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British Labor Party Backs Up Bevin

FOREIGN SECRETARY WINS 2 TO 1 CONFIDENCE VOTE

Herbert Morrison Hopes For Mutually Beneficial Agreement With Russia

MARGATE, (C.P.)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin won a vote of confidence by more than two to one and the government also won a victory on its proposals for economic planning and manpower distribution for coping with the country's current economic crisis at the Labor Party's annual conference today.

BULLETINS

"QUIT INDIA" APPROVED
LONDON—A full British cabinet gave broad approval to the statement of India's viceroy, Viscount Mountbatten, that he has a plan to implement the British pledge "to quit India" by June, 1948.

NATIONALIZE HOSPITALS
CANBERRA—A federal plan for the nationalization of public hospitals now under control of individual states is announced by the Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. Chifley. Private hospitals and institutions operated by religious organizations will not be affected.

RUHR DEMONSTRATION
HEREFORD, Germany — More than 5,000 workers marched to the main square of Remscheid, a Ruhr communist stronghold in the biggest hunger demonstration the Ruhr has seen since before Easter.

IS GULF CHAMPION
VICTORIA—Hugh Morrison of Vancouver won the B. C. amateur golf championship here Sunday when he defeated Monty Hill also of Vancouver four and three in a match play final. Last year's champion, Lyle Hirschman was eliminated in the qualifying round.

MANSLAUGHTER VERDICT
VANCOUVER — Malcolm Woolridge aged 20, accused on the gun slaying of his wife, Viola, March 1, was found guilty of manslaughter by a supreme court jury. He will be sentenced at the end of the Assize.

PURCHASING RESERVE
OTTAWA—The Canadian air force is purchasing 42 of the 62 acre Indian reservation at Vancouver from the Indian department for \$420,000 and plans permanent establishment on the site occupied since early in the Second World War.

QUINTS' BIRTHDAY
CALLANDER, Ont.—The Dionne quintuplets today celebrated their thirteenth birthday at their palatial home near here. They had a holiday from school to admire watches and necklaces from their mother and father which were among their gifts.

PR. GEORGE SHOOTINGS
PRINCE GEORGE—Max McCall, taxi driver, was shot in the neck, and Jim Alexander has a bullet wound in his shoulder following a shooting on the main street here yesterday afternoon. The shooting occurred after McCall came out of a pool room with Alexander's wife. "I want to die," said Alexander in an ambulance in which he was taken to hospital.

Local Tides
Thursday, May 29, 1947
High 9:30 17.1 feet
22:01 19.1 feet
Low 3:29 7.3 feet
15:35 6.2 feet

VANCOUVER HAS BANK ROBBERY

VANCOUVER (C.P.)—Two daring gunmen were the object of an intensive lower mainland search as they held up the Grand Central branch of the Bank of Montreal and escaping with \$10,000. One arrest was made at a downtown hotel last night. A man and two women were held. In the room there was found a revolver and a .38 Smith & Wesson from the teller's cage of the robbed bank. Most of the money has been recovered.

Wearing khaki coveralls and dark sunglasses the bandits entered the bank hurriedly Monday afternoon. One guarded the entrance while the second stepped to the teller's cage, pulled out a gun and forced everyone to the rear including customers. Then he vaulted over the counter, scooped up the money and both fled in a late model automobile. The car had been stolen, but was later recovered by police.



WINNIPEG'S "AUNTIE BETTY" KEEPS HER PROMISE—Mrs. William Glass, of Winnipeg, who entertained hundreds of Australian airmen at her home during the war, kept a promise that she would come to Australia and see them all and is here seen being welcomed on her arrival by five ex-airmen. "Auntie Betty," as she was known to her visitors, to whom she has written regularly, intends to try and see them all during her stay in Australia.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis
Cooler weather had returned to British Columbia today with moist air bringing overcast skies along the coast and cloudy conditions to some interior districts. This weather situation is not expected to show any appreciable change in the next 48 hours.

Forecast
Prince Rupert, Queen Charlottes and North Coast—Overcast this morning, clearing in afternoon. Overcast tonight and Thursday morning becoming cloudy in afternoon. Winds light little change in temperature. Temperature tonight and Thursday—Port Hardy, minimum 46, maximum 58; Massett minimum 46, maximum 57; Prince Rupert minimum 47, maximum 60.

Would Offset Gold Hoarding

OTTAWA (C.P.)—Finance Minister Douglas Abbott told the House of Commons yesterday that he was not yet in a position to make a statement whether any action would be taken to prevent gold companies from hoarding gold in anticipation of a higher price.

leading toward the spot where killing had been cutting, in his tie-hacking work. He was asked by Crown Counsel, T. W. Brown, if he could tell the distance between where the tracks ended and where the cutting had been going on. About 23 paces, said the witness. There was also some questioning about an old snowshoe track.

WINS DIVORCE—SHE'S STILL HIS SECRETARY

CHICAGO (C.P.)—The question "Can a wife be her husband's secretary?" was given a new twist in Chicago's Circuit Court when Mrs. Ruth Cole, 34, received a divorce decree from her husband, Glen, 36. With the divorce came a number of stipulations. Mrs. Cole is shown taking dictation from her husband with the children looking on.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.

Vancouver		Beattie	
Bralorne	10.85	Bevcourt	.32
B. R. Con.	.05 1/2	Bobjo	.17
B. R. X.	.09	Buffalo Can.	.17
Cariboo Gold	2.25	Con. Smelters	79.00
Dentonia	.19 1/2	Conwest	.91
Grull Wilksne	.97	Donalds	.84
Hedley Mascot	1.05	Eldona	.42
Minto	.04	Eldon	.82
Peab Oreille	2.25	Glart Yellowknife	6.10
Pioneer	4.00	God's Lake	1.05
Premier Border	.04 1/2	Harricana	.11 1/2
Premier Gold	.59	Hardrock	.47 1/2
Privateer	.38 1/2	Heva Gold	.35
Reeves McDonald	1.05	Hosco	.38
Reno	.10	Jackknife	.07 3/4
Salmon Gold	.22	Jollet Quebec	.50
Sheep Creek	1.13	Lake Rowan (ask)	.24
Taylor Bridge	.51	Lapaska	.30
Whitewater	.01 1/4	Little Long Lac	1.76
Vananda	.32	Lynx	.17
Congress	.04 3/4	Madsen Red Lake	3.15
Pacific Eastern (ask)	.40	McKenzie Red Lake	.60
Hedley Amalg.	.08	McLeod Cockshutt	1.60
Soud Valley	.12	Moneta	.47
Central Zeballos	.01	Negus	2.05
Oils—			
A. P. Con.	.14	Noranda	45.50
Calmont	.31	Osi-ko Lake	1.75
C. & E.	1.95	Pickle Crow	2.80
Foothills (ask)	2.70	Rezcourt	.41
Home	3.20	San Antonio	3.90
Toronto			
Athona	.14 1/2	Senator Rouyn	.39 1/2
Aumaque	.34 1/2	Sherritt Gordon	3.10
		Steep Rock	1.90
		Sturfgion River	.17

TERRACE HOME IS DESTROYED

TERRACE—Fire destroyed the David Nelson residence on Park Avenue early Tuesday morning. By the time the fire department was called, flames had taken too great a hold to save the Nelson building, so efforts were successfully concentrated on adjoining properties.

Vancouver Backs Up Prince Rupert

VANCOUVER — Vancouver Board of Trade today endorsed representations of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce seeking immediate institution of air mail service between Vancouver and Prince Rupert now that Canadian Pacific Airlines is about to commence a scheduled air service. A message has been sent to the Postmaster General.



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FUR SEALS GOING NORTH

VANCOUVER (C.P.)—Pribiloff seal herds, now passing the British Columbia coast, are being accompanied by a United States "floating laboratory" ship on their annual migration to Bering Sea. The huge herds, valued at more than \$100,000,000 are guarded by Dominion Fisheries patrol vessels as they pass through Canadian waters. Indians, using canoe and spears, are the only hunters permitted to kill seals during migration. The United States Coast-guard takes over the patrol when the herds reach Alaska.

MORE EXECUTIONS
LANDSBERG, Germany — United States Army executioners hanged more than 26 Elite Guard administrators of the infamous Mauthausen concentration camp today, completing the executions of 48 camp guards and foremen for war crimes. Twenty-two had been hanged yesterday in two hours and 37 minutes.

GERMANS EXECUTED

Twenty-Two Nazis Hanged Yesterday—More Today
LANDSBERG, Germany (C.P.) — Twenty-two operators of the infamous Nazi concentration camp at Mauthausen were hanged yesterday with twenty-seven others scheduled to follow them today in the biggest mass executions of war criminals yet carried out by any Allied power. All were convicted by the American War Crime Court hearing of the murders and atrocities committed against prisoners in the big camp near Linz where more than 700,000 Nazi victims are alleged to have been exterminated.

Getting Ready for Lakelse Lake Camp

TERRACE—The site of the Boy Scout camp on the west side of Lakelse Lake was the scene of considerable activity on Sunday when a party of scouts and adults started clearing away the brush and hauling lumber for the buildings. As the day was warm, the work proved rather enervating so many of the party went swimming when it was over. The party consisted of J. Haaland, B. O'Brien, H. F. Noakes, B. Norberg and Masters Pat Johnston, Wally Shesher, Lloyd Honke, George Kofoid, Robert Koch, Peter Koch, Gerald Toop, Carl Richmond, Aaron Haaland.

Fuller Port Use is Urged

While hesitating to commit itself in any way as far as becoming involved in National Harbor Board administration, the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce has agreed to concur in any master plan for national harbor development that would promote fuller use of ports such as Prince Rupert of which full advantage is not now being taken.

Defies Duplessis To Hold Election

OTTAWA (C.P.)—Leopold Langlois (Liberal-Gaspe) challenged Premier Duplessis of Quebec in the House of Commons yesterday, to call a general election immediately on the Dominion-provincial taxation issue.



PALESTINE—Egypt's chief delegate, Mahmoud Hassan, addresses the special session of Palestine National Council's general assembly at Flushing Meadows, N.Y. at this meeting that the Arab proposal for the partition of an independent Palestine was defeated. Meanwhile part of the building, Samuel Merlin, right, secretary of the Hebrew Committee of National Liberation, speaking to newsmen that the displaced Jews of Europe "second front" and begin an exodus to Palestine in the Jewish underground forces now active in the

Williams Case Is Proceeding

The time of the Assize Court Tuesday afternoon was occupied with further hearing of the attempted murder charge against Gabriel Williams of Topley, who is alleged to have shot Lawrence Kylling last February 19 while the latter was at work in the woods as a tie-maker. Stanley Stewart Mackie was called as a witness. He knew a good many of the Babine Indians. It was easy to carry on conversations with them. Counsel for defence touched on certain matters dealing with the Topley-Richfield mining property but he knew of no conflict of claims. He had restated when it became open. As the examination continued, and counsel asked more questions, the witness turned to Judge Wilson, inquiring if he had to tell the court matters which, after all, were his own private affairs. Shortly after this, the examination concluded.

Dock Destroyed

OTTAWA (C.P.) — The pier and dock of the Pacific Steamships on the waterfront here were almost destroyed by a fire of origin on Victoria wharf. The fire is estimated at \$100,000. The firemen fought the town was overhanging a wall of smoke from a building. The fire was the scene of a fire which is now under control.

Eighteen Bottles of Extract Bought

At the morning session of the trial today there was further examination of police officers and natives as to their movements and handling of the investigations into the shooting. One Indian witness said that no less than 18 bottles of flavoring extract had been bought in the store at Topley.

Constable Richard Strouts, provincial police, first witness, described the locations of police detachments covering the area that takes in Smithers, Burns Lake, Topley and Vanderhoof and other interior points. He told of going to William's shack the night following the shooting and being handed the gun owned by Williams. The latter was then taken into custody.

It was on May 13 that, accompanied by Lawrence Kylling, he went to where the shooting had occurred. This was to search for a possible spent bullet, which if found earlier because of snow, a bullet was found and he identified it. There was a single track of footprints through the woods

Halibut Sales

Canadian
Invercan IV, 19,000, 17.6c and 13.6c, Royal.
Nornen, 11,500, Co-op.
J. R., 8,000, Co-op.