

British Labor Leaders Ponder How To Punish Small Group of Party Rebels

By Fraser Wighton
LONDON. (Reuters) — Labor party leaders Monday grappled with the problem of how to punish a small group of party rebels without precipitating a large-scale sympathy revolt that might jar the organization to its foundations.

Parliamentary leaders, headed by ex-premier Clement Attlee, met to decide whether to advocate party expulsion of seven members who defied them in last week's House of Commons debate on German rearmament.

Attlee and his colleagues face a thorny problem. With a national election generally felt to be less than a year away, the leaders are determined to bolster up the slack party discipline by punishing those who flouted their orders.

But at the same time, they are aware of the danger of making "martyrs" of conscientious pacifists who insisted on voting against German rearmament in defiance of the party's orders to abstain.

The "shadow cabinet"—the inner circle of party leaders—could do little more than set the machinery in motion if they decided the rebels should be expelled.

An recommendation for such a course would be found to stir up a storm at Tuesday's meeting of the full body of socialist members of Parliament. Parliamentary sources predicted today that a substantial minority of Labor members would resist extreme disciplinary measures against the seven. Final say on the matter is up to the party's national executive.

Most of the opponents of German rearmament, led by left-winger Aneurin Bevan, finally bowed to the pressure brought by their leaders after the parliamentary party voted decisively two weeks ago to support the recent Paris treaties. But a small group ignored the party leadership's orders to abstain from voting on the treaties, which then would have gone through the House of Commons last Thursday night without challenge.

Four labor members, including known pacifists, voted against the treaties, while two others acted as their tellers in the vote. A seventh, John McGovern, also defied the leadership by joining the Conservatives in voting for the treaties.

BLIEVE ONE KILLED
BLOXI, Miss. (AP)—Air force officials said Saturday apparently only one man was aboard a twin-engine B-25 bomber which crashed about 400 yards out from the Biloxi business district in Mississippi sound during an unauthorized flight. Witnesses said the plane roared low over the business district last night, then dived into the Gulf of Mexico, shattering the aircraft and scattering wreckage over a quarter mile area.

DANISH RELIGION
The established religion of Denmark is the Lutheran, introduced in 1536.

The Eastern Guardian

DANCE at Beaver Club Hall, Montague, Friday, November 26th, Don Messers Orchestra.

THERE WILL BE a Bean Supper at the I. O. O. F. Hall, Wednesday, November 24th. Admission 50 cents and 35 cents.

***SALE of food and fancy work, T. M. Lowellyn's store, Montague, Dec. 11, Auspices Presbyterian Young Women's Guild.**

Personals

Mr. Bernard MacDonald, Bear River, and Mr. Ponce Peters, Rollo Bay, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carpenter, Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bernard, French River, were visitors, last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George MacKeeman, Montague.

Mrs. Fred Clair and son Billy spent the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Clair, Montague.

Mr. Fred Clair left the west coast last week on the H.M.C.S. Magnificent, and expects to arrive in Halifax about the fifth of December.

FIREMAN'S BALL
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IT'S GOING TO BE AN ARTISTIC SUCCESS!

Attended Legion Meeting At Ottawa

Mr. J. A. Macdonald of Carleton Place, representative from the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion, returned last week from Ottawa where he attended the regular Council meeting.

Besides drawing up the budget for the coming year, reports from various committees dealing with the many activities of the Legion in Canada were presented and discussed. Plans are going ahead for the building of a new headquarters building in Ottawa and for the erection of a new National War Memorial to commemorate those who gave their lives in all wars in which Canada took part.

General Simmonds addressed the Council and answered a number of questions of the new Militia set-up. Remembrance Day services at the National War Memorial were impressive as usual and successfully televised this year to bring the ceremonies to many parts of the country. A figure familiar to many ex-servicemen taking part that day was Field Marshal Montgomery, who was in Ottawa for a few days in consultation with the Chiefs-of-Staff.

Although the press headlined the Legion's well-known stand on compulsory military training, the Prime Minister and Cabinet was a request for an increase in war veterans' allowance to relieve the serious plight of pensioners in that category. Other important requests contained in the brief were to have the Pension Act amended so that a veteran enlisted as Category "A" should be considered as such for later pension claims, increases in the pension rates for dependent parents and the payment of disability pensions from the date of application.

Legion membership and poppy sales continue to grow and will be expected to increase still more after the Legionary is sent to every member in 1956. Group Capt. Ronald Stewart, former Deputy Provincial Secretary, from this Province, is a key member of the Dominion Council in his dual role as honorary treasurer and member of the Legionary Press thereby providing excellent liaison for this Province.

French, Tunisian Gov'ts Offer Outlaws Amnesty

By HAROLD SIEVE
PARIS (Reuters) — The governments of France and Tunisia agreed Monday to give a choice of 3,000 armed Tunisian outlaws hiding in the mountains—amnesty if they surrender or "pitiless" destruction if they refuse.

The ultimatum will go out over the radio and will be printed on leaflets to be dropped by airplanes over the hill country in southern Tunisia.

The outlaws, known as Fellaghas, up to now have laughed at the efforts of two entire French divisions to find them and root them out of their mountain fortresses.

The ultimatum offers those who lay down their arms and go home complete freedom, even for those suspected of terrorism or murder and for escaped convicts. It also offers them help to return to their normal lives, homes and families.

The marauding Fellaghas, who have made life a nightmare for French planters in Tunisia, have slowed French-Tunisian negotiations on promised home rule for the territory.

French Premier Mendes-France is on record as saying Tunisia will not be given home rule until the Fellagha problem has been settled. France also hopes that the cessation of terrorism in Tunisia will reduce the interest of the community at large. We thank you one and all.

Monday's action followed an ultimatum given in pamphlets dropped from planes into the Aures mountains Saturday, telling loyal villagers to evacuate before a "terrifying disaster" falls on the heads of the rebels. The time limit ended Sunday night, but only 150 families responded, so the limit has been extended.

Western Coal Miners Seek Gov't Help

OTTAWA, (CP)—Western coal miners and operators Monday urged the government to increase subsidies on coal and increase tariffs on American imports to help save their industry from ruin.

The recommendations were included in a brief submitted to Mines Minister Prudham and members of the cabinet by District 18 of the United Mine Workers of America CIO-CCL and mines operators.

They also asked for the establishment of an energy control board to produce a national fuel policy and of an emergency committee to study the problems of western mines and recommend solutions within 60 days.

The miners and operators said an increase in tariffs on U. S. coal imports should be high enough to cut imports to 20,000,000 tons a year, from 22,000,000 tons. They said an increase of 2,000,000 tons on western coal consumption would allow the industry to live.

Production in the west had dropped by 3,000,000 tons to 9,329,000 tons since 1949 and 62 mines had closed during that time. Many mines now operated only a few days a week.

Job of Running Montreal Is Big Business

MONTREAL, (CP)—The complex job of running Canada's largest city is "big business" from any angle.

With more than 1,000,000 Montrealers to serve, the civic budget for the year ending next April 30 calls for expenditures of \$90,193,412—more than the amount budgeted annually by seven of the 10 Canadian provinces. Only Ontario, British Columbia and Quebec have bigger budgets than Montreal.

A 99-man city council is responsible for administration of the civic bankroll. But operations are more directly under the control of a seven-man executive committee, including six council members and the mayor.

Most of the money comes from taxes on real estate, sales, water and the like. Substantial amounts are derived from the sale of permits and licences, fines, and rental of city-owned land.

INTEREST IN MILLIONS
Interest on the public debt takes another \$15,000,000.

Other multi-million dollar amounts are spent by the police and fire departments; by the roads department which is responsible for snow removal; by the parks and playgrounds department and by the health and social welfare departments.

The health department expenditures cover such things as the maintenance of 16 well-baby clinics, a tuberculosis and a nursing section.

The city is watching with interest indications that the Quebec and Ottawa governments will settle their differences over a taxation agreement.

Should the province conclude a tax agreement with the federal government and obtain substantial annual payments, the city is expected to make a bid for additional help from Quebec.

There have been suggestions that

New Baptist Parsonage Dedicated At Montague Service Sunday Evening

"We are met together in the presence of God this evening to dedicate this house to God and to the Saints of God throughout the pastorate, who have faithfully ministered to their pastors and have responded to the ministry of the Lord; to the memory of the ministry of all previous pastors; to those who shall in the future minister in this pastorate from this building; to the spiritual building of the saints of God in this pastorate, and as concrete witness to the faithfulness of God, in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost."

Thus the beautiful new Baptist parsonage at Montague was formally dedicated by the pastor Rev. Rowland G. Hill on Sunday evening, Nov. 21.

The Rev. Mr. Hill expressed the appreciation of the congregation to members of the building committee, who were, Mr. Leroy White, chairman, and Mr. Gordon MacNeill, Mr. Colin Jackson, Mr. Tom Fraser, Mr. Hubert White, Mr. Ben Sencabaugh, Mr. Wilson Moore, Mr. Alex Jackson, Mr. Bert Taylor, Mr. Arthur MacNeill, Mr. Albert MacLeod, Mr. Bruce MacIntyre, and Mr. Clive MacIntyre, for their loyal and helpful support. Mr. Hill further added, "We are not unmindful of the numbers of voluntary workers who have labored so faithfully and well; the helpfulness of our neighbors, especially Bell's Service Station, and the sympathetic interest of the community at large. We thank you one and all."

Honey Crop At 28-Year Low

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's honey crop this year dropped to a 28-year low of 19,888,000 pounds due principally to unfavorable weather.

The bureau of statistics, issuing preliminary estimates, reported Monday this was 25 per cent smaller than the 1953 crop of 26,354,000 pounds and 43 per cent below the 1943-52 average of 34,600,000.

Quebec was the only province to record an increase, its crop rising to 3,835,000 pounds from 2,972,000.

Crops of eastern provinces, with 1953 figures in brackets: New Brunswick 118,000 (124,000); Nova Scotia 130,000 (137,000); Prince Edward Island 65,000 (68,000).

The city should get a part of the amount collected by the province in taxes on gasoline and on motor cars, and from the sale of provincially-owned hydro power.

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Souris Hospital Ladies Auxiliary Hold Anniversary Tea

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Mrs. Daniel MacEachern and Mrs. Arthur Paquet poured the tea. Refreshments were served by Miss Ellen Stead, Mrs. M. J. McQuaid, Mrs. Leonard MacCormack, Mrs. Angus MacCormack, Mrs. J. B. St. John, Mrs. E. Kasser, Mrs. Annie Poole, Mrs. R. C. MacLean and Mrs. J. P. MacPhee.

SURPRISE FOR CHIEF
MIDDLESBROUGH, England (CP) — Chief constable A. E. Edwards of this Yorkshire city spotted his own lost tennis racket while showing visitors around the police lost property department.

Business Girl Plans Worry-Free Future

Important Notice to all SHORN SHEEP:

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Souris Children Observe Book Week

The Prince Edward Island library branch at Souris was exceptionally busy last week during "Young Canada's Book Week". The pupils from both schools took advantage of the occasion to acquaint themselves with the books on hand. The lower classes were accompanied by their teachers who read parts of books to them and then took the books to the schools to complete the stories for the children at a later date. The library had received a shipment of books the week before and thus had a variety of appropriate books for the occasion.

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