

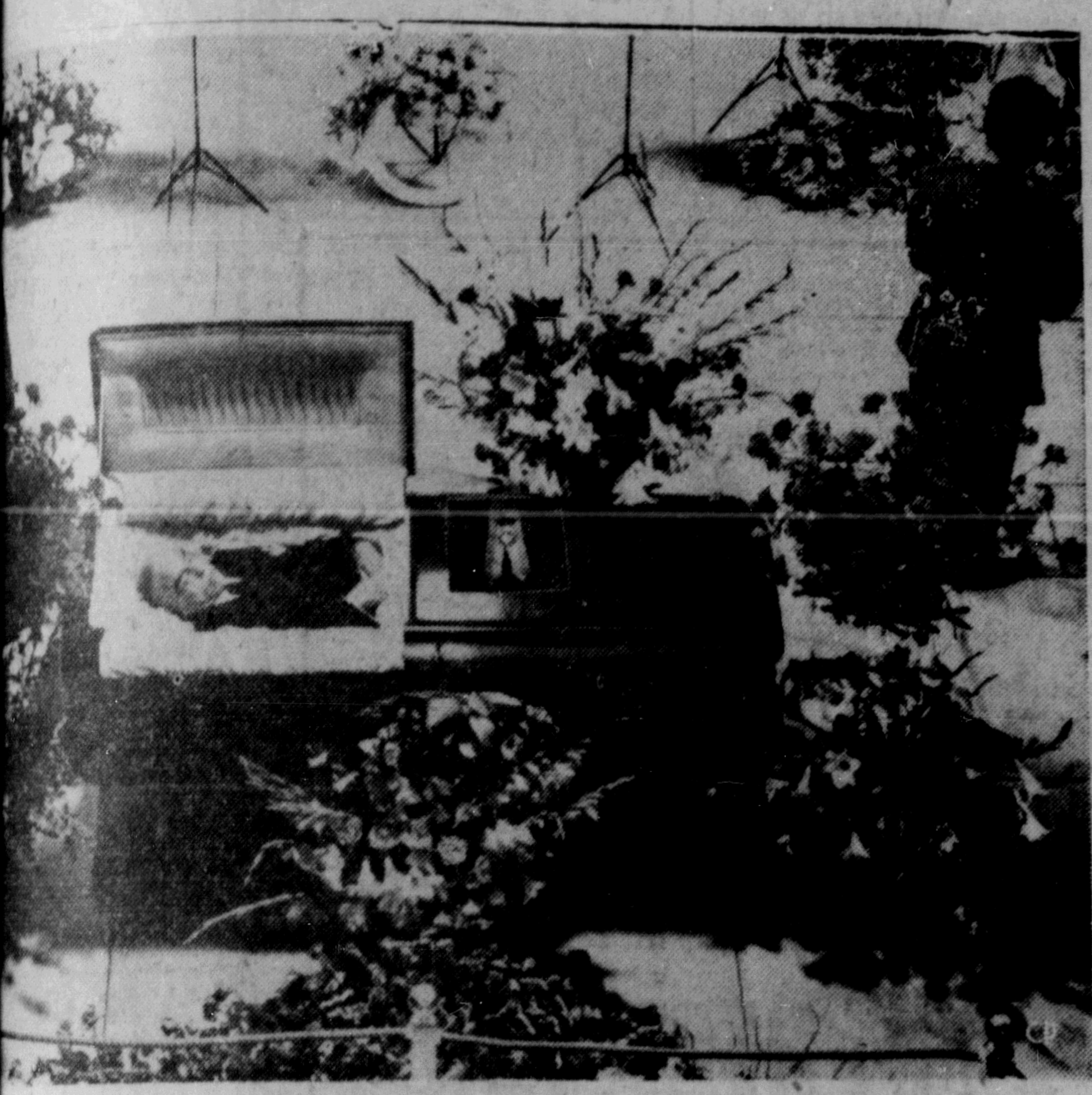
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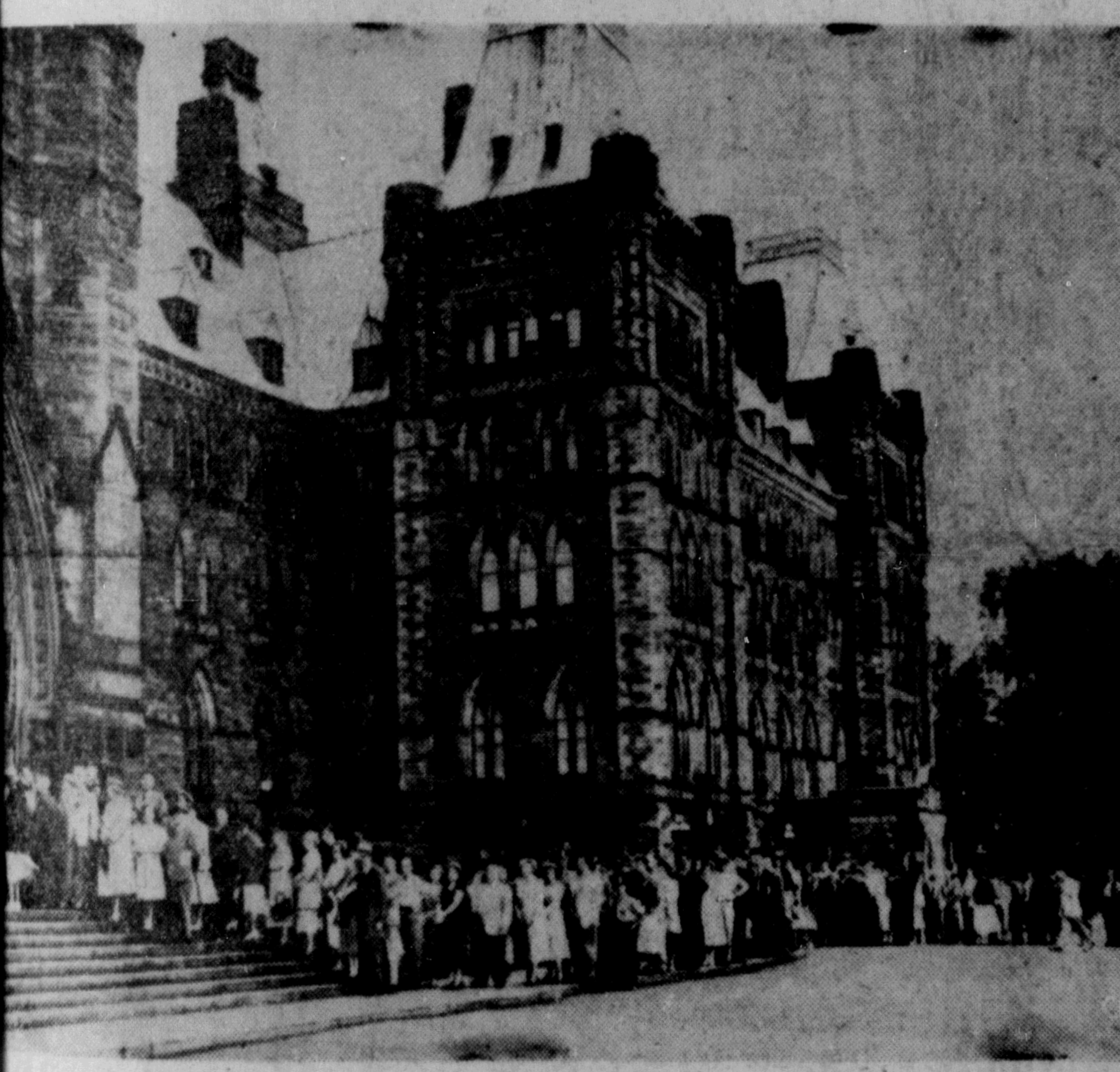
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STATE — The remains of Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, former prime minister, in state with floral tributes and a guard of honor comprising a sailor, soldier, and R.C.M.P. constable, in the Hall of Fame of the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa. The ceremony opened to the public at 10 a.m. Tuesday morning. In single file, led by Prime Minister's representative more than 2,000 passed the bier in the first hour.



RESPECTS — Canadians from all walks of life line up before Parliament Buildings to pay their last respects to Mr. King. This photo shows a small portion of the crowd waiting their turn to view the remains.



PUBLIC APPEARANCE — Just a few weeks before his death, Mr. King attended the Dominion government's reception of the National Press Conference delegates June 15. The former prime minister of Canada is seen chatting with Governor-General Vincent Massey.

# Korea's Biggest Battle Is Looming

## Military Aid For South Korea Is Urged By C.C.F.

VANCOUVER—(CP)—Military aid for United Nations forces in Korea was recommended Wednesday by the national council of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation.

In an emergency resolution presented at the opening of the convention, two hundred delegates were told that "the C.C.F. believes all nations, including Canada, which have pledged support to the action of the United Nations should participate according to their ability. The burden of military action in Korea should not be left to one nation alone."

Reconvening of Parliament at Ottawa, owing to the gravity of the international situation, was termed "imperative."

Retiring Secretary David Lewis admitted a recession of Socialism in Canada and said that the party needed new vitality.

Prof. Frank Scott, national chairman, also announced his intention of retiring.

## Conservatives Lose By 1 Vote

LONDON—Winston Churchill today told the Commons that the Conservatives have lost the election by a single vote.

The Conservative leader and wartime Prime Minister was defeated by a single vote 296-295 in an attempt to force a secret session for defence debate. Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, back in the House for the first time since May, turned the vote in favor of the government.

### THE WEATHER

Friday, July 28, 1950

High	0:08	21.5 feet
	13:21	19.0 feet
Low	6:54	1.3 feet
	18:58	7.0 feet

### SOUTH POLE

Ronald Amundsen was the first to discover the south pole on December 14, 1911.

## Flash Vigorous Allied Counter-Attack Meets Success

NOT USING A-BOMB  
WASHINGTON — President Truman said today that use of the atom bomb in the Korean war was not being considered. The President reaffirmed his hope of an ultimate peaceful issue of the situation. He did not consider wage, price and manpower controls necessary at this time unless in the case of total mobilization.

OFF TO TOKYO  
TACOMA — Six Canadian transport planes, which will co-operate in the supply line for the Battle of Korea, are leaving tonight for Japan via the Aleutian Islands.

ALASKA TYCOON KILLED  
FAIRBANKS, Alaska — Capt. Austin Eugene Lathrop, 84, wealthiest man in Alaska, was killed Wednesday when he slipped off a coal car and was crushed beneath the wheels. Lathrop owned newspapers, radio stations, theatres and Alaska's biggest coal mine.

### BASEBALL SCORES

National  
St. Louis 13, Brooklyn 3  
Philadelphia 13, Chicago 3

TOKYO —(CP)— A vigorous South Korean counter-attack drove northern Communists back seven miles today as a prelude to what might be the beginning of the Korean war's biggest battle. South Korean troops, with United States air support, delivered two sharp punches, one on the northeast of the Yongdong sector and one on the east coast. In both cases they drove the Red forces back.

## Old Timer Of Smithers Dies

Elmer K. Steele, well known pioneer of Smithers, passed away this morning in Prince Rupert General Hospital at the age of 74 after a week's illness.

Born in Winnipeg, Mr. Steele was for many years an insurance agent at Smithers until his retirement a few years ago. He was an ardent stamp collector and helped many people in Prince Rupert with their collections since coming here in April 1942. He was named honorary president of the Civic Centre stamp collectors' club this year. He was never married.

Surviving are two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. W. J. O'Neill, Smithers.

Allied warships helped out in the east coast action with strong shellfire.

At Maromwon, 15 miles north-east of Yongdong, the 24th Regiment combat team, the only negro unit identified as being in action, beat off a Communist attack.

The Communist radio at Pyongyang in North Korea said that Red coastal batteries had sunk an American warship off Yosu, a port which the Reds say they have captured. It is some 20 miles south of Suncheon behind the southern front.

Allied planes have knocked out two of five northern tanks in the Hamchang area in giving aid to the South Koreans along the 200-mile long Korean front. Northern forces have started a new drive toward vital supply lines east of Red-held Yongdong. They were met by a curtain of United States artillery fire and Allied planes.

General Douglas MacArthur, United Nations commander, was near the front as the battle went into its final stages. "That we will have new heartaches and new setbacks is inherent in the situation," he said, "but I was never more confident of victory — ultimate victory — in my life than I am now."

### UNIFYING DEFENCES

LONDON — Atlantic pact partners got down Wednesday to the detailed job of forging a unified army out of Western Europe's individual armed forces. Less than 24 hours after they had converged on London for the first session of a civilian high command for defence of the west, the pact's council of deputies plunged into technical aspects of the problem behind closed doors.

## Showdown In Belgium Near

Anti-Leopold Movement of Socialists and Liberals Gains Ground

BRUSSELS, Belgium — Socialists and Liberals, whose party followers launched a wave of sabotage and strikes throughout the country on Wednesday, walked out of the Belgian Chamber of Deputies. Along with Communist deputies, they marched out of Parliament once again as the pro-Leopold Roman Catholic Social Christian party, entrenched behind a strong majority, passed a vote of confidence in the government which it controls.

Following their announced intention of showing every manner of protest against the return of the King after six years' exile, the Socialists sent a paper to Leopold resigning their titles and decorations.

Officials estimate that 120,000 men are idle in the big industrial centres of Liege and Charleval alone.

## Lake Kathlyn Yields Body Of One Man

## Search For Second Drowning Victim Is Continued By Police

SMITHERS (Special To The Daily News)—The holiday waters of Lake Kathlyn at 10:30 this morning yielded the body of Aime Bourque, one of two mining men, who are believed to have been drowned early Sunday morning. Search operations for the second supposed victim, William E. Forbes, are continuing.

## No Troops For Korea?

TORONTO — Informed quarters said today unusual meeting of the federal cabinet aboard the funeral train of the late prime minister held the view that Canada's decision of "no troops at this time" for Southern Korea still stands.

Minister of National Defence Brooke Claxton said a decision had been made on the subject. The decision is expected to be made public at Ottawa within 24 hours by the Prime Minister.

## Former Mayor, Vancouver, Dies

MONTREAL — Robert Harry Gale, aged 72, who was mayor of Vancouver for four terms, died in hospital here Wednesday after a brief illness.

Bourque's body came to the surface of the lake where it was found floating by Andy Munro, superintendent of the Glacier Gulch mine, one of the members of the search party. It was about 100 yards off the east shore of the lake in which area the search has been concentrated. The water is a mere nine or ten feet deep at this point.

A watch on the body had stopped at 7:23, probably Sunday morning.

Bourque and Forbes had left their car at the east end of the lake, presumably taking to a canoe which was found overturned Sunday morning on the lake.

Bourque was 41 years of age and came from Vancouver. His brother, Ray Bourque, personnel manager of Biodel, Stewart & Welch, logging and lumber concern. He had been here until about an hour before the body was found but was intercepted at Burns Lake and is returning here.

## TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

Vancouver		Beattie	
Bayonne	.02 1/2	Bevcourt	.46
Bralorne	6.50	Bobjo	.11
B. R. Con	.03	Buffalo Canadian	.15 1/2
Cariboo Quartz	1.00	Consol Smelters	103.50
Hedley Masco	.25	Conwest	1.20
Pend Oreille	7.45	Donalds	.39
Pioneer	2.20	Eldona	.23
Premier Border	.02 3/4	East Sullivan	6.55
Privateer	.12	Giant Yellowknife	6.35
Reeves McDonald	3.10	God's Lake	.29
Reno	.03	Hardrock	.29
Sheep Creek	1.10	Harricana	.06
Silbak Premier	.28	Heva	.05 1/2
Taku River	.05	Hosco	.06
Vananda	.14	Jackknife	.05 1/2
Salmon Gold	.05	Joliet Quebec	.40
Silver Standard	1.64	Lake Rowan	.08
Western Uranium	.63	Lapaska	.03
Oils —		Little Long Lac	
Anglo Canadian	5.00	Lvnx	.22
A. P. Con	.39	Madsen Red Lake	2.06
Atlantic	2.41	McKenzie Red Lake	.40
Calmont	.55	McLeod Cockshutt	2.06
C. & E.	1.10	Moneta	.28
Central Leduc	1.45	Negus	1.00
Home Oil	15.50	Notanda	67.25
Mercury	.10 1/2	Louvicourt	.13
Okalta	1.52	Pickle Crow	1.73
Pacific Pete	5.90	Reacourt	.05
Princess	.56	San Antonio	2.40
Royal Canadian	.07	Senator Rouyn	.21 1/2
Royalite	11.75	Sheridan Gordon	1.91
Toronto		Steep Rock	
Athona	.08	Silver Mills	.76
Aumaque	.15 1/4	Upper Canada	1.83

read the lesson. After the church service, Mr. King proceeded to the Sunday School room to mingle with the children and tell them Bible stories. Those children are now all grown up and some of them still reside in their home town.

The incident of Mr. King's visit was recalled yesterday by Rev. Dr. E. A. Wright, the present incumbent, presided over the local memorial service. Mrs. E. J. Smith assisted at the organ.

GREAT FIRE  
Rome's great fire in 64 A.D. burned for eight days.

## Crowds Watch King Cortège

TORONTO — Downtown Toronto was hushed today as the body of Mackenzie King was borne slowly up broad University Avenue for burial in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Men, women and children were lined ten deep across from the Union Station when the solemn funeral procession started. Crowds lined the whole route.

The 15-car train in which the former prime minister's body was brought from Ottawa arrived at the station some hours before the cortège started its five mile journey to the cemetery. Fifteen or sixteen cabinet ministers rode on the train from Ottawa.

There was a brief committal service with members of the cabinet and close friends surrounding the grave.

## When Mr. King Visited Church

Memories of some of the members of First Presbyterian Church, where a memorial service for Canada's great statesman was held yesterday, might have swung back a quarter of a century or so ago to one Sunday morning when Mr. King, in the course of a visit to this city, ascended, by invitation of the late Rev. Dr. H. R. Grant, to the pulpit and

THE WEATHER  
Synopsis  
cloudy in most regions  
Columbia for a day  
Relatively cool air from  
has drifted into the  
and central British  
and will spread into  
ern interior during the  
ours. Light rain is ex-  
fall in the coastal  
there will be scattered

showers in the interior Friday.  
North Coast Region — Cloudy  
today and Friday. Intermittent  
rain today. A few showers Fri-  
day. Little change in tempera-  
ture. Winds light. Lows tonight  
and highs Friday — At Port  
Hardy, Sandspit and Prince  
Rupert, 50 and 60.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Barton  
returned to the city on the  
Prince Rupert yesterday from a  
vacation trip to Vancouver.