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CHA'GES RUSSIA WITH "WAR OF NERVES"

DORVAL AIRPORT

MONTREAL - The Royal Air

Force Transport Command is

getting ready to move out of

Dorval Airport near Montreal by

February 15. The Transport

Command has been working out

of Mc real's Dorval Airport for

five years. Known formerly as

the Ferry Command, R.A.F.T.C.

fliers broke Atlantic records and

ferried thousands of passengers

and aircraft to the United King-

Since the end of the Pacific

war the large staff at the air-

port has been gradually reduced

and much of the equipment has

The part of the airport still in

transport department for oper-

VANCOUVER - The sum of

Air Command headquarters was

entered and a small strong-box

broken into. Unsuccessful at-

Air Headquarters

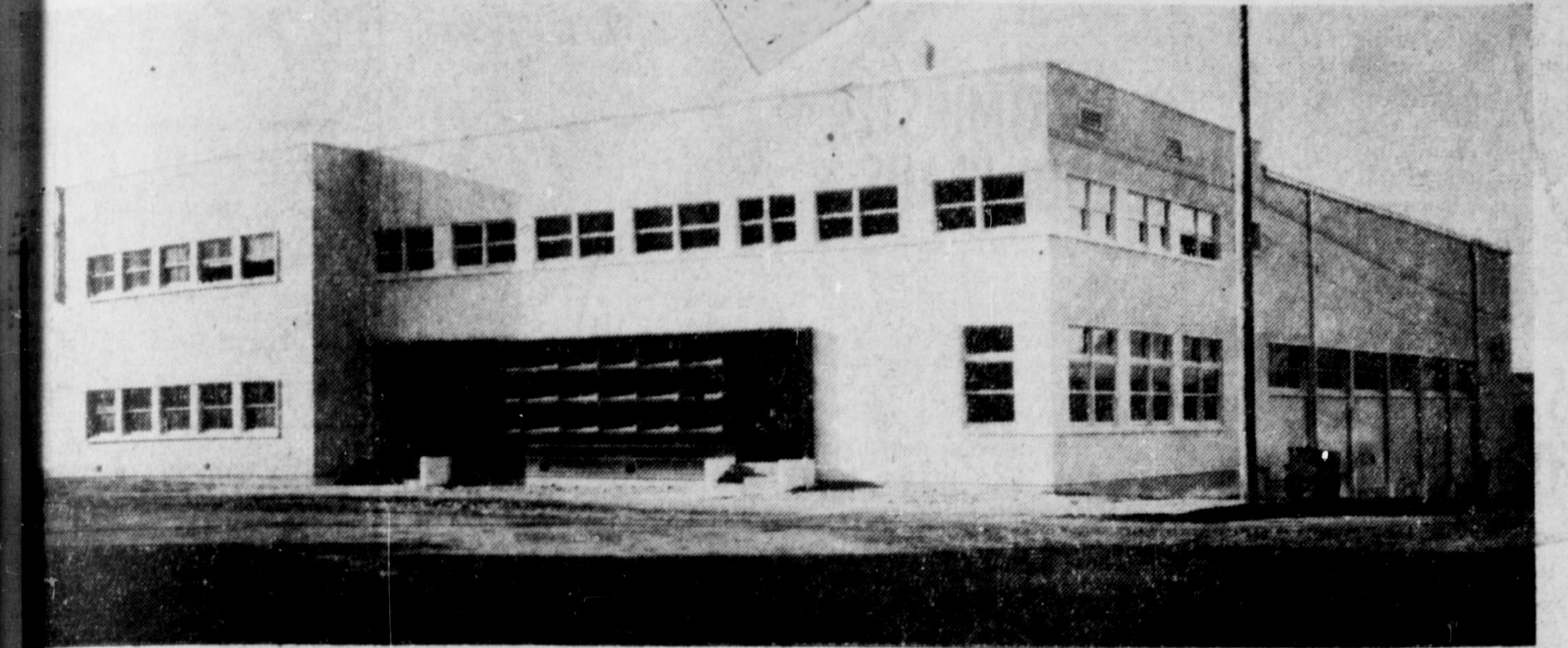
Safe Is Robbed

been returned overseas.

dom and the fighting fronts.

Civic Cent Ger March 3

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Fine building at Second Avenue and McBride to be transferred.

CITIZENS TO TAKE OVER 'Y' CENTRE Negotiations A CEREMONIES HELD ON MARCH 3 uation in the American labor disputes showed signs of relax-

The Y.M.C.A. war services centre will be formally en over by the citizens of Prince Rupert as a civic tre at ceremonies on March 3 and plans for the ction—undoubtedly one of the most significant in history of the city—are being laid by the Civic

guiding the destiny of the Civic

Centre Association and the

that they will take place

reational Council's classes.

only on a temporary basis, plans

for administration of the built-

ing itself and Civic Recreational

Board activities are being laid.

Last night's executive meeting

Johnston and Dr. R. G. Large.

to those named last night.

sibilities. They are:

other members.

formally be turned over to the

Recreational Board. Asks Prompt Action Incidentally, the name Civic

Urges Loan

esident Truman Asks ngress to Ratify Credit hich Would be Helpful erywhere

ASHINGTON, D.C., (CP)esident Truman asked Constess today to vote \$3,750,000 171,875,000 Canadian funds) ican to Great Britain, saying it would lead to expanded production, consumption and employment and rising standards of living everywhere."

Urging prompt action on the agreement, which also includes additional credit of \$650,000,to settle lease-lend obligans, Mr. Truman said the lean will permit the United ites and Great Britain to ve side by side towards a goal of expanded world trade. Britain needs this credit and eds it now," Truman said.

ngapore Has General Strike

INGAPORE—A general strike of hospital, transport and mare workers started here yesteras Communists and Laborprotested against the arres Communist leader.

D KEACHED

Agreement in Connection with Peration of Hotel Vancouver Hostel

> Council of Vancouver last at agreed to operate the old tel under federal government rantee to meet any deficit. It said that the Canadian Pac Railway, the owners, had n contacted and a new lease expected to be concluded to-

> leanwhile veterans who ched into the structure durthe week-end were given mission to stay until the is ready to start cleanpreparations to open the

IN MANY TONGUES e Bible is printed in more n 1,068 languages.

Being Renewed

DETROIT—Another tight ing yesterday when it was announced at Detroit that General Motors and the C.I.O. United Automobile Workers had agreed to renew wage negotiations.

NEW RADIO TRANSMITTER Recreational Board is the new title of the joint body which is

Frequency Modulation Station Decided Upon for Vancouver

Prince Rupert Recreational VANCOUVER-A 250-watt fre-Council. The name was adopted quency modulation broadcasting by a meeting of the joint execustation is to be installed in Brittive last night and was suggest ish Columbia by the Canadian ed by Alderman S. D. Johnston. Broadcasting Coporation, it was While detailed plans for the announced following a threeopening ceremonies have not day meeting of the Board of been worked out, it is known Governors here. It would be ready by the end of the year. Sunday, March 3, beginning at There are already such stations 2:30 in the afternoon. It is unat Montreal and Toronto. derstood that the building will

CHILE GOV'T TAKING OVER

Steps Taken to Maintain Essential Services While Strike Is On

SANTIAGO, Chile () - The Chilean government took steps tempt was made to enter

A country-wide strike is threatened by 300,000 members of the Chilean Workers' Federation in protest at Monday's bloody police-labor clash.

It is expected the army will run essential trains and it is be lieved the army may take over the street railways, light, power and water companies.

Temperature

Maximum Minimum rain, .15 inches.

today to assure continuance of larger safe containing \$10,000 public services during a 24-hour Two suspects are in custody.

OVER BRITAIN Reach Velocity of 82 Miles

Per Hour-Two Fliers Killed

LONDON ()-Winds of 82 miles per hour swept Great Britain today, causing two deaths and forcing Channel ships into shelter. The wind felled trees, dam-37 aged buildings and disrupted 27 transportation. Two fliers were Precipitation ... Snow, .5 inches; killed and two injured when an loak tree fell on army huts.

Timber Empire Here-

citizens of Prince Rupert by Allan Hurst, provincial director of RICH WITH TIMBER, PRINCE RUPERT Y.M.C.A. war services, and that included will be a gymnastics FORESTRY DISTRICT EMBRACES BOTH display by members of the Rec-COAST AND INTERIOR TREED Even though the building is being taken over by the citizens

Thus the amount of timber cu

importance in the area is given

Important in this district both

Fir. 2%:

Red cedar, 16%;

Hemlock, 32%;

Spruce, 26%;

Balsam, 16%;

Lodgepole pine, 6%;

Yellow cedar, 2%.

Capable of Greatly Increased Production—123 Sawmills Are Now in Operation — Prospects of Future

appointed three committees to The district forestry office in Prince Rupert's which were given broad responprovincial government building is the administrative Ways and Means-W. F. Stone centre of a forest empire embracing almost 40,000,000 (chairman), T. N. Youngs, S. D. acres of coast and interior timber land stretching states has taken a turn for the from the Queen Charlotte Islands eastward to the Recreational Committee-William Noble, who will appoint western shore of Fraser Lake and from Cape Caution on the southern reach of Queen

House Committee - Gunnar Charlotte Sound northward al- in 1945-47,032,000,000. In 1936most to the Yukon boundary. 48,798,800,000.

Selvig (chairman) and Dr. R. G. Within that area, spread over Accessible timber-covered Chairmen of all committees 5,265 accessible acres, stand 47 acreage in 1945-5,265,000. In were given authority to appoint billion board feet of merchant - 1936-5,276,000. committee members in addition able timber which includes all varieties found in the coastal during the ten-year period Permanent staff of the Civic and interior regions of British amounts to slightly less than

Recreational Board will be Don Columbia. Forward, who will be executive Administering this area is Dis- reduction in logged acreage is on the Skeena and Naas rivers director; George McGregor, rec- trict Forester J. D. Matheison, about 11,000 acres. The figures reational director, and Margaret from whose office came the for merchantable timber in-Homer-Dixon, assistant recrea- data which made this story cludes trees used for sawlogs, possible. Mr. Matheison is head poles and piling, railroad ties According to a decision of the of the only one of the five for- and cordwood. executive, the building will be estry districts in the province The proportion of varieties of

known as the Prince Rupert which embraces both coastal timber which are of commercial and interior regions. How little of the tremendous below in percentages: wealth of this district is being exploited is revealed by the fact that the estimated amount of merchantable sawlog timber has

been reduced by less than two billion board feet during the last ten years. The number of logging and

mill operations which are car- from the standpoint of quality LONDON-The last question of ried on within this district seem and commercial quality is hem-United Nations Assembly here resources at hand and the sit- to the hemlock grown in other will be that of permanent head- uation is one which, it would parts of the province. The ex- able.

resources in the Prince Rupert trade. Now that he has been nomin- forestry district have been re- Another important but scarceme Stuart returned to the ated with the sponsorship of the duced by logging in the last ten ly exploited species is cotton this afternoon from Van- Big Five, the election of Trygve years is indicated by the follow- wood, which until recently was ever, in recent years it has be-

Merchantable timber standing come vitally important in the

TURNS WORSE

ing 18½c an hour.

two billion board feet while the plywood industry and the stands have assumed a great commer

> Incidentally, according to M. O. Kullander, assistant forester here, the cottonwood stands on the Naas and Skeena river basins are the largest in the province.

Last year a Vancouver company, Western Plywoods Ltd. took an interest in the Skeena River cottonwood and to date have sent two large rafts to Vancouver.

The cottonwood scale in this forestry district in 1945 was 999,- IN PALESTINE

Hanson Lumber Co. at Smithers ish authorities. received a trial order for 10,000 and cold. poles of lodgepole pine, hemlock and fir from the United States. Heretofore, pole and pil-

to northwesterly winds, cloudy penses.

ROYAL AIR FORCE Britain and United States Agree United TO MOVE OUT OF Nations Must Control Iran - Soviet Case

Bulletins

HITLER'S OWN POLICY NUERNBERG- Adolf Hitler himself enunciated Nazi policy of executing deportees in order to intimidate the populations of subjugated European countries, the French prosecutor submitted to the international milltary tribunal to-

HOWE IS COMING VANCOUVER-The Vancou-

ver Sun says in a newspaper story that Recenstruction Minister Howe had told it Ottawa the hands of the R.A.F. will be correspondent that he will turned over to the Canadian come to Vancouver as soon as pessible to look into the future of the Boeing Aircraft plant at suburban Sea Island. It was announced last week that the Canadian Army is to take over the plant. Provincial and civic officials have protested. \$1700 was taken when Western

SECRETARY-GENERAL

NAMED LONDON - The United Nations Security Council has ended the stalemate over the nomination of a secretarygeneral of the organization. The eleven-member council was and upon Norway's for-- Lie, who

TO OBSERVE ATOM TEST

OTTAWA - A government source in Ottawa says it is likely that at least one Canadian observer will be present to witness the United States atom bomb tests on warships in the Pacific in May.

R.A.F. SATISFIED CALCUTTA-The Royal Air Force in India appears to be satisfied that its demand for a new and speedier repatriation policy has been made sufficiently impressive. Demonstrations at Cawnpore and Lahore, invelving a strike of 10,-000 men, have been called off.

WOMEN, CHILDREN SHIELD BATAVIA-It is charged that Indonesian nationalists, in resisting British forces, used women and children as shields.

MAY SETTLE STRIKE NEW YORK - Signs for an early settlement of the steel strike were said to be better today as the president of United States Steel was here conducting negotiations.

ALBANIAN REPUBLIC PELGRADE - A people's republic is being formed in Albania to replace King Zog's regime, it is reported here.

ACE "UP SLEEVE"

OTTAWA -- Premier George Drew of Ontario said today at the Dominion-provincial conference that the Dominion might have an ace up its sleeve. It was suggested that Ottawa might be willing to increase the per capital grant in aid to the provinces in return for the right to impose income and corporation taxes.

BOY'S RICH FIND UNIONVILLE, Ont .- A school boy, kicking at a pile of snow, uncovered a parcel containing \$6000 in Victory Bonds. It may have been part of loot taken in a robbery.

JERUSALEM @ - British auregion and 121,366 from the in- thorities, pressing an intensified preme Court of Canada. Mr. importance to be settled by the pitifully few compared with the lock which is said to be superior terior. Prospects for an increas- drive to end disorders in Palesed use of this species are favor- tine, today conducted a largescale search in Tel Aviv and dequarters on which a decision seem in this era of housing ceptionally fine grain and If a trend which came into tained an undisclosed number plant must pay dues to the should soon be made. It is ex- shortages, presents opportuni- soundness of the hemlock found evidence recently is continued. of persons. New regulations set C.I.O. Auto Workers of America Bitterly Attacked pected to be somewhere along ties for profitable development. in the region around Terrace has red cedar may no longer remain by the British include the death but they need not become memthe northeast coast region of the | The amount that the timber won the approval of the lumber won the sentence for persons taking part bers of the union. The judge directed against Former Prest. piling industry. Not long ago the in illegal activities against Brit- said that he based his decision dent Charles DeGaulle yester.

Weather Forecast

Meantime Russians Are, Apparently, Taking Steps to Evacuate Northern Province of Azerbaijan in Persia

DISPUTE TURNED OVER

LONDON-Eleven members of the United Nations Organization voted unanimously in favor today of turning over the Iranian-Russian dispute to direct negotiation between Iran and Russia, retaining the right to have reports on how negotiations were proceeding until such time as a solution was reached

LONDON (CP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin of Great Britain charged today that Russia has conducted what appears to be a "war of nerves" in Iran and he endorsed the Iranian demand, opposed by Russia, for the security council to take control of the Soviet-Iranian dispute. Edward Stettinius, American

STAY IN JAPAN TWENTY YEARS

This Is Feeling of Some Members of Far Eastern Commission

of Japan should continue for ten | that the council retain jurisdicto 20 years to insure full demo- tion of the case. This announcecratization and a peaceful fu- ment came as it was learned at ture for Nippon, some members Teheran, capital of Iran, that of the Far Eastern Commission Russian military authorities had said today.

Cosgrave, said he believed the Iran's vital lines through the occupation should last 20 years, northern provinces of Azerbaiadding "if we pull out before jan, Mazanderan and Kazvin. that, we will have a little Bal-

This Believed to Have Been One of Topics Discussed At Conference

OTTAWA — It is understood that one of the matters which came up at today's session of MORGAN IS the Dominion-provincial confer-ence was the question of public REINSTATED

It is said that the meeting discussed delay in reconversion programs due to lack of agreement on the division of taxation rights between the Dominion and the provinces.

Some of the provinces are believed to have told the conference they are hesitating to undertake public works programs until the outcome of the conference becomes clear.

Judge Dismisses Liquor Appeal

In County Court Tuesday afternoon Judge W. E. Fisher up- to resign. held a decision made earlier in police court by Magistrate W. D. Vance convicting Chin Jon, MAY SHELVE a Chinese, on a charge of keeping liquor for sale. The conviction was made in police court several months ago. A Bruce Brown and J. T. Harvey acted for the appellant and W. O. Fulton appeared for the Crown.

FORD MOTOR

Novel Decision Rendered By Arbitrator in Windsor Auto Strike

TORONTO - The arbitration decision in the Ford Motor Co. dispute at Windsor, Ont., was announced yesterday by Mr. Justice Ivan C. Rand of the Su-Justice Rand, who was named arbitrator, said in his report that all employees at the Ford General DeGaulle on the grounds that all workers day by Communist Leader Jacin the plant were beneficiaries ques Duclos who charged the of the wage increases won by general with shifting of responthe union and, therefore, should sibility and that he had not giv-Prince Rupert—Fresh westerly contribute to the union's ex- en the real reason for his resig-

member of the council, support-

ed the British view as expressed by Bevin. Stettinius said he believed the council should keep the Iranian case on its agenda and retain jurisdiction over it.

Iran announced today that she was prepared to try direct negotiations again in her dispute with Russia if the United Nations security council recom-TOKYO (P-Allied occupation | mended such action but insisted returned Wednesday to the Iran-Canada's chief delegate, L. M. jan state railways control of

> Friends of Iran's new premier, Ahmed Qavam, speculated that the Russian act is prelude to an anticipated Soviet request for use of the railway lines to evacuate Red Army troops whose presence in the northern provinces is the basis for the Iranian protest now pending before the United Nations security council.

The Russians are scheduled to evacuate northern Iran by March 2.

Continues as Head of UNRRA In Central Germany After Refusing to Resign

WASHINGTON, D.C.-Herbert Lehman, director of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, yesterday announced the reinstatement of General Sir Frederick Morgan as director of UNRRA in central Germany.

A few weeks ago Morgan's resignation had been called for following statements he had made regarding an organized plan for mass movement of Jews from Poland into Americancontrolled Germany. Morgan refused to retract the statement or

This Looks to Be Possibility At Dominion-Provincial Conference

OTTAWA ()—The federal government's proposed national health insurance plan appeared today as one of the things which may be shelved temporarily by the co-ordinating committee of the Dominion-provincial conference as it seeks to find common basis for discussion on a taxation agreement.

It is understood that shelving of the plan has not yet been formally suggested to the committee but such a move was in prospect before the settings adjourn possibly at the end of this

PARIS-A bitter attack was

ANCOUVER, ()—The execu- tional director. of the Citizens' Rehabilita-

couver Hotel as a veterans' Civic Centre. HEADQUARTERS

> Choice to be Made Soon-Election of Secretary-General But Matter of Form

ver to resume residence here Lie of Norway as permanent ing figures, presented in board considered of little value. How-Wing recent discharge from secretary-general is expected to feet: be but a matter of form.

United States.

STEEL STRIKE

WASHINGTON - The street strike situation in the United worse. The chairman of the board of U. S. Steel, Irving Olds, declares that a much bigger increase in the ceiling price of steel than \$4 a ton is needed if steel wages are to be boosted as much as 15c an hour. And the C.I.O. steel workers are demand-

cial importance.

940 board feet, 878,574 board feet of which came from the coast

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