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Canada to take bomb protest to UN General Assembly debate

DAMAGE after rampaging Nass River roared through village of Aiyansh is shown in two pictures ~~above.~~ Top ~~photo~~ shows street tangled with debris and walls of collapsed house. Bottom picture shows wreck of Indian Health Services centre washed off foundation and carried to side of school. In foreground is foundation of home. The house was washed away.
— Photos by Dr. G. W. J. Fiddes and H. R. Wrathall

Ottawa note refused by Soviet officer

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's protest against the Soviet plan to explode a 50-megaton nuclear bomb will be taken to the United Nations, Prime Minister Diefenbaker said today.

He said External Affairs Minister Green would reiterate Canada's position, rejected Wednesday by the Soviet embassy here, and action might be taken in the United Nations against Russia.

Mr. Diefenbaker said that while the embassy rejected the protest because it dealt with a domestic Russian matter, the contamination of the world's atmosphere by fallout "scarcely" came under the heading of "domesticity."

"Mr. Green will express our viewpoint in New York in the General Assembly debate," Mr. Diefenbaker said.

"I said a week ago that lodging a protest would not be effectual, but some newspaper columnists disagreed. We lodged the protest and I think the answer of the U.S.S.R. showed who is right."

The Canadian note of protest was read to, and examined by a Soviet Embassy officer. He refused to accept it, saying it dealt with a purely-domestic Russian matter. Today, he said he rejected it on his own and took full responsibility for the note's rejection.

Mr. Diefenbaker declined to say what action Canada might take in the United Nations, but added that a specific resolution might be considered.

Earlier Mr. Diefenbaker said: "No one can deny that continued experimentation of these devices will ultimately lead to megadeaths," he said in a statement.

"The explosion of such a diabolical device would be a brutal and callous offence against humanity for which there can be no justifiable excuse, either in terms of defence or of simple common sense."

Legal aid survey proposed

VANCOUVER (CP) — The John Howard Society plans to conduct a thorough study of legal aid in British Columbia, president Vaughan Lyon said today.

Too many persons are forced to defend themselves on criminal charges because they cannot pay a lawyer, he said.

The present legal-aid system in B.C. was inadequate because there is no organized legal aid in the Interior, meaning penniless suspects there depend on casual charity of district lawyers; and because the Greater Vancouver pool of lawyers who take legal-aid cases on a rotation basis screens out ex-convicts and persons of unsavory background.

"Every person, whether he has a previous criminal record or not should have the right to legal aid," Mr. Lyon said. "The only consideration should be his inability to pay."

He said the society hopes to use the study results to press for legal aid reform at the 1963 session of the provincial legislature. The society would like to see a system of government-paid public defenders, patterned on the legal-aid system in California and Great Britain.

K outlines 20-year plan for paradise

MOSCOW (Reuters)—The Soviet Communist party congress went into secret session today to debate the massive reports on foreign and domestic policy presented by Premier Khrushchev.

Western correspondents, who were allowed into the congress hall to listen to Khushchev's speeches Tuesday and Wednesday, were barred today as the delegates began discussing the premier's reports.

Khrushchev was hoarse Wednesday night as he reached the end of more than 12 hours at the speaker's rostrum in two days.

The Russian leader spoke for six hours Wednesday on his ambitious plan to transform the Soviet Union into a Communist paradise within 20 years.

He outlined plans for increasing production, clashing the work week, providing free housing for all and vaulting ahead of the United States in general prosperity.

His speech also included an attack on Communist countries which follow "the paths of isolation." When he finished, Communist Chinese Premier Chou En-lai slipped out of the congress hall without bothering to shake hands with Khrushchev.

Two mayors re-elected on Prairies

By The Canadian Press

The mayor of Edmonton and Calgary were returned to office Wednesday but Mayor A. W. Shackleford of Lethbridge failed to hold his seat after 20 years on city council.

Mayor Elmer Roper of Edmonton and Mayor Harry Hays of Calgary won re-election for two-year terms by comfortable margins. Both were first elected in 1959.

Requiem Mass sung for Gallant

Requiem Mass for Joseph James Sylvester Gallant, 33, who was killed in a plane crash September 2, was sung by Rev. M. C. Murphy yesterday morning at the Church of the Annunciation.

A large crowd was in attendance. Mr. Gallant was considered a very popular man in the city.

Active pall-bearers were: John Ewald, David McMeekin, Hugh Cooper, Leon Poulin, Andrew Marshall and James Hyndman.

Honorary pall-bearers were: A. J. Dominato, Leslie Yaremchuck, E. D. Manson, Thomas Boulter Sr., Thomas Boulter Jr., Leonard Brewerton, John Walker and Melvin Matthews.

Interment was at Fairview.

Fishermen at Kitimat form local

Allan Hall was elected president of the newly-formed local of the United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union in Kitimat, it was reported here today.

Others elected at the organizational meeting were Reginald Smith, vice-president; Russell Ross, secretary-treasurer. Also elected was an executive board composed of Gary Grant, Crosby Smith, Kenneth Hall and Roy Grant.

Homer Stevens, general-secretary of the UFAWU outlined to the meeting a history of the UFAWU since 1945 and stressed the union's goal of bringing all fishermen and shoreworkers in to one industry-wide union, regardless of race, creed, religion or politics.

George Jeffrey, general organizer for the UFAWU also spoke to the meeting.

VANCOUVER (CP) — The royal commission on expropriation today was scheduled to hear a brief from the British Columbia Power Corporation.

VILLAGERS of Aiyansh are shown carrying boxes of clothes and blankets into St. Peter's church, which became temporary shelter after flooding waters of Nass River destroyed 17 houses in the village. People of Terrace and Columbia Cellulose Co. Ltd., woods division shipped in more than two tons of clothing and emergency aid. — Photo by Dr. G. W. J. Fiddes

LEAVES NEXT WEEK

Second cargo of logs for Japan being loaded at Tuck Inlet site

Loading of logs for the second shipment to Japan in a year-long contract proceeded apace today as a third bargeload of logs arrived in the harbor from the Queen Charlotte Islands.

The self-loading log barge, Forest Prince, was to dump its logs beside the Mitsui Line freighter Myoko Maru which anchored in Tuck Inlet Sunday.

It was the third load of logs brought to the vessel. Forest Prince and a smaller barge landed logs Monday and the Prince returned again this morning.

The Myoko Maru will be loading a total of 1,900,000 board feet of lumber or just slightly more than half its cargo. Officials hope to have the vessel loaded and on its way next Tuesday or Wednesday.

Pacific Export Lines Limited is shipping the logs to Japan through its shipping agent here, Prince Rupert Shipping Company.

The logs are being cut on the Queen Charlottes by Ray Skogland Logging Co. Ltd., of Terrace and shipped here by Straits Towing Company Ltd. This part of the operation is being handled by Westport Exports.

Myoko's sister ship, Meijyo Maru is due to arrive here October 30 to take on another load of logs.

Meijyo was the first vessel to take logs from Prince Rupert to Japan. She left here September 21 with 1,800,000 board feet of logs on board.

More than 4,000,000 board feet of logs are expected to be shipped out each month to Japan.

Reveen prediction revealed tonight

The noted hypnotist Reveen's headline prediction for today's issue of The Daily News will be revealed at his show at 8 p.m. tonight in the Civic Centre.

His prediction was locked in a chest October 11 and hasn't been opened since. Reveen's three-day engagement will run through until Saturday night.

Fined for conversion

PENTICTON (CP) — Rudolph Penner, about 40, Wednesday was fined $250 on a charge of theft by conversion, RCMP said Penner accepted $100 from a prison inmate's wife with which to pay the prisoner's fine, but spent it instead.

MEDICAL CARE PLAN REJECTED BY SASKATCHEWAN DOCTORS

SASKATOON (CP) — The Saskatchewan College of Physicians and Surgeons has rejected the CCF government's proposed medical care plan but Premier T. C. Douglas says he has "every reason" to believe doctors will participate in the scheme when details of the plan are made known.

About 300 doctors at the college's annual convention voted Wednesday to reject the government's plan as proposed in an enabling bill now before the legislature.

The vote and discussion were behind closed doors, but Dr. H. D. Dalgleish, president of the college, said later at a press conference that about 300 doctors took part in a standing vote and about 10 or 12 dissented. About 900 doctors are registered with the Saskatchewan college.

Canada Council grant ensures symphony visit

Receipt of word that the Canada Council has approved the Vancouver Symphony Society's request for a grant, has guaranteed that the famous Vancouver symphony will make another flying visit to Prince Rupert next March, it was learned here today.

A release from R. L. Cliff, president of the Vancouver Symphony Society said that this is the fifth annual grant from the Canada Council, past grants having been used to finance the orchestra's first "flying tour," school, university and family concerts and the orchestra's tour of the Okanagan and Kootenays.

This year's grant will cover the orchestra's second "flying tour" to the northern part of British Columbia and Alberta.

Centres to be visited next March include Prince Rupert, Kitimat, Prince George, Dawson Creek and Grand Prairie.

Mr. Cliff said that the Vancouver Symphony Society feels proud and honored that the Canada Council has seen fit to continue its support of the additional activities of the orchestra, enabling it to grow with British Columbia and fulfil its demonstrated needs in the field of music.

"Our aim is to play to more people in more centres, and the help and encouragement of the Canada Council will assist immeasureably in making this possible," Mr. Cliff said.

B.C. ROUNDUP

Government "misled" by Wen-Gren says MLA

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Social Credit MLA said Wednesday that the provincial government was "misled" by interests representing Swedish millionaire industrialist Axel Wenner-Gren with promises of building a vast industrial empire in the north.

Bert Price, member for Vancouver Burrard told a club luncheon Tuesday that Premier Bennett's government had been "taken in" by Wenner-Gren.

Expanding on this in an interview Wednesday he said the only reason Premier Bennett was interested was because unemployment was on the increase in 1956.

"Wenner-Gren came along and made great promises about putting men to work," Mr. Price said. "The promises failed to materialize."

Five to prison

QUESNEL (CP) — Five youths Wednesday were given prison terms on charges of breaking and entering here. Lyle Joseph Telford, 20, of Quesnel was given nine months; Bernard Arthur Schemenauer, 19, Quesnel, two years; Victor Allen Smith, 19, Falkland, nine months; Merle Henry Telford, 19, Wells, one month Thorvil Thompson, 25, Wells, one day.

Gaglardi kin fined

MISSION CITY (CP) — Mrs. Ann Marie Gaglardi, 51, sister-in-law of Highways Minister Gaglardi, was fined $15 Wednesday for driving with an expired operator's licence. She pleaded guilty to the charge which resulted when she was stopped by RCMP September 27 in a road check near Mission. Court was told the licence had expired November 2, 1960.

To aid boys

SALMO (CP) — A drive to raise $1,000 to provide two 13-year-olds injured here September 23 in a dynamite cap explosion with artificial limbs was started Wednesday night by the Shrine club. The fund will provide an artificial hand and arm and an artificial eye for Greg Fisher and an artificial eye for Wayne Boychuk. The boys are still in hospital in Vancouver.

Collision fatal

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Louis John Field of Burnaby died Wednesday night after his small car collided with a freight train at a railway crossing near North Kamloops.

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Night school courses still short of students

Two courses in mathematics, Math 30 and Math 91, will be definitely taught in this year's Adult Education course being conducted by District 52 School Board, M. A. Schultz, night school director reported today.

Registrations for these courses, which are included in the high school accreditation list are open until next Tuesday night.

More students are still needed for English 20, English 30, woodworking, Spanish, Russian, "Philosophy in a New Key," "Living Room Learning," bookkeeping and shorthand.

The Tuesday night class of typing is filled, but another instructor is being obtained for Thursday nights, and pupils may register for this, Mr. Schultz said.

The French class has been dropped, as there is no teacher available.

Anyone wishing to register for any course may phone Booth Memorial Junior High school at 5031.

Prince Rupert has now gone 1,002 days without a fatal traffic accident and 202 days without a fire fatality.

World News Briefs

JOHANNESBURG (Reuters)—Prime Minister Hendrik Verwoerd's Nationalist party was returned to power today in the first general election since South Africa became a republic last May.

ROME (Reuters — Firemen and police today rescued 80 miners when flood waters from the River Sabato poured into a sulphur mine at Altavilla Irpina in southeast Italy.

BONN (Reuters)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer, 85, today headed into another session of tough bargaining with Free Democrat leaders over his political future.

ELISABETHVILLE (AP) — Katanga troops fought off an attempted invasion of the province by a small force of the central Congo government's army in a five-hour battle Wednesday, an official Katanga statement asserted today.

LA PAZ (AP) — A leftist uprising at an artillery barracks near La Paz collapsed today and the leader, 52-year-old Jose Nunez Rosales, committed suicide as police closed in, the Bolivian government announced.

STOCKHOLM (AP) — The 1961 Nobel Prize for medicine was awarded today to Dr. George Von Bekesy, Hungarian-born ear specialist now working in the United States. The prize amounts to 250,200 Swedish crowns ($48,300).

Greek vessel sails for China

The Greek vessel MV Castor sailed at 8 p.m. yesterday with a cargo of 13,200 long tons of No. 1 feed barley bound for Communist China.

Another Greek freighter, the MV Armaphos, is expected to dock at the Canadian Government elevator on October 20, also to pick up a cargo of barley, included in the Canadian-Communist China grain contract.

WEATHER

Wind warning. Clear tonight and Friday. Turning much colder. Northwest winds 30 down mainland inlets. Low tonight and high Friday 25 and 40.

TIDES

Friday, October 20, 1961
(Pacific Standard Time)

High	10:38	19.0 feet
	22:52	20.3 feet
Low	04:16	4.7 feet
	16:47	6.0 feet