

Danger Signals Seen To Mendes-France's Rule

By ROBERT MARX PARIS (Reuters) Taken national strikes and street scuffles in central Paris erupted Friday as Premier Pierre Mendes-France struggled to put his country's affairs in order before his departure today for Canada and the United States.

Coming Events

- Pantry Sale today at 2 p. m. Simpsons-Sears. New Haven W. I.
Dance at Fortune Head. Tuesday Nov. 16.
Card party Long River hall. Monday, Nov. 15.

Then he hurried off to the assembly to deal with the terrorist uprising this week in Algeria. STRAWS IN WIND Friday's strikes and street demonstrations among government workers for higher pay served as straws in the wind for Mendes-France's once unassailable popularity.

Another danger signal to the premier's rule came Friday in confirmation of a Socialist party decision not to join the government at the present time. Mendes-France had hoped to announce a new government not strengthened by Socialist participation, to reinforce his hand in global talks next week with President Eisenhower and State Secretary Dulles.

Final confirmation of the Socialist decision to stay out of the government came after party secretary Guy Mollet conferred Friday morning with Mendes-France. A Socialist spokesman then said "immediate Socialist participation in the government is ruled out now."

ENSURES RATIFICATION

On international policy, however, the Socialists are solidly behind their premier. A special Socialist national congress voted overwhelmingly Thursday in favor of the Paris treaties to rearm Germany, virtually ensuring ratification by the National Assembly before the end of the year.

Sees 3 Saucers

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—Three flying saucers were reported sighted over London Friday morning by Mrs. Susan Leslie. Mrs. Leslie said she was hanging out her washing at 10 a.m. when she saw three objects "far bigger than a full moon high up in the west against a clear blue sky."

She said that she had previously thought people who saw flying saucers were crazy, or having hallucinations. "They were not flat like saucers, they had more depth. They were like a ball cut in half or almost half," she said. "She described their flight as the most graceful she had ever witnessed."

New Zealand Election Today

WELLINGTON, N. Z. (Reuters)—The ruling National party was favored to retain parliamentary control in a general election today. The conservative nationalists, who have been in power since 1949 when they ousted the socialist-minded Labor party after a 14-year reign, are expected to hold at least 44 of the 50 seats they now have in the 80-member Parliament. Campaign appeals by all sides—the National, Labor and Social Credit parties—have been based on domestic issues such as cost of living, housing and extensions of the social security system.

Life Sentence For Manslaughter

MONTREAL (CP)—Eddie Lavigne, 42, was sentenced to life imprisonment Friday after pleading guilty to a reduced charge of manslaughter arising from the fatal shooting of his 16-year-old niece, Gisèle Brunet, March 20. Lavigne was originally charged with murder. Crown Prosecutor George Hill told the court it was decided to permit the man to plead guilty to manslaughter after all aspects of the case had been studied.

Lavigne's murder trial opened this morning and a 12-man jury had been chosen when the crown announced the reduced charge. Mr. Justice Wilfred Lazure said it was agreed Lavigne was "very drunk" and had no malicious or criminal intention of killing the girl when he ran into the home of a relative firing an automatic pistol wildly.

LEAVES \$230,688 ESTATE TORONTO (CP)—Lionel Conacher, Liberal member of Parliament for Toronto-Trinity who died last May 26, left an estate valued at \$230,688, as probated in surrogate court Friday.

LONDON, (Reuters)—The government has decided to abolish the death penalty for cowardice in the British army. The death penalty for military will be retained only for its most serious forms.

Queen Mother Elizabeth Arrives For Five-Day Visit At Ottawa

Scholarship Bequests For Prince Of Wales College

Following a meeting of the Government yesterday, Hon. Kier Clark, Minister of Education made the announcement that a bequest of \$4,000 had been received from the estate of Annie Laurie Robertson, widow of the late Dr. S. N. Robertson for two scholarships at Prince of Wales College. The scholarships are in honour of Dr. Samuel Napier Robertson, and are to be of equal value and awarded annually. One scholarship goes to the student of the second year at P.W.C. who shall stand highest in that class in the examinations in Latin and Greek; the other to the best student of the third year in the same subjects.

Fire Causes Heavy Loss At New Glasgow, N.S.

NEW GLASGOW (CP)—A fire tank was believed to have started the fire. After midnight firemen had given up hope of saving the foundry, welding shop and gun shop, and were trying to keep flames away from the office buildings where the company kept its records. Fire departments from the nearby towns of Stellarton, Westville and Pictou were helping the New Glasgow department in its vain efforts to control the blaze. No estimates of loss were available.

Mendes-France Arrives Sunday At Quebec City

By TOM MCCUSKER QUEBEC (CP)—French Premier Mendes-France arrives in Quebec City Sunday afternoon to begin a three-day Canadian visit and a crowded schedule which gets under way the minute he steps from the plane. The busy, 47-year-old statesman, accompanied by his wife, will take a fast Sunday afternoon tour of historic monuments, meeting French-speaking Canada's political and educational heads in Quebec City Monday morning, spend Monday afternoon and evening in Montreal and visit Canadian government heads in Ottawa Tuesday and Wednesday. He goes to Washington Wednesday.

COFFEE PRICE DECLINE SEEN RIO DE JANEIRO, (Reuters)—Brazil has adjusted the exchange rate for coffee in a bid to end speculation and make growers more willing to sell their crops. As a result, dollar prices for coffee are expected to fall and—this should be another step toward ending the world's coffee shortage and bringing down prices.

Some Champions At Mink Show



Shown above are some of the champions at the Fourth Annual Live Mink Show concluded in Charlottetown yesterday. Left to right: Mr. George Callbeck, holding his grand champion Sapphire. Mr. Callbeck was also winner of the grand championship standard; grand champion pastel; grand champion platinum; reserve grand champion Stewart; reserve grand champion Aleutian. Roy Ellis, rancher, holding Mr. Callbeck's grand champion Pastel. Lowell Hancock, Summerside, holding his grand champion Stewart Pastel. He also held the reserve grand champion Sapphire; the grand champion Stewart Sapphire and grand champion Aleutian. Ernest T. Mill, Kensington, holding his grand champion Stewart mink. Mr. Mill also had the reserve grand champion Pastel and reserve grand champion white mink. Barter's Film Lab.

Canada To Build Submarine Force

HALIFAX (CP)—Canada Friday started to build a submarine force, operating a submarine force, using craft borrowed from the RN in much the same arrangement as the lend-lease-in-reverse deal by which the aircraft carrier Magnificent is manned by Canadians and works with the RCN, but is owned by the RN.

DESIGNED FOR TRAINING The move is designed to give Canada's anti-sub navy complete and continuous training and to give her men first-hand knowledge of sub techniques so they will better understand their main role in any future sea war. In the past, this naval training program has often been delayed while borrowed subs and crews are being replaced.

The navy announcement in Ottawa said 1,500 men volunteered for submarine training but there are places for only 200. This is enough to man the three submarines to be based here as the 6th Submarine Squadron of the Royal Navy.

Canada's Atlantic coast naval force, groomed especially for anti-submarine warfare, have trained previously with British submarines manned by British crews. These subs came to Halifax at intervals and worked out of here for several months.

OTTAWA, (CP)—Queen Mother Elizabeth arrived here by air Friday night to begin a five-day Ottawa visit. The big RCAF C-5 aircraft bringing her from Langley Field, Va., touched down at 5:55 p.m. EST after a three-hour flight.

The plane, flying the Queen Mother's standard from a cockpit window, taxied in front of a new hangar at Uplands airport for the welcoming ceremonies. Her Majesty came down the ramp to be greeted by Governor General Massey and Prime Minister St. Laurent. A 21-gun salute roared out. Big lights illuminated the scene. The weather was clear and nippy.

Island Members At Ottawa State Dinner

OTTAWA, (Special)—Prince Edward Island will be represented by both Senators and Members of the Commons at the state dinner being given tonight for Her Majesty the Queen Mother Elizabeth.

Late Friday, the Island contingent for the Royal visit reached the capital. It is composed of Senator and Mrs. McIntyre, Senator and Mrs. George H. Barbour, Mr. Angus MacLean, MP. for Queen's and Mrs. MacLean and Mr. Neil Matheson MP. for Queens, and Mrs. Matheson.

At the state dinner, Senators and MPs and their wives will be presented to Her Majesty. They will also be present at other functions during the Queen Mother's five-day visit to Ottawa, including a luncheon in the Parliamentary restaurant.

The city is rapidly filling with members of Commons and Senate and all sections of the country from Newfoundland to the Yukon. Her Majesty arrived in Ottawa at six o'clock Friday night after a three-hour flight from Langley Field near Norfolk, Virginia.

NAME ROSE AFTER WIFE BRAMPTON, Ont. (CP)—Wife of Canadian author Thomas B. Costain has had a rose named after her by the Dale estate of Brampton, Ont. The author and his wife came from New York Thursday for the unveiling of the Ida Costain rose, a large flower of deep yellow golders hue.

Report Opposition Leader George Drew Recovering From Meningitis

OTTAWA, (CP)—Opposition leader Drew is suffering from meningitis but is reported to be recovering. A period of convalescence after his release from hospital is, however, inevitable and all engagements for the next month have been cancelled. Mr. Drew's illness prevented him from greeting Queen Mother Elizabeth on arrival Friday night but he is expected to attend a luncheon, and a state dinner today.

To Relieve Heavy Traffic Congestion

The ferry "Prince Edward Island" is to be put into immediate service at Borden to relieve the congestion of traffic occasioned by the heavy shipment of potatoes from the Island both by rail and by truck. It was stated yesterday by railway officials. Another reason for putting the old ferry into operation is because the Railway has been able to secure an unusually large number of refrigerator cars from the United States and their movement from Tormentina to Borden must be effected at the earliest possible date.

No prediction can be made by officials regarding the length of time the second boat will be required. They point out that it will remain in service until the situation is relieved.

LONDON (Reuters)—The Archbishop of Canterbury Friday led a deputation to the government asking for action against the sale of "horror" comics to children.

ISLAND POTATO EXHIBITORS SCORE AT ROYAL WINTER FAIR

Prince Edward Island Maritime Potato King, Reid Underhay of Souris, RR, has continued to add to his laurels by winning first place for his seed entry of Red or Rose variety at the Royal Winter Fair. This information was received yesterday by Mr. H. L. MacLaren of the Seed Certification Branch, Science Service Laboratory at Charlottetown yesterday. At the conclusion of the Amherst Fair, Mr. MacLaren took twelve prize winning entries and shipped them express to Toronto where they were entered in the big agricultural show. In spite of the fact that the potatoes, including Mr. Underhay's winners, had been on exhibit for over a week, they took nine prizes out of the twelve; an achievement which is worthy of note.

Other Island winners at Toronto were Messrs. Hudson Pritham, Alberton, who placed second at Amherst and took third prize at Toronto; Francis Myers, Mount Stewart who was third at Amherst and came fourth at Toronto; Alexis MacLean, of Elmira, who placed first at Amherst and won fifth at Toronto. These three were in the Irish Cobbler class. In the Green Mountain class, Norman W. Campbell's (Coleman) first place winners at Amherst took fifth prize. Judson Smallman of Howland who took third prize at Amherst won fourth prize at Toronto. Harold Lewis, St. Peter's was a first prize winner for Kathadins at Amherst who took fifth prize at the Royal John C. MacBeth of St. Peter's RR. 4 was second prize winner at Amherst who took fourth at Toronto and a fourth prize Amherst winner took third prize at Toronto. He was Jas. H. Mallard, Souris RR 1. In addition to the shipment of twelve entries sent up by Mr. MacLaren, Island growers who sent their own exhibits were Mr. R. L. Burge, St. Peter's, who won second prize for Kathadins; James E. MacNeill, Kensington, fifth for any other variety and Earl Palmer Howland, fifth for Sebago.

Queen Mother To Speak By Radio Today

OTTAWA, (CP)—The Queen Mother will speak by radio to the people of Canada Saturday on the second day of her visit to Ottawa. The occasion will be a luncheon in the parliamentary restaurant at which the Queen Mother will reply to welcoming speeches by the speakers of the Commons and Senate.

S' Side Man Has Highest Aggregate Score At P.E.I. Annual Mink Show

Mr. George Callbeck of Summerside had the highest aggregate score when the judging was completed at the 4th annual live mink show in Charlottetown yesterday. In token of his achievement, Mr. Callbeck received a beautiful blanket from the Hudson's Bay Company.

In the platinum (medium) class Mr. Callbeck had the champion male and the grand champion, with the reserve champion male and reserve grand champion going to L. K. Lockerby of Hamilton. In the Stewart Platinum and Breath of Spring class Ernest T. Mill of Kensington emerged grand champion with Mr. Callbeck winning the reserve grand. Mr. Lowell Hancock took grand championship honors in the Pearl Platinum class and Mr. Reg Gallant took the grand championship for white mink.

Mr. Andy Stewart from the Hudson's Bay Company, who judged the mink said that they were of the finest quality he has seen anywhere. The following are the results of yesterday's judging: CLASS 5 - PLATINUM (Medium) Section 1 - Male - Adult and Kit - 10 Entries: 1. L. K. Lockerby; 2. L. W. Hancock; 3. George A. Callbeck; 4. L. K. Lockerby; 5. George A. Callbeck; 6. Ernest T. Mill. Section 2 - Female - Adult and Kit - 8 Entries: 1. George A. Callbeck; 2. L. K. Lockerby; 3. (Continued on Page 5 col. 3)



OLD MAN WINTER BEATS MORAL FORCE IN MAKING THE GIRLS PUT ON MORE CLOTHES!

Table with 3 columns: Location, Min, Max. Lists weather forecasts for various locations in PEI.

Regional forecasts: New Brunswick: Clear with a few cloudy intervals; cold; north-west winds 20 becoming light in afternoon; low-high at Moncton, Fredericton and Saint John 20 and 35, Edmundston and Campbellton 20 and 32.

Outlook for Sunday: Intermittent rain. Prince Edward Island: Variable cloudiness with widely scattered snowflurries; cold; north west winds 20 becoming light in the evening. Low-high at Charlottetown 25 and 35.

Outlook for Sunday: Clear becoming overcast. High tide today at Charlottetown at 1:02 p.m. Low tide at 11:28 p.m. Tides eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:06 a.m. and sets at 4:47 p.m.