

# Paris Big Four Conference Is Deadlocked



## Liberals Win Heavily In Newfoundland

### Communism Alarming

**I.O.D.E. Sounds Ringing Denunciation at Annual Meeting**

VICTORIA — A pledge to combat communism throughout Canada and a ringing denunciation of that creed keynoted the opening session Saturday night of the national annual meeting of Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire.

The president, Mrs. Frank McCurdy of Toronto, said that communism threatens "the long-established freedoms of the Canadian people" and that the I.O.D.E. views its growth "with grave concern."

### Landslide Indicated In New Province's Voting

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland (CP)—The Liberal party was assured today of victory in Newfoundland's first provincial election when the returns gave them sixteen seats of the 28-seat House with the count still incomplete.

So far Progressive Conservatives here elected only one candidate and one Independent has been elected.

Premier Joseph Smallwood scored a large personal victory. The Progressive Conservative leader was defeated.

### NEW EQUIPMENT AT HEALTH UNIT

Several new items of equipment have been received by the Prince Rupert Health Unit from the Provincial Department of Health to widen its service to the community. Similar equipment is being sent by the department to other local health units throughout the province. Included in the equipment is a moving picture projector for showing films on public health topics, an audiometer and an infra-red lamp. Staff of the Health Unit received instruction in their operation at a recent conference at Victoria and further instruction will be given later by visiting experts.

### FORD MOTOR STRIKE OVER

**Peaceful Industrial Tie-up Cost Company and Employees Many Millions**

DETROIT — The costly 24-day old Ford strike ended today when the key issue in dispute—allocation of manpower on the assembly lines—was left to arbitration.

Three-man sub-committees from the Ford Motor Co. and the United Automobile Workers (CIO) will meet Tuesday to name a single arbitrator.

Estimates on how much the strike has cost the company and its 106,000 workers vary but roughly it is placed at \$77,000,000.

The cost to related industries also will probably run into millions.

The strike was peaceful throughout and at no time was there violence.

## Vishinsky Turns Down Western Unification

PARIS (CP)—The Big Four foreign ministers conference appears to be completely deadlocked on the subject of Germany and Secretary of State Dean Acheson has recommended that the matter be abandoned. Andre Vishinsky has rejected the western plan for unification of Germany.

## Promoting Car Ferry To Alaska

**United States Government Would Operate Daily Prince Rupert-Juneau Service**

Col. John T. Danahar, who, as a special consultant to the United States Army Transportation Corps during World War II conceived and pressed the idea of utilizing Prince Rupert as a supply port for Alaska, was in Prince Rupert Saturday afternoon on his way to Washington after having completed a survey of the possibilities of a car and truck ferry service between Prince Rupert and Haines, Alaska. The service which would connect the Haines Cut-off and Alaska Highway with the Skeena River Highway as well as bringing the ports of southeastern Alaska directly tributary to the highway and railway terminal of Prince Rupert. Col. Danahar is working on a project which would call for the construction of two 318-foot diesel ferries of ocean-going type, each costing \$3,000,000 which would ply on a daily 21-hour schedule between Prince Rupert and Juneau via Ketchikan, Wrangell and Petersburg, carrying up to 100 cars or trucks and as many as 900 passengers. It would be a United States government operated project, an adjunct of the Alaska Road commission.

### TULSEQUAH MINE AT FULL BLAST

The famous Polaris - Taku mine at Tulsequah is operating full blast in spite of recent strike difficulties. It is reported by Ted Applewhite who is back from an election campaign tour which took in that camp. Two other smaller mining operations are also proceeding nearby.

The importance of the Tulsequah operations is indicated by the fact that there are 226 registered voters in the camp.

### TACOMA PARTY VISITS HERE

Twenty-seven American businessmen, members of Northwest American Chambers of Commerce, were passengers aboard the steamer Princess Norah, which docked here at noon today. They are making the round trip on the vessel on a tour sponsored by the Tacoma, Washington, Chamber of Commerce.

Heading the cruise party is E.R. Fetterlof, a director of the United States Chamber of Commerce, assisted by M. S. Erdahl, vice-president of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce party was one of two organized groups making the trip on the Princess Norah. The other was a party composed of members of the National Garden Club of the United States, containing 35 members. Heading the group, whose members were drawn from all parts of the country, Mrs. C. G. Spillers, of Blakely, Georgia, national vice-president of the organization.

The two groups made up the majority of the 75 round-trip passengers. The Princess Norah carried 111 through passengers. Capt. Peter L. Leslie was in command of the Princess Norah.

### CAUSES DAMAGE

**Crops Slowed Up**  
Weather

Prevailing temperature over the prairies during the past week has been normal and in many localities severe frost has not occurred, according to the report of the Department of Agriculture of the National Railways.

The report indicates that the weather will not be too severe.

The weather, coupled with moisture in most areas, resulted in little damage in the past week but has led to causing plants to develop and this may have beneficial results in the season.

Super hatching has occurred and as a result measures are proving effective in most areas.

Okanagan fruit crop is excellent and dry weather of the days has not changed them. Stone fruits are north of Summerland, south of there. It is at 100,000 new trees have been planted. Half for replacement for new orchards.

### TODAY'S STOCKS

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

Vancouver	
Bayonne	.06
Bralorne	9.00
B. R. Con.	.03 1/2
B. R. X.	.08
Cariboo Quartz	1.17
Congress	93 1/2
Hedley Mascot	.14
Pacific Eastern	.05
Pend Oreille	3.55
Pioneer	3.10
Premier Border	.02 1/2
Privater	.13
Reeves McDonald	1.65
Reno	.05
Sheep Creek	1.15
Silbak Premier	.28
Vananda	.15
Salmon Gold	.11 1/2
Spud Valley	.07
Oils—	
Anglo Canadian	3.20
Atlantic	.61
Calmont	.35
C. & E.	4.60
Central Leduc	.68
Home Oil	10.25
Mercury	.09
Okalta	1.51
Pacific Pete	2.50
Princess	.25
Royal Canadian	.08
South Brazeau	.15
Toronto	
Athona	10 1/4
Aymahe	.10
Beattie	.50
Bevecourt	.21
Bobjo	1 1/4
Buffalo Canadian	.09
Consol. Smelters	85.50
Conwest	.88
Donalda	.21
Eldona	.55
East Sullivan	2.01
Giant Yellowknife	5.50
God's Lake	.32
Hardrock	.10
Harricana	.06
Heva	.06 1/4
Hosco	.19
Jackknife	.04
Joliet Quebec	.30
Lake Rowan	.09
Lapaska	.07
Little Long Lac	.62
Lynx	.11
Madsen Red Lake	2.70
McKenzie Red Lake	.33
McLeod Cockshutt	.87
Moneta	.45
Negus	2.16
Noranda	51.00
Louivcourt	.10
Pickle Crow	1.86
Regcourt	.04 1/2
San Antonio	3.85
Senator Rouyn	.33
Sherrit Gordon	1.37
Steep Rock	1.45
Sturgeon River	16 1/4
Silver Miller	.34

### CITY ENGINEER IS DISMISSED

VANCOUVER — Dismissal of Charles Battershill, Vancouver's chief city engineer, was announced by Mayor Charles Thompson after a secret meeting of the city council. It becomes effective June 30. No specific reason was given but it is understood to follow friction in the engineering department. Assistant City Engineer John Oliver resigned recently.

### Halibut Sales

American		
Mary Elinore	24,000	19.5c
17.6c and 15c, Bacon.		
Bell Boy	22,000	19.5c, 17.6c and 14.5c, Storage.
Akutan	53,000	19.5c, 17.5c and 14.5c, Storage.
Canadian		
Margaret I.	45,000	19c, 17.6c and 14.5c, Pacific.
San Juan	57,000	19c, 17.6c and 14.5c, Atlin.
Tor II.	27,000	19c, 17.1c and 14.5c, Booth.
Kemm Falls	21,000	19.1c, 17.5c and 14.5c, Royal.
Toodie	13,000	19c, 17.6c and 14.5c, Bacon.
Signal	32,000	P. Doreen, 18,000; Oslo, 18,000; Tramp, 18,000, and Miss Margot, 22,000, all to Co-operative.
LOCAL TIDES		
Tuesday, May 31, 1949		
Naturalists say cheetahs, which resemble leopards, have been noted travelling 70 miles an hour.		

### OPPOSED TO COALITION

OTTAWA — M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, told an Ontario audience that his party was opposed to coalition with either Liberals or Progressive Conservatives after Canada's June 27 general election.

In Edmonton Progressive Conservative leader George Drew said a vote for Liberalism was a vote for socialism. He said the C.C.F. was ready to support the Liberals because they wanted to continue the trend toward centralization.

### BASEBALL SCORES

SUNDAY National	
New York 4-3, Philadelphia 2-0.	
Cincinnati 4-2, Chicago 1-10.	
Pittsburgh 4, St. Louis 2.	
Boston 2, Brooklyn 3.	
American	
Philadelphia 3, New York 1.	
Washington 10, Boston 4.	
Chicago 4-1, Cleveland 2-2.	
St. Louis 4, Detroit 6.	
Western International	
Vancouver 5-7, Bremerton 1-3.	
Salem 6-6, Yakima 3-9.	
Tacoma 4-7, Victoria 0-0.	
Wenatchee 13-6, Spokane 7-3.	
Pacific Coast	
Sacramento 10-10, San Francisco 3-3.	
Seattle 6-2, Oakland 1-1.	
Hollywood 8-3, Portland 4-2.	
San Diego 7-5, Los Angeles 5-6.	
SATURDAY National	
Boston 7, Brooklyn 6.	
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 0.	
St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 2.	
Philadelphia 5, New York 2.	
Boston 5, Washington 4.	
Detroit 8, St. Louis 0.	
American	
New York 2, Philadelphia 1.	
Cleveland 3, Chicago 2.	
Pacific Coast	
Seattle 11, Oakland 1.	
San Diego 7, Los Angeles 2.	
San Francisco 7, Sacramento 4.	
Hollywood 11, Portland 7.	
Western International	
Salem 5, Yakima 11.	
Wenatchee 9, Spokane 5.	
Bremerton 3, Victoria 12.	
Tacoma 4, Vancouver 8.	

### LOCAL TIDES

High	2:58	20.6 feet
Low	16:14	17.6 feet
Low	9:51	2.9 feet
	21:47	8.9 feet

## ROOKIES UPSET HISTORY TO TAKE BASEBALL OPENER FROM OLD TIMERS

**ROOKIES 4, OLD TIMERS 2**

History of baseball in Prince Rupert was reversed Sunday afternoon at Roosevelt Park field when the Rookies administered their first recorded defeat on the Old Timers by a score of 4 to 2 in the classic annual pre-opener to the season schedule.

If the game is indicative of the class of baseball which will be seen at the park this summer, the fans can be sure of one of the best seasons on record.

Good pitching by Dick Letourneau of the Rookies and Jack Rosedale of Old Timers, plus competent field work by both teams provided six scoreless innings which kept the fans tense until the final ball was thrown.

Both teams scored two runs in the first inning, then settled down to scoreless ball until the eighth when Rookies brought in the tie-breaker. To this, they added another run in the ninth.

However, Old Timers got three men on base in the ninth and could have tied the score with two out. That is, they could have if Letourneau hadn't fanned out the final batter to claim the game.

Ted Arney scored the game's first run for Rookies when he singled and was brought home by Dave Abel. Fourth man to bat, Abel went to the plate with two runners on base. He singled, scoring both.

Doug Kerr, veteran left-fielder for Old Timers, romped in when Jack Rosedale knocked a high foul along the third baseline and Cliff Dahl, who singled, came home on Benny Windle's double, the first two-base hit of the game.

Thereafter, no inning saw more than four men at the plate as Rosedale entered a pitching duel. The oldsters muffed a chance to tie the score in the sixth when they got two men on base on fielding errors. Windle grounded and made first on a fielder's choice which tagged Dahl on third base. The following two batters struck out.

Dave Abel who had the highest hitting record of the game, clouted a triple to centre-field

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### U.N. Sponsors Holy Land Peace Talk



In what may be one of the last steps toward a permanent settlement of the Holy Land conflict, the United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine, in Lausanne, Switzerland, is now sponsoring Arab-Israeli exploratory talks on the terms of a final peace. Here, the Commission's Principal Secretary, Pablo de Azcarate, discusses the day's order of business with Chairman Mark Eithridge of the United States, and the Turkish Representative H. C. Yalcin.

### OUTSIDER WINS KING'S PLATE

TORONTO — A glistering brown colt named Epic won the 90th renewal of the \$10,000 added King's Plate classic Saturday afternoon. Second was Speedy Irish and a black filly named Filis ran third.

### WORK START SOON

Facing work on the bridge will begin this Wednesday, according to City Engineer Don McBridge this morning set for the asphalt plant in preliminary to the big.

Facing work will be on the Fourth or Seventh Street. Mr. Stewart said, he will concentrate on the bridge from McBridge Street to the creek bridge.

Marked for hard surgery council will be

### Centre Association

Meeting of April 26. Committee appointed to study the proposed construction of bowling alleys will meet at a Special General Meeting to be held Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

C. G. HAM, Secretary.

**Football Tonight**  
GENERAL MOTORS  
vs.  
CANADIAN LEGION  
7 P.M.