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FRANCE WANTS PEACE TALKS TO COVER INDO-CHINA

Gulf Of Mexico Coast Prepares For Hurricane

British Naval Flier Sets New World Air Speed Record

CASTEL IDRIS, Libya, (Reuters)—Mike Lithgow screamed his Supermarine Swift jet fighter over the African desert at 737.3 mph to set a world's air speed record Friday. The 33-year-old British naval flier topped by nearly 10 mph the record set by Neville Duke earlier this month in his red Hawker Hunter off the coast of Britain.

Can Do Better
When he jumped out of the steaming cockpit at the top of this afternoon Lithgow said, "We can certainly improve on today's speed." He said he would take the Swift out again Saturday and go even faster.

He had to fly the cigar-shaped, stubby little fighter at least 734.876

Coming Events

**Weekly Dance, Fort Augustus, Wednesday, Burke's Orchestra.

**Dance, Orwell Hall, Monday, September 28th, Fraser's Orchestra.

**Dance tonight Mount Stewart Legion Hall, Burns Orchestra.

**Reserve Wednesday, October 21st for Mount Stewart United Church Annual Supper.

**Annual Institute Supper and Dance, September 28th, Orwell Cove School.

**Hampshire Cakes today at Fennell and Chandler's. Aid of Mission Band.

**Port Augustus Chicken Supper, Monday, September 28th. Supper from 5 to 9. Dance.

**United Church Hot Turkey Dinner, Plum Pudding, etc., at Fredericton, September 30th.

**See Page 13 for list of Perennial Flower Plants. Joe R. Smith, Clinton.

**Mt. Stewart Legion will hold an important meeting on Monday, September 28th, in Legion Room. All members please attend.

**Coming to Fortune on Tuesday, September 29th, the Georgetown play "His Women-Folks." Curtain 8:30 P. M.

**St. Stephen's Church, Turkey Supper at Irishtown Hall, Wednesday, September 30th, starting at 5. Tickets 65c and \$1.00.

**The Annual Meeting of Belfast Home Association will be held in Belfast Hall, Monday, September 28th, at 8 o'clock. Frank MacDonald, Secretary.

**Farmers ask about the Shur-Gain Feed Finance Plan. For particulars contact your local feed mill. Farmers who break records use Shur-Gain.

**Showing at Mt. Stewart, Friday and Saturday nights at 8:30 P. M. "The Yankee Buccaneer" starring Jeff Chandler, Scott Brady, Suzan Ball. This is a navy story featured in southern waters.

**Come to South Rustico Hall, Thursday, September 29th and have the Charlottetown Lads and Lassies pipe, sing and dance their way into your hearts. You'll enjoy them. Sale of baskets afterwards.

**Buying live fowl and chickens Tuesday, 8 until 12, chickens must be well fleshed. The price for poor chickens is very low. Please fatten your chickens before marketing. R. L. Dickleson, New Glasgow.

**Charlottetown Farm Supplies, 203 Great George Street, Sales and Service. Complete line of De Laval Milkers, Coolers, new and used Separators, Water Pressure Systems, De Laval Refrigerators, etc.

**Hear the noted violinists, Dan J. Campbell, son John and daughter Kaye of Inverness, Cape Breton, Monday, September 28th, in the following places at 8 P. M. each night: Monday, September 28, Georgetown Baptist Church; Tuesday, Upton Gospel Chapel; Wednesday, Beach Point Gospel Chapel; Thursday, the Montague Gospel Tabernacle. All are invited.

miles an hour to take the laurels away from Duke. Duke piloted his Hawker Hunter to 727.6 mph, but international regulations demand one per cent in excess of that speed.

Lithgow made the record in four lightning passes over the three-kilometre course set up along a scorching-hot road through the Libyan desert near here.

Royal Aero Club observers immediately went to work to calculate the plane's exact speed, and several hours later announced the victory for Lithgow and the Vickers-Armstrong Company which manufactures the Swift.

A Tense Moment
Lithgow said the tensest moment came when his face-mask filled up with sweat and he had to take a hand off the controls to rip it away while he thundered low over the course.

"I was very hot," he said. "The mask filled with sweat so I was unable to breathe."

He said the temperature on the course was 102 and the air "quite bumpy."

A spotted camel train crossing the desert and "they were all in line when I hit the course, but scattered when I left."

Lithgow flew the course at a height of 130 feet—well under a 100 metres (300 feet) maximum stipulated by record rules.

Eastern Chronicle Ceases Publication

NEW GLASGOW, (CP)—The Eastern Chronicle, one of Canada's oldest weeklies, has ceased publication. The last edition was run off Thursday.

Founded in 1843 through merger of The Mechanic and Farmer and The Banner, the paper first published in nearby Pictou. It moved to New Glasgow in 1868.

Liberal in politics, the Chronicle was for many years owned and edited by the late Don F. Fraser. Since his death it has been owned by the Hector Publishing Co.

The president, James M. Cameron, said: "Rather than continue an operation which at best barely broke even and appears to be nearly the deficit stage, decision was made to stop publishing."

The company will continue to operate a general printing plant and is preparing to open a radio station.

The Canadian Almanac gives the Chronicle's circulation as 4,167 at the end of 1952.

Prize Hereford Bull Is Killed At Sea

ALDERSEND, England, (AP)—Brockett Knuckleduster, a prize Hereford bull, was killed at sea early this week when the ship carrying him to Argentina ran into gales off the English coast.

The bull was sold recently by Lord Brockett for \$4,000 (\$11,000) to Argentina cattle breeder Senor Zorraquin.

5 Rubber Companies Are Fined For Price Fixing

TORONTO, (CP)—Despite a defence counsel argument that the penalty should be considerably less than the maximum fine, five Canadian rubber companies were fined \$10,000 each Friday for operating a price-fixing cartel.

"Don't miss the masquerade dance in Stella Maris Hall, North Rustico, Wednesday, Sept. 30. Good prizes, good music."

"Bean supper, Tryon Community Hall, Wednesday, Sept. 30th. Proceeds for hall, 50 and 35 cents."

"Now crushing grain at York Mills Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 15c per cwt. Arthur Simpson."

"Buying pigs at Fredericton on Monday until 10 a.m.; Tuesday, Brookfield 9 a.m.; Milton 10; York 1 p.m.; Bedford 2; Peakes 3.30; Fort Augustus 4; Waterville 4.30; Vernon River 5; Pownal 5.30. Wednesday: New Glasgow 9 a.m.; Wheatley River 10; Holmes Corner 11; New Haven 1 p.m.; Bonshaw 1.30; DeSable 3; Kelly's Cross 3; Emerald 4; Clifton 5; Kensington 5.30. Paying \$28.00 a pair for good pigs over 35 lbs. each. Will also buy smaller ones. Also a number of good calves wanted. Knud Jorgensen."

Residents Of Wide Area Brace For 130 MPH Wind

MOBILE, Ala., (AP)—Mighty hurricane Florence swung north-eastward in the Gulf of Mexico Friday and pointed dangerous 130-mph winds - an hour towards the coast of Alabama and northwest Florida.

Residents of a thickly-populated 400-mile-wide area from New Orleans to St. Marks, Fla., remembering a tricky 1947 hurricane that pounded the Mississippi coast, began preparing for the rampaging storm.

Forecast Course of Blow
The U. S. Weather Bureau said the hurricane appeared headed for the area between Mobile and St. Marks, Fla., which is dotted with big military installations, beach playgrounds, and seafood and industrial plants.

Military planes from air force and navy installations along the coast have been moving to inland bases. Shrimp fleets and hundreds of smaller boats scurried to the safety of inland bays and bayous.

Rising winds and swelling tides heralded approach of the storm.

Prepare For Emergency
Preparing for the emergency, the Red Cross set up shelter areas in cities along the coast, and moved in 18 workers for duty in event of heavy storm damage.

Peach growers eyed the approaching storm apprehensively, fearing the high winds will destroy a bumper 1953 crop before it can be harvested.

South of New Orleans, the Veem-Gage Oil Co., evacuated a 30-man rigging crew from Breton Island's offshore drilling rig.

Report First Snow of Season At Jasper

EDMONTON, (CP)—First snow of the season in the Prairie provinces fell early Friday at Jasper where the temperature was well above freezing and the snow melted as it hit the ground.

Federal Surplus Shows Increase During August

OTTAWA, (CP)—The government accumulated a surplus of \$52,846,000 in August budget accounts, boosting the total for the first five months of the 1953-54 fiscal year to \$283,253,000.

The surplus compares with only \$1,752,000 in the corresponding month last year. However, a statement issued by the finance department said there were a lot of defence bills which normally should have been paid in August, but were not paid until early September.

These payments will be billed against September's accounts.

Over-All Surplus Down
The 253,253,000 was down \$53,415,000 from \$336,668,000 last year. Government expenditures are usually at their height towards the end of the fiscal year. The government ended the 1952-53 fiscal year with a surplus of \$24,000,000.

This year's target is a surplus of \$11,000,000. Finance officials suggested the current budgetary trend indicates the target may be met within a few million dollars either way.

Total revenue during August rose to \$324,046,000 from \$306,491,000 in August last year, bringing the five-month total to \$1,763,904,000—a jump of \$80,662,000 from \$1,683,242,000.

Income Tax Up
Personal income tax collections during the month increased to \$84,171,000 from \$81,854,000, increasing the five-month total to \$536,980,000 from \$510,986,000. Collections from corporation income tax increased to \$91,798,000 from \$90,319,000 in August last year, and \$494,904,000 from \$490,823,000 in the five months.

Indirect tax revenue for the five months increased to \$613,612,000 from \$562,791,000.

Mainly because of the lag in defence payments, government expenditures showed a drop during August to \$271,200,000 from \$306,491,000 last year, but the five-month total nevertheless was higher at \$1,763,904,000, up about \$80,000,000 from \$1,683,242,000.

No Chocolate Milk For Schools
TORONTO, (CP)—Toronto board of education decided Friday to ban the sale of chocolate milk in school cafeterias. Incorporated in the board's decision was the intention to teach children that whole milk was better for health than chocolate milk.

Mrs. Clement Fine Draws Traffic Fines
HOVE, England, (Reuters)—Mrs. Clement Attlee, wife of the former prime minister, was fined \$1 here Friday for parking her car at night without lights and "causing an obstruction."

Anti-Red Prisoners Balk At Hearing Explanations From Communist Teams

Duplessis Tells Of New Iron Ore Discovery



QUEBEC, (CP)—Premier Duplessis announced discovery of "between 50,000,000 and 60,000,000 tons of high-grade iron ore" 80 miles north of Havre St. Pierre, about 400 miles east of Quebec City Friday.

Mr. Duplessis, who begins 1's annual two-week holiday Monday, told his Friday press conference the discovery is another proof the whole Ungava territory is rich in mineral ores.

Lake Allard, 25 miles north of Havre St. Pierre, is the site of the world's largest deposit of titanium ore and mining operations have been in progress there since 1945. The ore is shipped to a refinery at Sorel for preliminary processing.

The recently-discovered deposit has not yet been leased for development.

Caught In Squabble

Caught in the midst of the squabble, the neutral nations repatriation commission, which will supervise the interviews, put off at least until next Thursday the start of work by inspection teams.

All prisoners of both sides now are held in the demilitarized zone under guard of Indian troops. Allied teams will be confronted with a much smaller group—25 Americans, one Briton and 335 South Koreans.

The repatriation commission did not make it clear immediately whether the time lost by the postponement would be tacked on at the other end of the 90-day period or merely dropped. Indications were, however, that the full 90 days would be allowed.

The five-power commission, headed by the Indian delegate as chairman and umpire, has yet to announce the rules which will govern the explanations.

There are 5,000 Indian soldiers on guard duty.

No Word on Missing

No official word from the Reds was forthcoming on Gen. Mark Clark's renewed demand that the Communists account for more than 3,400 missing Allied troops.

Communist correspondent Wilfred Burchett Friday again admitted to Allied reporters that the Reds still hold some U. S. airmen as prisoners in Manchuria. The Reds denied that these airmen crashed in Manchuria, that Manchuria was "neutral" territory during the Korean war and that their release can be obtained only by diplomatic negotiation.

New Commander Of Crusader

OTTAWA, (CP)—The navy announced Friday that Lt.-Cmdr. William H. Wilson, 34, of Calgary, has been named commander of the destroyer Crusader due to sail from Esquimaut, B.C. Oct. 18 on her second tour of duty in the Far East.

All UN forces in the Far East now are on stand-by duty following the signing of the Korean truce but Canada is still committed to providing three destroyers for operations under the UN naval command. The 25th Canadian Infantry Brigade also is being maintained at full strength.

The crusader will relieve the destroyer Athabaskan, which is expected to return to Esquimaut in mid-December. The Athabaskan is completing a year-long, third tour of duty. Since the start of the Korean war the Athabaskan has been in the Far Eastern theatre for 30 of the 37 months of hostilities, one of the longest records of service of any UN ship.

Tragedy Strikes At Movie Filming

LUSAKA, Northern Rhodesia, (CP)—Real life tragedy struck filming of the African movie "Duel in the Jungle" Friday when Tony Kelly, assistant director, was drowned in the Zambezi river. He was lost in swirling rapids when a canoe overturned. The picture stars Jeanne Crain and Dana Andrews.

Calls On China, Russia To End Aid To Rebels

By MEL SUFFRIN
Canadian Press Staff Writer
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., (CP)—France has proposed that the forthcoming Korean peace conference be extended to include negotiations for ending the war in Indo-China and that India be invited to take part in any general discussions aimed at bringing peace to Asia.

Maurice Schumann, deputy foreign affairs minister, Friday called on Russia and Communist China, the two countries supplying arms to the Vietminh rebels in Indo-China, to help negotiate an end to the war which has seriously drained French resources during the last eight years.

Insist on Explanations
The Communists insisted that the more than 14,500 Chinese and 7,800 North Koreans refusing repatriation be compelled to hear the Red teams; that the men be interviewed individually; and that the interview may be repeated over a 90-day period.

A man who has made up his mind and does not want to be interviewed need not listen; that explanations must be conducted in groups of 25 so there is less patriation be compelled to hear that prisoners should have the right to decide whether they want to meet the interviewers more than once.

Should Prove Hints
"Certain unofficial declarations might have led to the thought that the two powers which, from the outside, inspire and arm the Vietminh rebels were disposed to consider the opening of negotiations to put an end to the 60-member United Nations General Assembly."

"It remains for them (Russia and Red China) to prove that these ambiguous hints are not mere propaganda, and that, corresponding to the desire for peace many times expressed by the French government, a no less sincere desire exists in the opposite camp."

"Negotiations - which for example, might be opened in the course of, or following upon the political conference on Korea, and which would have as their object the end of aggression in Indochina-would make it possible to normal conditions to the return of normal relations of international relations in Asia."

Agrees with Pearson

Schumann expressed French agreement with the Canadian attitude on Korean reunification outlined Wednesday by External Affairs Minister Pearson.

"This unification of Korea may be sought only by pacific means; and this freedom of the Koreans, as the Canadian minister of foreign affairs recalled two days ago, must be assured only under a democratic government born of freely conducted elections, under the auspices of the United Nations."

Other Points
Discussing other world problems, Schumann:

1. Suggested limited reduction of armament with controls as a "modest" first step toward general disarmament.

2. Reiterated French contention that the UN has no right to discuss France's handling of its North African territories.

3. Said African hopes there will be a conference of the major powers soon to reach agreement on an Austrian peace treaty and a means of unifying Germany and interests in the establishment of a European Community and maintained there is no reason to think that such a community would constitute a threat to the Russian sphere.

Civil Servants To Get Pay Increase

VANCOUVER, (CP)—Federal civil servants are to get an across-the-board wage increase by December, Fred W. Whitehouse, president of the Civil Servants Federation of Canada, said here Thursday night.

He told a meeting of Vancouver federation members that he had received a telephone call from Ottawa assuring a pay increase.

"And it won't be a percentage one, despite reports that have been filtering out," he said. "We have stressed this to the government several times, and I don't think they will let us down."

Daylight Saving Time To End Over Week-end

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Arguments over daylight saving time subsided for another year this week-end when most of the centres that moved the clock an hour ahead last April 26 revert to standard time.

The change comes at 2 a.m. local time Sunday.

Two provinces, Prince Edward Island and Alberta, where the change is forbidden, remain on standard time through the summer. B.C. made the change compulsory after a 1952 plebiscite strongly favored daylight saving time. Alberta, just as strongly opposed, made standard time compulsory in 1948.

The opposition to "fast" time also extended to some major Canadian centres which retained standard time, including Windsor, Ont., and Brandon, Man.

Daylight time is criticized by farmers because of the difficulties encountered in visiting nearby cities which may be an hour ahead.

Others criticizing has come from those who during the daylight time period attempt to read railway timetables. Railways and airlines hold to standard time to avoid muddled schedules. Bus lines, however, change to daylight time in most regions.

The idea of getting up an hour earlier in the summer to get the most of the longer sunlight originated in England in 1907. Since then it has spread to Europe and to North America.

45 Doukhobors Get 3-Year Sentences For Nude Parading

By BRUCE LEVETT
Canadian Press Staff Writer
VANCOUVER, (CP)—Forty-five grim-faced and silent Sons of Freedom Doukhobors Friday were sentenced to three years—the maximum — for nude parading. Seven others got lesser sentences.

Sixty-four men and 57 women paraded before Magistrate Graham Ladner in a make-shift courtroom in suburban Burnaby Friday, following trial and conviction on charges of appearing in public while nude.

Of the men, 35 received the maximum three years, one got two years and one four days. Ten women were sentenced to three years, one to one year, one to three days and two to one day. The others were remanded one week.

Earlier in the court sessions, 23 men and women had their charges dismissed because of lack of evidence.

Friday the convicted members of the Sons of Freedom sect, a radical branch of British Columbia's 10,000 Doukhobors, said not a word. They entered no defence.

Magistrate Ladner described some of them as "gangsters" and told them: "You are vicious enemies of society in the name of religion."

Some of the prisoners sentenced were women.

The Doukhobors were arrested Sept. 9 during a nude demonstration in a tent village at Perry Siding in the Nelson district, 250 miles east of Vancouver.

They refuse to send their children to school, claiming the schools teach war.

Brought to Oakalla prison farm in Burnaby, the Doukhobors staged a 12-day hunger strike, taking only fruit juices during their long fast.

A total of 144 were put on trial and 119 of them were convicted.

The demonstration at Perry Siding paraded in the nude before a school, protesting an order that all Doukhobor children must be sent to look part in the drill.

New York Has Biggest Atomic Air Raid Drill

NEW YORK, (AP)—The biggest atomic air raid drill the world has ever seen made a ghost city of New York Friday, as its millions took shelter from the make-believe fury of two bombs.

Director Clarence Heubecker called it the best so far of New York's three city-wide A-bomb drills.

The simulated raid began at 9:30 a.m. and lasted 15 minutes. Theoretically the bombs landed in downtown Manhattan and Queens.

One life was lost during the exercise. Motorcycle policeman Harry Witter, 40, was killed in a traffic collision five minutes after the raid drill. He was due off duty but stayed on to aid in the drill.

For the first time, the new "Conelrad" technique of scrambling for radio beams was used in a drill. Standard radio stations in the New York switched to "Conelrad," a system of confusing incoming enemy bombers. Television and shortwave radio stations went off the air.

Only moments were required to sweep times square clear of its teeming thousands as the wall of nearly 600 sirens signalled the alert's beginning.

Rockefeller Plaza, alive with tourists one moment, was emptied in less than 60 seconds. Autos were abandoned in the streets. Fifth Avenue buses halted. Taxicabs pulled up. Pedestrians were herded to shelter.

Tens of thousands of school children took part in the drill—probably the best coached of all the city's millions.

At La Guardia airport, six planes were stranded aloft over the field until employees came out from cover at the all clear.

Army Orders Junior Officers Back To School

OTTAWA, (CP)—The Canadian Army has ordered its junior officers back to school.

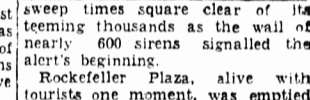
About 10 days ago, compulsory schooling was ordered for all men not possessing a grade eight education. Now the army says that all officers below the rank of major must attend special classes on army matters beginning next month.

Purpose of the new program, a spokesman said, is "to keep the boys on their toes." He described it as a "continuing study" effort.

Subjects to be covered include tactics, administration, military law, military history, and military writing. Officers will receive at least two hours' instruction a week and take special exercises.

Previously an officer's compulsory study program was limited to his training period.

Girls, Sometimes A Husband Isn't Worth The Trouble It Takes To Get Him



Girls, sometimes a husband isn't worth the trouble it takes to get him.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

City	Min.	Max.
Dawson	38	51
Victoria	48	62
Edmonton	36	54
Calgary	40	54
Regina	31	58
Winnipeg	42	54
Toronto	57	73
Ottawa	46	69
Montreal	50	70
Quebec	44	68
Saint John	55	60
Moncton	40	68
Halifax	45	65
Charlottetown	41	64
Sydney	39	65
Yarmouth	44	60
St. John's, Nfld.	38	58

HALIFAX, (CP)—The Weather Office here says a disturbance over northern Ontario is moving eastward and is expected to cause showers over the northern regions late Saturday and the southern regions Sunday.

Regional forecasts:
Prince Edward Island: Clear, clouding over Saturday evening; warmer with southwest winds increasing during morning to southwest 15. Low-high at Charlottetown 50 and 72.

Outlook for Sunday: Showers, then clearing.

Eastern N. B. counties, lower St. John river valley: Clear, clouding over Saturday afternoon with showers by evening; warm with south winds 15 increasing about noon to south 25. Low-high at Moncton 48 and 70. Fredericton 50 and 70, Saint John 52 and 65.

Outlook for Sunday: Sunny and cooler.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 12:17 A. M. and 1:10 P. M.

High tide today at the North Shore at 8:39 A. M. and 7:53 P. M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Sun rises today at 6:04 A. M. and sets at 8:04 P. M.