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CANADA TO SPEED ARMS PURCHASES IN THE U. K.

Air Force Experts Explain "Saucer" Sightings

Forest Fire Threatens Tiny Fishing Village In Nfld.; N. S. Fire Under Control

GRAND BANK, Nfld., July 29—(CP)—A wind-whipped forest fire was bearing down on the tiny fishing settlement of White Point tonight and fire fighters abandoned all hope of holding it in check. Villagers in the community about 20 miles north of here on the west side of the Burin Peninsula were evacuating their homes and preparing to flee in small boats. The blaze got away from R. C. P. and volunteer fire crews this afternoon when high southerly winds drove it into heavy timber. It was burning on a front of a mile and a half and had bored over two miles through tinder-dry forest. The blaze started yesterday near the Peninsula highway and was believed caused by berry pickers.

In Cape Breton
SYDNEY, N. S., July 29—(CP)—A four-day forest fire which threatened a tiny settlement on the gentle slopes of Kelly's mountain is virtually under control tonight.

Coming Events

- Rollo Bay Tea Party, Wednesday, July 30.
- Dance in Howe's Hall every Friday.
- Sandy's Drive-In Theatre, shows Tuesday and Friday's 9 p.m.
- Lawn party, dance, Lot 65, Thursday. Burns Orchestra.
- Reserve Tuesday, July 26th, for Lot 8 Mission Picnic at West Point.
- Mail your films and negatives to Garnhua Studios, Charlottetown.
- Try our Purina Finance Plan for hogs and poultry. Dillon & Spillett.
- Dance, Summerville School, Wednesday, 30th. Burke's Orchestra.
- Ice cream festival and dance in 10 Mile House school, Wednesday, July 30. Good music.
- Dance, St. Charles Hall, every Thursday, 9.30 to 1. Chaisson's Orchestra.
- St. Mary's Parish, Montague, Chicken Supper, Beaver Club Hall, Wednesday, July 30th.
- Barn dance Fort Augustus Hall Wednesday, July 30. Hughes' Orchestra.
- Ice Cream Social and Bazaar, Wednesday, July 30th, in Millvale School, Millvale W. I.
- Show in Morell Hall on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday only at 8.30 P. M.
- Weekly dance in Rustico Cross School, Oyster Bed Bridge Thursday night.
- Dance to the music of MacDonald's Orchestra at the last "Barn Dance", North Tryon, Wednesday, July 30th.
- Ice Cream Social in New London Hall, Wednesday evening, July 30th, at 8 P. M. Sponsored by United Church Ladies' Aid.
- Weekly Thursday night Dance Mt. Stewart Canadian Legion Hall MacKenzie Orchestra. Canteen service. Admission 50 cents.
- South Rustico chicken supper and bazaar, games and refreshments, Wednesday, July 30. Dance to Charlottetownians Orchestra, 8.30 to 12.30.
- Hi, Folks! Come to Brackley School Thursday evening, July 31. Ice cream and cake or tea and sandwiches. Canteen. In aid of Brackley W. I.
- Marshfield-Dunstaffnage United Church tea on church grounds, Thursday evening, July 31st. Come and enjoy a delicious supper.
- Will be loading hogs at the following points each Thursday, Summerside until 1.30 p.m. and Kensington until 3.00 p.m. MacEwen and Casley.
- Attention! All those who have loved ones buried in Dundas United Church Cemetery who have not been paying the annual fee of one dollar please send to John C. MacBeth, St. Peter's, R. N., Treasurer.
- Dance in St. Mary's Hall, Souris, Friday, August 1st. Al Blanchard's Orchestra. Auxiliaries of Hospital Auxiliary. Canteen Service. Admission \$1.00. Door prize. Dress optional.

Washington Visitors Due To Natural Causes

WASHINGTON, July 29—(AP)—Radar screens showed flying unidentified objects over Washington for five hours, early today, but Air Force experts said they appeared to be mere layers of cold air. Maj.-Gen. John Samford, director of air force intelligence, discounted any theory that the Washington area is being menaced by aerial vehicles from abroad or from other worlds. Radar operators at the Civil Aeronautics Administration Traffic Control Centre reported scores of unidentified objects flitted about the capital sky. It was the third time in 10 days that radar—an electronic device which tracks only physical objects—picked up signs of something moving through predawn black skies. On the two earlier occasions, sightings were confirmed by more than one radar set, and pilots said they saw mysterious lights zooming higher and lower. Today's sightings—little spots on a fluorescent radar screen—were unconfirmed by other radar sets in the area or by visual sky watchers. Samford and fellow air force officers told a press conference that they are satisfied there was a natural cause. Their explanation: In hot, humid weather layers of cold air are likely to get sandwiched between layers of warm air, in what is called a temperature inversion. These layers produce strong reactions on radar screens. They didn't add any specific explanation of the reported moving lights, but presumably the cold air layers could reflect searchlights or other lights from the earth below.

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Red Cross Delegates Fend Off Attacks By Russians

By H. Dent Hodgson
TORONTO, July 29—(CP)—Delegates to the 18th International Red Cross conference today fended off a Russian-backed attempt to discredit the International Committee of the Red Cross. The I.C.R.C., the original Red Cross body composed of 25 Swiss citizens, was attacked by the Russians on the ground that it is not neutral and not impartial. The general commission of the conference voted three times in support of this body, but the commission's chairman, Andre Francois-Poncet, failed to keep the Russian and Red satellite countries from repeating their charges. Francois-Poncet repeatedly asked delegates to keep away from political speeches and attempted to speed the work of the commission. However, he was outmaneuvered by the Russian bloc led by Gen. Nikolai Slaviv. It was evident that after nearly a week of meetings here, the (Continued on Page 5 Col. 5)

Famous Mountie Says Not Through Fighting Reds

By Douglas How
OTTAWA, July 29—(CP)—Superintendent John Leopold, in the first interview granted after 34 years of open and underground vigil over Communism, said today Canadian Communism now is probably stronger than ever and that he has no intention of dropping his vigil when he retires shortly. R. C. M. P. headquarters announced that pre-retirement leave will start Aug. 1 for the short, stocky Bohemian who came to Canada 40 years ago and became known as the most famous Mountie of them all as well as the force's expert on Reds. He is 62. The man who sent eight Red leaders to prison in 1931 with evidence he accumulated in seven years as a secret agent in Communist ranks said the Communist movement in Canada now has stripped to a hard core of men and women who ask no questions and are full-time devotees of Moscow. The Mounties kept him on duty two extra years because of his knowledge of the Reds—knowledge which was a lower of strength in the spy probe of 1945-46.

Canada Has Surplus In Foreign Trade

OTTAWA, July 29—(CP)—Canada scored a \$109,800,000 foreign-trade surplus in the first five months of the year, a reversal of the trend toward a heavy deficit a year ago, the Bureau of Statistics reported today. Even though Canada had a small deficit last May, the first in nine months, record-making exports for the five-month period reversed last year's trend when there was a \$295,200,000 deficit during January-May. Exports for the five months climbed to a peak \$1,735,900,000, up \$304,000,000 from \$1,449,700,000 in the comparative period last year while imports slipped to \$1,626,100,000 from \$1,742,000,000. Even the May deficit showed a sharp change from last year. It amounted to \$70,000,000, only a fraction of the \$78,100,000 deficit during May, 1951. The five-month trade showed two distinct trends: 1. A difficulty to boost exports to the United States beyond last year's levels. 2. A sharp increase in sales to Britain in spite of that country's dollars shortage.

News In Brief

- NASSAU, The Bahamas, July 29—(CP)—A base for guided missiles on Grand Bahamas Island, which took 17 months to build, will be officially turned over to the United States Air Force tomorrow. Three others will be completed within two months.
- EXETER, England, July 29—(AP)—Novelist J. B. Priestley was divorced today by his wife. She accused him of misconduct. The Priestleys were married in 1926 and have two grown children.
- ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., July 29—(CP)—Defence Production Minister Howe opened a \$5,000,000 machine plant here today and predicted Newfoundland had made no mistake by joining Canada and its rapid strides toward industrial development.

Number Of Railway Trackmen Laid Off On Island Division

It was learned officially yesterday that twenty-nine men employed by the Canadian National Railways as sectionmen on the Island Division have been notified that they have been laid off. Railway officials stated that this is due to a falling off in traffic and the need for economy. When traffic picks up again there is a possibility that the men will be re-employed. The economy move is said to be general across Canada and is expected to apply to all section "gangs" of more than four men. In such instances one man, presumably the junior member, will be laid off.

U. S. Moves To Control Spreading Hog Disease

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 29—(AP)—The United States Department of Agriculture has quarantined hogs in California in part of its effort to control a swine disease, vesicular exanthema, has appeared. Areas of infection were cited in a daily newspaper advertisement which the department carried here today under the heading, "Notice regarding vesicular exanthema." Vesicular exanthema is similar to foot-and-mouth disease but does not affect cattle and sheep. Until recently it had been restricted to California.

Not Through Yet

"But," he said, "if the Commies think they're finished with me now because I'm retiring, they're wrong." He said he intends to carry on with his vigil as a citizen, that he feels "The Canadian people should be alert to the dangers they face." His writings, he hinted, might even include a "two-listed" book recounting his experiences as an underground agent. The Communist movement, he said, has lost 10,000 of the 18,000 members it had in 1949 but it is probably stronger than ever because it "has stripped down to a hard core of men and women whose loyalty to Russia takes precedence over everything else."

Not Real Leader

Tim Buck, Labor-Progressive party leader, he said, is only the nominal head. Buck isn't and (Continued on Page 5 Col. 3)

Most Grain Crop Acreages Up

OTTAWA, July 29—(CP)—Canada's farmers planted 25,994,000 acres to wheat this year, up from last year's 25,254,000 when Canada produced a near-record 562,000,000-bushel wheat crop, the Bureau of Statistics estimated today. Of the total, 25,345,000 acres were sown to spring wheat, a gain of about 800,000 acres from 24,551,000 last year. The remainder was sown to fall wheat. The oats acreage was estimated at 11,869,000, down from last year's 11,897,000. Acreages for barley, rye and flaxseed were high. With world market for coarse grains fairly active, farmers boosted production of barley to 8,475,000 acres, up from 7,840,000 last year; rye to 1,257,000 from 1,127,000; and flaxseed to 1,205,500 from 1,158,500. Out west where most of Canada's wheat is grown, the prairie spring wheat acreage was estimated at 25,204,000, compared with 24,385,000 last year. Spring wheat acreage by provinces with last year's comparison in brackets: Manitoba 2,268,000 (2,326,000); Saskatchewan 14,832,000 (15,635,000); Alberta 6,400,000 (6,424,000).

Will Aid Britain In Overcoming Economic Crisis

By Harold Morrison
OTTAWA, July 29—(CP)—Canada plans to use part of her \$5,000,000,000 defence program to help Britain overcome an economic crisis threatening the sterling area. Informants said today that Canada is directing arms orders to U. K. factories with two objectives in mind: to bolster Canada's defences and to provide Britain with more dollars. In this way, some \$75,000,000 already has been allocated to pay for a light aircraft carrier, Centurion tanks and for electronics equipment. Secret negotiations now are going on, they added, for more arms orders. If these are successful, more Canadian dollars will find their way into the British Treasury. This was disclosed as Prime Minister Churchill announced that a Commonwealth Prime Ministers' conference will be held in London in November to review together the pressing issues of financial, commercial and economic policy with which our several governments are faced. Officials in Ottawa said that Prime Minister St. Laurent will attend "all or part" of the session, which will open about the time the next session of the Canadian Parliament is scheduled to start Nov. 20. Drew Pleased George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader said calling of the conference "is the best news we have had for a long time. Trade within the Commonwealth and particularly with Great Britain is vital to Canada. It is to be hoped that this conference may revive trade within the Commonwealth and our sale of primary products to Great Britain on which our farmers and others so largely depend for their prosperity." There was little reaction among trade officials at the announcement by Richard Butler, Chancellor of the Exchequer, that Britain will make further cuts in 1952 buying program in an effort to bring her trade into balance. They said that Britain already has pared buying in Canada to the essentials and outside of the cut in tobacco purchases there seemed to be little extra trimming Britain could do without harming her export drive and rearmament effort. In a drive to stave off bank-

Demands U. S. Missions Be Ousted From Iran

By Nate Polowetzky
TEHRAN, July 29—(AP)—Demands for the withdrawal of United States military missions erupted in Parliament today and the Nationalist newspaper Asr said Premier Mohammed Mossadegh's Government has decided to end the missions' services. The newspaper, which occasionally gets tips from sources close to the government, said Iranian officials reasoned they did not need a strengthened army since they "have no intention of attacking anybody." Maj.-Gen. Wayne Zimmerman, head of the army mission, called on Mossadegh today and U. S. Ambassador Roy Henderson made his second visit to the Premier in three days. Zimmerman said in an interview he did not discuss current anti-U. S. manifestations with Mossadegh but "paid my respects to him as Minister of National Defence and told him the army mission was ready to give any assistance necessary to the Ministry of Defence." The army mission trains the Iranian army. A gendarmarie mission trains and advises the national police. A military assistance advisory group advises and supplies the army. It could not be determined what the ambassador and the premier discussed, but a usually reliable source said it had nothing to do with the situation of Americans in Iran. Demands for the expulsion of the missions undoubtedly result in part from a fear of provoking Russia. The Soviets contend that Iran's acceptance of U. S. military aid violates the 1921 Russian-Iranian friendship treaty.

Funeral Of Eva Peron May Be Delayed Days

By Fred L. Strosier
BUENOS AIRES, July 29—(AP)—Grieving Argentines, anxious to pay their last respects to Eva Peron, poured into Buenos Aires today in such numbers that funeral services for the first lady may be delayed several days. President Juan D. Peron decided the body of his wife would continue to lie in state in the Labor Ministry at least through tomorrow. Since Sunday lines of mourners at least a mile long day and night have waited their turn, unimpaired by rain and cold, leaden skies. Despite government pleas for them to stay at home, thousands from the provinces came today by trains, buses and cars. When the press of these sorrowing people has diminished, Peron said, the body will be removed from the Labor Ministry to lie in state for a full day in the National Congress building. Then it will be moved again for burial in the hall of the General Labor Confederation (C.G.T.). Possibly this unprecedented demonstration of respect will end tomorrow. The C.G.T., whose 6,000,000 members made Mrs. Peron a power in Argentine politics, ordered workers back to their jobs after two days of mourning. The procession of mourners has moved more quietly since the great crush Sunday night and Monday morning, in which four persons were known to have died and four others reported killed. Some 2,500 were reported injured. The government press office said one of Mrs. Peron's last requests was for the President to keep alive the charity system she instituted. She also asked that a monument which congress ordered erected to her memory in the centre of Buenos Aires contain a letter box where appeals from the poor can be placed. The press office said Peron had directed that this be done.

Returns From Educational Conference In Switzerland

High honor was accorded Dr. Lloyd W. Shaw, Director of Education for this Province, when he attended the international educational conference at Geneva, Switzerland, this month. Dr. Shaw returned from Europe last night. At the request of the United Nations he made a recording for broadcast to Europe, Asia and North America on the aims and purposes of the conference. And during the final day of the 10-day meeting, the British Commonwealth delegates named him to be the official spokesman to express the appreciation of those from the Empire for the treatment and hospitality accorded them. During his attendance at the convention Dr. Shaw also had the honor of serving on the two committees named to study specific problems. One of them, he stated last night, was of particular interest as it dealt with the "access of women to education." This subject presented many aspects for study as it was more particularly concerned with various countries which have not as yet reached the state of developments in the field of education that has been attained by nations on this side of the Atlantic Ocean. Dr. Shaw found the work on this committee of great interest as members from the more developed countries were able to give representatives of the others the benefit of the forward strides made in their homelands. 51 Nations Represented The Geneva conference was attended by 102 delegates from 51 nations and it was particularly (Continued on Page 11 Col. 2)

Need Canadians For U. S. Potato Harvest

MALONE, N. Y., July 29—(AP)—The Adirondack Potato Growers Association will recruit 300 Canadian workers to help harvest the fall crop in three counties if the United States Immigration Service approves. George McCoy of nearby Burke, secretary of the association, said that growers fear a labor shortage can not be met by U. S. workers. Application has been made to the immigration service for permission to bring in Canadians, he said. Growers expect to harvest the potatoes between Sept. 10 and Oct. 10. The association which has members in Franklin, Essex and Clinton counties, did not give an estimate of the expected harvest. (Continued on Page 5 Col. 4)

Two Sentenced In Saffecracking Case

OTTAWA, July 29—(CP)—Two Montreal men were sentenced to 2 1/2 years each in Kingston Penitentiary today when they pleaded guilty to attempted saffecracking. Oscar Shore, 41, and John White, 34, were nabbed inside the Canadian Tire Corporation building last week by police who went to the scene in response to an anonymous telephone tip. The men had saffecracking tools in their possession. Shore and White still face a charge of saffecracking in Verdun, Que. They were free on bail of \$950 when they were arrested.

WOMEN DON'T MARRY AS EARLY AS THEY USED TO BUT THEY DO IT OFTENER



HALIFAX, July 29—(CP)—Official forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office in Halifax and valid until midnight Wednesday. Synopsis: Sunny and cooler weather is forecast Wednesday for the Maritimes. Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island: Wednesday sunny and cooler. Light winds. Low and high at Charlottetown 55 and 70. High tide today at Charlottetown at 3.23 A. M. and 4.26 P. M. High tide on the North Shore at 11.27 A. M. and 11.06 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 4.55 A. M. and sets at 7.43 P. M.

Arrival Yesterday Of HMCS Brockville

Lieut. Commander John H. Maxner, R. C. N., Commander of the naval minesweeper H.M.C.S. Brockville, accompanied by Lieut. J. M. Richard of the H.M.C.S. "Queen Charlotte", made an official call on Premier J. Walter Jones yesterday morning followed by a similar visit to Mayor J. D. Stewart at City Hall. The customary official call on Hon. T. W. L. Prowse, Lieutenant Governor had to be omitted, due to His Honour being a patient in the P. E. Island Hospital. The "Brockville", which has been on a training cruise ranging from Halifax to Sydney and Newfoundland, arrived here yesterday morning and will sail for Halifax on Thursday. Officers and men are being suitably entertained at the "Queen Charlotte" and a party of officers were driven to the North Shore yesterday afternoon on a sight-seeing trip. Four P. E. Islanders are included in the crew of the Minesweeper, namely Joseph R. Buote, Joseph B. Bruce and John E. Bell and Harry Acorn, all of Charlottetown. The ship will be open to visitors this afternoon from 2 to 4.30.

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