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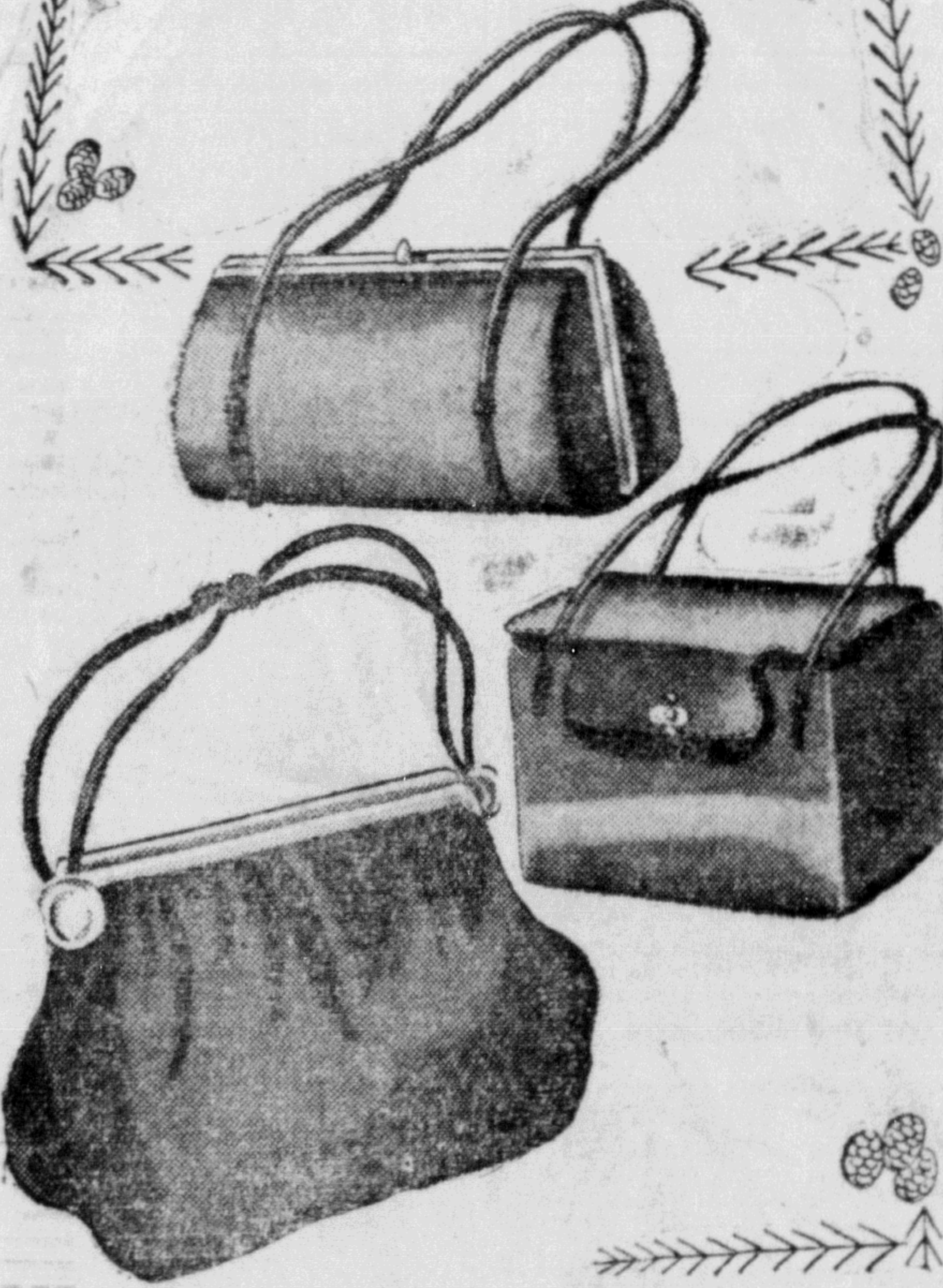
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Uranium Find In England Developed

LONDON (AP) — Geologists may have found Britain's first native source of uranium in an abandoned, flooded mine in southwest England.

The workings, known as the South Terras mine, are near St. Austell, Cornwall. Government officials said it contained uranium ore apparently rich enough to be mined commercially.

Dr. C. F. Davidson, chief geologist in charge of the atomic energy section of the government's geological survey, said Friday that the St. Austell mine may result in Britain's first uranium producing plant.

"We are not yet ready to forecast what the yield from St. Austell will be," he said, "but it certainly looks promising."

Up till now, Britain has imported most of the uranium she uses in atomic energy projects and experiments from Canada and the Belgian Congo.

BESIEGED FARMERS

WINNIPEG (CP) — Leo Scholberg, who operates a farm at St. Boniface, told police he has found three steers and one deer shot dead on his property since the hunting season started. "It's getting so I'm afraid to go out on my own farm," he said.

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Though the herring season normally opens around the end of October, operations are still hamstrung by a price dispute between the fishermen and operators.

During the summer, the sockeye salmon season was interrupted by a one-week strike and in the fall the 3,500 salmon fishermen stayed in port for 41 days, longest strike in the history of the West Coast fishing industry.

Even before the salmon strike was settled, the argument over the prices to be paid fishermen for their catches arose in the \$8,000,000-a-year herring industry.

Oil and meal are the chief products of the fishery. The operators say the world price for oil is only half of what it was last year because of increased production by other countries and a surplus of oil stocks. And as the season progresses, the oil decreases in value.

The operators have rejected the latest move by the United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union (TLC) at settlement arbitration. The union proposed last week in a letter to Premier Bennett that the men would fish while arbitration, which would be binding on both parties, was in progress.

The operators, represented by the Fisheries Association of B.C., originally offered \$6 a ton for herring. The union held out for \$8.40, last year's price.

Westcoast Gas Import Bid Upheld by U.S. Government

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Power Commission has denied motions to dismiss all applications of companies seeking to import Canadian natural gas to the Pacific northwest and midwest and has ordered a hearing resumed here Feb. 16.

FPC staff counsel and Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. had asked dismissal of the applications. FPC counsel contend none of the companies had offered evidence to show a firm supply of gas.

Companies involved are Northwest Natural Gas Co., New York City; Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corp., Houston, Tex.; Westcoast Transmission Co., Inc., Wilmington, Del.; Glacier Gas Corp., Butte, Mont.; Trans-Northwest Gas, Inc., Spokane, Wash., and Northern Natural Gas Co., Omaha, Neb.

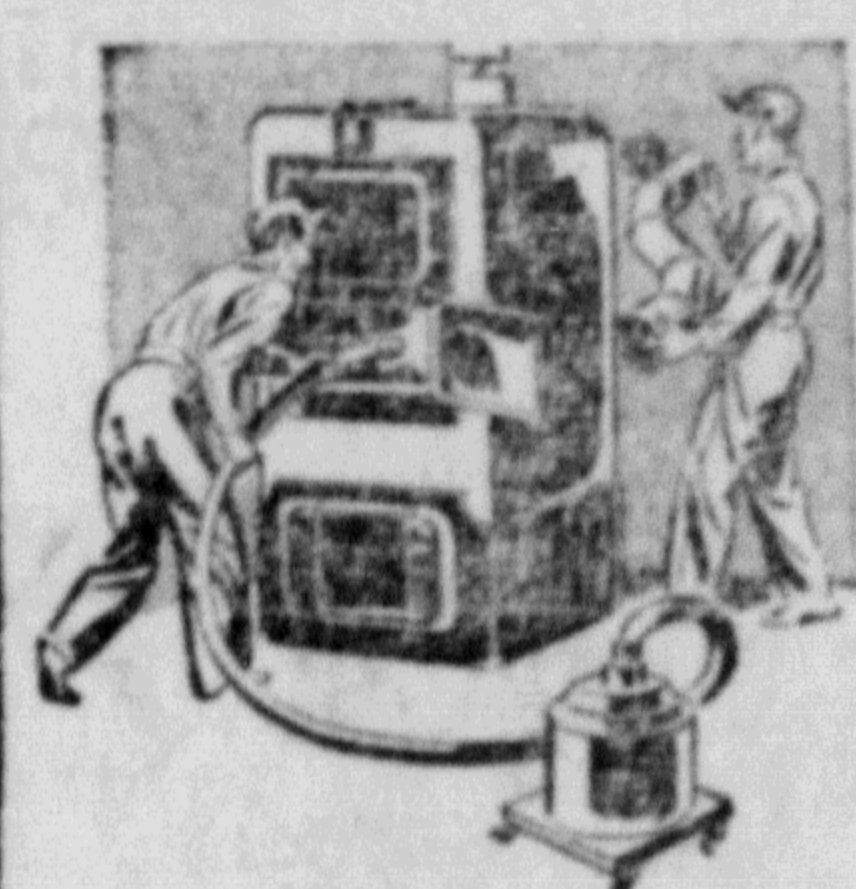
The Omaha company has applied to the FPC to import gas to the midwest; the other concerns proposed serving the Pacific Northwest.

The power commission, announcing its decision, said Westcoast Transmission has presented information showing the Canadian government has authorized Westcoast Transmission Ltd., a corporate parent and proposed supplier of the Delaware firm, to build a pipeline to export gas.

The agency also said Pacific

Northwest Pipeline, which had proposed tapping the Canadian fields, has given up that plan and now proposes a line from the San Juan basin in New Mexico and Colorado to a point near Bellingham, Wash. The commission granted permission to file the substitute proposal.

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