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## TRIESTE IS STILL CRUCIAL INTERNATIONAL POINT

### SECURITY, FEAR OF DEPRESSION, WORRY AFFECTS CANADA FAMILIES

OTTAWA.—Insecurity, depression and worry are the subject of a report of the Family Welfare Division, Canadian Council, issued yesterday on the results of Canada's first survey of living conditions.

### SHORT, SNAPPY 'PHONE TALKING TO BE ENFORCED

City telephone authorities are going to clamp down on long-winded 'phone conversations and enforce the three-minute time limit on party lines.

### SETTING SIGHTS HIGH

Government officials anticipate Britain's coal production for 1950 will amount to 249,000,000 tons—18,000,000 tons above 1948 output.

### Wanted to Evict

OTTAWA.—A landlady asked in court for the eviction of two expectant mothers, their children and an 18-months-old child that she could take care of her home.

### LOCAL TIDES

Table with tide times for March 24, 1948. Columns: Time, High Water, Low Water.

### BLAKE BLOW AT PARTITION PLAN

OTTAWA.—Joseph Nisot, Belgian representative to the U.N., left, and A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian representative, met in a security council chamber at Lake Success, N.Y., before the latter addressed the body and told the security council that partition and implementation of Palestine should be postponed until the Big 5 make the "supreme effort" to recon- cile Jews and Arabs. Nisot was in complete accord with the Canadian suggestion.

### SKETBALL PLAY-OFFS TONIGHT

—Jr. Gyro vs. 65  
—Girls Peoples vs. Bo-Me-Hi  
—Senior Savoy vs. Co-op  
—Int. Fashion vs. Bo-Me-Hi

### Pope Not Gassed, Laughs Off Story

ROME.—The Pope's physician, Dr. Galeazzi Lisi, commenting on a report that the Pontiff had fainted a few days ago, in the bathroom because of a gas leakage, said the Pope laughed heartily when he heard the story for the heating equipment in the bathroom happens to be electric and not gas.

### BLOODY FIGHT IN PALESTINE

British Authorities Send More Tanks and Artillery to Judean Hills  
JERUSALEM.—British authorities rushed more tanks and artillery into the Judean Hills today to smash the bloodiest Arab-Jewish battle in Palestine's recent history. The fight has been raging for four days. An hour after dawn British headquarters said the battlefield was quiet.

### CHAVCHAVADZE WINS OVATION FROM TRANSPORTED AUDIENCE

Not in a long time has a Prince Rupert audience displayed such enthusiastic appreciation of sheer musical artistry as that which was accorded the international pianist, Prince George Chavchavadze, who appeared in specially-arranged recital at the Civic Centre here last night. It was the outstanding musical event of the season in this city and an audience of five hundred persons expressed its acclaim in no uncertain manner. The artist caught the spirit of the ovation and met the undeniable spontaneous approbation with gracious generosity, responding with a series of encores which were as interesting and delightful as the main program itself. The recital was timed for an easy one hour and twenty minutes. It lasted for two hours. Even then the audience wanted to listen on.

### PIANO RECITAL OF RARE DELIGHT GREETED WITH UNPRECEDENTED EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION

genius, control or the factors that go to make up instrumental perfection but, when one listens to Chavchavadze, he soon finds himself caught up in a combined depiction of the factors of skill and genius that leads to such admiration and enjoyment that it is to relax and absorb a warmth of tone and execution, a perfection of keyboard mastery, that transports one into realms of the highest appreciation rather than studied criticism. There was nothing to find in Chavchavadze to adversely criticize. Prince Rupert has probably never heard a finer piano master. Certainly never a more gracious one.

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### TO REMAIN IN BERLIN

Yanks Staying There Although Four Power Machinery Paralyzed

BERLIN.—"We are in Berlin by agreement and we intend to stay," said Gen. Lucius Clay, United States occupation commander, yesterday when asked to comment on a Russian suggestion that the Americans get out of town.

### MAD KILLERS ARE RETAKEN

PENETANGUISHENE, Ont.—Two mad killers, fugitives from a mental hospital here, were recaptured early today in the snow-covered countryside within a few miles of this Georgian Bay town.

### THE WEATHER

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FRENCH COMMEMORATE 1848 REVOLUTION—All France recently commemorated the revolution of 1848, in which King Louis-Philippe was overthrown and the second republic instituted. The fact that the current French president, Vincent Auriol, stood under an umbrella while the Marceilles was played, above, brought smiles to many faces in Paris, since the umbrella was a "trademark" for King Louis-Philippe.

### New Development On International Front

LONDON (CP)—Another development on the international front today was the report from Paris that Foreign Minister Bidault and perhaps Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin would go to Washington to confer next month with Secretary of State George Marshall.

### COAL STRIKE IS GOING ON

WASHINGTON.—United Mine Workers of America today flatly rejected the government's proposal for ending the nine-day-old soft coal strike. The proposal called for the creation of a fact-finding board to investigate the dispute over miners' pensions that touched off the walk-outs. John L. Lewis would have sent the miners back to work before the plan could go into effect.

### British Columbia Men Seen Menace to U.S. Government

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The Department of Justice has issued an immigration ruling which a Labor lawyer said Monday night has the effect of excluding from the United States "every member" of the Canadian Labor-Progressive Party.

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### Frontier Incident; New Swap

TRIESTE (CP)—Fresh detachments of British military police have moved into the tense frontier area of Trieste, it was announced officially tonight.

Last night the United States military government announced that a patrol of civil police in the Anglo-American zone had been fired upon by the Yugoslav police at the border between the two zones. One policeman was slightly wounded.

An Italian policeman, wounded by Yugoslav frontier guards in a scrape last night, said today he had been shot after two arguments over where the boundary lines lay in free territory. The guard was the first reported casualty in tension produced here by the proposal of the western powers to return Trieste to Italy. The guard was hit in the right hand and left knee.

### MAYOR CRITICAL OF SALES TAX

Mayor Nora Arnold thinks that the provincial government is going too far in its plan to levy a sales tax in British Columbia.

### LT.-Governor of Saskatchewan Dies

REGINA.—Hon. Reginald John Marsden Parker, Lieutenant-Governor of Saskatchewan since 1945, died suddenly early today from a heart attack. He was 67 years of age.

### FLOODS ARE GOING DOWN

Recession Appears to Be Bringing Relief to Situation in Ontario and Quebec  
TORONTO.—With the death toll standing already at four and damage that may run into millions of dollars, there were indications today of a general recession of flood waters in Ontario and Quebec. The subsiding commenced Sunday night.

One of the hardest hit places in the floods was Bromptonville, Quebec, where the surging waters and massive ice blocks from the rampaging St. Francis River swept over the town at the week-end, carrying away eighteen houses and leaving one hundred persons homeless. Huge ice cakes were piled 25 to 30 feet high. Several automobiles were buried. The flood tore up half a mile of railroad track, destroyed the Canadian National Railway station and cut down electric and telephone lines, causing a total power failure.

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### TODAY'S STOCKS

Table of stock prices for Vancouver and Toronto. Columns: Stock Name, Price.