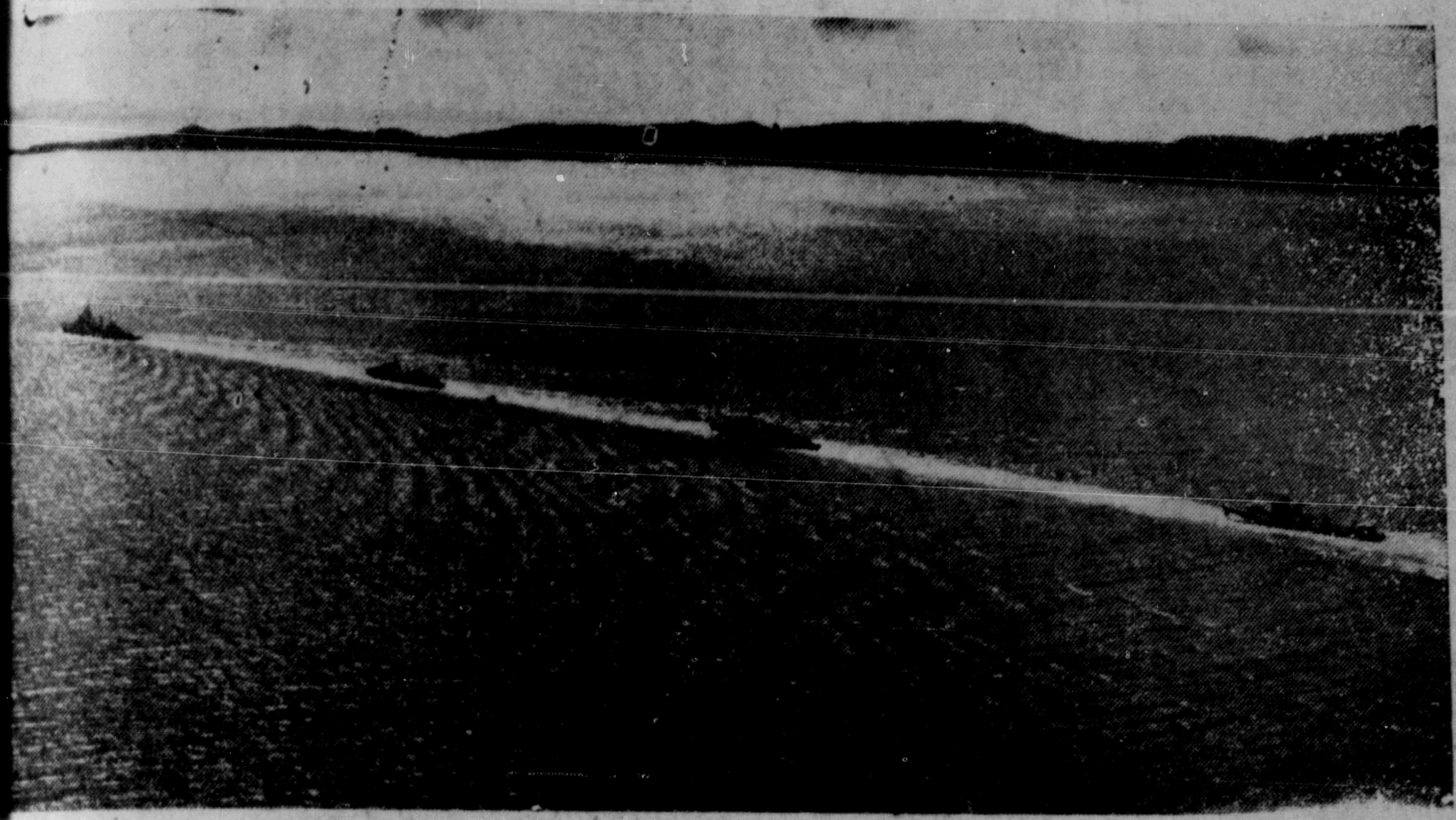


Americans Facing Furious Korean Offensive



BOUND? — Canada's contribution to the United States force in the Korean War are three destroyers, seen after leaving Esquimaux, B.C., last Thursday. Leading is the cruiser Ontario which escorted the smaller ships for 750 miles on their voyage to Pearl Harbor, where they will be available for action in Korea. The destroyers, left to right, are Cayuga, Athabaskan and Sioux. (CP Photo)

Man Girl Has Turned Up In Africa After Voyage Of Terror

MONROVIA, Liberia (CP) — Terror-stricken Muller, 18, who tried to sail across the Atlantic to South America in a 16-foot boat with her father, was found in Africa and robbed her dying father. The tragic story came to light Monday after Agnes Muller was found in a barefooted state in a country infested with wild beasts. Eventually she was taken to safety in Liberia.

Trade Licenses Are Approved

On recommendation of the health, social assistance, police and licensing committee the following trade licenses were approved by the city council at their regular meeting last night: Donald Kennel, painting contractor; A. T. C. Paxton, radio telephone sales and installation; G. H. Tomlinson, sheet metal contractor; Mrs. A. Kermodie, rooming house, the latter to be subject to approval of the sanitary inspector. Police accounts for June totaling \$698.88 and net to the city of \$372.26 were ordered paid. Necessary traffic signs for regulation of traffic on 3rd Avenue be purchased.

267 Is Flatly Rejected

Native natives, at their largest convention in many years, agreed unanimously they did not approve of any part of Bill 267 amending the Indian Act as presented near the end of the last session of the Legislature. This is announced by Native Brotherhood secretary Frank Calder M.L.A.

The bill was discussed under the following headings: 1. Registration of Indians. 2. Reserves. 3. Estates. 4. Management of Indian lands. 5. Elections and powers of band councils. 6. Taxation. 7. Intoxicants. 8. Enfranchisement. 9. Schools. The meeting recommended that the executive of the Native Brotherhood call a special convention in the fall in a central location in the province where Indians of the whole province meet to formulate resolutions regarding the bill. Meanwhile President Seow is travelling the coast calling meetings to explain the new bill. Notable at the meeting, Calder said, was that elders were more concerned with the effect of the new legislation would have on the children than on themselves. Chief speakers were Calder, Wells, Seow and Williams. A feature of the meeting was the huge banquet.

Tides

High	12:17	15.9 feet
	23:45	19.1 feet
Low	5:52	4.7 feet
	17:38	9.8 feet

Changeover On Pipe Line

The change over to the new water pipe line at Shawatlans Lake will be made Sunday. It was reported by the board of works committee to the city council at their regular meeting last night. The report also recommended that advertisements be inserted in the local newspaper advising the public of the change over on the water line and requesting them to draw a reserve supply of water prior to July 16 in case of an interruption.

Ald. J. N. Forman suggested the water be shut off in certain sections Sunday in order to conserve all water possible. That suggestion failed to meet the approval of the council owing to the fire risk it would incur. The city clerk was instructed to notify the large users of water and ask their co-operation to draw as little as possible on reservoir supplies during the change over. The danger of too great a depletion of the reservoir supply in case of an emergency was pointed out.

The portion of the report dealing with water was approved and a recommendation made that citizens be urged to use no water during the change over and that they draw off reserve supplies as early as possible July 15.

Sixteen Million Pounds Of Fish

With total landings at Prince Rupert of 16,403,000 pounds of halibut during the season just closed, fishermen are completing one of the most prosperous seasons in this north coast fishing centre's history.

Last year's total landings were higher at 16,600,000 pounds, but prices this year have been higher.

Canadian	
To end of June	11,445,299
July landings	1,329,000
Total	12,774,299
American	
To end of June	2,947,655
July landings	681,000
Total American	3,628,655
Total Canadian	12,774,299
Grand Total	16,402,954

Engineer's Trip Is Off

A recommendation of the board of works committee that the city engineer be delegated to attend the annual meeting of the B.C. Engineering Society met with defeat after long and heated discussion at last night's regular meeting of the city council.

Ald. George Casey said Works Foreman Geddes' holiday this year should have priority over the engineer's attendance at the conference since he had had no holiday last year. He added that he was not happy about so many conventions for civic employees. Beside the city having to bear the entire cost of such attendance the official's pay was still going on and that amounted to a considerable sum, also. He mentioned the work that the board of works had to do this year and said there had been too many things hanging fire, things that should be attended to.

Ald. W. A. McLean said that, when he supported the recommendation in committee, he had no thought of disrupting work or adding to the financial burden of the city. The idea in sending the engineer to Kamloops was that he might learn things that would be of benefit to the city. He thought the city would gain by sending the engineer to the convention.

Ald. D. Fitch said he thought the knowledge the engineer would gain at the convention would more than pay the costs of sending him.

Ald. H. F. Glassey wanted to be assured that black topping would at least be started before the engineer left for the convention.

Ald. Douglas Frizzell said he concurred with Ald. Fitch that much of benefit to the city could be learned by the engineer at the convention. He felt, however, that although a great deal of work had been accomplished, there was too much work yet to be done for the engineer to take the necessary time off to attend the convention this year.

Ald. J. N. Forman said he felt money was scarce in the city this year and that no additional expenses should be incurred. There were already some things not in the estimates that had to be paid for. On division, it was decided not to send the engineer to the convention. Ald. W. A. McLean, Ald. Black and Ald. Fitch voted in favor of the trip—Ald. W. J. McLean, Ald. G. B. Casey, Ald. H. F. Glassey, Ald. Frizzell and Ald. J. N. Forman against.

Gazette Raps Lie's Attitude

MOSCOW — The Literary Gazette Saturday levelled the strongest Russian attack yet made on Secretary-General Trygve Lie and the United Nations. Commenting on Lie's role in the Korean case, the Gazette called the secretary-general a "stooge of Wall Street and an abettor of American aggression" who is helping wreck the United Nations. Six members of the security council, who voted for military aid to South Korea were called "bloody fools."

Nationals Win Game

National League Winner In Classic At Comiskey Park
COMISKEY PARK, Chicago—The first extra inning game in the history of the all star inter-league series was played today. Ralph Kiner's home run in the ninth off Art Houtteman tied up the count at three all and it was still that way until the fourteenth when Red Schenck of the Cardinals broke it up at 4 to 3 with a homer off Ted Gray.

Others up to the 14th were: American League—Vic Raschi, Yankees; Bob Lemon, Cleveland; Art Houtteman, Detroit; Alie Reynolds, Yankees; Ted Gray, Detroit.

The game drew a gate of \$126,000 for the players' benefit fund.

Rene Plevin New Premier

PARIS — Rene Plevin, former French minister of defence, was today elected Premier of France by the National Assembly with an unofficial vote of 363 to 187.

Before appearing before the Assembly to ask for a vote of confirmation, Plevin urged Frenchmen to unite behind a strong government at this time of international crisis.

TODAY'S STOCKS

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

Vancouver		Bevcourt	
Bayonne	.02½	Bobjo	.11½
B.R. Con.	.02½	Buffalo Canadian	.17½
B.R. X	.05½	Consol. Smelters	96.00
Cariboo Quartz	1.02	Conwest	1.15
Congress	.23	Donalda	.42
Hedley Mascot	.25	Eldona	.24
Pend Oreille	6.30	East Sullivan	6.35
Pioneer	2.50	Giant Yellowknife	6.85
Premier Border	.03	God's Lake	.31
Privateer	.13½	Hardrock	.33
Reeves McDonald	2.75	Heva	.06
Reno	.03½	Hosco	.07½
Sheep Creek	1.07	Jackknife	.05
Silbak Premier	.28	Joliet Quebec	.40
Taku River	.04½	Lake Rowan	.11
Silver Standard	1.54	Lapaska	.04
Western Uranium	.57	Little Long Lac	.34
Oils		Lynx	.26
A.P. Con.	.36	Madsen Red Lake	2.30
Atlantic	2.50	McKenzie Red Lake	.40
Calmont	.45	McLeod Cocksbut	2.20
C. & E.	7.00	Moneta	.28½
Central Leduc	1.55	Negus	1.08
Home Oil	13.50	Noranda	64.50
Mercury	.14	Louvicourt	.14
Okalta	1.56	Pickle Crow	1.90
Pacific Pete	5.85	Regocourt	.06½
Princess	.55	San Antonio	2.55
Royal Canadian	.07½	Senator Rouyn	.21
Royaltie	11.50	Sherrit Gordon	1.95
Toronto		Steep Rock	3.05
Athona	.08	Sturgeon River	.15
Amaque	.17	Silver Miller	.80
Beattie	.46	Upper Canada	2.18

Flash

'QUAKES KILL 123

BOGOTA, Colombia. — A series of earth tremors in the North Santander department Saturday night and Sunday killed at least 220 persons, according to an official report to President Mariano Ospina Perez.

SWITCHMEN GO BACK

CHICAGO — Trains rolled over the Rock Island Railroad Sunday as striking switchmen returned to work following government seizure of the line. It ended two weeks' idleness which tied up the system.

YACHT EXPLOSION

VANCOUVER — Eight persons were injured Sunday when a 30-foot pleasure cruiser blew up in Vancouver's Coal Harbor. The cruiser Ranger exploded after taking on gasoline from a barge. Four men and four women were taken to hospital. They suffered burns, shock and cuts. The injured include Arthur Nelson, captain and owner of the cruiser.

INTERNATIONAL BRIGADES

BERLIN—West Berlin anti-Communist newspaper claimed Sunday that Soviet satellite countries were planning to recruit "international brigades" to fight with the Communists in the Korean War. At the same time, the Soviet army's official newspaper here hinted at some kind of intervention on behalf of North Korean Communists by what it called a "world girdling peace front."

Reservists In Training

WAINWRIGHT, Alta. — Seven hundred Canadian Army reservists have arrived here to go into training. Three hundred of them are from British Columbia. It is expected 2300 will take training here during the summer at the old prisoners of war camp.

BASEBALL SCORES

Western International
Victoria 14, Yakima 4
Vancouver 8, Tri-City 4
Portland (PCL) 8, Salem (WIL) 3 (exhibition).
Only games scheduled. No Pacific Coast games scheduled.

Yanks Forced To Fall Back From Positions

Two United States Correspondents Slain— Battle On Outskirts Of Taejon

TOKYO (CP) — Tank-led communist forces mounted a furious new offensive deep into South Korea today and a spokesman said that United States troops were withdrawing to prepared positions under pressure "all along our front line." A communique from General MacArthur's headquarters said that United States forces were trying to halt the offensive above the Kum River before Taejon, emergency South Korean capital. The North Koreans were on the approaches of Taejon today. Their advance was aided by night infiltration with troops dressed in civilian clothing, slipping through the lines.

Manpower Is Ready

Canada Could Soon Be Put Back on War Footing, Ottawa Declares

OTTAWA —Should Canada become plunged into a full-dress war over Korea, mobilization of her manpower would be fast and smooth compared with that of the second world war.

Five years after the end of the second world war, much of the framework machinery used for directing manpower into military and civilian channels is still in existence. Many key men who directed the job are still in the government service.

The key agency of national selective service and much of the organization is still in existence in the form of the National Employment Service.

Officer Is Arraigned

MONTRÉAL — Detective Lieutenant Marcel Patenaude, head of the provincial police hold-up squad was arraigned Monday on charges of conspiring to stage bank hold-ups and warrants were issued for two other provincial policemen on similar charges.

Patenaude pleaded innocent and chose trial by judge. The trial is fixed for July 12. Patenaude was released on two bail bonds of \$950.

The complaint said Patenaude and Detective Sergeant Gaston Archambault and former Detective Paul Hervieux, both members of Patenaude's squad, "conspired together and with others to commit armed robberies at branches of the Banque Canadienne Nationale at St. Paul L'Hermite in the district of Joliette St. Hughes and Rougemont in the district of Ste. Hyacinthe.

United States Boosting Army

Decisive Measures Being Taken In View Of Korean Campaign.
WASHINGTON, D.C. — Informed senators said today that they expect a 100,000-man increase in United States armed forces at an initial cost of \$330,000,000 as the first step in building toward a decisive victory in Korea. The present strength is about 1,370,000.

The defence department yesterday asked for 20,000 draftees "at the earliest possible date" for the United States Army. The defence department said the draft call required to meet manpower needs since "no other resources is at present available." Major General Hershey, director of selective service, said selective service would start with 15-year-olds and go down the line when it got calls for men. Only men 19 to 25 inclusive can be drafted under the present law.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis
Showers which persisted at many points in the interior last night are expected to continue there today with the added likelihood of a few thunderstorms developing in the later afternoon and evening. Cloudy weather will remain in the interior valleys on Wednesday. The southern British Columbia coast will be sunny today but a band of rain approaching from the Pacific will bring showers to the Prince Rupert area this evening and some light rain to Vancouver and Victoria tomorrow.

Forecast
North Coast Region—Overcast today with rain commencing this afternoon. Cloudy with scattered showers Wednesday. Remaining cool. Light winds, increasing to southerly (30) this afternoon and shifting to westerly (20) tomorrow morning. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Port Hardy, Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 50 and 60.