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RED HORDES PRESS AHEAD ON BOTH FRONTS IN KOREA

Calgary Has Worst Winter Flood In History

Prime Minister Attlee En Route To Washington; Is "Soberly-Optimistic"

LONDON, Dec. 3 — (CP) — A "soberly-optimistic" Prime Minister Attlee left for Washington tonight for man-to-man talks with President Truman. Qualified sources said that in the present critical world situation Attlee will urge Truman to join in early peace talks with Communist China and Russia.

In the talks with Truman which begin Tuesday, Attlee will be backed by France and the Commonwealth countries. After a day-long conference Saturday, Attlee and Premier Rene Pleven of France were reported to have agreed that their countries want:

1. An early Korean settlement based on agreement with Communist China.
 2. An early Big-Four parley at which the West can discuss with Russia issues which might touch off a third world war.
- Britain and France believe that only the United Nations and not the U.S. alone must decide whether to use the atom bomb in a U.N. war.
- Attlee carried with him the hopes of war-jittery Britain that he and Truman may be able to work out some solution for the crisis which will avoid a third world war.
- His party of 17, including some of Britain's top military and economic advisers, left London airport at 9:35 P.M. (4:35 P.M. EST) in a special B. O. A. C. stratospher.

Coming Events

- "All your Plans to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- "Parkdale community concert five nights, opening Feb. 28.
- "Buying Timothy seed daily. McGuigan and Boyle.
- "Hampton School Concert Wednesday, December 20th.
- "South Milton Christmas Concert, Dec. 21st.
- "Reserve Dec. 19th, Vernon Christmas Concert, Curtain 8 p.m.
- "Reserve Dec. 20th for Concert at Kingston.
- "Clyde River School Christmas Concert, Friday, December 22nd.
- "Cleaning and Buying Timothy Seed daily. John Leard, Crapaud.
- "Reserve December 20th for Marshfield Christmas Concert.
- "Cornwall hall Wednesday, Dec. 6, Highland Highland Dancers.
- "Reserve Wednesday, Dec. 20th for Wheatley River School concert in Wheatley River Hall.
- "Come to the regular Dance at the Bonshaw Inn Tuesday night, MacNeill's Orchestra.
- "Chicken Supper and Bazaar, Murray Harbor Hall, Wednesday, 6th, Aid of United Church.
- "Crapaud-Victoria Board of Trade regular meeting Monday, December 4th, in Crapaud Hall.
- "Crapaud L. O. B. A. Concert in Hampton Hall, Wednesday, December 6th, Auspices Melville Lodge.
- "Reserve Saturday, Dec. 16th for South Winsloe Pantry Sale and Bazaar at Fennell & Chandler.
- "Buying live fowl, chickens and capons Tuesday, Dec. 5th, till noon. Highest market prices. R. L. Dickieson, New Glasgow.
- "There is an excellent demand for lumber five and number six wheat for poultry. One thousand bushels or more per car. Get our prices. The Atlas Grain Company, Montreal, Que.
- "Variety Concert Winsloe Station Hall tonight, 8 p.m. Colorful costumes, old time music and don't miss Dick Turpin. Sponsored by Highfield Women's Institute. Sale of candy.
- "Show Morell Community Hall, every Tuesday, Friday, Saturday. Show starts 8 o'clock. Coming Friday, Saturday, "Mr. Belvedere Goes to College." Starring Clifton Webb, Shirley Temple.
- "Poultry — Buying live poultry weekly for American and Canadian Markets. Poultry weighed and paid for on farm. Contact Urban McQuaid, Central Egg and Poultry, 2304 Grafton Street, Charlottetown before selling elsewhere. Phone—Day 2526, Night 1581—14.

3,000 Homeless When Bow River Burst Banks

By GRAHAM TROTTER
CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 3 — (CP) — This city girded itself tonight for a second onslaught of the winter flood which made 3,000 people homeless or stranded and caused untold property damage Friday night.

Men and machines worked feverishly around the clock to throw up ice and earthen dikes along the low-lying banks of the ice-choked Bow River.

Only trickles of water seeped over the banks Saturday but city officials and police, maintaining a constant patrol of the river banks, warned that the danger of further flooding on Friday's precedent-shattered scale was not past.

Solid Dam of Ice

A solid dam of ice — some say it is at least 15 feet thick in places — blocks the Bow at its junction with the Elbow River in East Calgary.

The flood danger increases as this dam, bolstered hourly by a constant stream of ice washing down the river, builds up back through the city. It now extends past two of the city's three main bridges and into West Calgary.

Its normal channels blocked, the swollen Bow jumped its banks in East Calgary with startling suddenness Friday. It poured four feet or more of water on ice over 23 city blocks to within one block of 8th Avenue, the main thoroughfare.

Hundreds Trapped

It all happened within minutes. Hundreds of persons were trapped in their homes as the icy water washed into basements and lapped over ground floors. They were rescued.

Field Marshal Sir William Slim, chief of the Imperial General Staff; Sir Edwin Plowden, the Government's chief economic planning officer; Robert Hall, chief economic adviser to the Government, and other Foreign Office officials accompanied Attlee.

The Prime Minister in November, 1945, flew to Washington to "discuss world affairs in the terrible light of the discovery of atomic energy." He visited Ottawa on the same trip.

Creamery Butter

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 — (CP) — Stocks of creamery butter in nine Canadian cities on Dec. 1 amounted to 38,048,000 pounds, compared with 46,980,000 on Nov. 1, and 72,000,000 on Dec. 1 last year, the Bureau of Statistics reported Saturday.

Holdings of cheddar cheese decreased to 17,380,000 pounds from 19,398,000 on Nov. 1 and 32,608,000 on the corresponding date last year.

Stocks of creamery butter by cities, with totals for the corresponding date last year in brackets: Quebec 2,980,000 (2,938,000); Montreal 12,533,000 (17,116,000); Toronto 5,117,000 (9,988,000); Winnipeg 9,551,000 (10,216,000); Regina 705,000 (1,069,000); Saskatoon 417,000 (331,000); Edmonton 432,000 (3,140,000); Calgary 1,538,000 (1,375,000); Vancouver 860,000 (1,569,000).

Gov't Bans Sale Of Steel For Non-essential Building

OTTAWA, Dec. 3 — (CP) — A government ban on the sale of steel for domestic non-essential construction will start Jan. 1. Housing will not be affected.

The order banning sale of steel for non-essential building is expected to put a crimp in Canada's civilian building boom, but this may be replaced by defence construction.

The steel delivery ban includes all types of construction for amusement, entertainment or recreation; such things as theatres, dance halls, amusement parks, recreational clubs or halls, holiday camps, arenas, rinks, stadia, race tracks, bowling alleys and exhibitions.

Premier Will Press For Showdown On Ferry Issue

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 3 — (Special) — Continuous communication between P. E. I. and the mainland will be a leading subject raised by Premier J. Walter Jones at the Dominion-Provincial Conference this week, it was learned today.

The Premier already has mentioned the failure of communications between the Island and New Brunswick during the railway strike, blaming the Dominion Government for this failure. He is expected to insist either on a special agreement with the Union whereby the ferries will run, strike or no strike, or formation of a special P. E. I. and the Dominion would be represented.

The Premier intends to go all out on this question, it was learned, as there is the fear that the Union might delay action to insure railway peace even after the Kellogg report is received.

Island Sow Breaks All Canadian A. R. Records

In a recent report issued by the Canadian Advanced Registry Board, the sow Busheau Cookie 17C, owned by Eric Pendergast, Hazelbrook P. E. I. has made a slaughter test score of 96, a figure never before reached by any sow in Canada. This sow was bred by George Bushey, Souris Line Road. The qualifying litter was sired by Souris Dick 60B, owned by Ed Wood, Pownal.

In the same report, the sow Gormdale Duchess 2D, owned by J. Emmett Gorman, South Melville, made a slaughter test score of 94.

The complete list of sows recently qualified is as follows: Busheau Cookie 17C, 9-210-96.

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West Berliners Turn Deaf Ear To Red Propaganda

BERLIN, Dec. 3 — (AP) — West Berlin's voters dealt a new blow to Communism today with a turnout at the polls that broke all post-war records.

The City Election Bureau announced that 89.6 per cent of the voters took part in balloting to elect a city government for the next four years in the American, British and French sectors.

The swarm of ballots cast despite snow and cold made a mockery out of Communist demands that the Western Berliners boycott the election on the grounds that all eight parties presenting candidates were "American war parties."

The Election Bureau said an unofficial count showed 1,491,516 ballots cast in the 1,589 districts. There were 1,664,686 eligible voters. This surpassed the 1949 elections when 86.3 per cent of West Berlin, surrounded by the Soviet blockade and fed only by the Western Allies airtail, trooped to the polls to show defiance of the Kremlin.

The election was conducted without serious disturbance. Last week police arrested 303 Communist agitators trying to work up boycott fever in West Berlin.

The Communist press and radio claimed at first the West Berliners were heading their warning not to vote. Later they accused the police and Western authorities of hurriedly transporting thousands to vote.

First scattered returns, from old line socialist districts, gave Mayor Ernest Reuter's Social Democratic Party a big lead. On the basis of these returns, the party was tripling its strength over the traditional runners-up in Berlin—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's Christian Democratic Union.

C.C.F. Party In N.S. Elects Leaders

SYDNEY, N. S., Dec. 3 — (CP) — Tom MacLachlan, a Glace Bay miner and former president of the Nova Scotia Federation of Labor, was elected president of the Provincial C.C.F. Association during the final session of the annual meeting here Saturday. A former Glace Bay town councillor he succeeds Dr. H. H. Gillis.

Russell Cunningham, member of the Nova Scotia Legislature, was re-elected Provincial leader.

The Association passed a resolution asking that the Federal Government take immediate action in regard to the Canso Bridge, which would link Cape Breton Island with the Provincial mainland.

U. S. 8th Army Begins Retreat From Pyongyang

TOKYO, Dec. 4 — (Monday) — (AP) — Outnumbered United Nations forces today began a mass withdrawal from Pyongyang to new positions south of the former North Korean capital.

The retreat of thousands of men and their equipment, including U. S. Eighth Army headquarters, continued in Northwest Korea. A protective force to the north still barred the approaching Chinese Communists from the city.

The U. S. 9th Corps headquarters began moving south this morning. It was to be followed by the U. S. 1st Corps. Both planned to dig in along a new but as yet undisclosed defence line.

In Northeast Korea, 40 U. S. bombers began an all-day effort to blast a path through six Chinese Red regiments for trapped Marines and infantrymen to make their way back 50 miles to Hamhung.

Two U. S. marine regiments today broke out of a five-day trap on the west side of the Changjin reservoir. Taking heavy losses, they ended a bloody 12-mile retreat to Hagaru at the south tip of the reservoir.

There they joined other marines of the 1st Division and also elements of two U. S. 7th Division regiments who had fought out of a similar trap on the east side.

But there was more trouble ahead. Six Chinese regiments were in mountain positions on both sides of the road for six miles south of Hagaru.

Planes To Clear Way
Mal-Gen. Earle E. Partridge ordered 40 B-26 light bombers of his fifth air force to clear the way.

Partridge instructed that "every enemy ridge, every enemy road and every enemy position be hit."

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Fire Destroys Vacant House At Tignish

A vacant dwelling house at Tignish, believed owned by Howard Harper, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin last night. The blaze broke out about 10:30.

The Tignish Fire Department and a bucket brigade succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to nearby buildings, including the home of Mrs. Catherine MacInnis.

The dwelling was located on Phillips Street, in the heart of the village.

Weather conditions helped the firefighters. Rain had started just previous to the start of the fire, and showers helped keep roofs of nearby buildings wet.

It was not known immediately whether there was any furniture in the house. Mr. Harper had moved to another home in the village in August.

Director of Defence Appointed in N.B.

FREDERICTON, Dec. 3 — (CP) — Hon. Dr. F. A. McGrand, Minister of Health and Social Services, will coordinate and direct New Brunswick's civilian defence organization, Premier McNeil announced Saturday. The work will be done under plans formulated by Federal authorities, he added. Dr. McGrand is assisted by Dr. J. A. McLanson, a veteran of both world wars, and chief medical officer for the Province.

Body of Missing N.B. Hunter Found

PLASTER ROCK, N. B., Dec. 3 — (CP) — The body of Vaughan White, 43-year-old resident of White Brook, Victoria County, was found today near the Mamazokel Bridge, a mile from the spot where searches discovered his wrecked canoe Friday. Missing since Thursday, when he went hunting with O. R. Richter, he had been sought by 150 men. The two hunters had separated and planned to meet later in the day but White failed to appear.

FARMER FATALLY INJURED

SUSSEX, N. B., Dec. 3 — (CP) — Charles G. McAuley, 53, Smith's Creek farmer who fell 30 feet from a haymow Thursday, died in hospital here Saturday.

Expect European Army Will Include Canadian Army And Air Force Units

By DOUGLAS HOW
OTTAWA, Dec. 3 — (CP) — The drive is on to construct a Western military wall of roughly 50 to 60 divisions and supporting strength in Europe by 1953. Indications now are that Canada will contribute both ground and air and, indirectly, naval forces to the effort.

Canadian Naval Ships Have New Patrol Job

TOKYO, Dec. 3 — (CP) — Three Canadian destroyers and one Australian mounted close patrol today off the mouth of the Yalu River — border between North Korea and Manchuria.

Their task is to prevent the Chinese Communists using the sea route to supply troops thrusting deep into the Korean peninsula.

The three Canadian destroyers in Korean waters are the Albatross, the Cayuga and the Sioux.

The CBC correspondent in Tokyo, Bill Herbert, said he has learned there is another purpose for the patrol. He said high officials told him there is evidence that the Chinese may try amphibious landings behind U. N. lines.

The CBC correspondent said it also is known in Tokyo that the Chinese have about 16,000 well-trained paratroopers that could be sent into battle.

Heaviest Traffic Year For Wood Is. Ferries

Yearly and monthly traffic figures for the Wood Islands-Caribou Ferry Service continue to increase according to the traffic reports issued by the Northumberland Ferries Ltd., yesterday at the end of the 1950 season of operation.

Traffic figures for the past ten years show that 505,274 people were ferried between the P. E. I. and Nova Scotia points, 100,358 autos and 30,498 trucks were ferried by the service during the same period.

Passenger figures for 1950 show an increase of 7,089 over the corresponding seven month period, May 1-Dec. 1, 1949. Auto increase was 2,463 and truck increase 695.

74,527 passengers were ferried from May to December in 1950 against 67,438 in 1949. 1950 auto figures were 18,805 and truck figures 5,964 against 16,342 autos and 5,209 trucks in 1949.

4,383 passengers were transported during November, 1950 against 3,282 in November 1949, an increase of 1,071.

The number of autos ferried during November this year compared with the number in the same month one year ago showed an increase of 322. November 1950 figures were 963 and November 1949 figures 641.

121 more autos were transported by the service during the last month than November 1949. Figures for November 1950 show that 965 trucks were ferried against 814 in the same month a year ago.

With the closing of the service for the season, the "Charles A. Dunning" has gone to Pictou where she will remain during the winter for overhauling. The "Prince Nova" is at the Marine Wharf, Charlottetown, and will be overhauled by Bruce Stewart and Company. She will return to service in May.

Believe Huge Gambling Syndicate Is Cracked

Windsor said "all possible secrecy" surrounded the raids. They had been preceded by two months of joint planning by Detroit and Ontario Provincial police.

The Crown Attorney said the crackdown can be considered "only the start of a campaign."

Two men were arrested in Windsor, and some 75 in Detroit. Further investigations, to be made jointly by police of the two countries, may bring in other suspects in Windsor, police indicated.

The two Windsor men, Cyril Drew, 28-year-old private detective, and Gordon Keltz, 37, were arrested by police who broke into two separate offices in a downtown office building. Charged with keeping a betting house, they were later released on bail of \$1,000 each.

"Investigation is continuing and may involve others," said Edwin V. McNeill, Windsor's acting police chief.

18 MORE SHOPPING DAYS

HE WHO FIGHTS AND RUNS AWAY HAS TO BE FASTER THAN THE OTHER FELLOW!

TORONTO, Dec. 3 — (CP) — Minimum temperatures observed between 7:30 P.M. and 7:30 A.M. EST, maximum temperatures between 7:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.: Victoria 40 42; Edmonton 17B 9B; Calgary 15 B zero; Regina 23B 3B; Winnipeg 15B 4; Toronto 38 52; Ottawa 28 —; Montreal 31 36; Quebec 24 32; Saint John — 33; Moncton 24 34; Halifax 31; Charlottetown, 28 36; Sydney 32 36; Yarmouth — 47; St. John's Nfld. 31 41.

FOREST FIRE IN TEXAS

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 2 — (AP) — Forty-two forest fires burned uncontrolled last night in an eight-county gulf coast area and the Houston Post said timberland losses had already exceeded \$2,000,000.

Rain has been falling in Prince Edward Island and the Eastern portions of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, but it is expected to end by dawn. Although cloudy skies are forecast for Monday, there will be little or no rain, and temperatures will remain at unseasonably high levels.

Regional forecasts, valid until midnight Monday:

Prince Edward Island: Cloudy and milder. Light winds. Low and high Monday at Charlottetown 30 and 42.

High tide today at 5:05 A. M. and 5:50 P. M.
Sun rises at 7:33 A. M. and sets at 4:31 P. M.
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

BORDEN — CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE

Leave Borden	Leave C.T.
9:10 A.M.	10:35 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	2:40 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	7:30 P.M.

SUNDAY

Leave Borden	Leave C.T.
9:10 A.M.	10:35 A.M.
6:45 P.M.	8:00 P.M.