

Tariff Concessions To Help Canadian Industry

Allied Bombers Smash Frontier Air Field

Largest Raid of War—Green Front Quiet

Chinese Generals Reported Disgusted Over Russian Support

OKYO (CP)—More than 300 Allied planes led a Red air field on the Korea-Manchuria today to prevent an expected Communist offensive. It was the biggest raid of the war. First official reports did not make it look like although later it was said 50 enemy planes had destroyed.

...the air field into a... and smoking inferno. Fifth Air Force said that... planes were damaged... Two were destroyed... was damaged on the... what happened in... raid was screen... flames and smoke. Fighting pilots said that 10... miles were blanketed by... and flames.

...target was Sinuiju air... 70 to 100 Red planes... spotted on the ground. ... attack was made by 312... fighter-bombers. They... every United States... in Korea.

...blow at Sinuiju follo... line reports that the... were angered at Rus... to supply tanks or... for their spring offen...

PHILE ON GROUND

...show completely over... ground operations. ... troops continued to pull... Allied armored jabs... that line dispatch from... Press Correspondent... said absence of... made armor bogged... the recent Red offensive... had broken through... Nations lines. Becker... high-ranking Allied of... saying:

...near that many top Chi... generals are disgusted by... failure to deliver." ... the drive fizzled, the... made strenuous ef... re-equip front line

Purchased Bibles in Local Store But Check "Bounced"

...man, endorsing a check as "Rev. G. A. Garland, Worker," purchased \$30 worth of carefully selected Bibles in a local stationery store last week for \$59 in change from the \$89 check.

...check bounced from the... of the Canadian... Commerce which re... McRae Bros. Ltd., the... that it could not... account.

...were notified last Fri... call sent out to other... detachments.

...day Smithers notified... quarters that Gurney... Garland was now in cus... Smithers.

...and will be returned to... Rupert to answer to a

SPECIAL MEETING

United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union,
Shoreworkers' Section

Thursday, May 10, at 8 p.m.
CANADIAN LEGION HALL

VOTE ON NEW WAGE OFFER

Business Agent A. L. Gordon will be present

Wanted

men for Part Time and Shift Work. Apply
Stewart, B.C. Packers Limited, Seal
or Phone 220, Personnel Department.



...HIGH SHERIFF—Senator W. Rupert Davies, president of the Kingston (Ont.) Whig-Standard, leaves the parish church of Welshpool, Wales, in his robes of office as High Sheriff of Montgomeryshire. Senator Davies was born in Welshpool in 1879 and left for Canada at the age of 14. As High Sheriff, he now holds one of the highest honors his native county can bestow. Behind him is the Assize Judge, Hon. Sir Wintringham Norton Atkirk. The High Sheriff is the personal escort of the visiting judge. (CP PHOTO)

Everyone Talking About Prince Rupert-Kitimat

After three weeks of combined business and holidaying in the south, Mr. and Mrs. Al Manson returned this week to the city by car.

The motor trip was "great," Mr. Manson, city jeweller, said today and very little poor road was found. He travelled the Hope-Princeton highway to Merrit, which he called "a beauty." Road was good until near Williams Lake, where several miles of poor road were encountered.

Five Hundred Are Enlisted

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canadian Army announced today that five hundred men have been enlisted and another 1499 are in process of enrolment in its recruiting drive for the new 27th Brigade destined for service in Europe. The recruiting target is 5,500 to 6,500 men.

WEATHER

Synopsis

Much of the southern part of the province enjoyed sunny skies this morning and some clearing is expected in the central interior this evening. Temperatures will continue above the normal 60-70 range for early May both today and tomorrow. An extensive slow moving low pressure area is situated 700 miles west of Vancouver Island and is drifting toward the coast. This is expected to cause increasing cloudiness on the coast tomorrow with rain beginning in the northern part during the afternoon.

Forecast

Vancouver Island region—Variable cloudiness today. Cloudy tonight and Thursday. Intermittent rain after midday tomorrow. Little change in temperature. Winds—southeast (15 m.p.h.) Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Port Hardy, 48 and 58; Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 45 and 55.

TIDES

Thursday, May 10, 1951

High	3:19	19.4 feet
	16:32	16.7 feet
Low	10:09	4.5 feet
	21:59	9.7 feet

Reduction in Meat Prices

VANCOUVER (CP)—A reduction in meat prices some time after August is forecast today by packers and dealers here.

Largest drop will probably be in pork, following the removal of the 11-year Canadian embargo on live hog shipments to the United States and the end of the Anglo-Canadian bacon contract.

Pork in the U. S. is currently lower than it is in Canada, and there is little likelihood of a keen export market developing. Canada may have a pork surplus by fall.

Some reduction may come in beef prices when grass-fed cattle reach the markets in late August.

Pearkes is Critical

OTTAWA (CP)—The official Opposition's military critic yesterday accused the government of underestimating the manpower needs of the forces and of perpetuation of a haphazard hit and miss policy in seeking men. He also charged that the Navy has not a single effective team of ships and planes to tackle its main job—fighting.

Against these charges by Major General G. R. Pearkes V.C. (Progressive-Conservative, Nanaimo), Defence Minister Chaxton offered the buoyant prediction that a target of 115,000 servicemen by 1954 will be reached and said the forces will take even more men than that.

Further Mr. Chaxton predicted the drive to recruit a new brigade for Europe will succeed without difficulty.

Labor Shortage Is Hitting Mines

VANCOUVER (CP)—Expansion of base metal mines in British Columbia is creating a shortage of skilled workers in the industry, it was reported today.

The industry faces a growing shortage of labor this summer and already there is a demand in practically every field from mining engineers to miners.

Competition for workers is getting more intense as new base metal mines increase development plans, authorities here reported. The shortage cuts into every phase of mining.

Worst hit are gold mines. They have been forced in some cases to cut back production in the last year.

21 Police Are Booked

NEW YORK (CP)—Twenty-one policemen, including two inspectors, one captain and two lieutenants who have retired, were booked today on an indictment charging conspiracy to protect a \$20,000,000 bookmaking racket.

Keep Japs Out of Korea

RUSSIA MIGHT RETALIATE

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—Secretary of State George C. Marshall said today that no Japanese are serving with United Nations troops in Korea largely because a Chinese-Russian defence pact is aimed at Japan.

Ridgway Gets His 4th Star

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—President Truman today raised Lieut. Gen. Mathew B. Ridgway, General Douglas MacArthur's successor in the Far East to the rank of full general. The promotion will give Ridgway a fourth star.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

VANCOUVER	
American Standard	22
Bralorne	5.90
B R X	3 1/2
Cariboo Quartz	1.05
Congress	.07
Hedley Mascot	.48
Indian Mines	27 1/2
Pioneer	1.90
Premier Border	3 1/2
Privateer	.11
Reeves McDonald	4.20
Reno	3 1/2
Sheep Creek	1.58
Silbak Premier	.46 1/2
Taku River	.05
Salmon Gold	3 1/2
Spud Valley	.5 1/2
Silver Standard	2.35
Western Uranium	1.93
Oils	
Anglo Canadian	6.10
A P Con	.44
Atlantic	3.30
Calmont	1.15
C & E	13.00
Central Leduc	2.35
Home Oil	15.00
Mercury	.14
Okalta	2.70
Pacific Pete	9.55
Princess	1.58
Royal Canadian	10 1/4
TORONTO	
Athona	.07
Aumaque	5 1/4
Beattie	.48
Bevcourt	.43
Buffalo Canadian	.22
Consol. Smelters	147.50
Conwest	3.20
Donalda	.56
Eldona	.20
East Sullivan	8.00
Giant Yellowknife	6.35
God's Lake	.36
Hardrock	14 1/4
Harricana	10 1/2
Heva	.13
Jackknife	8 1/2
Joliet Quebec	.51
Little Long Lac	.62
Lynx	13 1/2
Madsen Red Lake	2.06
McKenzie Red Lake	.45
McLeod Cockshutt	2.45
Moneta	.32
Negus	.80
Noranda	75.75
Louvicourt	.18
Pickle Crow	1.59
San Antonio	2.30
Senator Rouyn	.17
Sherrit Gordon	3.20
Steep Rock	8.35
Silver Miller	1.80
Upper Canada	1.45

Torquay Agreement On Many Articles

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada has signed new long-term tariff-trimming agreements with the United States and 15 other countries aimed at benefiting Canadian manufacturing fishing and farming industries.

Concessions embrace a wide range of countries. They include seven months of negotiation among 34 countries at Torquay, England. They were announced last night by the Department of External Affairs and explained in the House of Commons by Trade Minister Howe and Finance Minister Abbott.

The full effect may not be felt immediately but officials said it is hoped that, during normal peacetime trade, Canada can anticipate more competitive markets for Canadian products including Douglas fir, plywood and aluminum.

Main concessions obtained from the United States, which lowered tariffs on 400 items of interest to Canada, include lead, zinc, birch, plywood, cheddar cheese, canned salmon and pulp-boards.

In turn Canada lowered tariffs to the United States and other countries on many things including tobacco, motor vehicle parts, rubber tires, confectionery, grapefruit juice, machinery, household furniture and some electrical appliances.

Canucks in Action—Pats Now In Tanks

WEST CENTRAL SECTOR, KOREA (CP)—The Princess Patricia's are in action again.

Riding atop great American Patton tanks, a patrol moved deep into enemy territory yesterday. It was the first time the Patricias had worked so closely with tanks.

The foray produced four Chinese prisoners dug out from a well fortified two-room bunker at the point of bayonet. They came out without a fight.

"They seemed scared," said Private Pat Cullen of Weyburn, Saskatchewan.

After capturing the prisoners, the patrol held a hill position until late in the day before returning to base.

By-Elections Are Called

OTTAWA (CP)—The federal government today called four federal by-elections for June 25. They will be in Prince Edward Island riding of Queens, Ontario riding of Waterloo South and Manitoba ridings of Brandon and Winnipeg South Centre.

Three of the seats were formerly held by Liberals and one by a Progressive-Conservative.

BULLETINS

FACES MURDER CHARGE

VANCOUVER—John F. (Sonny) McLeod, 22-year-old logger, was committed for trial for slaying Velma Lewis, 22-year-old Indian girl. She died in hospital April 22 from injuries received the night before in a downtown rooming house. McLeod is charged with murder.

LEO DIEGEL DIES

NORTH HOLLYWOOD—Leo Diegel, 51, veteran professional golfer, best known for his long arms-akimbo putting stance, died at his home last night after a lingering illness with cancer. His wife, Violet, was with him.

FLYERS WIN

WINNIPEG—Barrie Flyers last night captured their first Dominion junior hockey title, overwhelming Winnipeg Monarchs 9 to 5 to take the Memorial Cup final in four straight games.

ST. MIKE'S ONE UP

TORONTO—Toronto St. Michael's took a one-game edge in the Alexander Cup hockey finals last night by downing Valleyfield Braves 6 to 1.

MAHONEY TO COMMAND?

NEW WESTMINSTER—It is reported here that Lt. Col. J. K. Mahoney, VC, of New Westminster may command one of the infantry battalions in Canada's new 27th Brigade. Mahoney is now at Valcartier, Quebec.

CIVIC CENTRE Annual Gymnastic Display

TONIGHT

Arts and Crafts Raffle Drawing tonight. All raffle books must be brought to the Civic Centre by 9 p.m.

at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets 50c Members 25c