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STAR CABS

Palestine Crisis Is Before The United Nations

Gather Here For Trip To Juneau

Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce, Hazelton, Smithers, Telkwa, Vanderhoof, Fort St. James and Prince Rupert are embarking Monday aboard the steamer Juneau where the annual convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia. It will be a memorable international event, marking an innovation, probably unprecedented in Canada, whereby an organization of this kind goes outside of the country to hold such a session. It will be a concrete and tangible demonstration of the close community of interest that is being developed between the territory of Alaska and the port of Prince Rupert and Central British Columbia. To make the party complete an international flavor from the very outset a delegation is flying in from Ketchikan this weekend to join the group. Representatives of the provincial government and Vancouver and Seattle interests are also coming. Up to this morning, the members of the Ketchikan delegation had not been ascertained here.

The bookings up to noon today were:
Prince Rupert—Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Skinner and Sandra, W. J. McLean, G. A. Hunter, Thomas McMeekin, John Gurvich, Bert Morgan, P. M. Ray, A. E. Smith, J. H. Jefferies, L. M. Felsenthal, E. T. Applewhite and J. T. Harvey.
Terrace—Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Little, Mr. and Mrs. George McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dockrill, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Sundal, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. C. J. Norrington, Mrs. C. R. DeKergommeaux, Mrs. Martin Miller, Mrs. Hans Koch, Mrs. W. C. Osborne, Mrs. Will Robinson and Charles Adam.
Cedarvale—Morris Dahquist.
Smithers—Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Buchart, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ford, Miss Anna Carr, R.N.
Hazelton—Mr. and Mrs. Allen Benson.
Telkwa—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bussinger and F. J. Thorp.
Burns Lake—Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Nourse, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson and Miss Grace Clark.
Vanderhoof—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. H. Day and Mr. and Mrs. George Ogston.
Prince George—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dobson, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stevenson, A. M. Patterson and W. H. Crocker.
Vancouver—W. H. Brighton, Daniel Shaw, Jack Burkerridge and E. B. Harkness.
Victoria—J. T. Gawthrop.
Seattle—D. C. Knapp, secretary, Pacific Northwest Trade Association.

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MET WITH MOLOTOV

Another Session of Western
Envoys With Soviet
Foreign Commissar

MOSCOW, (CP)—Three western envoys met again today with Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov, the United States embassy announced, in continuation of the Moscow four-power negotiations which have been going on for 51 days now.

Meantime at Frankfurt, Germany, the United States Air Force disclosed that it has surveyed possible sites for additional sites to augment, if necessary, the air lift to Soviet-blockaded Berlin. Locations of the potential new air fields were not disclosed.

RECORD SALMON SHIPMENT HERE

The largest cargo of Alaskan canned salmon ever to be unloaded in Prince Rupert arrived here this morning aboard the Northland Transportation Co. freighter Chief Washakie which began discharging 170,000 cases at the ocean dock. The cargo, worth some four million dollars, will be shipped to midwest and eastern American distributing points. The Chief Washakie, Capt. Otto H. Karbbe, will return to the Alaska ports to reload. The vessel also carried four carloads of lumber for rail shipment to the U.S.

TO HAVE HER BABY AT HOME

Elizabeth Going to Bucking-
ham, Having No House of Own

LONDON, (CP)—Princess Elizabeth's baby will be born about mid-November and the birthplace will be Buckingham Palace, a Palace official said yesterday.

Decision that the baby, the first grandchild of the monarchs, will be born at Buckingham Palace has been taken because Elizabeth and her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, still have no home of their own.



TERMED TRAITOR—Jacques Duge, Count of Bernoville, as he appeared in uniform of Chasseurs Alpins, world-famous French fighting corps of which he was regimental commander during Second World War. Closely guarded by Canadian immigration officials at Montreal, the Count is fighting deportation to France where he has been sentenced to death in absentia on grounds he collaborated with Germans during French occupation. Yesterday he was refused bail.

IN SERIOUS SHAPE AFTER KNOCKOUT

PHILADELPHIA, (CP)—Bill (Chicken) Thompson, 21-year-old heavyweight boxer, is still reported in a critical condition today following a head operation for injuries sustained when he was knocked out in a bout with Johnny Haynes of New York. He was rushed to hospital immediately after suffering a severe beating by his opponent who outweighed him 210 to 180 pounds.

SURRENDER IS ACCEPTED

Government of India
Preparing to Take Over
From Nizam of Hyderabad

NEW DELHI, (CP)—Indian troops of an armored column which advanced from Scholapur today accepted the surrender of Hyderabad state forces which capitulated yesterday under cease fire orders from the Nizam.

The government of India is understood to have set up arrangements for civil administration of the state. Whether this will be temporary or not is not known.

Tobey Retires As Manager of P.G.E.

W. H. Tobey, formerly Canadian National Railways superintendent at Prince Rupert and for the past eight years general manager of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, has retired from the latter office. His successor is John A. Kennedy, who has had 43 years experience in the operating branch of railroading, 18 with the Esquimalt and Nanaimo and 25 on the western lines of the C.P.R. It is understood he will be with the P.G.E. for only a year or so until a younger man is trained. So far as known, Mr. Tobey's plans have not been announced.

O. C. Football

OTTAWA—John Diefenbaker, colorful M.P. for Lake Centre, Saskatchewan, announced last night that he had thrown his hat into the ring as a candidate for the leadership at the forthcoming convention of the Progressive-Conservative party.

He had been asked by many persons to stand, Diefenbaker said, and he had no desire to shirk. He believed, he said, that he had something to offer.

Asked if he expected Premier George Drew of Ontario to be a candidate for the leadership, Diefenbaker said he did not know. However, he told newspapermen he was confident he would be able to beat Drew in a contest if the latter did offer himself. "And that is something I wouldn't have said two weeks ago," said Diefenbaker. Drew, although frequently mentioned as a candidate, has yet to say definitely whether he will contest the leadership at the party's national convention here from September 30 to October 2.

Already announced as leadership candidates are J. W. Hanna, an Ontario M.L.A., and Garfield Case, an Ontario M.P. Neither of these are regarded as serious contenders.

More Netherlands Settlers Arrive

MONTREAL, (CP)—The last of some 8,000 Netherlands farmers to emigrate to Canada this year passed through Montreal Friday night in a special Canadian National Railway's boat train enroute to Toronto. The group, numbering nearly 500, arrived at Quebec on Friday on the steamer Kota Inten. The farmers will settle in agricultural areas throughout Canada under arrangements made by the Canadian National Railways colonization and agriculture department in co-operation with the Netherlands and Canadian governments.

WHO WILL IT BE?

Principal contenders for
Progressive-Candidate
Leaderships



JOHN DIEFENBAKER
His hat is now in ring.



GEORGE DREW
Still to be heard from.

Diefenbaker Is Candidate

Announces Definitely That
He is in Field For
Conservative Leadership

NATIONAL SPORT BODY ADVOCATED

MONTREAL, (CP)—Sidney Dawes, president of the Canadian Olympic Association, today advocated the formation of a National Sports Congress such as the sports federation which governs and promotes amateur sport in Sweden.

FAMOUS GERMAN BIOGRAPHER DIES

NEW YORK, (CP)—Emil Ludwig, aged 67, famous German biographer, died yesterday at Ascona, Switzerland, his literary agents here said.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis
Cool showery weather extends over the northern half of the province with mainly clear weather in southern areas. A rapidly developing storm 700 miles west of Vancouver Island will bring strong southerly wind and rain to the Queen Charlottes tonight and intermittent rain to Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland tomorrow.

Red Shield Drive Is On

With business men giving their active co-operation and support by assuming responsibility for the canvassing of downtown areas and Army officers operating in the residential sections, the Salvation Army's 1948 Red Shield campaign gets under way at the first of next week.

The objective is \$2500 and campaign heads express confidence that this will quickly be reached and exceeded.

Those desirous of making donations may forward them to the Prince Rupert Realty Co., the Bank of Montreal and to Salvation Army officers.

Canvassers for the business district and waterfront are P. H. Linzey is general canvasser, C. G. Ham, Alf Rivett, R. E. Montador and A. P. Crawley. The Chinese population will be canvassed by Earl Mah.

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BULLETINS

INCREASE DEFENCES
LONDON — In view of the threat of the international situation, the British government has decided to recruit 45,000 women for the territorial force and 10,000 special police for duty in the event of an emergency.

LONGSHOREMEN GET BOOST
VANCOUVER—Fifteen hundred British Columbia longshoremen have received a 15c an hour boost, Peter Hughes, business agent for the International Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union (CIO), said today. The hourly rate is now \$1.55.

LAWYER DROPS DEAD
VANCOUVER—Denis Murphy, Vancouver barrister and son of the late Mr. Justice Denis Murphy, died suddenly from a heart attack in his office yesterday.

CHILLIWACK ASHORE
PORT ALBERNI — Frank Waterhouse freighter Chilliwack went aground at the mouth of the Soaness River yesterday morning but was refloated later in the day.

FIGHT POSTPONED
NEW YORK—The fight between Gus Lesnevich and Jersey Joe Walcott, scheduled for next Tuesday night, has been postponed because Lesnevich has broken his toe.

NEW GOV'T UNDER TEST

PARIS, (CP)—The fate of Premier Henri Queuille's new cabinet rests with 42 members of the National Assembly's finance committee. The body, representing all parties, is to vote on a plan to raise 80,000,000 francs by additional direct and indirect taxes. An adverse vote would scrap the six-day old coalition.

IMMIGRANTS FROM FRANCE

OTTAWA, (CP)—France, the latest nation to gain Canadian immigration concessions, may help the Dominion in a drive for an expected total of 110,000 immigrants this year. A government authority said that skeptical France still contributes more than 60c or 70c in 1948.

U.S. RAILWAY STRIKE LOOMS

CHICAGO (CP)—Wage talks between United States railroads and their 1,000,000 non-operating strikers collapsed yesterday and a union spokesman said: "We are taking immediate steps for a strike vote."

Under dispute-settling provisions of the National Railway Labor Act either side can ask for mediation by a board of intervention. The railwaymen are not asking for mediation but are spreading the strike vote immediately.

LOCAL TIDES

(Standard Time)
Sunday, September 19, 1948
High 1:45 20.2 feet
..... 14:04 20.4 feet
Low 7:54 4.3 feet
..... 20:11 4.5 feet

Israel Government Is Endeavoring to Round Up Bernadotte Killers

TRUCE CONTINUES SAYS NEGRO DR.
RALPH BUNCHE WHO TAKES OVER
FOLLOWING MEDIATOR'S ASSASSINATION

PARIS (CP)—Secretary-General Trygve Lie placed the critical Palestine question before the full membership of the United Nations today. Meanwhile Israel government forces in Jerusalem have been ordered to round up all members of the Stern Gang and shoot, if necessary, in doing so. Large scale arrests have been made in Jerusalem and curfew has been imposed.

Foreign consuls in Israel report having received a note signed by the so-called "Splinter Group" of the Stern Gang saying: "We killed Bernadotte because he worked for the British and took their orders."

The Israeli government said they would uproot the criminal gang responsible for the murder. Guns were silent in Jerusalem this morning as Count Bernadotte achieved fleeting peace in death the Holy Land peace he had cherished during life.

Yesterday Bernadotte was shot as he sat in his car by gunmen who snarled and said nothing. He was shot in the heart and the chest and said nothing before reaching hospital.

In America—President Truman, United Nations officials, Jewish leaders and political heads expressed shock and dismay over the assassination.

In Canada Acting Prime Minister St. Laurent added his voice to the shocked regret.

Responsibility for the Bernadotte - Serrot killings was claimed by a group signing itself "Fatherland Front" in Hebrew notes slipped under the doors of consulates and Jewish liaison offices last night.

Meanwhile Dr. Ralph Bunche, chief of the United Nations Palestine secretariat, has assumed complete charge of the United Nations Holy Land mission following the slaying of Count Folke Bernadotte. He said that the slaying did not void the United Nations truce in Palestine and added: "The truce will continue."

Bunche, 43-year old international civil servant and former employee of the United States Department of State, has been working on the Palestine problem since he came to the United Nations service early last year. Bunche, a negro, has been regarded as one of the United Nations most competent administrators.

THINKS HE'LL BE NEW CHAMP

LOCH SHELDRAKE, (CP)—Back in 1939 Marcel Cerdan had a contract to fight Henry Armstrong for the welterweight belt in Paris. The war intervened but Marcel has been thinking about world championships ever since. He and his entourage may be the only ones who think he will beat Tony Zale next Tuesday but they are serious about it.

Cerdan has asked for a change in contract to enable him to make his first crown defence in Paris instead of the United States.

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