

Quiet Revolution Is Changing Yugoslavia

By JAMES NELSON

OTTAWA (CP) — Would you believe that a taxi driver in a Communist state could import his own foreign automobile, run it on the streets of a Communist capital city, and be allowed to make more money by private enterprise than his fellow cab-drivers working for the state?

That is being done in Belgrade under new economic reform which is spreading in Yugoslavia, says a noted Canadian economist who recently spent a week there delving into what seems to be a new Communist revolution of the quiet sort.

O. J. Firestone, vice-dean of social sciences at the University of Ottawa and formerly top-flight economic adviser to the Canadian government, also found these developments startling in the context of a Marxist society.

State-inspired enterprises which can't make a profitable and competitive go of it are being allowed to go bankrupt.

The egalitarian principle of equality of incomes is going by the boards, and workers are being paid on incentive rates reflecting their productivity.

The collectivization of farm lands is being stopped, and people with small land holdings are being encouraged to sell produce at the best price they can get on the market.

Yugoslavia has become international oriented, outward looking to the West rather than inward or Communist-oriented, the 53-year-old professor and consultant said in an interview.

Some of the principles of the new economic of Yugoslavia are to pave the way for a freer and economically more expedient distribution of capital accumulation through the market and prices.

Income distribution according to work performed.

Elimination of undue and unnecessary administrative interference in the field of foreign trade and foreign exchange.

These quotations are from a report presented to the Central Committee of the League of Communists of Yugoslavia last year as a forerunner to adoption by the National Assembly of the new economic reform work in practice.

Mr. Firestone says a worker in a textile mill now receiving the equivalent of \$100 a month in dinars at the official rate of exchange—or \$300 a month in terms of Canadian earning power—can double that if he moves to metal-working where productivity is higher.

An enterprise which in Canada would charge wages and salaries as well as other expenses to its gross sale and compute a net income or profit charges only its other expenses to sales in Yugoslavia, and then divides its profits between reinvestment in expansion and workers' incomes.

The taxi driver can, if he wishes, invest his own money in a foreign car—French Peugeot cost \$5,000 at the official rate of exchange. By showing enough enterprise to work longer hours and charge premium rates for the somewhat more luxurious service, he can meet his costs and pocket a profit.

On a visit to the University of Belgrade, Mr. Firestone discussed his own special field, economics, with his opposite number and asked to see the library. He found there most of the same basic reference books in English that the University of Ottawa has here.

For its courage in international economics, the University of Belgrade uses a Czech text and an American text, the latter one the same as Mr. Firestone uses here.

objective of the Conservative party but he doesn't believe a comprehensive medical care program is going to be in operation next year.

The type of program would depend on the provinces and Mr. MacEachern would certainly have to "come to grips" with Alberta before implementation.

"Consultative federalism" would have to be used to the utmost, Mr. Dinsdale said. The conflicting views of the provinces would have to be reconciled with the program.

Stanley Knowles (NDP—Winnipeg North Centre), said it had taken the Liberals just 47 years to implement a plank in their 1929 platform.

He pressed the government to go "all the way" before the summer recess and said Mr. MacEachern has in effect promised this studies of medical care had been made for 50 years. "Surely we are in a position to act."

leads inevitably to a loss of democratic freedom." Mr. Thompson was convinced that if the public knew the eventual cost of the plan "they would reject it."

In proposing his amendment, Mr. Baldwin said it was time governments told the people exactly what each new welfare program would cost and then ask whether the people wanted them.

Original estimates of costs of government programs were always well below the actual cost. The result was increased taxes for the small consumer.

Jack Davis (L—Coast-Capilano) compared doctors who oppose medical care to separatists. They didn't propose any solutions and they were concerned about "an imaginary problem."

The Commons lacked a quorum of 20 members throughout the dinner hour, attending dipping to 14 in the 265-seat House as Mr. Davis spoke.

Dr. Lewis Brand (PC—Saskatoon) said the bill would face the same pitfall as the one that set up medical care in Saskatchewan—it was trying to guarantee availability of physicians' services. This effectively denied doctors the right of a private practice and that's what the fight was all about.

Walter Dinsdale (PC—Brandon-Souris) said a medicare plan for all citizens is a policy



PLAN CENTENNIAL VETERAN'S WEEK

Some 80 delegates recently met in Ottawa to discuss and draw up plans for the Royal Canadian Legion's Centennial Year Veterans Week, scheduled to be held June 11 to 17, 1967. On Thursday evening

Provincial President, F. Pius Smith will hold a meeting of representatives of all service clubs in P.E.I. at which the outline of the proposed events for the week will be given. Three of those attending the

the Ottawa sessions were, (LEFT TO RIGHT) Provincial Secretary V.E. King, provincial President F.P. Smith and K.M. Johnston, DVA District Administrator, Charlottetown.

WEATHER		Victoria	52	73	Moncton	57	81
TORONTO (CP) — Temperatures:		Edmonton	41	69	Halifax	55	72
Low overnight High Tuesday		Saskatoon	51	74	Charlottetown	62	78
Dawson		Toronto	48	75	Sydney	58	80
Shaw		Regina	67	89	Yarmouth	52	77
Vancouver		Montreal	68	84	St. John's, Nfld.	59	77
		Quebec	63	85	Boston	72	95
		Fredericton	55	81	New York	77	98
		Saint John	52	78	Miami	78	96
					New Orleans	69	94
					Tucson	80	98
					Los Angeles	59	74

Funeral For Father Gillis

The funeral for Rev. Dr. Bernard Gillis took place on Tuesday morning at St. Dunstan's Basilica where the Requiem Mass of Concelebration was celebrated by Most Rev. Malcolm A. MacEachern, Bishop of Charlottetown assisted by Rt. Rev. P.F. MacDonald, V.G., Rt. Rev. William Simpson, Very Rev. F.J. Maloney, C.Ss.R. and Rev. Walter Reid.

The Masters of Ceremony were Rev. Faber MacDonald and Rev. Robert MacDonald. Rt. Rev. P. McMahon delivered the eulogy.

The following priests were present in the sanctuary: Msgr. J. A. Sullivan, Msgr. R. McMahon, Msgr. G.A. MacDonald, Msgr. P.F. Hughes, Msgr. J.P.E. O'Hanley, Msgr. J.N. Poirier, Rev. M.J. Rooney, Rev. Robert MacDonald, Rev. David McTague, Rev. U. Gillis, Rev. Bennett MacDonald, Rev. Arthur Pendergast, Rev. F.L. Mullally, Rev. F.W. Bolger, Rev. J.W. Pineau, Rev. Patrick Walsh, Rev. Leonard McKenna, Rev. W.D. MacDonald, Rev. Allan MacDonald, Rev. Reginald MacDonald, Rev. C.J. McCarthy, Rev. Eugene Murray, Rev. Clarence Roche, Rev. Harold Croken, Rev. Wilfred Keefe, Rev. O.P. Wood, Rev. A.P. Macdonald, Rev. Preston Hammill, Rev. Edward Steele, Rev. Owen Sharkey, Rev. D. Gallant, Rev. P. Arsenault, Rev. Charles Cheverie, Rev. James Smith, Rev. Reginald Phelan, Rev. Francis Corcoran, Rev. Clare MacDonald, Rev. A.J. MacLeod, Rev. R. Ellsworth, Rev. L.I. MacDonald, Rev. F.J. Ledwell, Rev. P. Murnaghan, Rev. L.W. Landrigan, Rev. F. Cameron, Rev. K.C. MacMillan, Rev. J.H. Leclair, Rev. C. Murphy, Rev. Edmond Roche, Rev. Eric Robin, Rev. T. MacLellan, Rev. B. Croken, Rev. T.P. Butler, Rev. L.B. Dooley, Rev. W. MacIntyre, Rev. Lorne MacDonald, OMI, Rev. Allan Noonan OMI, Rev. A. Gillis.

The Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame and the Congregation of St. Martha were in attendance in a body.

The Bishop MacEachern Assembly, Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, under worthy Pilot D.J. MacAskill, formed the Honor Guard. Interment took place in the Catholic Cemetery where the service was conducted by Bishop MacEachern.

Sail Boats To Shediac

A squadron of Charlottetown Yacht Club sailing cruisers leaves independently this morning for Shediac, N.B. and the starting line of the annual Northumberland Strait sailing race between Charlottetown and the New Brunswick port. Last year the race started in Charlottetown and finished in Shediac, so this year the finish line will be here. The yachts from New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island leave the starting line at Shediac at 7:30 Friday evening. Given a fair breeze, early finishers should be sailing through the gap into Charlottetown harbor sometime Saturday morning.

The Charlottetown skippers and their boats are—Tom Benson and his boat, Blue Peter; Bob Borden's Priscilla; Lou Johnston's Thrumpac; Art Love's Mystic; Wen MacLaine's Nanette; Walter Pickard's Aelius, and John Simmonds' Lady Anne. A couple of the boats left here as early as a few days ago, making a holiday cruise of it. The main body was to set out today with departure times staggered from dawn through until noon. A number of power cruisers from the local club are also making the trip across the Strait and back, some of them carrying guests and shore-bound club members.

Following the finish of the race here Saturday, the prizes will be presented at 7 o'clock Saturday evening. Then there will be a steak barbecue dinner, a concert provided by the regimental band of the P.E.I. Regiment, and a dance highlighted by a troupe of musical performers from the Confederation Centre theatre.

CITY AREA FUNERALS

ELLIS FUNERAL — The funeral for Lester Ellis of Donaldston was held on Tuesday, July 12, at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home Service was conducted by Rev. Donald MacLennan, assisted by F.E. MacPherson. Hymns sung were "The Lord's My Shepherd" and "Abide With Me." Pallbearers were Arthur Ellis, Cecil Ellis, William Youland, Harold Court, Charles Reid, Cecil Miller. Interment was in Donaldston cemetery.

MURPHY FUNERAL — The funeral for Mrs. James Murphy was held Monday morning from her late residence, 3 Spruce Street, to the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by her pastor, Very Rev. F. J. Maloney, C.Ss.R., who also conducted the service at the grave. Present in the sanctuary were Rev. Charles McCarthy, Rev. Clifford Murphy, and Rev. William Cummertford, C.Ss.R. Attending in a body were the management and staff of the Co-op Supermarkets and members of the Co-op Housing project. Pallbearers were Reginald Murphy, William Griffin, James McCabe, Alfred McKeown, Russell Arbing, and Lawrence Durant, Jr. Interment was in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

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LOCAL BRIEFS

ON HOLIDAY
City police court clerk, Bert Campbell left yesterday to spend his holidays in Toronto and Boston. His place will be filled by Charles Ready.

PASSES AWAY
The death occurred at the Truro Hospital of Mrs. Fred MacKinnon of Debert, N.S. She was the former Betty Phillips of Newfoundland. Fred MacKinnon was formerly from Armadale, P.E.I.

MRS. COX RECOVERS
Mrs. Walter Cox, wife of Mayor Cox, who entered the P.E.I. Hospital over a week-end, is reported making a satisfactory recovery following surgery Monday. Mrs. Cox is expected to spend a few weeks recuperating quietly.

PUPPET SHOW
Small but vocal fans made a spontaneous and enthusiastic

audience for the Canadian Puppet Theatre's opening at the Confederation Centre Monday afternoon. Audience participation is a vital factor in this year's hilarious new show, as in the puppet shows of the past few summers, and if Monday's audience is typical, then the show is a sure success for the Festival of Music and Laughter.

LOGGER MADE GOOD
TORONTO (CP)—Dr. Bronius B. Vaskelis, who worked as a lumberjack, carpenter and builder while studying languages at the University of Toronto, has been made head of the languages department at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., after three years on the staff. Dr. Vaskelis edits a Lithuanian publication.

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