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PRESIDENT INVESTS CANADIAN ARMY CHIEF—The above picture shows President Truman congratulating Lt.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., after decorating him with the U.S. Legion of Merit, Degree of Commander, at a ceremony at the residence of the U.S. Ambassador in Rockcliffe. Looking on in the background as the Canadian Army Chief of Staff received the decoration is Fleet Admiral W. D. Leahy, chief of staff to the Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Army and Navy.

(Canadian Army Photo)

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Russia Accepts Bid To Paris Conference

Rebuilding Of Europe Vital Need

MOSCOW (AP)—It was officially announced last night that the Soviet Union join Great Britain and France in a conference on the economic reconstruction of Europe and United States aid as proposed by General George C. Marshall, United States Secretary of State. The Moscow radio stated that Friday would be a suitable time for the starting of the conference of foreign ministers in Paris. It was agreed that the main task in Europe now was that of reconstruction with United States and Great Britain participating. Earlier it had been stated here that such reconstruction should be possible despite the differences in economic policies within nations.

In London Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told the House of Commons that the Soviet government agreed that primary problem of European countries at present was the quickest possible reconstruction and further development of their national economy which has been destroyed by war.

Upper House Reiterates Its Support

WASHINGTON, D.C., (AP)—The United States Senate today overrode President Truman's veto of the Taft-Hartley bill by a vote of 63 to 25. The veto is thus finally killed as the House of Representatives had reiterated its approval over the veto last week. Agreement of the Senate to vote today followed a week-end filibuster.

The overriding was in spite of an eleventh-hour appeal by the President for the Democrats to uphold his veto of the bill, terming it dangerous legislation which will "do serious harm to our country." Observers had predicted a 66 to 27 vote to override the veto.

TILDY GREETS WIFE HOME FROM U.S. TOUR—President Zoltan Tildy of the Hungarian republic (light suit) is shown with his wife, as he greeted her at the Hungarian frontier on her return home from a recent tour of the United States. President Tildy, a Methodist minister and colleague of the ousted Premier Nagy, is said to be holding office on "borrowed time," as a result of the pro-Communist coup by which the Leftists now control the government.

HOLY LAND R.R. STATION BLASTED—This railroad station at Ramleh, Palestine, was dynamited by four men who police say were masked and disguised in police uniforms. The station master's wife was the only one injured in the blast. Ramleh is a town with a population of about 10,000 Arabs.

EXPLOSION OF OIL TANKER

WILMINGTON, Calif. — Two persons are dead and twelve missing, with damage estimated at $10,000,000 to $12,000,000 as a result of the blowing up and destruction yesterday of the tanker Markey of the Keystone Line which was loading hi-octane gas at the Shell Oil Co. dock. The blast shook the district for many miles around and a devastating fire followed. Two passenger terminals of the President and Matson Lines suffered heavy damage.

Already crew members have charged the owning company with negligence, asserting that twice lately the smokestack of the vessel had caught fire and no steps were taken to remedy the dangerous condition. The company has as promptly denied negligence.

ARE DRIVING TO ANCHORAGE

Dick Mead of Florida and Murray and Gary Loyal of Wisconsin, driving a Dodge car with Anchorage as their destination, arrived during the week-end from Terrace and expect to ship the car to Juneau aboard the Briggs Steamship Co.'s motorship Southeastern tomorrow. They will follow to Alaska by steamer later in the week. If possible, the party will ship the car to Haines from Juneau and drive in over the Haines Cut-off to the Alaska Highway.

The young men hope to overcome some complications in reaching Alaska. The motorship Southeastern, leaving here for the north tomorrow, is ready to handle the car to Ketchikan or Juneau but not the passengers. The steamer Prince Rupert, Wednesday night, could take the passengers but not the car, having no space for it. The Princess Louise, going north next Friday, can also take passengers but the ship, so far at least, is not accepting freight (including cars) for fear of the possibility of not being able to unload it owing to the maritime workers' strike.

EARTHQUAKE IN 'FRISCO REGION

SAN FRANCISCO— The San Francisco region was shaken by quick heavy earthquake shocks yesterday afternoon. There was no damage reported.

Local Tides

Tuesday, June 24, 1947

High	5:25	18.8 feet
	18:28	18.7 feet
Low	11:55	3.8 feet

CHURCHILL IS GETTING GRAIN

CHURCHILL—Ice went out of the Churchill River yesterday and grain immediately started moving into the 2,500,000 bushel grain elevator which is expected to be filled by August when ships will be coming into this Hudson Bay port to move it out.

BAD WEATHER HITS STATES

Eighteen Persons Lose Lives in Floods, Blizzards and Tornadoes

CHICAGO, (AP)— Floods, blizzards and tornadoes claimed at least eighteen lives in the United States over the week-end. Hundreds were left homeless. About seventy vacationists were trapped by sudden storms.

The State of Nebraska was hardest hit. There, a twelve-foot high wall of water from overflowing creeks surged through the town of Cambridge at dawn taking 1,100 inhabitants by such great surprise that they were unaware of disaster until their homes were sent sprawling from the foundations. Nine persons were injured by tornadoes which struck Loomis and Gothenburg, in Nebraska.

Attempt To Slay Novelist, Suicides

BAR HARBOR, Maine — A drink-maddened chef, who had been in the employ of the famous novelist for twenty-five years, tried to kill Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart by shooting and stabbing and later, after being taken in custody, hanged himself in the jail.

MONTGOMERY TO MEET MacARTHUR

Great War Leaders to Get Together in Tokyo for First Time

LONDON—Field Marshal Lord Montgomery, chief of staff of the British Army, at present in India in the course of a tour of the Far East, is to meet with General Douglas MacArthur in Tokyo for four days. It will be the first meeting for the two great war leaders. Montgomery is also to visit Singapore, Australia and New Zealand.

LOGGERS REJECT TEN PER CENT WAGE INCREASE, VOTE TO STRIKE

VANCOUVER (CP)—International Woodworkers of America announced today that their members had turned down an employers' offer of ten percent wage increase and authorized their leaders to call a strike "failing satisfactory concessions." The decision was made in a referendum vote of eight coast locals. A total of 14,896 votes were cast.

Eighty percent voted for turning down the wage offer and 67 8-10 percent voted to give authorization to the leaders to call a strike.

Scheduled for today is a meeting of the union of local representatives from all parts of British Columbia who are expected to deal with negotiation situation.

CADET TROPHIES BEING AWARDED

Awards for efficiency during the 1946-47 training season of the Prince Rupert Corps of Sea Cadets will be made at a special parade of the Corps to be held tonight in the drill hall of H.M.C.S. Chatham, according to an announcement made this morning by Lieut. Commander Alex. Mitchell. The public and friends and relatives of the cadets will be present at the function.

Trophies to be presented will be the Johnson Trophy for rifle shooting; the I.O.D.E. trophy for the best division in the corps; the Lionel Holtby trophy for individual efficiency; the Commander Cree trophy for the best cadet of the year and the Canadian Legion trophy for the best cadet in the recruit class.

Following the presentations the Corps will be "at home" to the public.

Names of the trophy winners are being kept secret until they are announced during the presentation ceremonies.

PACIFIC COAST STRIKE ENDING

SAN FRANCISCO—Granting of a five percent increase by shipowners to four maritime workers' unions is expected to bring two years' peace in the dispute which resulted in a tie-up of shipping since last week.

Operation By Dr. Stenstrom

VICTORIA—A "blue baby" operation, pronounced to have been "definitely succesful," was performed here by Dr. John D. Stenstrom. The patient was from Duncan. Previously, such cases have been sent to Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore.

Dr. Stenstrom is the son of D. G. Stenstrom, former well known coast pulp mill executive and now identified with the Celanese Corporation of America in connection with the Watson Island project at Port Edward near Prince Rupert. Dr. Stenstrom was stationed at Terrace as an army doctor during the war. He distinguished himself when he attended school at Ocean Falls and later in his University studies.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

An extensive high pressure area extends over British Columbia resulting in clear skies over the southern and central portions of the province. A weak storm in the Gulf of Alaska is causing cloudy skies over northern British Columbia but will not affect the rest of the province. Clear warm weather is in prospect for the southern and central portions of the province for the next few days.

Prince Rupert, North Coast and Queen Charlotte; Southern section—Clear today and Tuesday. Fog patches tonight. Northern section—Overcast today and Tuesday. Occasional very light drizzle tonight. Winds northwesterly (15 m.p.h.) today, decreasing to light this evening. Little change in temperature. Lows tonight— Port Hardy, 48, Massett 48, Prince Rupert 45. Highs Tuesday—Port Hardy 65, Massett 60, Prince Rupert 65.

WOMAN IS MURDERED

VANCOUVER (AP)—Having been beaten and then strangled, the body of Mrs. Norma Burton was found lying a few feet off a bridle path in Stanley Park near Lost Lagoon here yesterday. Her husband, John G. Burton, said she had been at home when he left on Saturday morning but was absent in the evening.

A few hours after the finding of the bruised and scratched body, police today branded the 27-year-old woman's death as murder. Superintendent Charles Spence of the Criminal Investigation Bureau said marks on the woman's throat indicated strangulation.

An autopsy is being held today to ascertain the exact cause of death and determine whether there was criminal assault.

Mrs. Burton was slain only a few days after police announced a drive to rid Stanley Park of loiterers.

Two men were arrested today and one, it is expected, will be charged with the murder. They had been seen Saturday afternoon in a beer parlor with Mrs. Burton.

MILK TRUCKS RUNNING AGAIN

First shipment of milk to be brought in this season over the Prince Rupert Highway from Bulkley Valley farms arrived this morning at 10:30 for Valentin Dairy in Hyde Transfer truck driven by Sonny Dickens and Clem Steinke. The truck left Telkwa at 8 o'clock last night, making pick-ups at Smithers and Evelyn enroute. In all, seventy cans were brought in and Mr. Valentin said it arrived in good shape. Milk deliveries are planned to arrive here by truck Monday, Thursday and Saturday morns, supplementing the tram service. The trucks leave Sunday, Wednesdays and Fridays.

NO ACCORD YET IN NORTH FISH PRICE PARLEY

A meeting of white and native gillnet fishermen here Saturday night sustained a former rejection of price proposals made by the salmon canners operating committee for pink and chum salmon, and instructed negotiators at Vancouver to continue efforts for an accord before the opening of the north coast sockeye season on June 29.

The fishermen—members of the United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union and the Native Brotherhood of B. C.—are insisting that agreements be reached covering all types of gillnet-caught salmon before they dip their nets for sockeye. The sockeye price already has been set at 15 cents a pound for all areas, union officials say.

Separating the two groups is a margin of only one-quarter cent a pound, according to the fishermen. Asking 3½ cents a pound in the Skeena and Naas river districts, they rejected a canners' offer of 3¼ cents, which was an increase of one-quarter cent a pound over the 1946 price.

A compromise offer covering prices for a two-year period also was rejected by the fishermen. This compromise would allow the fishermen 3¼ cents a pound for pinks and chums in the 1947 season, and 3 cents a pound during 1948. It was made in reply to a bid by the fishermen for a two-year agreement with the price set at 3½ cents a pound for both 1947 and 1948.

Despite the lack of accord so far, the fishermen feel hopeful that settlement will be reached before June 29 and that there will be no delay in starting the sockeye run on that date.

The pink and chum season occurs on the Skeena and Naas in July and August.

Fishermen in the Prince Rupert area will meet again on Thursday, June 26 to consider this week's developments in negotiations in Vancouver.

Seven canneries in the district will start operations with the beginning of the sockeye run if price settlement is reached by that date.

Chairman of Saturday night's meeting was Edward Bolton, of Port Essington, district vice president of the Native Brotherhood of B. C. There were about 75 fishermen at the meeting.

JIM TULLY DIES IN LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, (AP)—Jim Tulley 56 years of age, well known writer and former prize fighter, died here yesterday.

Sympathy Parade Seen In Nanaimo

NANAIMO—Trade unionists, in sympathy with the Imperial Laundry strikers, paraded the streets Saturday with an effigy of Bill 39 dangling from a gallows. Arriving at the laundry plant, they found a sign stating it was the weekly half holiday and that the plant would be open for business as usual on Monday.

GREAT CHURCH MEETING OVER

No Less Than 200,000 Attended Ottawa For Marian Congress

OTTAWA—With Cardinal McGuigan of Toronto conducting the final mass at which Francis Spellman of New York was the principal speaker, declaring that only prayer could save the world from another war, the great Marian Congress of the Roman Catholic Church came to a close here yesterday. There was a specacular $75,000 display of fireworks as one of the closing features of the great ecclesiastical gathering. Cardinal Spellman said the atomic bomb was a grim contradiction of an era of despair.

The hottest day so far this year in Ottawa—the temperature being in the eighties—did not diminish the enthusiasm of the faithful and the interest of the spectators. It is estimated that the gathering atracted 200,000 persons to the capital city. During yesterday no less than 50,000 persons visited the Parliament Buildings.

The Union Station was jammed and for a time trains were moving one every minute.

On Saturday Archbishop Vachon was host at a banquet in honor of Cardinal McGuigan at Chateau Laurier, those present including the Governor-General and Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

THREE DEAD IN FIRE IN QUEBEC

ROXTON POND, Que., (AP) — Three persons were burned to death early Saturday in a fire that destroyed the home of Origene Beauregard, in an Eastern Townships' municipality seven miles from Granby. Mrs. Fontaine was burned critically. The victims are Mr. and Mrs. Beauregard, 40 and Wilfrid Fontaine, 4, of Sherbrooke, Que.

Fish Sales

Canadian

B. C. Rover, 63,000, 23.3 and 17.5, Storage.

San Juan, 43,000, 23.6 and 18, Royal.

:: TODAY'S STOCKS ::

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STOCKS	
Vancouver	
Bralorne	11.00
B. R. Con.	.08
B. R. X.	.10
Cariboo Gold	2.30
Dentonia	.17
Grull Wihksne	.07½
Hedley Mascot	1.04
Minto	.03½
Pend Oreille	2.25
Pioneer	4.05
Premier Border (Ask)	06½
Premier Gold	.61
Privateer	.39
Reeves McDonald	1.00
Reno	.12
Salmon Gold	.19½
Sheep Creek	1.16
Taylor Bridge	.52
Taku River	.75
Vananda (Ask)	.35
Congress	.04½
Pacific Eastern	.31
Hedley Am'lg'ted (Ask)	.11
Spud Valley	.12
Central Zeballos	.02¼
Silbak Premier (Ask)	.70
Oils—	
A. P. Con.	.20
Calmont	.61
C. & E.	2.45
Foothills (Ask)	2.90
Home	4.00
Toronto	
Athona	.12
Aumaque	.20
Beattie	.75
Bevcourt	.80
Bobjo	.16½
Buffalo Can.	.20
Con. Smelters	84.00
Conwest	.95
Donalda	.97
Eldona	.40
Elder	.80
Giant Y'knife	6.10
God's Lake	.97
Hardrock	.41
Harricana	.09¾
Heva Gold	.31
Hosco	.35
Jacknife	.07½
Joliet Quebec	.45
Lake Rowan (Ask)	.24
Lapaska	.28½
Little Long Lac	1.66
Lynx	.16½
Madsen Red Lake	3.15
McKenzie Red Lake	.62
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.55
Moneta	.46
Negus	2.12
Noranda	46.75
Osisko Lake	1.42
Pickle Crow	2.83
Regcourt	.31
San Antonio	4.20
Senator Rouyn	.40
Sherritt Gordon	3.05
Steep Rock	1.95
Sturgeon River	.22