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Churchill Also Talks Of Offensive

SUMMER SLACK HITS 1943 INDUSTRY OUTPUT

Canadian Press Mid-Year Survey Shows New Heights in Business and Industry During First Six Months

By ALEX PRINGLE

Canadian business stuck strictly to the former half-year periods in the volume of production, the Canadian Press mid-year survey of the industrial tempo in the Dominion's business and industry shows. Figures, when compiled, may show a slight slack in the industrial tempo in the last month or two, due to recent labor strikes.

CANADIAN BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

Canadian railways gross earnings up.

Production topped all former half-year production records.

National income is now aggregating \$700,000,000 monthly.

Deep sea fish catch was down 40 percent but the landed value was up 10.7 percent.

Receipts of gold at the mint showed a drop of 17.3 percent for the first three months of the year.

Retail sales for April were up eight percent over last year and country store sales showed a gain of 13 percent.

Labor troubles in last two months may show slight slackening in industrial tempo for six months period.

Physical volume of business for first four months gained 19.5 percent over similar period of 1942.

Exports, boosted by war material shipments, totalled \$777,900,000 in the first four months of 1943, a gain of \$117,000,000 over comparable period of 1942.

Slump in forestry activities was reflected by production of newsprint which in the first five months of 1943 was down 16.2 percent as compared with 1942.

Far income for year ending March 1 was near record; agricultural production in 1942 valued at \$2,079,000,000, or 45 percent higher than in 1941.

NAAS RIVER CHIEF DIES

Andrew Nelson of Kincolith Passes Away

KINCOLITH, June 30 — The Nishga people of the Naas River were saddened by the passing last Thursday of Andrew Nelson, chief Gitkton, at the age of 82 years. Deceased had been a lifelong resident of Kincolith, a fisherman, proprietor of a small general store and an influential chief. He died after an illness of just over a week. Although he had not been in good health for general store and an influential death came as a shock to many of his friends. Arthur Nelson, a brother, and Mrs. Elizabeth Morrison, a sister, both of Kincolith, the nearest relatives.

The funeral service, conducted by Rev. Norman Green, was held from Christ Church, Kincolith, on Saturday. The Greenville Concert Band led the procession. Many friends and acquaintances from the whole Naas River area were in attendance. Interment took place in the cemetery at Graveyard Point.

Immediately after the funeral a feast was given in Kincolith by Arthur E. Nelson, brother of the deceased, who inherits the title of Chief Gitkton.

The funeral of the late John Barseth was held from the Greenville Chapel of the B. C. Undertakers yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Magnus Anderson of St. Paul's Lutheran Church officiating. Burial was arranged by the Deep Sea Fishermen's Union of which the deceased was a member.

A. King, Oscar Edwards, A. March, Joseph Kilby, P. Malo and Peter Wingham were pallbearers.

VICTORIOUS EIGHTH ROLLS INTO GABES



An excited populace greets the victorious Eighth Army as it rolls into Gabes, North Africa. This photo shows a British truck rolling to Gabes when the Axis stronghold succumbed to

FEARS OF INVASION

Berlin and Rome Both Talk of Impending Attack by Allies

LONDON, June 30 — Reports in Berlin declare that a large Allied invasion fleet is assembled in North African ports. The Italian fleet has left its base for sea.

Italian newspapers express new fears of imminent Allied invasion.

Jap Expulsion From Canada Is Strongly Urged

The strictest control of the Japanese people of this country during the war and their deportation as soon as possible after the conflict is ended were measures advocated by George Cameron, Vancouver barrister, who was the speaker before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at its regular weekly luncheon today.

Mr. Cameron was very emphatic in his expression of opinion along this line. Mr. Cameron is visiting here in his capacity as grand master of the Orange Lodge of British Columbia. He is remembered as a Conservative candidate here in a general election a few years ago.

President W. J. Scott was in the chair at the luncheon and there was a good attendance of members with a few guests.

Baseball Scores

Coast League
San Francisco 8, Portland 2.
Hollywood 4, Sacramento 3 (10 innings).

American Association
Columbus 3-1, Louisville 2-8.
Indianapolis 4-1, Toledo 2-5.
Kansas City 1-3, St. Paul 5-4.
Milwaukee 5-3, Minneapolis 2-7.

International League
Baltimore 4-6, Montreal 2-3.
Rochester 6, Newark 5.
Jersey City 3, Buffalo 2.
Syracuse 3, Toronto 2 (eleven innings).

No American or National League games scheduled.

FUEL FOR BRITAIN

LONDON, June 30 — Timber which may reasonably be considered fit only for fuel, the manufacture of charcoal or conversion into firewood blocks has been freed from control by licence and maximum price of \$5.75 a cord fixed by the Ministry of Supply.

HELD BY WEATHER

Allied Airplanes Have Been Forced to Ease up on Kiska Island

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 30 — Bad weather has been slowing up the Allied air attack on the Japanese-held base of Kiska Island since Monday when only one raid was made following eight on Sunday. This made 22 attacks on Kiska inside of four days.

DISPUTE SETTLED

C.N.R. Will Run Staff Houses And Commissaries After August 1

The executive of the Allied Trades Council has been informed that an agreement has been reached by W. R. Devenish, manager of Canadian National Western Lines, with Wartime Housing Ltd., whereby the Canadian National Railways will take over the management of dry dock commissaries and staff houses now operated by Wartime Housing.

This satisfies in substance the desires expressed by the Allied Trades Council at the time of the slowdown at the dry dock two weeks ago.

Under the agreement the change of management will become effective August 1.

Notice of the agreement arrived shortly before the deadline set by the unions two weeks ago and after which further action by the unions had been contemplated.

Orange Head Is Busy in Rupert

Official Visit Paid to Terrace Lodge Last Night by George Cameron

George Cameron, Vancouver barrister, who is on a trip north in his capacity as grand master of the Orange Lodge of British Columbia, paid an official visit to the Terrace lodge last night, leaving for the interior on yesterday afternoon's local train and returning this morning. Tonight he will meet a joint gathering of the local Loyal Orange Lodge and Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association.

He will be leaving Friday afternoon on his return to Vancouver.

Mr. Cameron paid his official visit to the local Loyal Orange Lodge Monday night at the Odd-fellows' Hall. It was a joint session with the military Orange Lodge which is now operating here in connection with the Ontario regiment. A feature of the evening was the presentation to Mr. Cameron by the Ontario Lodge of a handsome ivory gavel. The principal address of the evening was by Mr. Cameron. Refreshments were served.

Foster Named General Now

OTTAWA, June 30 — Brigadier W. W. Foster has been appointed to the rank of major-general. It was announced yesterday by the Department of National Defence. Well known British Columbian and former chief constable of the city of Vancouver, General Foster is now acting as special commissioner of military projects in the Canadian northwest.

GREEK WAR RELIEF FUND

Tomorrow, being Dominion Day and a public holiday, there will be no regular issue of the Daily News. The next regular edition will be Friday afternoon.

Grim Hint Of Things To Befal Enemy Made In Fighting Address

Growing Force of Allies to be Remorselessly Applied To "Guilty Nations and Wicked Leaders"

LONDON, June 30 — Speaking at the Guildhall today as the freedom of the city was conferred upon him by the Lord Mayor of London, Prime Minister Winston Churchill, in a bold, fighting address, hinted at offensive action on a large scale against the Axis in the Mediterranean and elsewhere in Europe before the leaves of autumn fall. Present bombing attacks on Italy were "only a preliminary," he declared.

OBJECTIVES IN FRANCE

Royal Air Force and Flying Fortresses Out in Full Strength Yesterday

LONDON, June 30 — The Royal Air Force and Flying Fortresses of the United States were over France yesterday afternoon, hitting at important objectives, and brought down six enemy planes which went up to meet them.

MANPOWER IN CANADA

Can Put Million Men and Maintain Essential Industries, Says Minister

OTTAWA, June 30 — Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, said yesterday that there were today close to 750,000 men in the armed forces and merchant marine of Canada. He reiterated a former assertion that Canada could put one million men into uniform and still maintain full war production.

Mr. Gardiner replied to a criticism of Hon. R. B. Hanson that Canada's manpower administration was a "washout"

Madame Chiang Now In Brazil

Wife of Chinese Generalissimo At Natal on Her Way Home

NATAL, Brazil, June 30 — On her way home to China after an extended visit in the United States, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek was here last night.

SEES LONG WAR AHEAD

U. S. Secretary of Navy Sees Three or Four Year Conflict Ahead

CORONADO, Cal., June 30 — Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox told a meeting of senior army, navy and marine officials here yesterday that the United States and her Allies face a long, bitter war, one which may last three or four years before the Axis is crushed.

GREEK WAR RELIEF FUND

Collections to date \$3,795.85
Jim (Staff House No. 6) 5.00
W. H. Malkin Co. Ltd. 25.00
Marie Young 5.00
Annie Shurun 2.00
Mrs. A. Kasper 25.00
Total to date \$3,857.85

DISORDERS BREAK OUT

Serious Trouble in Athens and Other Greek Cities

ANKHARA, Turkey, June 30 — Serious disorders broke out in Athens and at least three other Greek cities following American air raids on Axis air bases at Athens and Salonika informed Balkan sources reported yesterday. Axis troops were said to have arrested hundreds of demonstrators, and numbers of them were reported shot.

Japanese Are Weakening In Central China

CHUNGKING, June 30 — The Chinese forces are on the verge of regaining the rice bowl of Central China from the Japanese who are showing further signs of weakening.

OREL UNDER HEAVY FIRE

Russian Air Force Concentrating on Large Nazi Assembly There

MOSCOW, June 30 — For the third time within a week, the Soviet made a heavy air attack on Orel where there is a huge concentration of Nazi men and materials.

There has been land action in the Staraya-Russa and Veliki Luki areas and in the Kalinin sector a strong Nazi hill position was taken.

DISCUSS CONCHIES

Indignation Expressed by Bulkley Valley Canadian Legion

SMITHERS, June 30 — Members of Bulkley Valley Branch of the Canadian Legion held their annual meeting at Round Lake on Friday night. During the past five years this has been an annual occasion in order that veterans of that district might be able to take it to the meeting. On this occasion they turned out in force and it was one of the best meetings yet held there. President J. W. Turner presided over the meeting and warmly welcomed the members and veterans who have not yet joined the Legion.

The principal discussion of the meeting centred around the apparent lack of enforcement of service, military or otherwise for conscientious objectors, Jehovah's Witnesses, Mennonites and Doukhobors. Some strong words were used in condemnation of the attitude prevailing in the respect which allows these sect to avoid proper service in the war. It is held almost unthinkable that able-bodied young men of any religious or political belief should be able to hide behind such beliefs or use them as an excuse, to evade the duties enforced on other citizens who are in the country and the civilized world are fighting for their very existence.

Bulletins

THREE PLANES DOWNED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA — Three and not two enemy planes were brought down over Port Darwin in the air battle there on Monday, it is now announced.

TOM REID ON JAPS
OTTAWA — Tom Reid, Liberal, New Westminster, told the House yesterday that the Japanese in British Columbia had "put it over" many people close to the government, in some cases blinding them with gifts. He said he would give names in private.

NEW RAID ON MESSINA
CAIRO — Allied planes made a new and heavy raid on the Italian terminal city of Messina on Sicily, causing considerable damage. Two enemy planes were shot down over Pantalleria.

FIGHT OF DUNKERQUE
LONDON — British planes caught a German convoy off Dunkerque and damaged three enemy vessels.

His Freedom Short-Lived

German Prisoner of War Was Out for Less Than Twenty-four Hours

MONTREAL, June 30 — Hugo Foerster, German prisoner of war, who escaped on Monday, had less than 24 hours of freedom. Recognized by a policeman who was off duty, he was seen trudging along a highway and was picked up.