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EISENHOWER DECIDES TO ENTER U. S. PRESIDENTIAL RACE

Four Spectacular Air Battles Over Korea

Toronto Braced For Big Test Today In Transit Tieup

TORONTO, Jan. 6 (CP) - Toronto braced tonight for the big test. Can a modern city of 700,000 live and work indefinitely without a public transit system?

The flow downtown Friday, first day of Toronto's transit strike, was slow and unorganized. The walkout of 4,700 street-car and bus operators in a wage dispute caught the city by surprise.

Tomorrow was expected to set the pattern for the duration of the strike. Tens of thousands of motorists who normally leave their automobiles at home and the thousands who ordinarily drive to work were prepared freely to offer lifts to those without means of transportation.

It was smooth motoring Saturday when no recurrence of the previous day's snarls when traffic was three times heavier than normal. With far fewer automobiles on the streets, trips from the suburbs that took an hour and a half Friday, took only 30 minutes Saturday.

The city, recovered from the first jolt of Friday's unexpected 5 a. m. walkout, prepared for a lengthy strike. The Toronto Transportation Commission stood firm in its offer of \$145 an hour, a five-cent increase, recommended by the majority report of a conciliation board.

Red Pilots Are Described Very Aggressive

SEOUL, Korea, Jan. 7 (Monday) - (AP) - U. N. jet fighters shot down five Russian-built Mig-15s and damaged 10 Sunday in four spectacular air battles over North Korea.

There was no announcement of any U. N. losses. Under a new policy, the U. S. Fifth Air Force reports losses only in a weekly summary. The North Korean communists claimed three Allied planes were shot down during the day, but didn't say where or how.

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In ground fighting, meanwhile, there was a continuing small but bitter battle on the western front west of Korangpo. At last reports moderate to heavy fighting was still underway, the Eighth Army said.

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See U.S. Potato Ceiling Holding Prices Down

HARTLAND, N. B., Jan. 6 (CP) - Imposition of a price ceiling on table stock potatoes in the United States, bitterly opposed by growers and shippers in Aroostook County, Maine, will have the effect of holding Canadian prices in line with those in the U. S., local dealers and growers said today.

The U. S. ceiling price is reported between \$4 and \$5 per barrel. Seed potatoes are not affected by the ceiling. In the Hartland area, dealers have been paying \$6 per barrel.

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Will Seek Nomination As Republican

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6 (CP) - General Dwight D. Eisenhower's name will be entered officially in the contest for the Republican presidential nomination, it was announced today.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts said he has personal assurance from the General that he is a Republican. On this basis, Lodge said, he is entering Eisenhower's name in the New Hampshire presidential primary.

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Churchill Ready For Series Of Conferences With President Truman

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6 (CP) - Winston Churchill, again in Washington as British prime minister, today resumed his self-appointed task of rallying to the cause of peace the combined powers of the English-speaking peoples.

The 77-year-old British prime minister, seeming little older than when he began his momentous series of talks with President Roosevelt 10 years ago, made a typically Churchillian arrival here Saturday.

He was given a warm welcome by President Truman, members of the cabinet, the chiefs of staff and the Commonwealth diplomatic representatives in the capital.

During the week-end he lunched at the President's temporary home, Blair House, had dinner with the President on his yacht, the Williamsburg, lunched with Secretary of Defense Robert Lovett and rested between times at the British embassy where he was host at a small dinner tonight.

Tomorrow morning Churchill and the President will get down to the serious business of exploring the potentialities of the world's dangerous spots and studying what more the two Western Powers can do to remove threats to world peace and economic progress.

5 Aged Persons Lost In Apartment Building Fire

MONTREAL, Jan. 6 (CP) - Five aged persons, trapped by a fast-spreading fire, were asphyxiated Saturday in their quarters of an apartment building operated as a private home for the aged.

Four of the victims were women, two nearly blind. Another man bedridden with a broken hip. They and the 84-year-old man who died lived on the top floor of the three-story building.

All other occupants escaped; some helped to safety by residents, and others by police and firemen.

Another mother, Mrs. Eldon Clarke, snatched her three sleeping children from their beds and struggled safely to the front door, carrying all three at once.

Mrs. Janet Griffiths, 68, almost blind. Miss Georgina Webster, 84, partly blind. Mrs. L. Davidson, 84, bedridden and suffering from a broken hip.

Charges Christmas Spray Causes Deaths

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 6 (AP) - A Berkeley, Calif., surgeon charges in a \$277,100 damage suit that lethal vapors from gold and silver paint used to spray Christmas decorations killed his wife and youngest child.

Dr. Edward N. Ewer, former president of the California Medical Association, sued the paint makers, the Alumstone Corp. of Los Angeles, and a hardware company, Dr. Ewer's lawyer, said laboratory tests disclosed poisons in the paint.

The two-alarm fire, at the height of a morning snowstorm, brought equipment and 200 firemen from 10 stations.

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Increase In Electric Rates

An increase in the electric light and power rates by the Maritime Electric Company on meter readings on or after January 1st, due to increased fuel costs, has gone into effect, it was learned on Saturday.

The Public Utilities Commission announced that the raise is due to the increased cost of Bunker C fuel oil delivered in Charlottetown under the clause of the recent order providing a revision of rates for the Maritime Electric Company.

The clause mentioned above reads: "The foregoing energy charges are subject to the following proviso: If, because of the rise or decline in the delivered cost of Bunker C Fuel Oil above or below the price of Two Dollars and Ninety Three Cents (\$2.93) per barrel (of 35 Imperial Gallons), the cost of producing energy appreciably rises or falls, the said charges shall be subject to variation accordingly by the Public Utilities Commission after a summary enquiry on its own motion or on ex parte application by the Company."

An increase of two mills per k. w. h. has therefore been authorized on all energy over and above that contained and provided for in the basic charge.

But Churchill, in his few words at the airport yesterday, stressed the obvious fact that he seeks, by resuming these personal relations with the United States President, to work out the best methods for co-operating in the maintenance of peace in the world.

Costly To Men

The strike, first serious walkout since the system came under public ownership in 1921, is costing the men an estimated \$56,000 a day in lost wages. The T.T.C., its 1,035 trolleys, 85 trolley coaches and 620 buses idle, was losing \$95,000 a day in fares. The system daily carries about 940,000 revenue passengers.

Extremely sharp declines in

Card Party in Clinton Hall, Monday, January 7th. Our Store will be closed January 8th, for stock taking. Parker Canfield, Crapaud.

Wiltshire rink tonight, hockey practice and meeting to decide line-up of Miracles. Hampshire Church annual meeting postponed to Jan. 15th at 7.30 p.m.

P.E.I. Turkey Wins Hearts Of Louisburg Kids

LOUISBURG, N.S., Jan. 6 (CP) - A turkey bought in Prince Edward Island lives in the Marine Hospital here because the town's children don't want it killed.

Fire Chief Lewis bought the turkey as a raffle prize to raise money for a new truck. Alex Bryan won the white, 23-pound bird, who had taken the eye of every child while on display.

Bryan took the turkey home, prepared to kill it. But neighborhood kids pleaded that "Mr. Tom" remain alive. He consented and took the bird back to the fire department. They gave him a dressed one.

These military aircraft, combined with airfields, would constitute a grave threat to the U. N. forces during an armistice," contended Maj.-Gen. Howard M. Turner, chief of the Allied truce supervision sub-delegates.

Tug Makes Progress Towing Freighter

LONDON, Jan. 6 (CP) - The battered Flying Enterprise and her dauntless skipper, Captain Kurt Carlsen, headed into rougher weather tonight, still confident the towing tug Turmoil would take them safely to harbor.

The United States destroyer Willard Keith, shepherding the triumphant procession, radioed that the 6,711-ton freighter was 202 miles from Falmouth, England at 4 P. M. (11 A. M. E. S. T.) - about 118 miles from the spot where the Turmoil latched on with a towing hawser Saturday.

Carlsen's supply of candles, only source of heat and light, also was replenished by the destroyer. Warnings were given of south-westerly gales not far to the north but the destroyer predicted the Enterprise would "come through in tip-top shape."

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Opposed To Sending Canadians To Europe

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Jan. 6 (CP) - Maj.-Gen. G. R. Peakes, V.C., said Saturday he is more convinced than ever that the policy of sending Canadian infantry men to Europe is wholly unwarranted.

The Progressive Conservative member of Parliament for Victoria, a delegate to the United Nations conference in Paris, made the statement in an interview on his return to Canada aboard the liner Empress of Canada.

Maj.-Gen. Peakes, who visited Canadian troops in Germany, said that "Germany requires technical troops and more economic aid for rehabilitation rather than huge outlays to feed, clothe and arm our Canadian infantry brigade."

Deploping the \$12,000,000 cost of sending the brigade overseas, he said new barracks were required to house it while the German people badly needed living quarters. Canadian soldiers were among the most highly paid and best fed overseas and obtained special milk from Denmark.

British Take Drastic Action In Suez Area

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Some of the mud hovels already have been flattened by British bulldozers, sent out last month to clear a new and safer road in the canal zone.

Search Intensifies For Missing Army Nurse

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Today's statement said: "Army headquarters announced yesterday with reference to the missing Nursing Sister Elizabeth Sansom that Lieut. Sansom had been located in Montreal and was in good health."

This statement was based on information from Montreal believed at the time to be thoroughly reliable but which has since proved unsubstantiated. "Nursing Sister Sansom is still missing and the search is being intensified."



HALIFAX, Jan. 6 (CP) - Official forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office here and valid until midnight Monday.

Synopsis: An intensifying storm centred 300 miles south of Cape Cod is moving rapidly northeast. This will bring about 6 inches of snow to Eastern Nova Scotia on Monday with lesser amounts elsewhere. Northern New Brunswick and Eastern Quebec will not be affected.

Temperatures will remain well below freezing and there is no chance of the snow turning to rain. Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island - Cloudy. Frequent snowflurries and very cold. Northeast winds 15 increasing to 25 in afternoon. Low and high Monday at Charlottetown 5 and 20.

Coming Events

- Card Party in Clinton Hall, Monday, January 7th. Our Store will be closed January 8th, for stock taking. Parker Canfield, Crapaud. Wiltshire rink tonight, hockey practice and meeting to decide line-up of Miracles. Hampshire Church annual meeting postponed to Jan. 15th at 7.30 p.m. The New Wiltshire District Lodge will be held at Kingston, Wednesday, Jan. 9th at 2.30 sharp. Hockey North River Rink Monday, Jan. 7, Milton Hornets vs. Glasgow Road Maple Leafs. Game time 8:30. Skate after. For Snapshots that will not fade mail your films and negatives to Garthum Photo Studios Charlottetown. The Stanley Horse Racing Club will have their annual meeting in Stanley Hall, Monday, January 7th, at 8 p.m. Meeting of Hope River Credit Union, Tuesday, January 8th. Special speakers from League in attendance. Public Meeting P. E. I. Federation of Agriculture, Wednesday, January 9th, 8 P. M. Agricultural Room, Vocational School, Guest speaker Mr. Sydney Oram, President of the N. S. Federation of Labor.

Red Negotiators Less Truculent

MUNSAN, Korea, Jan. 7 (Monday) - (AP) - Communist negotiators appeared less truculent in Korean truce talks Sunday, but still turned down all United Nations proposals for compromise.

Nextertheless, new sessions were scheduled for 11 a. m., Monday (9 p. m. Sunday E.S.T.). An Allied plan for exchanging prisoners and displaced civilians was labeled "untenable and impractical" by the Reds even though they showed a willingness for the first time to listen to a detailed explanation of the proposal.

The Reds also held out for the right to reconstruct airfields during an armistice. This met strong Allied objections and a reminder that the Communists are shipping a "considerable striking force" of Russian-built Mig jets into Korea in crates.

DIES OF BURNS

HALIFAX, Jan. 6 (CP) - Raymond Briand, two, flown here Dec. 11 after fire swept his home in the Cape Breton village of Smelt Brook, killing two brothers and a sister, died in hospital Saturday. He was the only surviving child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Briand.

error of Florida. And one Klansman told me: "I'd rather be a Klansman than be President." There is no direct evidence the Klan has been responsible for the bombings at Mims, Fla., which killed a Negro leader and fatally injured his wife, or the dynamiting which have frightened the big Jewish community in Greater Miami. City, county, state and federal investigators have not been able to track down the bombers.

Margate, P.E.I. Soldier Is Promoted

AUGSBURG, Germany - A Margate soldier now on duty with the 43d Infantry Division in Germany has received a promotion, it was announced here.

Policeman's Wife On Murder Charge

CALGARY, Jan. 6 (CP) - Mrs. Gwendolyn Dreher, blonde wife of a Calgary police constable, Saturday was committed for Supreme Court trial on a charge of slaying her former fiance, Clarence M. Franklin, in the Dreher's basement suite Nov. 30. A former hairdresser, she is alleged to have shot Franklin while preparing to wash his hair. Her husband, Const. W. L. Dreher, was reported listening to the radio in another room at the time.

Second Fighter Plane Missing From N.B. Base

HALIFAX, Jan. 6 (CP) - R.C.A.F. Search and Rescue here reported tonight that a Mustang fighter disappeared this afternoon while on a test flight near Chatham, N.B.

The silver and grey plane, with red wing tips, took off from Chatham air base about 1:30 p.m. AST and had fuel for two hours and 45 minutes.

A search was being organized. The Air Force reported good weather prevailed over the area. Visibility was good with a north-westerly breeze.

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Lost Five Days, Dies After Rescue

YARMOUTH, N. S., Jan. 6 (CP) - Peter Melanson, 69, of nearby Bel Neck, lost five days in the forest, died Saturday a few hours after rescuers found him.

Mr. Melanson wandered off into the woods New Year's Day. He was found four miles from his home, limbs frozen and in a weakened condition.

CHATHAM, N.B., Jan. 6 (CP) - The occupant of a Vampire jet plane missing since Friday on a flight between Chatham and Fredericton was identified by the R.C.A.F. station here today as Ptl. Lt. George William Rawlings, 28, of Vancouver. His wife is Mrs. Bernice Rawlings.