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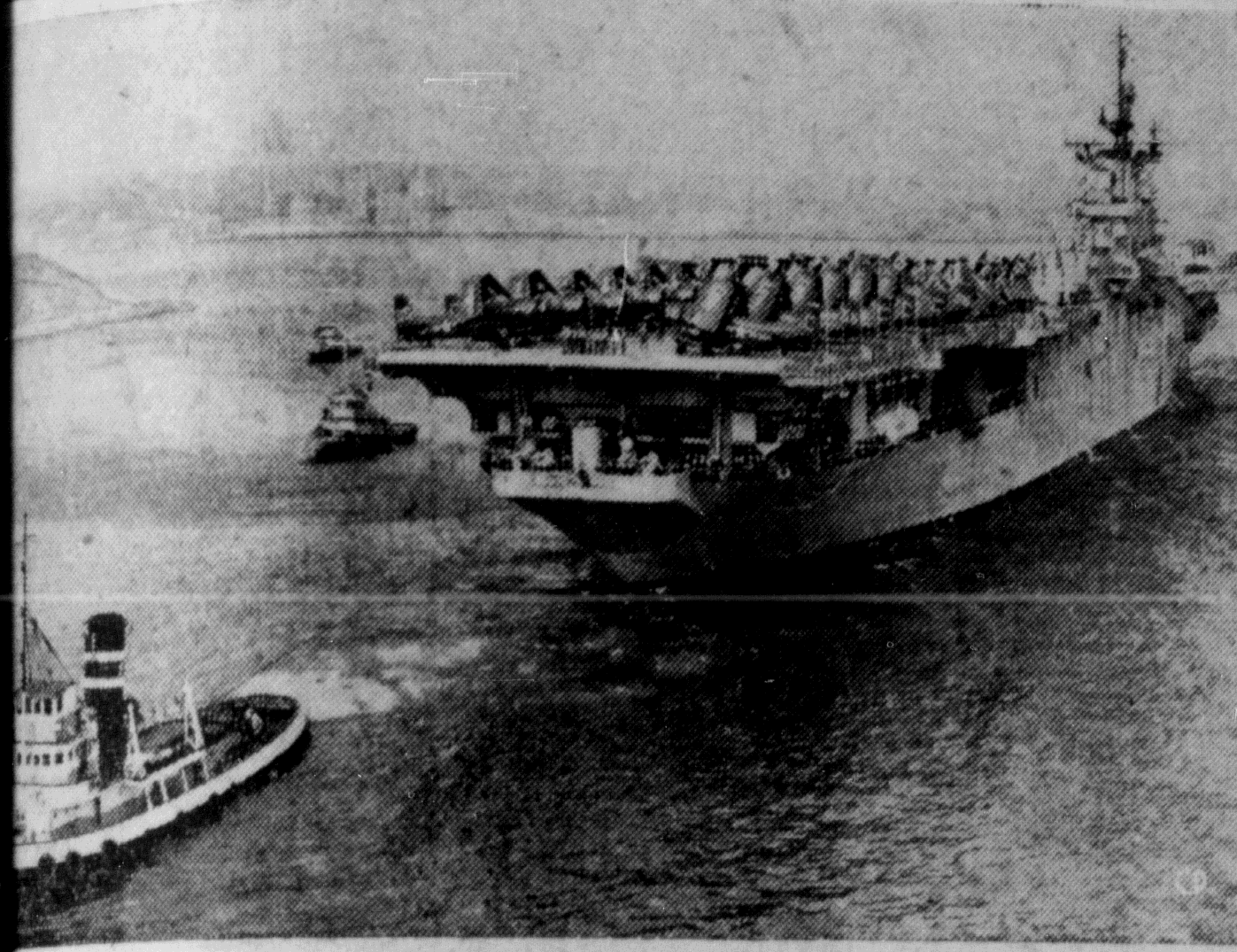
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Carrier Pulled Into Harbor

SIX-TON United States carrier Leyte, one of six ships bringing 10,000 U.S. sailors to the city, edged slowly into harbor by tugs. With the Leyte was a sister carrier, the Midway, for a second call. Four destroyers also accompanied them.

Ketchikan Fire Destroys Docks, Warehouses, Oil Products

KETCHIKAN, Alaska (AP)—A fire threatened the entire waterfront and destroyed petroleum products worth \$150,000 Wednesday in a blaze that destroyed the big pier houses of Standard Oil of California.

The fire was controlled shortly before noon after raging more than two hours.

The Ketchikan Chronicle estimated loss at nearly \$150,000. At the height of the fire a tug boat pulled the old four-masted sailing schooner Falls of Clyde away from the area.

Two nearby canning companies stopped canning operations and moved personnel from their homes.

Company officials said the pier, two warehouses and petroleum products were destroyed. Large oil storage tanks, however, were saved.

Burning oil spread on the water and washed under the nearby Union Oil Company pier but the blaze was confined to the Standard Oil terminal.

The terminal is about half a mile south of the city waterfront area. The blaze is reported to have started in a welding room.

Future by Leading City Resident as New York Couple Real Thrill

MIDDLE-AGED New York couple have a lot of praise for Rupert hospitality.

They heard that the world's greatest cold storage plant had been built here, they asked a leading citizen if he knew how to get there.

The man standing beside his car at the time, explained that he had been in business for some time and after explaining the route, handed them the keys to his car. He insisted they take it.

The couple, while amazed at such a gesture, accepted the car, saw the plant, docks and went shopping. They returned to the car from where they got it.

Book Wishes to Lead Quiet Life With Children

ISLE OF CAPRI, Italy (AP)—Former King Farouk of Egypt today placed himself before the world as a simple family man, stripped of fortune and position, who wishes to lead a quiet life with his children.

The portly former monarch told a press conference he would remain for several months on this vacation island, where he spent a fabulous, free-spending honeymoon last year with Nariman, his teen-aged bride.

Farouk appeared before reporters and photographers who have been clamoring to see him ever since he arrived here from Egypt, where his 16-year rule was ended by a military uprising.

He looked tired and his face was swollen from toothache.

Farouk refused to answer questions, but read a long statement in which he appealed for the right to lead a quiet life.

He denied that he had great wealth and said he had no immediate plans for taking up residence in the United States or any other country.

MacArthur Hires Secretary

GENERAL Douglas MacArthur today accepted the chairmanship of the H. R. Rand Inc., manufacturer of business machine equipment.

The appointment was announced by H. R. Rand, president of the post had been offered to MacArthur nearly three years ago.

The company made no mention of the general's salary as it was previously \$100,000 a year.

The company employs 36,000 men and operates 22 plants in the United States. It has 23 additional factories in other countries, including Canada.

WEATHER—

Synopsis
Weather picture in B.C. unchanged today. Fine weather is expected to persist in nearly all areas. Extensive banks of sea fog persist over the outer coastal area. In northern areas another two days of warm weather are in prospect. Coastal regions will be cooler especially in areas where heavy fog is expected.

Forecast
Coast Region—Overcast and fog along coast, clearing overland in afternoon. Occasional rain from low clouds. Not much change in temperature. Light to moderate rain tonight and tomorrow at Port Hardy and at Sandspit and Prince Rupert and 65.

GABBY FOLK
There are about 44,300 public telephones in Canada.

B.C. Liberal Party Organizers To Start Tour Of All Ridings

Seiner Still Missing

Planes Fly Over Area

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two new leads were reported Wednesday in the search for the 56-foot seiner Daisy B, missing off the B.C. coast with seven men aboard since July 3.

The search moved to the Christie Pass area near the Queen Charlotte Islands following two reports that the seiner had been sighted and contacted July 12 in that area.

The fishing vessel Baraburu reported sighting the missing boat in Christie Pass on that date and Union Steamships vessel Catala is reported to have made radio contact with the Daisy B on the same date.

An RCAF Canso left Sea Island Wednesday to search the water from Port Hardy, on Vancouver Island, north to Cape Calvert which includes the Christie Pass area.

In addition, the Canadian Fishing Company ordered its packer Cape Bathurst in Dean Channel to get all details on the reported sighting.



TWO LEADERS of the Russian Red Cross delegation demand a hearing during a turbulent session at the International Red Cross conference in Toronto. General Nikolai Slavin left, head of the delegation, stands to support B. M. Zonov trying to attract the attention of chairman John A. MacAulay of Winnipeg.

Britain Prepares Drive To Produce For Export

LONDON (CP)—Britain today prepared a new belt-tightening drive to "get out of the red" after parliament approved Prime Minister Churchill's plan to divert some production from defence to exports.

The House of Commons last night approved the Conservative government's new economic program by a vote of 299 to 277 after Mr. Churchill warned the alternative was bankruptcy.

The plan also calls for a slash in imports and continuation of the wage freeze.

Mr. Churchill said full schedules on arms cutback necessary for solvency will be worked out at the Commonwealth Economic Conference here next November.

The government's proposal to build up exports at the expense of arms was not unexpected.

Earlier this month, as Britain's trade became more unbalanced and vital gold and dollar reserves sagged below \$1,700,000,000, Mr. Churchill warned that "very serious measures affecting domestic and defensive aspects" of British policies were being planned.

Cellulose Camps Re-open

With the announcement of the strike settlement, Columbia Cellulose Company Limited is re-opening the woods operations as rapidly as possible, it was announced here today by Woods Superintendent Rae L. Johnson.

All former employees are requested to communicate with their camp superintendent or the personnel department for re-employment.

In a statement, he said: "Full scale resumption of operations will require re-establishment of log train and tow-boat schedules, as well as camp and cookhouse supplies petroleum products, hardware and wire rope, and automotive and machinery supplies.

"These operations were abruptly curtailed by the strike, and the resulting disruption of the general economy cannot be immediately remedied.

"It is not unusual in times of such stress for relations between management and labor to deteriorate through distrust and conflicting ideas. It is significant that during the past six weeks friendly contact has been maintained, and it is expected that continued co-operation will soon re-establish the feeling of mutual respect and confidence so necessary in any successful agreement."

CMS Accepts Wage Award

VANCOUVER (CP)—Settlement of a contract dispute involving 6000 workers at Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company's two British Columbia operations was announced here Wednesday night.

The company notified the Labor Relations Board it will accept a conciliation board report awarding 10 cents an hour wage increase across the board for workers at Trail and Kimberley.

The men's bargaining agent, the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (Ind.), had accepted the award previously.

Basic pay will be \$1.88, retroactive to June 1.

Executive, MLA's Decide Policy at Closed Meets

VICTORIA (CP)—Plans for the creation of a stronger organization by British Columbia's trampled Liberal party were formulated at meetings held here last night.

Two meetings were held. The executive of the B.C. Liberal Association met in the Union Club to discuss policy matters and later a meeting of the elected Liberal MLAs was held.

In a statement later, Sam McCrea, vice-president of the B.C. Liberals, said: "The officers of the B.C. Liberal Association met in Victoria and discussed fully the results of the recent election.

"It was felt that the Liberal party remains a most potent factor for the benefit of the citizens of British Columbia, and will come back with great vigor in the next election.

"Immediate steps are being taken to step up organizational activity throughout the entire province and organizers will be visiting every association during the next few weeks.

"On completion of these initial steps, plans will be laid for the calling of an early advisory council meeting, the date of which will be announced later.

"An additional meeting between officers of the association and elected Liberal MLAs was held during the evening, when general party matters were discussed with an enthusiastic and optimistic feeling prevalent."

The statement did not say whether the Liberals discussed appointment of a replacement for Premier Johnson, who is expected to resign very shortly.

The move by the Liberals to begin organizational work around the province follows a similar move announced recently by the CCF party.



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TILLY ROLSTON

CHINESE LEAVE RED CROSS MEET

TORONTO (AP)—Nationalist Chinese delegation, on orders from Formosa, packed their bags today to leave the 18th International Red Cross conference.

The move was in protest at the presence here of the Communist Chinese delegation from Peking and also—said Dr. J. Heng Liu, head of the Formosan group—against "its behaviour."

"We regret very much to take this action," Dr. Liu said.

He received his orders to withdraw late yesterday.

2 Convicted In Cafe Entry Charge

Two men, charged jointly with breaking and entering with intent to steal, appeared before County Court Judge W. O. Fulton here Tuesday and Wednesday.

One of the men, Robert Swanson, about 23, of Masset, was convicted on the charge yesterday and given a suspended sentence for a year.

The other, William Donald Cornish, 19, of Prince Rupert, was remanded until Monday for sentence.

The men were charged in connection with the breaking and entering of a waterfront cafe here last June 29. Both men were represented by Doug Hogarth. A Bruce Brown was prosecutor.

BULLETINS

US Cagers Still Unbeaten

HELSINKI (AP)—The United States defeated Argentina 85-76 today to remain undefeated in the Olympic basketball tournament and win its way into final game for defence of its Olympic championship. The Americans will meet Russia Saturday.

Helicopters Fly Overseas

PRESTWICK, Scotland—Two U.S. Army Sikorsky's, first helicopters to fly the Atlantic, arrived here today after a 3,300-mile "hop-along" flight from Westover, Mass.

UK Carrier Arrives For Tests

FREMANTLE, Australia (CP)—The aircraft carrier Campania, believed to be carrying the first British-designed atomic weapon, arrived here today on the last lap of its journey to secret tests.

B-29's Make Record Raid

SEOUL (AP)—United States B-29's levelled a huge Communist aluminum plant near the Manchurian border today in the biggest overnight raid of the Korean war. Sixty-three unescorted bombers returned safely.



JOHN MacDonald, advertising manager of the Daily News and pretty Miss Vianne Devorkin of Edmonton are shown holding a 32-pound salmon later enjoyed by advertising managers from all over Western Canada at the annual convention in Banff. The salmon was supplied by Prince Rupert Wholesale Fishdealers' Association on behalf of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Picture was taken in the kitchen of Banff Springs Hotel.

- TIDES -

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(Pacific Standard Time)

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	21:20	19.0 feet
Low	3:18	6.1 feet
	14:59	9.9 feet

P.E.I. LIVESTOCK DISEASE CHECKED

CHARLOTTETOWN (AP)—A federal veterinarian said today that Prince Edward Island's unidentified livestock disease is under control although he would not confirm an earlier report the disease was anthrax.