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Gravity Of International Situation Is Causing Concern

NDON -(CP)- The gravity of the Intersituation with its ever-present menace of a orld war is causing growing concern in many s about Britain's own defences.

questions being asked are similar to those during the critical period that preceded march into Poland in

western Europe.

ROME O The Korean war has

Italy's 300,000-man army, navy

and air force are the smallest of

Implications of these twin

Premier DeGasperi, winding up

While a search for arms caches

ed authorities have Fifth Columning an anxious public communist aggression is unlikely to plunge IS Worrysome nt generation into angiven officialdom of Italy an acute case of fifth column jit-

"assurance before the Steady Communist losses on n blitzkrieg engulfed the peacetime front of elections hore than 10 years ago. and the labor movement plus age Briton wants to be optimistic reports of United government, in consul-States aid had lulled Italians th other units of the into a sense of security. Then wealth, is ready to meet the Italians took a close look enge of aggression and and found that Palmiro Togliatti armed strength is equal still claims 2,500,000 comradesmmitments.

the biggest Communist party in onservative Daily Mail the campaign for agpreparedness, recalls the major Atlantic pact forces. e country was inadermed in 1939.

realities jolted the country. world wars," the paper ould have taught us the a Chamber debate on the Korean allowing our armed war, devoted most of his speech run down. But has it? to the fifth column danger. s sums are being spent ce, but are they being has unearthed enough material to the best advantage?" in the last three years to equip case of need, it asks, a small army, police believe there tain field a well-train- is still much more hidden. hly-mechanized force, with modern weapons

to be the government t 'yes.' They should act Troops Going even though it means even though it means ney for arms and less

iblic has heard much L. S. St. Laurent announced last to potential aggressors, ground forces to Korea at this taxpayer has been told time although it might join an),000,000 (\$2,418,000,000) international force if such were required this year to formed. inued on page 71

CCAL TIDES

day, July 21, 1950 5:19 17.7 feet San Francisco and Japan. 19.2 feet | All three fighting services will

Communist propaganda camof the world. PRICES MOUNTING

B.C. PRODUCTION

VANCOUVER - It is admitted that the possibility attack on the British Columbia coast would have to be part of the gamble in stepping up arms production there. There i little likelihood of large scale aircraft production. Munitions plants in Canada have been out on a stand-by basis.

INCOMPATIBLE?

FLIGHT AUTHORIZED OTTAWA - The cabinet at a conference on Wednesday authorized the flying of a Canadian squadron to Korea, to co-operate with the United States forces on transport. The flight will be from San Francisce, starting within another affirmative votes for the return

OTTAWA - Prime Minister NO Conditions lective security and the night, following a cabinet meet-lantic Alliance as de-ing, that Canada will send no In Korean Peace

Attlee today told the Commons 6 to 6:30 over station C.F.P.R. No. 426 Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Force will be sent to the Pacific to carry supplies, ment, in effect, backed the the eight or ten planes to leave Montreal within a day or so for settlement of other issues.

Pol Building Tenders victoria For Approval For Discussion

Bridge and Dredging Co., with a bid of BERLIN O-The top Communfor both new Booth Memorial and King Ed- ist leaders of Europe and Red chools, was the lowest received by the school China gathered in Berlin Wedor its construction program. Tenders opened ecial meeting of the school board last night sidge and Dredging Co. Minister IS

5.2 feet be immediately strengthened.

279,947 \$778.121 478,519 309,102 Construction

\$797,203 & Hall. \$787,105

468,132 312,570 of Education at Vic- pick them up.

Vancouver.

Prince Rupert will have a visit from a federal cabinet minister next Wednesday evening.

Hon. James G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, his wife moved in over the province and and two daughters, will be here most of British Columbia will aboard the steamer Prince enjoy sunny skies and warm George.

They have been on a trip to North Coast Region-Cloudy the Yukon and Alaska over the with a few sunny intervals toders are from Vancou- Alaska Highway and the steamer day and Friday. Little change in Were sent to the De- is making a call at Haines to temperature. Light winds. Lows

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TWIN TORNADOES LIMA, Ohio -Twin tornadoes slashed through Lima and Van Wert last night, causing damage of more than \$1,000,000. Three hundred homes were damaged and 30

COMINFORM MEETS BERLIN - An important meeting of the Cominform is under way in Berlin as the paign mounts in various parts

persons injured, but no can

VANCOUVER - Wholesale price of sugar went up 25c per hundred today while coffee jumped 2c per pound.

TOKYO-Somewhat incompatible with today's development in Korea was an announcement of General MacArthur yesterday that a major repulse of the North Koreans meant that they had lost their charge to take South Korea, and failed. "There will never again be the same opportunity," said MacArthur.

few days.

LONDON @ - Prime Minister ton will be heard tonight from that ending the war in Korea He will speak on the Korean cannot be conditional to accep- situation. tance of Communist China into the United Nations. The state-United States rejection of the move by Prime Minister Nehru of India to seek peace in Korea by bringing Red China into the United Nations. Attlee said restoration of peace in Korea cannot be made conditional on the

Red Leaders Meet

nesday night for what appeared to be an important cominform discussion. Palmiro Togliatti, Italy, and Jaques Duclos, France, were among the arrivals. The Soviet delegation included M. R. Suslov, secretary of the Russian Communist party central committee.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

Fine, settled weather has temperatures today and Friday. Forecast

tonight and highs tomorrow-They will be going through to At Port Hardy, Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 50 and 65.

olic Is Worried Over Lid Blowing Off Defence Costs In Canada As Effort Is Mounting

OTTAWA (CP)—The Korean war has blown the lid off Canada's defence costs, already at a peacetime high. The government has authorized an immediate, wide program that will add millions to the defence budget.

It will mean an accelerated Canadian defence effort - adding possibly 8,000

men to the regular forces by a special recruiting campaign, doubling production rates of, fighter planes and providing additional aid to the United Realistic The R.C.A.F.'s No. 426 trans-

port squadron based at Mont-

real will join in the U.S. airlift

for Korea but will not take part

in the actual fighting. All three

forces are to ignore present

manpower ceilings and bring

their regular units to fighting

In announcing the program,

Prime Minister St. Laurent said

national force for the Far East

that "grave decisions lie ahead."

BRUSSELS O-King Leopold

the Belgian Parliament today.

He has been in exile since the

early surrender to the German

A joint session of both houses

of parliament today cast 193

of the king. Most opposition

ists did not vote. There are 387

MINISTER TO SPEAK

Defence Minister Brooke Clax-

members of both houses.

strength. Present strength

about 47,000 men.

than 500,000,000.

Belt-Tightening Necessary In View Of Korean Battle And World Conditions

WARHINGTON, D.C. (P)-President Truman told the American people on Wednesday night that. they were in for some belt tightening because of the Korean Canada will not send any battle and world conditions but ground troops to Korea "at this said that scare buying stage" but he said the govern- hoarding were foolish and selfment would consider Canadian ish. He told the people much hill on a participation in any United Nathe same thing he had told Contions plan to recruit an intergress earlier in the day when he asked for ten billion dollars down payment on a vast mobili-The Prime Minister warned zation drive to win the Korean war and combat any Red ag-Canada's record defence budgression elsewhere on the global get for this year may be boost-

ed from \$425,000,000 to more President Truman said it would be necessary to make substan tial increases in taxes.

In this recommendations Congress President Truman had asked for more military manpower, anti-inflation controls swift set-up of war production and additional huge sums to arm was voted back to his throne by non-Communist countries.

The chief executive expressed confidence as to the final outwar, opposition to his return come of the battle of Korea but being based in the main on his admitted that the campaign would be long and difficult.

Prolific Mother Has Second "Four"

CANTANZARO, Italy () -Socialists, Liberals and Commun-Marianna Lioi, 32 - year - old Italian persant's wife, gave birth yesterday to her second set of quadruplets, in two years. All boys, the quads was born in the seventh month of pregnancy. The mother and babies were reported doing "splendidly."



LOBSTER KING - King Neptune, otherwise known as John Mackenzie, is crowned king of the annual lobster carnival at Pictou, centre of Nova Scotia's lobster industry. Officiating is Mr. Justice Keiller Mackay of the Ontario Appelate Court, a native of Pictou.

BASEBALL SCORES TODAY

PRICE FIVE CENTS

National League

Philadelphia 10, Pittsburgh 9 (11 innings). Pacific Coast Portland 8. Oakland 7 Seattle 6, Hollywood 7 San Francisco 5, San Diego Los Angeles 4, Sacramento

American

St. Louis 1-3, New York 16-4 Detroit 9, Boston 5 Cleveland 4, Philadelphia 0 Chicago 4, Washington 5

National Boston 3, Cnicago 11 Philadelphia 3-2, Pittsburgh

New York 4-3, St. Louis 18-10 Brooklyn-Cincinnati postponed

Western International Yakima 9, Salem 0 Tacoma 8- , Spokane 3-3 Tri-City 6-12. Vancouver 4-0 Wenatchee 4, Victoria 3

Jets Ready To Move Off At Moment's Notice Of Sneak Attack

FAIRBANKS-All air fields in Alaska have been out on the alert with jet fighter planes standing by on a 24hour basis ready to take to the air in the event of

"Pearl Harbor" sneak attack The radar watch has been tightened up on a continuous

TODAY'S STOCKS

Vancouver

Bayonne

Bralorne

B. R. Con

Cariboo Quartz

	COAC STREET, SALES OF STREET
Hedley Mascot	.23
Pend Oreille	5.60
Pioneer	2.35
Premier Border	.02
Reeves McDonald	2.85
Reno	.03
Sheep Creek	1.10
Silbak Premier	.30
Taku River	, .05
Vananda	.10
Salmon Gold	.04
Silver Standard	1.60
Western Uranium	.58
Oils—	
Anglo Canadian	5.00
A. P. Con	.38
Atlantic	2.50
Central Leduc	1.40
Home Oil	13.75
Mercury	.12
Oqalta	1.50
Pacific Pete	6.00
Princess	.53
Royal Canadian1/2	.07
Royalite	11.25
Toronto	
Athona	.08
Aumaque	.18
Beattie	.45
Bevcourt	.54
Bobjo	
Buffalo Canadian	
Consol. Smelters	00.00
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Athona	.08
Aumaque	.18
Beattie	.45
Bevcourt	.54
Bobjo	.11
Buffalo Canadian	.173
Consol. Smelters	00.00
Donalda	.45
Eldona	.25
East Sullivan	6.75
Giant Yellowknife	6.65
God's Lake	.29
Hardrock	.33
Heva	.051
Jacknife	.05
Joliet Quebec	.48
Lapaska :	.04
Madsen Red Lake	2.25
Mcenzie Red Lake	.41
McLeod Cockshutt	2.30
Moneta	.17
Negus	1.09
Noranda	66.50
Louvicourt	.131/2
Picqle Crow	1.95
Regcourt	.051
San Antonio	2.55
Senator Rouyn	.23
Sherrit Gordon	1.92
Steep Rock	3.25
Sturgeon River	.151/2
Silver Miller	.78
Upper Canada	2.04

American League Boston 6, Detroit 5 (11 inn- Up By U.N. Defenders

Fierce Fighting Now Going On Forty Miles South Of Provisional Capital

CHONJU OCCUPIED

TOKYO-(CP)-North Koreans today occupied Chonju, 40 miles southwest of Taejon and fifteen miles south of Iria, their previous most southerly penetration, a United States Army spokesman reported.

TOKYO — (CP) — American and North Korean troops were tonight engaged in fierce fighting as far as forty miles south of Taejon after some field dispatches had said that the important key rail and highway junction had been abandoned by its defenders in the face of a new and powerful drive by the

Communist invaders, Some of the of South Korea since the fall of Americans were trapped. Reuters said that the last

Americans had been ordered out of the blazing city at dusk after o day of street fighting in which they took a heavy toll of invading tanks.

The Communist drive farther to the west was also reported to be making progress.

commander of the United States advance but ground troops-came 24th Division, fighting at Tae- on. Many of them, dressed as mean he is missing."

American retreat.

United States troops were shops and houses.

capable of piercing heavy North Korean armor, the Americans clung to the city stubbornly. An American fighter pilot, back from a mission to the area, described it as "burning hell." The Communist attack on

Using a new 3.5 rocket gun

Taejon began before dawn Spokesmen at United States Thursday. Twenty tanks lummilitary headquarters in Korea bered out of the darkness, many said the Army had lost touch with infantry perched on their with General William F. Dean, sides. Bazookas checked their jon, but added: "That does not civilians, sneaked into Taejon

behind the Americans and be-A trainload of American ga a grim game of hide-andwounded was left behind in the seek through rough, unpaved alleys among tightly shuttered

credited with knocking out at A South Korean Army spokesleast eleven of a score or more man said the enemy had entertanks which the North Koreans ed Yechon on the central front had flung against Taejon which today but later was driven out had served as provisional capital with 400 casualties.

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Arabian Oil Line To Begin Operation By First Of Year

By FRED J. ZUSY. SIDON, Lebanon - (AP) - Giant steel storage tanks are mushrooming up just south of this ancient phoenican town to mark the delivery end of a giant

strategic oil pipeline. The American-owned pipeline is 1,067 miles long and 30 to 31 inches in diameter. It cost more than \$200,000,000. Oil will start mov- HELD UP BY THE WAR

ing through the line the first of next year. The initial rate is part of the line started in late planned at 300,000 barrels a day 1947. The western end was held and the flow later may be inup by the Palestine war in 1943 The famous "Big Inch" in the and the battle to get steel ex-

now carries natural gas. The new pipeline will carry others more than 50 per cent

crude oil from the fabulously finished. Work has begun on rich Saudi-Arabian fields in the four others. Persian Gulf area to tankers; Four submarine lines have anchored a half-mile off the been laid to anchorages a half Letanese coast. The line will save ships a water.

7.000-mile sea voyage around The line is of 30 and 31 inches the vast Arabian Peninsula and diameter, the largest ever used through the Suez Canal. It will for oil movement. also save the present 18 cents New desert communities will per barrel canal toll. That's be set up at the six pumping \$54,000 dollars a day.

Suez Canal was talked about and several hundred Arabs. during the Second World War The line is so long and so big

Military strategy and advice barrels. played a big part in this de- Economists predict total midsional committees.

arguing it would be a ripe plum what it was in 1945.

United States when completed port permits in Washington. in 1943 was 1,254 miles long and The tank farm here will have delivered 300,000 barrels daily 16 tanks with a capacity of through its 24-inch diameter. It 180,000 barrels each. Five already are completed, with three

Construction on the eastern

mile off shore in 50 feet of

stations, 180 miles apart, each The shortcut by-passing the with about 20 American families

the U.S. government that the 36,000 horsepower granted export permits for the pumping capacity on the east-323,000 tons of steel required at ern end will have to run for two a time when steel was very weeks to fill it up for the first 4 much in demand at home. time. The line will hold 5,000,000

cision, debated before congres- ale east crude production will exceed 2,000,000 barrels daily by Some strategists, however, 1953. Total Middle East crude would have veto'ed the project production is already five times

for Soviet picking in event of Middle East oil is expected to war. The line, they said, would gradually displace western henibe impossible to defend. . isphere oil in European markets.

EVERY FRIDAY NITE

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