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## Allies Quickly Occupy Most Of Pyongyang

### Electrical Storm Causes Damage To Power Line; Barn Is Destroyed

The Maritime Electric Plant in Charlottetown was struck by lightning causing damage to a large power transformer and one of the main switches, and a barn was burned to the ground in White Sands yesterday evening in the worst electrical storm experienced in the eastern part of the Island this year.

A house was also reported to have been struck and burned in the Mount Stewart vicinity but confirmation of this report could not be obtained as the telephone operator in that area could not be contacted.

A barn belonging to Mr. Roy Nicolle, Little Sands was struck at 7.30. In addition to losing the barn Mr. Nicolle also lost two pigs and two barracks of grain behind the barn. All other livestock were saved. The fire was noticed by Mrs. Nicolle and daughter Margaret.

A lightning bolt rode into the

## Experts Believe Cruise Ship's Alarm Damaged

### End Of Bitter Korean War Now In Sight

SEUL, Korea, Oct. 20 — (Friday) — (AP) — Speedy United Nations troops Thursday occupied most of the Soviet satellite capital of Pyongyang in North Korea.

Complete conquest was believed to be a matter of hours.

American and Korean republican troops slashed into the city in lightning drives through crumbling Red resistance within 18 minutes of each other shortly after 11 A.M. Thursday.

The small hard core of the crushed North Korean regular army and the Communist regime that spurred it to invade South Korea June 25 fled northward from Pyongyang. The remnants headed for the hills, presumably to wage guerrilla warfare against United Nations forces as long as possible.

The expendable troops the Red elite left behind to cover its headlong flight surrendered by the thousands.

End In Sight

In its 17th week, the end of the bitter war is in sight.

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## N. Y. Central Train Derailed By Steel Door

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ONEIDA, N. Y., Oct. 19 — (CP) — Two trainmen were killed and 15 persons injured today when a New York Central train bound for Cleveland and Toronto was derailed and wrecked by a steel car door straddling the track.

The engineer and fireman were killed when the 11-car North Star express, carrying about 100 Toronto-bound passengers in five sleepers and a coach bound for Southern Ontario, jack-knifed and tore up hundreds of yards of track.

The injured included Mrs. Pearl Fine of Toronto, who was admitted to hospital here for observation when she complained of head pains. None of the injured—18 other passengers and a brakeman—was seriously hurt.

Mrs. Fine, 42, said she was asleep at the time of the accident. Her husband, Alex, was unhurt.

"I don't know what happened," she said, "except that I was very lucky."

Other Canadians aboard the train included Maj.-Gen. Brock Chisholm, director-general of the World Health Organization, who was travelling to Toronto to address a luncheon meeting of the Empire Club, and Graydon D. Saunders of Toronto, assistant-treasurer of the Canada Life Assurance Company.

Other Canadians aboard included: Adell Williams and Jeannette O'Quinn of New Glasgow, N. S.; and Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown of Vancouver.

The North Star was zooming westward at about 75 miles an hour when it was derailed by the freight car door. A railroad official said the 14-foot-high door had fallen in the passenger express track apparently from a freight that had passed the spot 12 minutes earlier.

The steam locomotive and all 11 cars plunged off the track and tore up 600 yards of the New York Central's main line in the heart of Oneida, a Central New York State city of 11,500.

The locomotive hurtled off the tracks and broke away from the train. It plowed about 300 yards ahead of the train, spun around and overturned.

The locomotive fireman, Frank Romeo, 38, was killed in his cab. Engineer Frank Ronay, 60, died in hospital.

All of the cars remained upright. William M. Slaughter of St. Louis, Mo., a club car attendant, was dazed when a steel wall shot through the floor and roof of the car. "He was knocked under a table," he said, "when I thought about God."

SHOOT'S SHARK

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Oct. 19 — (CP) — Lewis Horne shot a shark yesterday.

Hunting on nearby Big Island, he spotted a big dorsal fin cutting through shallow waters so he let go with both barrels. Then he gaffed the six-foot fish with a pole and spike ripped from a nearby fence.

"Pretty nasty teeth," said Horne.

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This was the first major Cabinet change since the Labor Government was returned to power with a tiny majority last February.

Prime Minister Attlee appointed Gaitskell to the treasury job, officially called Chancellor of the Exchequer. Gaitskell's post will not be filled, an official announcement said.

Gives Up Seat

Cripps, gaunt, bony architect of Britain's post-war, spartan standard of living which earned him the name of "Mr. Austerity," also gave up his seat in Parliament where he sat for South-East Bristol.

He is 61 years old and is troubled by a chronic digestive ailment, colitis. Gaitskell is 44.

Cripps went to the west of England seaport which has sent him to Parliament for 19 years, to announce his retirement from politics.

He said he is doing so on the advice of doctors. The stomach complaint has been aggravated by overwork.

An executive member of the constituency Labor Party said Cripps told them the doctors thought he "might not be alive in three or four months" if he continued in his job.

In his letter of resignation to Attlee, released at 10 Downing Street, Cripps expressed the hope and expectation he would "resume public work" at the end of his year's rest.

Attlee, in his letter of acceptance, told Cripps he had probably borne a greater burden than any previous Chancellor of the Exchequer—and added:

"I hope a year's rest will restore you to your full vigor and that we shall then be able to welcome

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## Coming Events

- \*\*Barn Dance, Morell Hall, Monday, October 23rd.
- \*\*Mail your Films to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- \*\*Hope River Bazaar and chicken supper, Oct. 24 and 25.
- \*\*Pantry Sale at Fennell & Chandler's, Saturday, October 21st. Argyle Shore Women's Institute.
- \*\*Pie Social and Dance, Kelly's Road School, Friday, October 20th. in aid of Rink.
- \*\*See Corran Ban Play in Vernon on River Hall, October 23rd. Dance after.
- \*\*Kinkora, Friday, October 20th. "Adventures of Chico." 3.00 and 1.50.
- \*\*Masquerade Dance, Corran Bann Hall, Friday, October 20th. Prizes for best costumes.
- \*\*Reserve November 7th, Chicken Supper and Bazaar, South Rustico Hall.
- \*\*Regular Dance, East Royalty Rink Hall, Friday. Bus leaving B.C. Terminal 9.30 and 10.00.
- \*\*Pantry Sale, Parkdale Women's Institute, Group B, Saturday, Oct. 21st. 2 P. M. S. A. McDonald.
- \*\*United Church Chicken and Ham Supper, Annandale Hall, Oct. 15th. Supper from 5 P. M.
- \*\*Hot Hamburger and Scallops Supper in Crapaud Hall, Saturday, October 21st. Supper served 5 to 7. Crapaud W. I.
- \*\*Ches and Loman in Rose Valley postponed until Friday, Oct. 17th.
- \*\*Come to Hunter River United Church chicken supper in the church basement Thursday, Oct. 26.
- \*\*Bean supper, bingo and other amusements, refreshments and moving pictures, North Rustico, Friday, October 20th. Supper at 5 p. m.
- \*\*Rummage sale by Sunbury Women's Institute at Massey Harris, Kent St., on Saturday, Oct. 21 at 6.30 p.m.
- \*\*North Eastern Kings Sunday School Convention, Dundas Baptist Church, Tuesday, October 24th. 3.00 and 7.30.
- \*\*Notice — Buying live Fowl, Chickens and Capons, Monday of each week, beginning the 23rd. Highest prices. G. C. Green, Emerald.
- \*\*Regular Dance, Holy Name Hall, St. Peter's Bay, Friday, Oct. 20th. Chaisson's Orchestra.
- \*\*Come to the Chicken and Ham Supper in Brookfield Hall, this evening, served from 5 P. M. Tickets 75 cents and 50 cents.
- \*\*Conservative Electors of Wheatley, River Fall are requested to meet at Hall, Monday, October 23rd, at 8 o'clock, to appoint delegates to attend Nominating Convention.
- \*\*Come to the Legion Hall at St. Peter's Bay on Monday the 23rd, to hear a talk by Mr. Walter Shaw Dept. Minister of Agriculture. Subject "Trip to the Old Country." Entertainment: Singing, music, Tap-dancing, Lunch and Coffee. Door open at 8 P. M.

## Seek Million And Half In Damages

TORONTO, Oct. 19 — (CP) — The Great Lakes Lumber and Shipping Company has filed a suit for \$1,552,011 in damages against the Great Lakes Paper Company, Limited. Both companies are located at Port William. The suit was filed at Osgoode Hall in Toronto. The lumber company claims the paper company failed to live up to an agreement covering supply of saw-logs.

## New Storm In Gulf Of Mexico

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 19 — (AP) — A new storm began to develop in the Gulf of Mexico today while Florida took another look at damage created by Wednesday's hurricane and revised loss estimates upwards to \$15,000,000.

The new storm, not yet a full hurricane but growing hourly, moved eastward toward the Florida coast at about six to 10 miles an hour. It is expected to curve northeastward.

Peak winds were estimated at between 55 to 70 miles an hour against hurricane force of 75 miles or higher.

The new blow—about 240 miles south of the Louisiana coast—is a late-born twin of the 125-mile an hour devastator that battered South Florida before whirling through the centre of the peninsula.

The old storm is dying out over Northern Alabama. In its death throes it delivered vicious swipes at North Florida and Georgia beaches and inland areas. At last reports its heaviest winds were only 40 miles an hour, and all storm warnings were lowered.

New storm warnings went up from Cornus Christi, Texas, to Morgan City, La., for the new-born disturbance.

The earlier hurricane killed three persons, injured 65, left 800 families homeless, destroyed 128 homes, damaged 13,464 residences and smashed so many thousands of windows that a glass shortage was reported.

## Drift Away From Farms Continues

OTTAWA, Oct. 19 — (CP) — A drift away from farms is indicated in Dominion Bureau of Statistics figures issued today. They showed that in the year up to last August the farm labor force declined from 1,200,000 to 1,155,000.

The Bureau reports that the non-agricultural labor force increased during the year from 4,015,000 to 4,171,000. The new figure includes Newfoundland for the first time. Without Newfoundland, the labor force at August stood at 4,085,000. The labor force consists of persons above 14 years of age available for work.

## Special Brigade Trains With Anti-Tank Bazooka

OTTAWA, Oct. 19 — (CP) — Canada's special United Nations brigade already is training in the use of the United States tank busting bazooka with which it will be equipped when it goes into action in Korea or elsewhere.

For weeks now special brigade training centres like Petawawa, Ont., and Walkerville, Alta., have been echoing to the roaring whoosh of this stove pipe-like, armor-piercing gun which goes off with a flash of flame and smoke but has no recoil.

The 2.36-inch model has been supplied to the brigade for training. By the time the brigade is ready for action it will be equipped with the heavier 3.5-inch model, whose specially-designed rocket can pierce the steel of the heaviest tank.

The 3.5-inch bazooka is the noted improved model, developed in a

## First Visit Here Of New Gov't Supply Ship

QUEBEC, Oct. 19 — (CP) — Two experts called before a court inquiry by the owners of the cruise ship Quebec said today they believed there was "criminal" interference with electrical alarm systems before the ship burned with loss of seven lives.

The experts were Dr. Lucien Gravel and Dr. Roger Potvin, Laval University science professors, who searched the wreckage of the SS. Quebec destroyed by fire Aug. 12 at Tadoussac.

They displayed for the inquiry court headed by Judge Fernand Choquette charred pieces of electrical equipment which they said indicated the ship's alarm systems were cut of commission when the fire occurred.

The two professors each declared their conclusion was that a "criminal hand" was active on board the Canadian Steamships Lines vessel.

Dr. Gravel produced a scorched, four-blade switch, four metal clips that go on the terminals of the

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## Arctic Supply Ship Back In Montreal

MONTREAL, Oct. 19 — (CP) — The little Arctic supply ship, Regina Polaris, arrived here today, her wood superstructure battered by bouts with Hudson Bay ice.

Captain T. C. Bannerman brought his ship into port after 12,000 miles of some of the worst weather ever experienced in Hudson Bay and on the Atlantic.

The vessel, operated by the Oblate Fathers from their base in Churchill, Man., travelled inside the Arctic Circle taking food and supplies to mission posts. The Regina Polaris was locked in Arctic ice at one time for almost 10 days.

Captain Bannerman took over command of the Regina Polaris, built three years ago, after completing a term as harbormaster at Churchill. Most of the crew are Montrealers.

## Prairie Wheat Crop

OTTAWA, Oct. 19 — (CP) — The prairie 1950 wheat crop was placed today by the Bureau of Statistics at 430,000,000 bushels, down 25,000,000 bushels from a previous estimate of 455,000,000.

This reduction in the Prairie crop trimmed the all-Canada wheat harvest to 465,000,000 bushels from the previous estimate of 490,000,000.

The Bureau's estimate of grain covered the period to Oct. 1. It was especially made for the experts preparing papers to be presented at the annual Dominion-Provincial agriculture conference, to be held here Dec. 4, 5 and 6. The previous estimate of crops was made Sept. 14.

## Find Ancient Treasure

OSLO — (CP) — A large treasure of silver coins, believed 1,000 years old, has been discovered during excavations at Trondheim in central Norway. Some of the coins were minted by King Canute and others are of German and Arabic origin.

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## Social Credit Party Approves Manifesto

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The social crediters called the manifesto a "blueprint for liberty for the people of Canada."

As in 1936, when the party swept into power in Alberta, the new reform policies, basically the same as in 1936, form the nucleus of the Social Credit platform.

In the manifesto preamble Social Credit policy is defined as "the scientific distribution of sufficient consumer purchasing power to establish and maintain a balanced economy; and to ensure fair prices to both producers and consumers."

The religious atmosphere connected with the movement was emphasized today when an amendment was made to the outline of the Party's philosophy. It specified a democracy "must recognize the fatherhood of God from which springs the brotherhood of man."

Delegates also gave final approval to a new constitution which calls for the election of a national president — a new office — who will be the administrative and organizational head of the party. The national leader — Solon Low, at present — still will be the political head and spokesman for the party.

The constitution also calls for a national convention every two years with three representatives from each Federal riding; five from each Province and members of the board of directors. This will increase

## N. Y. Poet Found Dead In Home From Heart Attack

AUSTERLITZ, N. Y., Oct. 19 — (AP) — Poet Edna St. Vincent Millay was found dead at her home here today. She was 58.

Her physician, Dr. Oscar Wilcox, said she died of a heart attack.

Her body was found at the foot of the stairs in her home in this Eastern New York community. Dr. Wilcox said he believed the attack caused her to fall down stairs.

The body was found by James Pinnie, a caretaker at her home, where she lived alone. Pinnie had come to fix a fire for the night.

In 1928 she was awarded the Pulitzer prize for verse for her "The Ballad of the Harp-weaver." "Mill Millay, best known for her poem 'Renascence,' moved here 22 years ago from New York City with her husband, Eugen Jan Boissevain. He died about a year ago.

Miss Millay, a poet since childhood, was one of the most popular of her time. Her books were best sellers and collectors' items.

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Synopsis:

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