resembles . . . ice cream.

The penalty was a fine of \$10 and costs or 10 days.

The charge was laid under an Ontario law, passed in 1952 and amended last spring, banning sale of edible oils products, except oleomargarine, manufactured so as to resemble dairy products.

The product involved in the case, a frozen dessert, was not described by the manufacturer as ice cream.

Magistrate Ebbs said the fine was nominal because "it is a test case." Mr. Schilling said he will appeal.

Million U. S. Children In New Polio Vaccine Test

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE
NEW YORK, (AP)—The crucial test of a new polio vaccine will start Feb. 8, with shots for up to 1,000,000 American school children. Most of the virus from which the vaccine is to be made will be grown at the Connaught Laboratories of the University of Toronto.

Only second-graders in some 200 selected counties will get the vaccine which shows every promise of protecting safely against polio, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis said Monday.

The answer whether polio at last has been conquered won't be known until some time in 1955.

The test will determine whether vaccinated children get less-paralytic polio—or no polio—next summer compared with unvaccinated second-graders or children in the first and third grades.

Triple Tested

The vaccine is one developed by Dr. Jonas E. Salk of the University of Pittsburgh. Each batch of vaccine will be triple-tested for safety.

All vaccinations—a series of three shots for each youngster—must be completed by June 1, before the polio season starts, said Basil O'Connor, foundation president.

Chosen will be counties which have had a high polio rate for the

Repatriation Interviews Called Off By The Reds

PANMUNJOM, (AP)—Without explanation, the Communists command suddenly called off repatriation interviews with 500 Chinese anti-Red prisoners early today, only a few hours before the talks were to begin.

The surprise move came after another overwhelming rejection Monday from shouting, screaming North Korean captives of the 228 interviewed by Communist officers, only six chose to return to the Communist north.

The rest lunged—that they preferred to remain in Allied hands.

Nearly, Allied and Communist diplomats met to open subcommittee debate on arrangements for the Korean peace conference.

One subcommittee is considering the key questions of makeup and site of the peace talks; the other has the task of picking a starting date.

In the prisoner interviews, only 32 working days remain in the 90-day explanation period and it was considered virtually impossible for the Reds to talk to the 20,232 North Korean and Chinese prisoners who have not yet faced Red teams.

It was a familiar scene Monday in the 16 green explanation booths. The North Korean captives exploded in rage at the North Korean officers sitting opposite them. The Reds showed a remarkable capacity for absorbing abuse. Some of the unsuccessful interviews ran as long as three hours.

The percentage of prisoners accepting repatriation Monday was about 2.6—slightly below the 2.9 over-all average for the seven days explanations have been held.

(There has been no indication yet when the UN command will start explanations to 22 Americans, one Briton and 330 remaining South Koreans in India neutral custody.)

New Problem Confronts Doughty Island Senator

OTTAWA, Nov. 16—(Special)—East may meet west in a head-on clash on the top floor of the Parliament buildings here within the next few days.

The clash, which may yet be averted, will be between Prince Edward Island Senator Walter Jones and Senator Thomas Reid of New Westminster, B. C., whose sixth floor office is next door to the office assigned Mr. Jones.

An accomplished and persistent player of the bagpipes, the peppery Pacific Coast Scot keeps in bagpipe practice three or four evenings a week. So lustily does he play that the wailing and squealing of the pipes can be heard all over the building.

Senator Jones is no lover of the bagpipes and doesn't hesitate to say he doesn't think much of them. Asked by The Guardian today what he intends to do if his neighbor senator starts piping when he is engaged on correspondence or preparing a speech, Mr. Jones pondered a few seconds and replied: "If it really gets bad I might stink a reek in them."

Charge Russia Avoiding Talks On Germany

WASHINGTON, (AP)—The Western powers accused Russia Monday of seeking to avoid negotiations on Germany, Austria or anything else "which might have positive results."

In separate, but identical, notes delivered to the Soviet Foreign office in Moscow, Britain, the United States and France also rejected as "totally unacceptable" Russia's price for entering into a Big Four foreign ministers conference on Germany.

Officials here regarded these latest notes as winding up an exchange with the Soviet which began last July on the possibility of a Big Four meeting on Germany. In the course of this exchange the Soviets developed two major demands.

Ontario Holstein Bull Wins Award

TORONTO, (CP)—Rockwood Rocket Tone, owned by the Quinte District Cattle Breeder's Association, Monday won the Holstein bull grand championship at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair here.

Drew Congratulates St. Laurent On Election Win

OTTAWA, (CP)—Hon. George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, Monday offered congratulations in the Commons to Prime Minister St. Laurent for winning the general election last August.

The Opposition leader said as the throne speech debate started: "Once again he holds the highest office to which anyone can be chosen by the free choice of our own people. No matter what differences of opinion we may have as to the way in which the business of this country can best be conducted, and it will be a good thing for Canada if those differences are always expressed in firm and vigorous terms there is, I am sure, agreement that he has and will occupy that high office with distinction and in a manner entirely

in keeping with Canada's high position among the nations of the world.

"I most sincerely extend to him my personal good wishes for health and happiness as he carries out his great responsibilities. Many of us worked very hard to produce a different seating arrangement in this chamber. We will continue to do so. That is the genius and the strength of our democracy.

"Nevertheless, we accept the decision and rejoice that, holding the differences of opinion we do, we are able to meet as friends, without rancor or recrimination, recognizing the vitally important fact that differences of opinion as to how the liberty, security and happiness of our people can best be ensured is in itself the very hallmark of freedom."



TORONTO, (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Dawson	19	—
Victoria	43	51
Calgary	27	37
Edmonton	31	43
Regina	34	51
Toronto	40	52
Ottawa	34	46
Montreal	26	43
Quebec	35	45
Saint John	35	41
Moncton	32	40
Halifax	—	49
Charlottetown	38	41
Sydney	36	42
Yarmouth	37	47
St. Johns	—	39

LIFPAK, (CP)—The Dominion Public Weather Office here says southerly winds will bring drier air to the Maritimes Tuesday and there will be a temporary improvement in weather. However, a band of cloud and showers is forecast to reach the northwestern regions late in the day.

Regional forecasts:
Prince Edward Island, eastern N. B. counties, Lower St. John river valley: Sunny, becoming cloudy in afternoon; milder with south winds 15. Low-high at Charlottetown 35 and 46, Moncton and Fredericton 32 and 47, Saint John 32 and 45.

Upper St. John River valley: — A few clouds, becoming cloudy in afternoon with showers by evening; milder with south winds 15. Low-high at Edmundston 30 and 40.

Bay of Chaleur: Sunny becoming cloudy with showers in afternoon; milder in afternoon; south winds 20. Low-high at Campbellton 25 and 40.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 6:51 A. M. and 7:12 P. M. Sun rises today at 7:13 A. M. and sets at 4:43 P. M.