

Cheap Atomic Power, Nothing Supernatural About It

Manufacturer Would Pull Science's
Joker Out of Energy — Was
Fifteen Years Ago in Oil Wells

LO (CP) — F. Alden Miller, vice-president of Buffalo Machinery Co., offered today to skeptical scientists a device he would produce inexpensive atomic power. In an interview that atomic scientists tried to dramatize atomic energy and are

Miller said that last Saturday his company applied for a patent on a rectifier which he said produced combustible gas from a commercial type of atomic "C" uranium. He said this gas might ultimately be expected to power a locomotive for a run from coast to coast for less than a dollar.

Bulletins

Conference
The Arab higher committee has rejected invitation to attend the September 9 conference in Palestine. This was announced by four members of the executive following an extraordinary session. The committee gave the answer to the British commissioner saying the committee could not accept "except upon the principles and conditions laid down by the Arab League which they have the sole right to political leadership and have in fact unanimously elected Mufti of Jerusalem."

Race Horses Burned
Two thoroughbreds perished when fire swept the Winnipeg Polo Park track last night. The horses were High Bluff, owned by the K. and K. Strome. The second burned horse was later identified as a 10-year-old prairie veteran. Both belonged to James Speers of Winnipeg.

Released
C. C. Fritsche, deputy United States intelligence officer in Europe, discloses that all but one of fifteen arrested on suspicion in the Soviet-sponsored espionage American occupation zone, have been released. The only one still in custody was Walter Brown, leader of the Russian-sponsored clandestine group known as "Free Germany."

Verdict
Verdict in the nine-month-old Nuernberg trial will be given September 23, the tribunal announced. Twenty-one Hitler henchmen in the prisoners' final pleas. Lord Justice Sir Geoffrey Lawrence would recess until September 23 when the trial would resume. Goering and fellow Nazi leaders were given the right to make a ten-minute plea. Goering opened a storm of abuse and attacking the entire prosecution. He said the western powers were facing a situation today with Russia that Germany had faced in 1939.

Chief Justice
Chief Justice Thibodeau Rinfret, deputy Governor in Council, prorogued Parliament at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Acting Prime Minister St. Laurent's consideration had been given to adjourning rather than proroguing it. A member had asked if it simply be an adjournment instead of prorogation under unsettled conditions in the country.

Packers Head
British Columbia Packers announce the re-election of R. MacMillan from the position of president occupied since 1933. He is succeeded by John H. G. formerly vice-president and general manager. G. becomes chairman of the board. All directors are re-elected.

Rioting
Rioting, stemming from Brazil's economic results in the death of one person and injury to 150 others, moved through downtown streets smashing windows last night. Spradec attempts to renew demonstrations were followed when merchants, after opening slammed steel shutters across the store fronts. Mobs were protesting at the rioting.

Meeting Postponed
A meeting scheduled for this morning between government representatives on the steel strike has been postponed to allow Minister of Labor Mitchell to present estimates to Commons before the session.

Field Marshal
Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery arrived in a busy round of engagements including receiving an honorary degree at University of Toronto this afternoon.

Federation
The Federation of Labor Unions is expected to "speed progress" and negotiate "speed increases" but "not" on employers' books.

Radio Vote
The House of Commons, by vocal vote last night, gave approval to an estimate of \$2,000,000 which will allow the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation to carry out an expansion program which includes the taking over of frequencies now occupied by three private stations in Toronto, Winnipeg and Calgary. C.C.F. members supported the appropriation and Progressive-Conservative and Social Credit members opposed it.

Fastball
The Toronto team is expected to "speed progress" and negotiate "speed increases" but "not" on employers' books.

RUSSIA REBUILDS DNEIPER DAM—Soviet engineers are rushing reconstruction work on the famous Dnieper dam, destroyed by the Russians during the war to keep it from falling to German hands. Above cranes dump concrete into forms to restore the penstock while, at bottom, F. T. Loginov, chief engineer, reports on the progress of the monumental work.

RED TOP CABS
Phone 349 Phone
J. KASPER — C. MCINTYRE
Stand: Rupert Tobacco Store
(across from Ormes)
DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

The Daily News

Published at Canada's Most Strategic Pacific Port—"Prince Rupert, the Key to the Great Northwest"

VOL. XXXV, No. 205. PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, 1946 PRICE FIVE CENTS

TAXI TAXI
537
DAY and NIGHT SERVICE
Bill and Ken Nesbitt

Molotov Bolts Paris Peace Parley

LEAPS FOURTEEN STOREYS, KILLED

VANCOUVER — Jack Smedley huddled fourteen storeys to his death from a doctor's office in the Medical and Dental Building here. Police said he had been despondent since the death of his mother a month ago.

SALVATIONIST CONGRESS IS HELD IN CITY

Inauguration of the new northern B.C. division of the Salvation Army, with headquarters at Prince Rupert, will take place at the Salvation Army citadel here Sunday afternoon when Col. A. Layman of Toronto, chief secretary for the Salvation Army in Canada, addresses a public gathering which will be presided over by Mayor H. M. Daggett.

The inauguration will be part of the current Salvation Army congress, which opened last night and will continue through Monday, and which is attended by Salvation Army officers, both native and white, from the surrounding communities, and as far east as Prince George. The congress is directed by Brig. Robert Gillingham, new divisional commander.

Opening session of the congress last night was a ladies' meeting at which more than 60 women were addressed by Mrs. Layman, wife of the chief secretary.

This evening, the first of the public meetings will be held in the citadel, following an open air meeting. Following the divisional inauguration Sunday afternoon, the regular Sunday services will be held in the evening. Monday will be taken up with a series of officers' councils at which policies of the new division will be formulated and discussed.

Col. and Mrs. Layman will leave the city Monday night on the Princess Adelaide for Vancouver.

Officers attending the congress are: Col. and Mrs. Layman, Toronto; Brig. and Mrs. Joseph T. Gillingham, Prince Rupert; Adjutant and Mrs. P. L. Gorrie, Prince Rupert; Capt. and Mrs. F. Watson, Prince George; Adjutant Briery and Capt. Watson, Glen Vowell; Adjutant and Mrs. Rendell, Hazelton; and Field Capt. and Mrs. Tomlinson, Cedarvale.

Native officers are: Field Capt. Wells, Kitwanga; Field Capt. and Mrs. Johnson, Skeena Crossing; Field Capt. Ben Brown, Port Essington; Field Adjutant McKay, Kitselas; Field Capt. Offut, Port Simpson, and Field Capt. Moore, Canyon City.



QUAKE VICTIMS SEARCH DEBRIS FOR BELONGINGS—The city of Matanzas, on the north-east coast of the Dominican republic, felt the full force of the devastating earthquake and tidal wave which hit the country. Residents are shown combing the ruins seeking their belongings after the first shock. Most of the inhabitants had fled to safer areas fearing a recurrence of the disaster. Many of the buildings which withstood the first shock, crumbled during the 40-second tremor which rocked the city.

Winners In Baby Show

SMITHERS—Excellent weather and large crowds marked the opening of the Smithers Fall Fair yesterday. Many fine exhibits are entered and are commending the interest of many visitors following the judging yesterday.

Smithers won the opening game of the Bulkley Valley baseball championship series over Telkwa by a score of 6 to 3.

In the first horse race, Red, owned by I. Culton and ridden by C. Dexter, was the winner. Other winners were:

Second Race—Gypsy, owned and ridden by R. Langston.

Third Race—Rex, owned by I. Oulton and ridden by C. Dexter.

Four Race—Dynamite, owned and ridden by B. Chapman.

The first two races were half mile, and the second, quarter mile.

In the baby show there were many entrants. Dr. Snyder of Vancouver was the judge and Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests, awarded the prizes to the following:

One to Six Months—Gertrude Adomeit, Ralph Holland.

Six to Twelve Months—Joyce Raymond and Arnold Gyger.

Twelve to Eighteen Months—Betsy Chilton and Bobby McDonald.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis
Overcast skies can be expected to persist over the British Columbia coast and southern interior with variable cloudiness over the northern interior. In the southern interior widely scattered thunder storms are expected this afternoon. For Sunday some decrease in cloudiness is expected from today's conditions but skies will remain generally cloudy. Minimum temperatures over the province last night were mainly in the high forties and fifties. Maximum temperatures yesterday along the B.C. coast ranged in the mid-sixties except for Victoria's 55 while in the interior maximums were mainly in the high seventies and low eighties.

Forecast
Prince Rupert, Queen Charlottes and North Coast—Overcast this morning. Cloudy this afternoon and evening. Overcast tonight and Sunday morning. Cloudy Sunday afternoon and evening. Winds light. Little change in temperature. Temperatures tonight and Sunday—Port Hardy, minimum 56, maximum 61; Massett, minimum 52, maximum 62; Prince Rupert, minimum 52, maximum 62.

Dr. and Mrs. Jens Munthe and Miss Randi Thorssen left today for Terrace whence they will proceed into the Bulkley Valley to spend the coming week.

JOB OPPORTUNITY
Only 10 fliers in the United States are qualified skywriters.

U.S.S. Tucson Docks Here

Her heavy armament of 12 five-inch anti-aircraft guns aimed innocuously at the sky, U.S.S. Tucson, 6,000-ton light cruiser of the American First Fleet, docked at Prince Rupert this morning for the peaceful purpose of representing the United States Navy at the dedication on Monday of Franklin D. Roosevelt Park.

Tucson's first visit to Prince Rupert was made under opposing circumstances to those which prevailed when she made her first call at Tokyo Bay just a year ago as part of the covering force which protected the American landing on defeated Japanese soil.

As Capt. Harry Sanders brought his 541-foot ship up to the C.N.R. wharf this morning, the vessel was greeted by a crowd of 200 on the docks.

Official welcome to Capt. Sanders and the crew of the Tucson was made this morning by Mayor H. M. Daggett in a public statement.

"On behalf of the citizens of Prince Rupert I extend to Capt. Sanders, the officers and crew of the United States cruiser Tucson a welcome to Prince Rupert. We trust that their visit to our city will be a pleasant one, and we call on all our citizens to extend to them every courtesy.

"We appreciate the part played by the Tucson in the war. Her record is a worthy one and we are honored in that she has been designated to represent the United States Navy on the occasion of the dedication of Franklin Delano Roosevelt Park."

Tucson, her bottom fouled with barnacles after long months at sea and in training service, sailed from San Diego naval base in California on Tuesday, making the voyage of more than 2,000 miles in four days. She was scheduled to have gone into dry dock at Bremerton, Washington, but was diverted to Prince Rupert instead. She will go into dry dock at Bremerton after leaving Prince Rupert on Monday.

Capt. Sanders and officers of the Tucson called on Mayor Daggett at the city hall shortly before noon today.

Frank Dibb leaves this afternoon for Lakelse Lake to spend the week-end.

Mrs. Robert Gordon and Miss Olive Gordon are leaving this afternoon for Lakelse Lake to spend the week-end.

Russian Commissar Makes Sudden Departure; Some Decisions Are Reached

Romanian Reparations to Soviet Are Set — Adjustment of Italian Frontier Is Partly Settled—Trieste Still Coming Up

PARIS (CP) — V. M. Molotov, Russian foreign commissar, suddenly left the peace conference today and took a plane back to Moscow. No reason was given for his departure nor was it indicated if he intended to return.

Four Power recommendations that Romania pay Russia \$300,000,000 in reparations and that the Italian frontier be adjusted in France's favor in the Mont Genis Plateau region were adopted by the conference. The vexed question of Trieste is still unsettled. Romania will be given eight years from September 1944 to pay, the payment to be in commodities such as oil products, grain, timber, seagoing and river craft and machinery.

A South African amendment to force Romania to pay her reparations by fair prices, according to world standards, was set aside for further study along with a most-favored nation clause in the treaty.

UNITED STATES AND PALESTINE

Britain Does Not Intend to Ask For Anything More Than Economic Aid

LONDON — Britain will ask the United States to give economic help to both Jews and Arabs in Palestine if the scheduled London conferences bring settlement of Holy Land issues, a high placed British official said last night. However, he added, Britain was no longer relying upon any other form of American participation in Palestine affairs although Britain did not propose to ignore American feelings in Palestine issues.

There is anything but certainty that the London conferences will result in a settlement of the Palestine problem since Arabs have indicated that they will not even attend since the British government has refused to receive the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem.

Parents of Children in Creston Are Keeping Children From School Unless Repairs Made

CRESTON — Parents of children in several communities of Creston school district, meeting on Friday, voted to keep their children out of school and to picket school buses until roads are repaired. Schools are scheduled to open next Tuesday. The British Columbia Department of Public Works is being called upon to make the roads safe for travel.

WOULD MAKE JACK ALL-EMPIRE FLAG

LONDON — Suggestion that something be added to the Union Jack to make it a "true flag representing the whole Empire" is advanced by Sir Lavington Bonython, vice-chairman of the board of directors of the Adelaide Advertiser in South Australia. "All loyal subjects of the Empire are proud of the Union Jack," he said in a letter published in the Daily Telegraph. "But Great Britain has her own flag, and so have each of the Dominions... but there is no common emblem. Why do we not add something to the Union Jack, something which while not necessarily very marked, would make it a flag really representing the whole Empire? For example, we could make some such addition as a thin cross, which would be noticed only when the flag was critically examined."

Greece Tense On Plebiscite

Many Pre-election Disorders — Twenty-eight Killed — British Troops Confined

ATHENS — British troops assigned to Greece were confined to barracks tonight on the eve of the plebiscite which is generally expected to return King George II from exile in England.

Reports of sporadic fighting, involving communistic bands, brought to 28 the number of persons killed in two days.

Attackers set fire to the police station at Platycambo, Thessaly, one soldier, one policeman and one civilian being killed.

Another band is reported to have killed four civilians near Kalamata.

The royalists are already making preparations to welcome the king from his five-year exile.

CHURCHES ARE CO-OPERATING

TORONTO — Co-operation between Protestant churchmen is such that haste is not needed for church union, Most Rev. Geoffrey Francis Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, said in an interview yesterday.

"Church union is one of those things that might come this year or not for twenty-five years," Canterbury said. "But there is no hurry."

Local Tides

Sunday, September 1, 1946		
High	4:46	17.7 feet
	16:57	18.8 feet
Low	10:45	6.9 feet
	23:26	6.6 feet

Fastball Playoffs—Third Game
99 TAXI vs. GENERAL MOTORS
Gyro Park — SUNDAY, 6 p.m.

