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ALLIES HOPE FOR DETAILS ON PRISONER TRADE TODAY

Gov't To Expand Canada's Health Program

Moscow's Press In Attack On Western Nations

LONDON, (AP) — Moscow's press and radio have launched a violent attack charging the United States and other Western nations with racial persecution. This was immediately viewed by observers as an attempt to divert Soviet and world attention from the bizarre case of the "doctors' plot," in which there had been implicit admissions of anti-Jewish activity on the part of Soviet officials.

Komsomolskaya Pravda, newspaper of the Soviet Young Communist League, carried a long article Tuesday concerning what it called "the oppression of Negroes and other racial minority groups in the U.S.A."

Trud, newspaper of the Soviet trade union system, said "Ruh and American monopolists" by re-militarizing West Germany by reviving Hitler's forced-labor program and "bestial exploitation of the common people."

Often in the past the Soviet propaganda organs have attempted to divert attention from events in Russia's own sphere by accusing Western nations of precisely the same activities. Having admitted the fiasco of the "doctors' plot," the intention seems now to tell the people that things are far worse in the non-Communist world.

Airman Charged In Taxi Hold-up

MONTREAL, (CP) — Germain Desylva, 18-year-old member of the RCAF, arrested Saturday in Keewauke, N.S., is scheduled to be arraigned here Wednesday in connection with an armed hold-up of a taxi-driver.

Desylva, a native of Montreal, was arrested by RCMP at request of Quebec Provincial Police. He was brought here by train Monday.

Provincial Police said they believe Desylva is one of three men, who held up R. Pruneau of Pont Viau and made off with \$14 and his car. The two other men are still being sought.

Legislature Prorogued By Lieutenant Governor

His Honour Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse yesterday afternoon officially prorogued the second regular Session of the 47th General Assembly. He gave formal assent to an amendment to the Marketing Act and agreed to the Appropriation Act. His Honour was attended by his Naval aide.

Coming Events

- "Dance every Friday, Millview Hall.
- "Rogerson's Beauty Shop, Crapaud, will open April 7.
- "Monthly Meeting Hope River Credit Union, Tuesday, April 14th.
- "Dance Belle River Legion Hall, Thursday, April 9th.
- "Cleaning timothy and grain units, May 15th, Wilfred Pickering, Clinton.
- "In stock, Purina Chick and Pig Starters. Try the Finance Plan: W. I. Bowman, Hunter River.
- "Special on cockerel chicks, one week old, Island Chick Hatchery, Phone 2868.
- "For increased Poultry profits, caponize at four to six weeks, Eric P. MacPhail, New Haven.
- "Remember the regular Thursday night dance, Mount Stewart Legion Hall, Burke's Orchestra, Canton service.
- "Attention, A Community Indoor Skating Rink is under discussion to be built at Brookfield. It needs the support of several districts. If you are interested attend a meeting in the Orange Hall, Brookfield on Wednesday evening, April 8th, 8:30. Don't depend on your neighbour to take your place at the meeting—Come yourself.

Fire At Summerside Causes Damage



—Fire of undetermined origin broke out yesterday morning about ten o'clock in a shed on First Street, Summerside and within a matter of minutes had spread to the White Castle Snack Bar situated a few feet away, at the intersection of Central and First streets.

Within a short time the flames had gutted the shed and the snack bar, completely destroying the equipment and personal effects of Miss Mary Cameron who operated the business and lived in a small apartment at the rear. The fire then spread to a larger building north of the snack bar but by that time the Fire Department had

Churchill To Take Over Eden's Work

LONDON, (Reuters) — Prime Minister Churchill will take charge of the British foreign office during the illness of Anthony Eden, it was announced Tuesday night. Foreign Secretary Eden will be out of action for about six weeks while he undergoes a gall bladder operation.

Hears Reds Plan Uprising In Japan

HIROSHIMA, Japan, (AP) — The Japanese minister of justice, Ken Inukai, said Tuesday he has information that the Communists are rushing preparations for an "armed uprising" in Japan. "I heard," he said, "that exercises in the nature of military training have recently been held in Mt. Rokko, near Kobe city."

Science Course Requirements Emphasized By Premier Jones

SEOUL, (AP) — United States Sabre jets Tuesday shot down two Communist MIG jets and shot up eight more by pilots estimates in a day which saw hot action in the air and on the ground.

News In Brief

WASHINGTON, (AP) — President Eisenhower asked Congress Tuesday to extend the Reciprocal Trade Act for a year while his administration searches for "more effective solutions" to world economic problems. The act is to expire June 12.

LONDON, (CP) — Five British families uprooted by the east coast floods are scheduled to leave for Canada this month and the Canadian immigration service here has received "about 30" other applications, it was learned Tuesday.

MUNICH, (Reuters) — Former field marshal Hugo Sperrle, the man who directed Hitler's "obliteration bombing" of Coventry and other British provincial towns, has died in a clinic here. It was announced Tuesday. He was 68. He was cremated on Easter Sunday.

LONDON, (CP) — Flowers from Devon and Cornwall are being sent to Canada under a dollar-earning experiment sponsored by the British Flower Industry Association and the National Farmers' Union. A test shipment of 108 bunches of anemones is en route to Montreal in the "cool room" of a liner. Half have been dipped in wax as a preservative test. Further shipments in commercial quantities will be made, if the tests are successful.

Canadian Export Trade Continued Down In Feb.

OTTAWA, (CP) — World demand for Canadian goods declined during February, slicing exports by an unusual \$34,400,000, the bureau of statistics reported Tuesday.

While imports leaped ahead to \$18,900,000 from \$23,000,000 last year, exports slid to \$275,600,000 from \$314,000,000.

Officials estimated that it was the biggest monthly decline in exports in at least three years of foreign trade, resulting in an unfavorable foreign trade balance of \$35,800,000.

In February last year Canada had a favorable balance of \$32,000,000. The February, 1953, deficit added to a smaller one in January

Details To Be Outlined Soon In Commons

OTTAWA, (CP) — The federal government is planning a three-pronged expansion of a multi-million-dollar national health program.

Health officials said Tuesday that the features to be outlined in the Commons shortly by Health Minister Martin, likely will concentrate on aid for disabled persons and expectant mothers.

Initially, the expansion is expected to add another \$5,300,000 a year — and eventually a lot more to \$100,000,000 spent during the last five years.

The national health program, which provides federal grants to provinces to aid control of diseases, hospital construction and medical training, was set up in 1948 by the former prime minister, Mackenzie King.

Officials recalled that Mr. King had said that the program would be reviewed at the end of five years.

Gov't Satisfied

The program celebrates its fifth birthday next month and the federal government is reported to be so satisfied with it that it has decided on this three-way expansion:

1. Concentrate on medical aid and rehabilitation of disabled grown-ups, in the same way as crippled children have been aided. This may develop in the establishment of special hospitals for the disabled, but this will be a matter for federal-provincial planning.
2. Provide funds for appointment of provincial directors and other trained personnel to concentrate on pre-natal and post-natal care for expectant mothers. This program would include education of women in child-caring and construction of special clinics in areas where none are provided now.
3. Construction of laboratories to aid doctors in obtaining accurate diagnosis of a patient's illness. Concentration would be on building laboratories in communities where none now exist or boosting equipment and trained personnel in labs which currently are understaffed or under-equipped.

To start the expansion, the government already has included \$5,300,000 in the health department's 1953-54 estimates. So far, there has been no official explanation for this item, though there has been

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The new course of studies being prepared for Grade 11 in the schools of the Province must contain a heavy course in elementary science, particularly biology, or it will be thrown out and a new one instituted, Premier J. Walter Jones, Minister of Education, told the opening session of the annual convention of the E. I. Teachers Federation yesterday morning.

The Premier also told them that he had heard a lot of talk already about having a Grade 12 in rural schools. "As long as I am around there will be no Grade 12 because you can't teach it," he said. "So forget that part of it. You aren't equipped to teach science."

In tracing the history of the country and Province the Premier noted the great changes that have come and related them to the teaching of both history and geography which he said needed to be modernized. He recalled that when he was in school pupils had to learn all the rivers and bays because on and into them, was carried the commerce of the country. However, he said, today it is the highway that is important and the teaching of geography ought to start with the road outside the door of the school.

Of history he was not sure that the memorizing of dates and past monarchs was of much value excepting to develop the memory and thought that stories of interest might mean more to the students. As an example he cited the origin of the name "Union Jack" for the flag. He said it came about when James I ordered flag makers to combine the flags of Scotland and England when he became King of the latter country. He signed the order in French with the name "Jacques." People then applied

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Suspect Poison Caused Three Deaths In Ont.

TORONTO, (CP) — Strychnine was in the stomach of one of three persons found dead Good Friday in an Alisa Craig, Ont., farmhouse, chief inspector Wilfred Frank of the criminal investigation branch of the Ontario provincial police said Tuesday.

Alvin Lewis found his wife, 45, and two daughters, Shirley May, 14, and Mildred Jane, 11, dead when he came in from work on the farm.

Inspector Ralph Taylor of the OPP brought the stomach contents to Toronto for analysis by Dr. L. Joseph Rogers and Dr. Ward Smith of the attorney-general's department.

Inspector Taylor said he learned the eldest daughter bought the poison from an Alisa Craig drug store a day or two before Good Friday. The druggist quoted her as saying it was to kill mice.

British Authority On Nursery Rhymes Dies

BIRMINGHAM, England, (AP) — Dr. Henry Bett, 77, an authority on nursery rhymes, died Tuesday at his home. Dr. Bett, a prolific author, believed many nursery rhymes and fairy stories could be traced to pagan beliefs. He entered the former Wesleyan ministry in 1899. He later became principal of a Birmingham Methodist College and in 1940 was elected president of the Methodist conference, the highest council of British Methodism.

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Committee Appointed To Check On Rules Of House

Possible changes in the Rules of Order of the Provincial Legislature are forecast by the appointment yesterday of a five man committee to investigate them and report to the House at the next regular session.

A resolution to this effect was introduced yesterday afternoon by Hon. A. W. Matheson, Minister of Health and Welfare, by leave of Mr. Speaker. Hon. Mr. Matheson said that the present Rules had been passed in 1922 and times have changed since then. He thought they should be revised and brought up to date. Mr. Matheson while noting that under the present regulations the Rules of the House of Commons apply on all doubtful occasions said that those Rules have frequently been changed and few members were thoroughly familiar with them.

He said he had heard people asking why two members could hold up the work of the House as was done last week. He explained that this was permissible under the Rules unanimously agreed to 30 years ago. He also said that Members wanted to know when they were to meet and when they were to recess.

Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan called it a move in the right direction as he rose to support the resolution; and said that over the years he could recall many such disputes as was witnessed the other day.

Also supporting the move were Messrs. George Saville, First King's; Thomas Cullen, Second King's; and Premier J. Walter Jones. The latter suggested that present and former Speakers of the House be named.

Appointed to the committee to study the Rules were Mr. T. R. Cullen and Mr. W. P. A. Stewart, both former Speakers, Hon. W. F. Phillips, present Speaker, Hon. A. W. Matheson and Mr. R. R. Bell, Leader of the Opposition.

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U. N. Approves Sec'y-General

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP) — The general assembly Tuesday approved "final powers" to the East-West big powers' choice of Sweden's Dag Hammarskjöld as secretary-general of the United Nations.

The Swedish diplomat-economist succeeds Trygve Lie, a former Norwegian Labor party man who held the job through seven turbulent years as the first administrative boss of the UN.

Lie, a frequent target of Russian abuse in recent years, will formally hand over the reins to the 47-year-old Swede Friday.

Commons Pays Tribute To Cape Breton Member

OTTAWA, (CP) — The Commons paid tribute Tuesday to Matthew MacLean, a Cape Breton Scot who went quietly about his business as a Liberal member of Parliament for 16 years, making friends on both sides of the House.

He underwent an operation March 25 and died Tuesday in hospital at 78.

His death cut Liberal strength to 183 members compared to 48 Progressive Conservatives, 13 CCF, 10 Social Creditors, one Independent Liberal and four Independents. There are three vacancies, one in his riding of Cape Breton North and Victoria; Toronto Danforth and Victoria, B.C.

Led by Agriculture Minister

Agreement On Five of Nine Points Reached

By George A. McArthur
MUNSAN, (AP) — Allied negotiators hoped to obtain a definite commitment from the Communists today on how many sick and wounded captives the Reds will exchange and how soon the transfer can begin.

Agreement in principle on the exchange of all sick and wounded prisoners who want to go home was reached Tuesday. This raised some hopes here that an over-all formula for halting the long Korean war may have been found.

United Nations and Communist liaison teams were scheduled to meet for the third time in as many days in Panmunjon at 11 a.m. (9 p.m. Tuesday, EST).

Five Unsettled Points

On today's agenda were five unsettled points in a nine-point program proposed by the UN command. Four other points were agreed upon Tuesday.

The Communists said they would produce today on Thursday the number of sick and wounded they are ready to hand over. The figures may include interned civilians as well as prisoners.

The UN command had a similar figure ready.

The UN command offered to start the exchange rolling within a week if agreement is reached on procedure, but the Reds have not yet accepted this.

Also remaining were relatively minor questions including the number of people to be allowed in a neutral zone during the transfer, a termination date for the exchange agreement, and appointment of officers to work out final administrative details.

However, the Communists served notice they might bring up additional points which might serve to delay a settlement.

Only 36 Minutes

It took only 36 minutes of talking Tuesday for liaison groups meeting at Panmunjon to agree on the principle of exchanging sick and wounded prisoners and on four

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Six R.C.A.F. Officers Hurt In Crash Landing

ZWEIBRUECKEN, Germany, (AP) — Air Vice-Marshal Hugh M. Campbell and five other RCAF officers were injured Tuesday when an RCAF plane crashed near here on an emergency landing attempt.

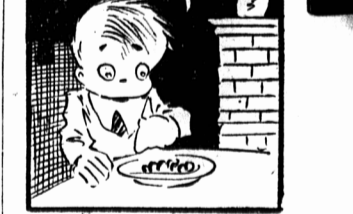
One of the six, the pilot, was seriously injured. His name was withheld pending notification of next-of-kin.

Air Vice-Marshal Campbell is air officer commanding the RCAF No. 1 air division, Paris.

The others are his chief of staff, Air Commodore K. L. B. Hodson; Group Capt. R. M. Cox; Wing Cmdr. R. A. Ashman, and Flt. Lt. W. Unruh.

Campbell was returning to Paris after visiting the RCAF No. 3 fighter wing here. They witnessed the arrival of a wing of Sabre jets which had completed a flight across the Atlantic from Canada.

The plane developed engine trouble shortly after taking off. It made an emergency landing near Boeckingen in the Saar.



TORONTO, (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	10	35
Victoria	38	51
Edmonton	26	46
Calgary	26	32
Regina	30	43
Winnipeg	26	35
Toronto	38	53
Ottawa	34	48
Montreal	37	46
Quebec	31	46
Saint John	26	37
Moncton	34	57
Halifax	43	57
Charlottetown	33	48
Sydney	36	50
Yarmouth	35	53
St. John's, Nfld.	32	42

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Gardiner, as acting prime minister, representatives of all four parties in the House expressed their sense of loss in Mr. MacLean's death and their sympathy to his widow and daughter.

They lauded Mr. MacLean's kindness, dignity and his ability to make friends.

Mr. MacLean was born at Sydney Mines, N.S., and his body is being taken there for burial. In his time, he was a notary public, insurance agent, magistrate and active worker in the Liberal party.

He once travelled through Ontario selling law books and for a brief period was crown prosecutor in Medicine Hat, Alta. But most of his life was spent in his native Cape Breton.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 5:34 A. M. and 4:37 P. M.
High tide on the North Shore at 12:50 A. M. and 12:02 P. M.
Sun rises today at 5:42 A. M. and sets at 6:49 P. M.