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CANADIAN TRADE COMMISSIONER KILLED IN CAIRO RIOT

Egyptian King Dismisses Premier And Cabinet

Two Additional Planes Added To M.C.A. Fleet

The fast-growing fleet of planes in use by the Maritime Central Airways will be even further expanded this week with the arrival of two more which were recently purchased in New York.

One of them, a PBY 5A Canso, was bought from the Herald Tribune, one of New York's largest newspapers, where it was used as the private plane of the proprietor, Mr. Ogden R. Reid. It is fitted with couches for daytime flying and at night they can be converted to full-size beds.

The plane also has a completely outfitted kitchen including range, refrigerator and all other facilities, and is heated throughout. Thermostatic controls regulate the supply of heat either in the air or on the ground.

The Canso also has every possible navigation aid and is thoroughly equipped for world-wide travel. It holds 12 passengers as presently set up and will be used by the M. C. A. in the contract flying of personnel of the United States Army Corps of Engineers employed in defence installations in Labrador.

It will be delivered here this week by Mr. Lloyd Rondeau, private pilot of Mr. Reid. Mr. Rondeau is one of the few surviving members of the early war days of the Ferry Command, as is Captain Carl Burke of the M. C. A.

Another plane is also being flown in here this week by Capt. R. W. Mills, of M. C. A., who left by air for New York Saturday to bring back a 25-passenger D. C. 3. The new plane has a full airline interior and is expected at the local airport today.

Coming Events

**Seeds! Send for free catalogue. Arthur Vesey, York.

**Skating tonight at Hunter River rink.

**Hockey Wiltshire tonight, Breadalbane vs. Wiltshire. Skate after. Canteen service.

**League game Covehead Rink tonight between Covehead Flyers and York Rangers.

**For Snapshots that will not fade mail your Films and Negatives to Garnhum Photo Studios Charlottetown.

**Hockey North River rink tonight. Covehead Red Wings vs. Milton Hornets. Game time 8:15. Skate after.

**Come to the hockey game at Fredericton rink tonight, Married Men vs. the Jets. Game time 8 sharp.

**Notice. — Monday, January 28th, cutting ice for the public, three days. Elmer MacDonald, Crapaud.

**Hockey tonight at Sandy's, Sandy's Ramblers vs. West Covehead Crescents. League game. Skate after.

**Shur-Gain Amateur Cavalcade, Marshfield Hall, January 30th at 8 p.m. Sponsored by Dunstaffnage Women's Institute.

**Victoria rink tonight, second league game, Tryon Arrows vs. Victoria Sea Dogs and Crapaud Heartbreakers Sisters vs. Tryon Arrows Sisters. First game 8:15 sharp.

**The Annual Meeting of the Wiltshire Dairying Co., Ltd., will be held in North Wiltshire Hall, on Monday, February 11th, 1952, at 2 P. M Nelson Hatherley, Secretary.

**As we are only setting to orders on hand, it would be advisable for any person wanting baby chicks for February and March delivery to place their orders with us immediately. Dillon & Spillett.

**Mount Stewart Strawberry Growers Exchange. Members are invited to attend a special meeting at 8 P. M., Wednesday, January 30th, at Canadian Legion Hall to discuss form of incorporation. Pius MacDonald, President.

**Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers Ltd., each Tuesday at Crapaud and Carleton. When roads are impassable farmers are asked to deliver hogs to our trucks at Crapaud, and Carleton, up until 11 A. M. each Tuesday, under the same arrangement as last year. R. N. Dawson, Phone No. 12—11 or 17.

**The 1952 Prince Edward Island Drama Festival information booklet is now ready, and will be mailed free upon request to the secretary, J. R. Murphy at Summerside. Three act plays will be allowed entry this year, also a special class for groups entering Festival for the first time.

**Booking orders for car of asphalt shingles and sidings delivery in spring. Call now and get our prices. We have in stock a limited supply of register Laurentian Turnip Seed. This seed originated from Macdonald College. There will be shortage of register seed. You are well advised to get yours now. Consult us about your feeding problem. All poultry feeds are in new jute bags. E. J. MacDougall, Vernon.

Drew Critical Of Appointment

OTTAWA, Jan. 27 —(CP) — George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, Friday night criticized the Government for not first consulting Parliament before announcing a change in the office of Canada's Governor-General.

Mr. Drew's office here said it had advised him at Nassau, Bahamas, where he is holidaying, of the appointment of Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey to succeed Viscount Alexander as Governor-General. It said Mr. Drew, in reply, authorized the following statement.

"There will be surprise and regret that the government has made this very important decision without first consulting the elected representatives of the people in Parliament."

Korean Truce Talks Begin To Move Again

MUNSAN, Korea, Jan. 28 — (Monday) — (AP) — United Nations and Communist negotiators Sunday temporarily dropped the controversial airfield construction issue and agreed to begin lower level deliberations today on an Allied draft of a Korean armistice.

The draft left blank spaces for possible later agreement on two other unsettled issues — exchange of prisoners and recommendations to belligerent governments.

A major allied effort to get the stalled conferences moving again, the detailed draft reduced to black and white points which already have been agreed upon or which were near agreement in the last seven months.

"Ladder Gang" In New Jewelry Break

LONDON, Jan. 27—(Renters) — England's "Ladder Gang", which has baffled the best brains of Britain's police headquarters, struck again Friday, raiding a Suffolk country mansion and escaping with $17,000 worth of jewelry. Since November the gang, always using a ladder "borrowed" for the occasion, has got away with $170,000 worth of jewelry and furs from country mansions.

Martial Law Brings Quiet After Rioting

CAIRO, Jan. 28 —(Monday) — (CP) — King Farouk, acting abruptly in his palace in the heart of his smoke-blackened, curfew-silent capital, last night dismissed the Egyptian Government which had been unable to prevent or halt Saturday's orgy of rioting, arson and looting.

News of the King's sudden move buzzed over telephone wires as the city was just beginning to recover from a day and a night of terror at the hands of frenzied anti-British mobs. Landmarks razed included the famous Shepheard's Hotel.

The King dismissed Premier Mustapha Nahas Pasha and all his Wafdist Party cabinet. He named an independent, Aly Maher Pasha, to form a government from the four parties who had opposed Nahas Pasha in parliament. He will also hold the posts of foreign minister and minister for the army and navy.

Rigid Curfew

This sudden political turn came while Cairo, under the clamp of martial law, its streets deserted, its citizens confined to their home after nightfall by a rigid curfew, still totalled the deaths and damage from Saturday's violence.

The premier designate, Maher Pasha, was premier early in the Second World War, but was interned later after a member of Prime Minister Winston Churchill's Government accused him of talking with the Italian enemy.

His first public announcement was that he would seek to restore law and order though he would continue striving to achieve national aspirations—evacuation of British forces from the Suez Canal zone and union with the Sudan.

Many Arrested

Faud Serag El Din Pasha, interior minister in Nahas Pasha's cabinet, told reporters that 300 persons had been arrested as responsible for Saturday's events. He said the police were still rounding up the ringleaders and others suspected of having fomented the disturbances.

Ahmed Hussein, an admirer of Hitler and Mussolini and leader of the pre-war Green Shirts, was among those under arrest. He was charged with "top responsibility" for the mob action.

Police estimated that about 20 persons had been killed and 80 wounded in the all-day mob violence, but no accurate figures were yet available. Britain listed her dead, wounded and missing as 14.

West Germany Seeks N.A.T.O. Membership

PARIS, Jan. 27— (AP)— West Germany tonight demanded membership in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization as her price for aiding Western defence.

Prof. Walter Hallstein, chief German delegate to six-power European army talks now going on here, made the demand as delegates argued over a treaty to establish such a unified force within N.A.T.O.

He said Germany should be brought into N.A.T.O. immediately or if this were not possible—under an interim system which would protect Germany's rights.

Canada's Immigration At Highest Peak Since 1913

OTTAWA, Jan. 27—(CP)—Canada admitted 174,715 new citizens in the first 11 months of 1951, more than any year since 1913.

The immigrants were drawn from countries in all parts of the world, but the biggest increase—331 percent—was shown in the movement from Northern Europe.

The 1951 total compared with 66,851 immigrants for the corresponding 11-month period in 1950, an increase of 161 per cent.

From the United Kingdom came 28,929 compared with 12,374; the United States 7,399 compared with 7,252; Northern Europe 65,182 compared with 15,123. other countries 73,265 compared with 32,102.

The record was set in 1913—the last year before the outbreak of the First World War—when new citizens totalled 400,000.

Former enemy countries and countries behind the Iron Curtain supplied many of the immigrants last year. From Germany came 27,844 compared with 4,900 in the corresponding 11 months of 1950. Italy sent 21,312 compared with 8,258. Only three came from Japan compared with nine the previous year.

A total of 2,453 Chinese was admitted compared with 1,536.

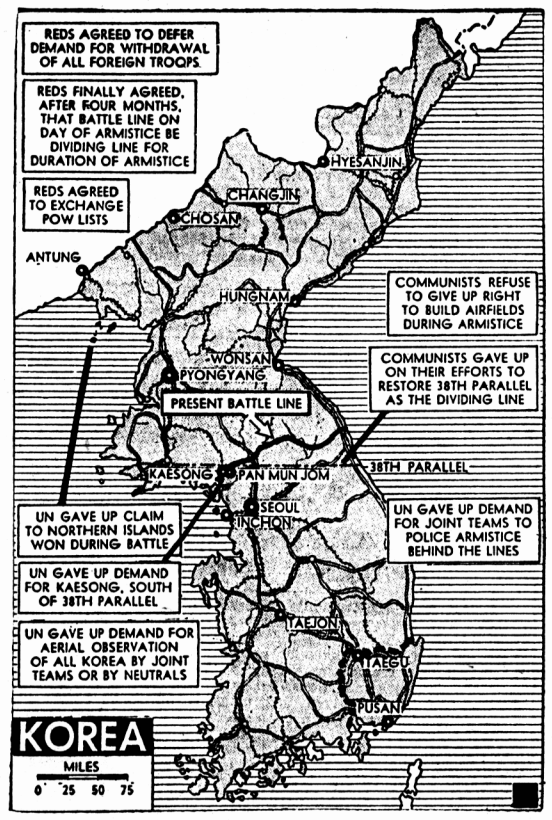
From Iron-Curtain countries were these totals, with the figures for the corresponding period of 1950 in Brakets:-

Czechoslovakia 2,832 (1,268); Yugoslavia 3,310 (832); Russia 1,960 (540); Romania 835 (343); Poland 11,262 (6,137); Lithuania 1,112 (859); and Latvia 2,482 (1,667).

All immigrants are screened for security purposes before they are accepted by Canadian immigration teams overseas.

The Department's report showed that heaviest movement of immigrants came in October and November. A total of 22,588 arrived in October and 22,242 in November. The previous high was 20,000 in May.

After Half-Year Of Peace Talks



Map charts the principal points of agreement and disagreement in the wrangling at Kaesong and Panmunjom since last July. Now, after half a year, U.N.-Communist negotiators are still deadlocked on many issues although compromise on numerous points has brought the armistice talks a long way forward on the road to peace.

100,000 Sheep, 30,000 Cattle Lost In Australian Bush Fires; 8 Persons Dead

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 27 —(Reuters)—A great pall of smoke hung over the entire southeastern corner of this continent today from raging bushfires which have swept through the tindery scrubland, burning at least eight persons to death and causing untold damage to livestock and farmlands.

The stench of burned animals drifted across the main off-shore shipping lanes and lighthouse keepers sounded fog horns to keep boats from running aground on the shrouded coast.

Agricultural experts estimate the fires have caused more than $8,000,000 worth of damage. On the south coast alone 100,000 sheep and 30,000 cattle have been killed.

Besides the eight people confirmed dead and at least eight critically burned several others are missing.

Heavy rains smothered the blazes in several areas last night, but today the bush lept into flames again cutting black swathes miles wide across the land.

In one area convicts were released from jail to help cut firebreaks and beat back the flames. Whole townships have been mobilized to bring the roaring inferno under control.

The government has ordered a probe into the cause of the disaster. One of the worst fires is known to have started when a hunter fired an incendiary bullet att a rabbit.

The R.A.A F. is keeping planes ready in Melbourne to fly needed blood plasma to victims in the fire-stricken areas. Doctors and nurses are working on a round-the-clock schedule to treat the injured.

Viscount Alexander Awarded Earldom

LONDON, Jan. 27 — (Reuters)—Viscount Alexander has been awarded an earldom on relinquishing the post of governor-general of Canada, it was announced tonight.

Lord Alexander, the man who outwitted German Marshal Erwin Rommel in the North African desert campaign of the Second World War, is expected to become Britain's defence minister in the near future.

Appointment of Vincent Massey, former Canadian high commissioner in London, as governor-general of Canada to succeed Lord Alexander was announced here Friday.

Prime Minister Churchill had been his own defence minister since he was returned to power in October. But he hinted in parliament recently that he might hand over the job.

Three Canadian Priests Expelled From Red China

VATICAN CITY, Jan. 27—(AP) —Three Canadian Jesuit priests, Maurice Begin, Leon Malois and Philip Guimet, all of Montreal, have been expelled from China, the International Fides Service which specializes in Catholic missionary news, reported Saturday.

The priests arrived in Hong Kong from Tasukia, Kiangsu, on Jan. 14 after having been in prison for three months. They were charged by Communist authorities of being "imperialistic in spirit and tendencies", and were also accused of being "oppressors of the people."

Fides said their trial was preceded by a night-long harangue during which villagers of Tasukia were urged to do their "patriotic duty" and denounce the foreigners. Some of the villagers had come to the priests and asked for help to formulate charges against them because of pressure by Communist authorities, said Fides.

LONDON — (CP) — The historic coach built for the Lord Mayor of London in 1757 is being dismantled for an overhaul. The coach is believed to have become affected by dry rot.

Shriners Hold Annual Meeting

HALIFAX, Jan. 27—(CP)—Alex B. Crook was elected illustrious potentate of the Philae Temple Shrine at the annual meeting held here Saturday.

Shriners from Sydney Yarmouth, Charlottetown, and other communities attended.

Installation of the new officers was conducted by Charles Cole immediate past potentate.

Other officers of the shrine for 1952 are: Warren Jollymore, chief rabban; Lacder Fraser, assistant rabban; E. J. Matheson H. P. and prophet; Harold McIsaac, orlental guide; George L. Burrows, recorder, and Fred M. Walker, treasurer.

Victim When Mobs Burn British Club

CAIRO, Jan. 27—(CP)—J. Macleod Boyer, Canadian trade commissioner, in Cairo, was killed during Saturday's rioting here. Announcement of his death was made tonight by the British Embassy.

Boyer was among three men who died when the rioting mobs burned the fashionable British Turf Club in the centre of this city.

Protest Planned

OTTAWA. Jan. 27—(CP)—Canada will make an official protest against rioting which led to the death of Joseph Macleod Boyer, Canadan trade commissioner, killed in Cairo Saturday, diplomatic officials said today.

Since Canada has no direct diplomatic link with the Egyptian Government, the protest will be made through the United Kingdom, officials said.

But no other action is being planned against Egypt though officials here were deeply moved by the report that the 54-year-old commissioner was a victim of anti-foreign demonstrations in Cairo.

H. W. Cheney, acting director of the trade commissioner service, said the report of the death was "a tremendous shock." Officials in Cairo had said only a short while ago that they thought they could ride through the uprising without being molested.

It was believed to be the first such killing in Canadian trade commissioner history. There had been other deaths in the world-wide service, but none involved the same set of circumstances which saw a Canadian become a victim in a split between two other powers.

Mr. Boyer, a veteran of two world wars, was not the kind of man to incite hatred or ill-feeling, his trade department colleagues said. Tall and spare, he was reserved and hard-working, ever mindful of his duty.

Native Of N. B.

Reports from Cairo said Mr. Boyer, native of Victoria, N. B., was among three men who died when the rioting mobs burned the fashionable British Turf Club in the centre of Cairo.

The body has been identified by C. E. Butterworth, 27, of Ottawa assistant trade commissioner at Cairo. He will take over the trade commissioner's duties until a new appointment is made.

The body may be brought back to Canada for burial.

The body may be brought back her husband, but is reported here as being safe. The Boyers have two children, Fred James, 28, with the American Airlines, Toronto, and Mrs. Ralph Robinson, 24, Monc-

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Nine Children Perish In Series Of Week-end Fires

(Canadian Press)

Nine children died in week-end fires that destroyed their homes in widely-separated parts of Canada.

Four children of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Einarsson were trapped in their beds in Dauphin River, a settlement 115 miles north of Winnipeg. The father was away and the mother, who escaped, was unable to rescue the children.

Two brothers and a sister were burned to death when an early-morning blaze in their home at Fruitland, Ont., near Hamilton, trapped them in upstairs bedrooms. They were children of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sykes. The parents escaped with a younger child.

Two young sons of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jacquard died and other members of the family leaped to safety from second-storey windows when fire swept the Jacquard home at Yarmouth, N. S. There are six other children in the family.

Time Finally Runs Out On Fabulous Flapper

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 — (AP) — Actress Fannie Ward, the "fountain of youth" girl who reached old age still looking like a flapper, died today. She was at least 79.

Time ran out on the "eternal soubrette" at Lenox Hill Hospital, where she had been in a coma for a week. Doctors said she suffered a stroke.

The fabulous flapper, who made a glamorous career of seeking the fountain of youth, admitted to being 79 years old. But a close friend said she was 83.

Her efforts to stay young made her an international celebrity for more than half a century.

To a friend she once confided: One of the best ways to keep youth is to keep out of ruts."

Trim and pretty, Miss Ward often attributed her youthful looks to a secret facial treatment learned from a French stage star, Gaby Deslys.

The eternal flapper began her stage career in 1890, and played more than 50 roles in plays and many more in vaudeville. She also appeared in several motion pictures.

When she was nearly 40 years old, she successfully played the role of a 14-year-old girl in "Betty To The Rescue."

In recent years Miss Ward lived alone in a Park Avenue apartment. Miss Fayette Perry, a friend, found her unconscious there last Monday. Apparently she had been in a coma since the day before.

She was twice married, first to Joe Lewis, a South African millionaire whom she divorced. Her second marriage was to Jack Dean, a leading man in some of her stage plays, who died in 1950.

At the height of her career Miss Ward was a familiar figure in London and Paris, and was a close friend of English nobility.

Her only daughter, Lady Plunkett, was a lady-in-waiting to Queen Mary. Her husband was Lord Terance Conyngham Plunket. Both were killed in a California plane crash in 1938.

Clarke Barn Destroyed By Fire At Southport

Fire of unknown origin Saturday night destroyed the large "U" shaped barn on the property of Mr. Frank Clarke, Southport, and caused the deaths of a large number of animals housed in it at the time.

Included in the loss were 30 registered sows, one registered boar and an undetermined number of young pigs. It is believed that there were approximately 150 of the latter lost. At the same time there were 375 laying hens destroyed in the blaze in addition to a large quantity of hay, straw and feed of all descriptions. Saved from the blaze were three cattle, two horses, 12 registered sows and a small number of suckling pigs.

The barn, a two-storey building, was 110 x 80 x 70 feet. The loss was only partially covered by insurance. There was no damage to the adjoining buildings.

Korean War Still Deadly Struggle

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 27—(AP) —The Korean war it still a deadly struggle despite the restraint displayed by both sides since the truce negotiators fixed a "provisional" cease-fire line two months ago today. U. S. Eighth Army headquaters estimates that 40,000 chinese and North Korean soldiers have been killed, wounded or captured since the "twilight war" period Nov. 28.

United Nations casualties for the period are classified as secret.

The battle line today is almost identical to the one placed on the map at Panmunjom two months ago.

Day after day, Allied airmen have fought with the communists' jets. Seventy-one Migs and 11 Red propeller-type planes have been shot down.

Navy, marine and air force planes are credited with having hit more than 6,000 Red trucks and supply vechicles in the two months; wrecked 667 railway cars and 122 locomitives, exploded six ammunition dumps, and killed more than 2,300 Red troops.

The Far East Air Forecs list plane losses during the two months as 77, of which 63 were shot down by enemy ground fire.

Navy surface vessels also daily have bombarded the Red-held coasts.

Despite the constant attacks on Red supply lines and rear areas, the Communists have been slowly building up their strength at the front.

LIVERPOOL, N. S., Jan. 27—(CP)—Donald Willard MacKay, 78, a former Conservative member of the Nova Scotia Legislature, died at his home here Saturday.

Crew Safe When Livestock Plane Crashes In Italy

PISA, Italy, Jan. 27—(CP)—An American cargo plane carrying Holstein cows from Toronto to Milan, Italy, crash-landed in flames tonight. Forty-seven of the 50 cows aboard were cremated but the five members of the crew escaped injury.

The plane had been chartered from Seaboard and Western Airlines of New York. It left Toronto Friday.

A company spokesman said the plane ran off the end of a slick runway and burst into flames. Three fear-crazed cows broke out and ran safely through the flames.

Three of the crew said they were Canadians but declined to divulge their names until their next-of-kin were notified of the accident.

Earlier the plane had taken off from Frankfurt, Germany, for Milan, to deliver the cows. Because of snow on Northern Italian airfields, it was diverted to Pisa.

Steel Shortage Hits British Motor Plant

LONDON, Jan. 27—(Reuters) — About 1,300 employees of Nuffields, one of Britain's biggest auto manufacturers, will go on short-time working next week because of a steel shortage. The organization said a four-day week will be introduced at its factory producing the Morris model at Cowley, Oxfordshire.

HALIFAX, Jan. 27—(CP)—Official forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office here and valid until midnight Monday.

Synopsis:—

Skies cleared tonight along the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, but cloudy, mild weather persisted in the other regions.

Colder and drier air moved southward across the district, carrying the clearing to Prince Edward Island, Southern New Brunswick and Nova Scotia in the afternoon.

Regional forecasts:

Prince Edward Island: Clearing and colder. North winds 15. Low and high Monday at Charlottetown 20 and 25.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 12.19 P. M. and 11.55 P. M. High tide on the North Shore at 7.01 A. M. and 6.49 P. M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Sun rises today at 7.39 A. M. and sets at 5.14 P. M.

MCA AIR SERVICE
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1:50 P.M. New Glasgow & Halifax.
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