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BRITAIN ORDERS 30 WARSHIPS TO MEDITERRANEAN AREA

Three Men Killed When C.P.R. Freights Collide

Royal Couple Leaving On Goodwill Tour Today; Travel By Plane To Kenya

By Mary Burnett
LONDON, Jan. 30 —(Reuters)—Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip will be off bright and early tomorrow on another global goodwill tour—this time to Africa, Ceylon, Australia and New Zealand. The royal couple said their farewells to family and friends in private tonight. The formal leaving-taking at the airport tomorrow will probably be the traditional straight-faced affair, reflecting the dictum that royal personages ought not to show emotion. The only possible hitch would come if three-year-old Prince Charles forgets his party manners and bids his mother farewell like any other little boy. He and his young sister, Princess Anne, won't see their parents until well into the summer. The couple had no official engagements today, spending their time with their children and making a last check on luggage and travel arrangements. First leg of their trip, aboard a Canadian-built North Star of the British Overseas Airways Corporation, will be to Nairobi, Kenya, where they will spend about a week resting. Most of their luggage already is aboard the 15,000-ton liner Gothic, which will pick the royal couple up at Mombasa, Kenya, Feb. 7 for the voyage to Ceylon. By flying the first leg, the Princess will bypass the sea trip through the troubled Suez Canal.

Wreck Took Place In 30 Below Weather

GRAND FALLS, N. B., Jan. 30 —(CP)—Collision of two freight trains today at Argosy, N. B., caused the death of three Canadian Pacific Railway employees. The dead: P. I. Beaulieu, 49, and H. H. Dixon, 33, both sectionmen of Ortonville, N. B., and Conductor H. Perley Cox, 56, Argosy, N. B. Argosy is three miles south of Grand Falls, on the McAdam-Edmundston branch line of the C.P.R. The two sectionmen, who were in the van of one train, were killed on the spot. Cox died in hospital here late today. The engine of one freight ploughed into the van of the other, which had stopped to take on water. The engine jumped the tracks, the van was demolished and a carload of pulpwood caught fire. Both freights had been proceeding to Edmundston. Beaulieu and Dixon had been patrolling their section in a motor trolley. With the temperature ranging down to 30 degrees below zero or more, they entered the van for warmth shortly before the collision. Cox was conductor of the standing train. All three victims were in the van—or caboose—when the accident occurred. A fourth railwayman, John Christie, Argosy, escaped by jumping from the caboose seconds before the collision. Coroner F. K. Kerton empaneled a jury and then adjourned the inquest proceedings until Friday afternoon. Railway officials and R. C. M. P. launched an investigation. Observers said that factors might have been poor visibility, resulting from fog, and possible failure of the breaks of the moving train. Lawrence Taylor and Lawrence Roach, engineer and brakeman of the approaching train, jumped clear into snowbanks when they couldn't stop the train in time to avoid a collision. Thrown out of the line, the locomotive was badly twisted. Flames destroyed the pulpwood-laden box behind the caboose. Dixon is survived by his widow, and Beaulieu by his widow and four children.

Speedier C.N.R. Truck Service For King's County Provided

Commencing tomorrow, February 1, the Canadian National Railway truck service to King's County for less than carload freight and express will leave Charlottetown at 6 a.m. daily instead of 9 a.m. as at present, thus providing a much more expeditious service than hitherto available for patrons using these facilities. Official announcement of the change in hour was made by C.N.R. regional and divisional headquarters at Moncton and Charlottetown yesterday. The truck service was inaugurated last October with five new C.N.R. trucks of 4-ton cartage capacity, and carried the mails to King's County until the latter service was discontinued by the Post Office Department two weeks ago. The starting hour from Charlottetown had been delayed until 9 a.m. to connect with morning air mail reaching Charlottetown by Flight Two. Now that I.C.I. freight and express only are being carried, the earlier morning start has been decided upon, and it is expected will prove of great additional advantage to shippers and the public generally.

Churchill Reports To House On North American Visit

LONDON, Jan. 30 —(CP)—Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons today that his recent call for "prompt, resolute and effective" action if a Korean truce is violated does not commit Britain to full-scale war with Communist China. Churchill said he still hopes that a cease-fire agreement will be reached in Korea and, "being reached, will be kept." He said the question of what to do if a truce is made and then broken by Red China still is hypothetical, but he discussed it in Washington and agreed it would create "a very serious situation." The Prime Minister said he made no "definite or formal commitments" to President Truman on what action Britain would take against the Chinese if a truce is ruptured, but he implied such commitments were not necessary. Reporting on his North American visit, Churchill recalled his words before the United States Congress Jan. 17—"Our two countries are agreed that if the truce we seek is reached only to be broken, our response will be prompt, resolute and effective." "These words," Churchill said, "do not represent any new designs arrived at during our visit," Churchill said. "They do express frankly and fully the spirit in which we shall face our difficulties together." He called for a greater defence army in Western Europe, so the Atlantic Treaty powers would not be "forced to rely so disproportionately on American superiority in the atomic bomb." That would give a chance of establishing a calmer atmosphere which might lead to a makeshift settlement with Russia lasting perhaps for years.

Miami Shivers

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 30 —(AP)—The temperature dropped to 44 degrees in Miami today to make this the coldest Jan. 30 since the Weather Bureau began keeping records 41 years ago. The previous low was 47 in 1940.

Nine Persons Burned In Fires Yesterday; Two In Cape Breton Village

ALDER POINT, N. S., Jan. 30 —(CP)—Two persons, a month-old child and a woman who tried to rescue him, died today when fire raced through a frame dwelling in this Cape Breton community. Victims were Glenn Walker, born Christmas Day the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Walker, and Mrs. Kenneth MacDonald, 28, a visitor in the Walker home who died in a vain rescue attempt. The infant was sleeping in a second-storey bedroom when the blaze, starting in an upstairs closet and spreading quickly, was discovered. Mrs. MacDonald raced up the stairs but was overcome by smoke a few feet from the baby's crib. Both bodies were recovered. Mr. Walker, a coal miner, was working in nearby North Sydney at the time. Mrs. Walker, her three other children and Mrs. MacDonald's three children escaped from the flaming house without injury. At Valleyfield, Quebec

N. Y. Stocks In Sharp Decline

NEW YORK, Jan. 30 —(AP)—The stock market took its deepest drop in about three months today as a selling wave in the closing minutes of the session forced prices down a few cents to \$2 a share. The activity of the market accelerated as the selling wave built up and the high speed ticker tape dropped behind floor quotations. Volume hit 1,680,000 shares. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks dropped \$1.30, the largest decline since October 27 last, when the averages fell \$1.50. Traders attributed the weakness to "a minor technical reaction" to the long sustained upward climb of the market. They did not think it was a serious development nor did they believe it was a lasting trend. Steels, which had been a few cents to around \$1 a share higher during most of the session, were dragged down with the remainder of the market. But their final losses were small. U. S. steel dropped 25 cents and Bethlehem, Republic and Youngstown lost 38 cents each.

Marketing Board Appeal Judgment To Be Delivered

The Supreme Court meets this morning at 11 o'clock to give judgment in the Marketing Board appeal case. Originally before the Supreme Court it was referred by that body to the Supreme Court of Canada without arguments being heard during the July sittings. This was done when it was learned that whichever decision was reached by the local court there would be an appeal to the higher tribunal. The case arose as a test of the ability of the Potato Marketing Board to make orders and of the validity of the P.E.I. Agricultural Products Act under which it was set up. The shipping firm of H.B. Willis Inc. was the nominal defendant. Last month the Supreme Court of Canada stated in a decision that the matter must be referred back to the local Supreme Court as it had not come before that body for judgment.

Coming Events

- Reserve March 3rd for White Elephant Sale, Y. M. C. A.
- Notice—Our Store will be closed February 1st, for stocktaking. The Vernon River Co-op.
- Farmers, ask about the Shur-Gain Feed Finance Plan. For particulars contact your local feed mill.
- Tonight's the Night! Burns Concert, Victoria Hall. It stormy, following night.
- Hockey match Long River tonight, Long River vs. Stanley Bridge.
- For Snapshots that will not fade, mail your films and negatives to Garnham Photo Studios, Charlottetown.
- Card party in Emerald Hall Friday, Feb. 1. Drawing of lottery. Sponsored by the B.I.S.
- League game tonight, Hunter River Rink, South Rustico vs. Hunter River Shur-Gains. Skate after.
- Get your beef cattle ready for the Fat Stock Show. Use your own grain. See Gil Henry, Purina Feed Store.
- Hockey Stanley Bridge Rink tonight, Cavendish vs. Breadalbane. Game time 8:30. Skate after.
- Hockey Wiltshire rink tonight, Charlottetown Y.M.C.A. vs. Wiltshire Miracles. Skate after. Canteen service.
- Now in stock, Cod Liver Oil, Fishmeal Purina Steer Pattens, Purina Dreyenna, Dillon and Spillit.
- Come in and talk over our Purina Finance Plan, for your Hogs and Poultry. Dillon and Spillit.
- Hockey North River Rink, Thursday, Jan. 31, Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs vs. Glasgow Road Maple Leafs. Game time 8:15. Skate after.
- Hockey at Sandy's tonight, Jan. 31, Sandy's Ramblers vs. West Covehead. League game. Skate after.
- 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 Lead-urinated Turpin 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 program. All poultry feeds are in new jute bags. E. J. MacDougall, Vernon.

British Publisher Seeking Divorce

LONDON, Jan. 30 —(AP)—Lord Rothermere, 53-year-old British newspaper publisher, today filed suit for divorce from Lady Rothermere on grounds of misconduct. His petition cited a "Mk. Fleming" as correspondent. Rothermere publishes the Daily Mail, evening News and Sunday Dispatch. His first marriage, to Margaret Hunham, ended in a divorce in 1938. He married the present Lady Rothermere, widow of Baron O'Neill, in 1945.

Lone Bandit Pays Second Visit

MONTREAL, Jan. 30 —(CP)—A lone bandit today staged his second holdup of the same bank and escaped with \$3,000, police said. On his first visit a few weeks ago he took \$4,000. He stuck to the walk-in pattern today when he walked into a branch of La Banque Provinciale du Canada, on Laurier Avenue east. He held a gun so only Miss Germaine Reeves, the teller he held up before, could see it. He showed a note through the wicket. The frightened teller pushed a stack of banknotes toward him. The bandit picked them up, left the bank and ran along the street, dropping some of the bills. He disappeared before police could be summoned.

Expect Four Canadians On Atlantic Naval Staff

OTTAWA, Jan. 30 —(CP)—Four Canadian naval officers are expected to be posted to the headquarters of Admiral Lynde B. McCormick, named today to be supreme Allied naval commander of the North Atlantic. Canada's naval chief, Vice-Admiral E. R. Mainguy, is slated to go to Washington Tuesday for discussions arising from the appointment and will likely see Admiral McCormick at that time. Admiral McCormick, directing a big U.S.-Canadian exercise off Canada's Northern Atlantic coast, was named today to the N.A.T.O. post which came into being only after a lot of wrangling between the U.S. and Britain. The expectation here is that he will establish his headquarters somewhere on the east coast of the United States and that representatives of Canada and other N.A.T.O. naval powers will be posted to it. Admiral McCormick's first official act was to appoint a Briton, Vice-Admiral Sir William Andrews of the Royal Navy, as his deputy. Canada apparently doesn't expect to have a spokesman of particularly high rank at the new headquarters. Her representatives will be two commanders—equivalent of army lieutenant-colonels—and two lieutenant-commanders. By the time of the end of the N.A.T.O. council meeting in Lisbon in mid-February, the broad picture of the new Atlantic Command should be filled in. One of the first big developments is likely to be a large-scale exercise to show Admiral McCormick just what he has available. Much of Canada's east coast fleet would probably be assigned to his command for the period of the exercise.

Sub Arrives In Halifax From U. K.

HALIFAX, Jan. 30 —(CP)—Her bow and quarterdeck coated with ice, the Royal Navy submarine Alcide docked here today after a rough Atlantic crossing. The Alcide, on a six-month loan to the Canadian Navy to exercise its ship and aircraft, of the R.C.N. and R.C.A.F., carries 60 officers and men. Her skipper is Lt.-Comdr. J. S. Saunders.

Meat Packers Hold Annual Convention

MONTREAL, Jan. 30 —(CP)—More than 200 representatives from all provinces except Newfoundland gathered today for the 32nd annual meeting of the Industrial and Development Council of Canadian Meat Packers. The convention will last three days. Reports will be given by F. H. Schneider of Kitchener, Ont., council president, and S. E. Todd of Forest, Ont., managing director.

Lady Alexander Takes Back "Bits Of Canada"

OTTAWA, Jan. 30 —(CP)—Viscountess Alexander won't forget Canada. Not only is she taking back memories of six years here, but she is bringing home to England a "mountain" of articles that will keep reminding her of her busy years as the chateleine of Government House. In a farewell interview with newspaper women, the wife of the former Governor-General told how she will be taking away next month such typical Canadian possessions as a collection of square-dance records, her weaving loom, Eskimo and other native handicrafts and a regular art gallery of Canadian paintings. In the paintings will be several by her husband, though she said he's given away most of the products of his hobby. The Alexanders will have a tie with Canada through their children. Sons Shane and Brian are planning to attend McGill University at Montreal when they get through public school in England. Daughter Rose, a McGill student now, will continue there. Lady Alexander said she probably will stay in Canada for next summer's holidays and hopes to get a summer job at a lodge in the Rockies. She and the other children will decide for themselves later. Lady Alexander said whether they are to stay in Canada permanently after finishing their education. Meanwhile, she hoped that she would get back occasionally. Since her husband's Britain's defence minister probably would be coming here "on business," she likely would find an excuse to go along. Despite a happy tenure as the first lady of Canada, she confessed she leaves with a few regrets. Although she travelled more than 183,000 miles, she said she is sorry she didn't get about more—particularly in the north. She especially wanted to take one of the famous paddle-boat trips down the Mackenzie River. She wished now, too, that she had joined Viscount Alexander in taking up skiing, his favorite winter pastime. Lady Alexander said that in London they are taking a furnished house owned by Gen. Sir Gerald Templar, who is going to Malaysia as high commissioner. They won't be able to use "Night-Ingales," the home they recently bought outside London in anticipation of Viscount Alexander's retirement.

Dolan Ill In Halifax Hospital

HALIFAX, Jan. 30 —(CP)—D. Leo Dolan, director of Canada's Travel Bureau, was reported "resting comfortably" in hospital here today. Mr. Dolan collapsed yesterday after a speaking engagement. Authorities said he was undergoing treatment for a "bad cold".

Sardine Fishermen Survive Wreck

GRAN MANAN, N. B., Jan. 30 —(CP)—Two stranded sardine fishermen told today how they survived a sub-zero New Brunswick night by burying themselves in the snow to keep from freezing. Capt. Farrell Richardson and mate Walter Brennan, both of Grand Manan, were forced to abandon the sardine boat Duraida when it struck a ledge last night. They spent the night on uninhabited Spruce Island, at the mouth of the Passamaquoddy River. The temperature was about 20 degrees below zero. They crouched in the snow and were suffering nothing worse than chilled hands and feet, and shock when they were rescued today by Capt. Cyril Young of nearby Leonardville. The men had been en route to the H. W. Welch sardine factory when the vessel sprung a leak. They escaped in a dory. Although still afloat when abandoned, it is presumed the Duraida sank with its 30 hogheads of sardines.

Egyptian Premier Ready To Listen To Peace Talk

CAIRO, Jan. 30 —(CP)—The new Prime Minister King Farouk was appointed to restore order in his riot-torn domain said today he was ready to listen to any peace move Britain would make. Premier Aly Maher Pasha, told reporters: "We are ready to consider any understanding Mr. Eden (Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden) might propose." Maher was commenting on Eden's statement in the House of Commons in London yesterday that Britain still wanted an agreement with Egypt which would respect the Egyptian point of view. Maher's statement came soon after the British Ambassador Sir Ralph Stevenson, called on King Farouk amid mounting rumors of an early truce in the four-month rift between the two countries. It was Stevenson's first visit with Farouk since Oct. 22—the day after Egypt renounced her 1899 treaty with Britain and moved to break Britain from the Suez Canal zone.

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MCA AIR SERVICE

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY	
Leave Charlottetown for Moncton	8:30 A.M.; 11:20 A.M.; 4:50 P.M.
Ar. Charlottetown from Moncton	7:25 A.M.; 1:35 P.M.; 6:55 P.M.
Leave Charlottetown for New Glasgow — Halifax	
7:40 A.M. New Glasgow	
1:50 P.M. New Glasgow & Halifax	
Arrive Charlottetown from New Glasgow	11:00 A.M. from New Glasgow
4:55 P.M. from New Glasgow and Halifax	
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY ONLY	
9:10 A.M. Arrive Sydney from New Glasgow	
10:25 A.M. Arrive New Glasgow from Sydney	
SUNDAY ONLY	
Leave Charlottetown for Moncton	11:20 A.M.
Arrive Charlottetown from Moncton	8:55 P.M.
BORDEN — CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE	
Daily (Including Sunday)	
Leave Borden	10:35 A.M.
Leave C. T.	2:40 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	6:40 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	8:00 P.M.
7:30 P.M.	



HALIFAX, Jan. 30 —(CP)—Official forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office here and valid until midnight Thursday. Synopsis: It was extremely cold tonight, and temperatures were at zero except at a few places in Nova Scotia. Moderating temperatures are forecast for Thursday. A disturbance moving through Quebec will cause snowflurries as far south as Gaspe, but fine weather is forecast for the remainder of the district. Prince Edward Island—Sunny and milder. Light winds increasing in the forenoon to southwest 15. Low and high Thursday at Charlottetown 10 below and 15 above. High tide today at Charlottetown at 1:42 A.M. and 2:18 P.M. High tide on the North Shore at 8:58 A.M. and 9:22 P.M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:35 A.M. and sets at 5:18 P.M.