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## Industry Airs Complaints, In Meet With Commission

Members of the Commission who arrived on the S.S. Prince George are George W. Nickerson, Prince Rupert, chairman; E. W. Allen of Seattle; George R. Clark of Ottawa, and Milton James of Washington D. C. The following are travelling with the commissioners, as observers: Dr. J. L. Hart of the Nanaimo Biological Station, Mr. Ozere, Chief of Legal service, Dept. of Fisheries; Dr. Wilbur Chapman, special Assistant to United States Secretary of State; Mr. Day, Adviser to the United States Fish and Wildlife Bureau; David Chaney, Legal Adviser to the Bureau.

It was made plain to the industry representatives present, that the commission would appreciate having anyone, with anything on his mind in the way of a problem, or misunderstanding or any matter he wished to know about, or anything to suggest in relation to the fishing industry generally, (halibut in particular) to speak up.

The history of the Commission, since its inception in 1924, (Continued on Page 7)

# Russian-Yugoslavian Rift Widens

## Soviets Scrap Friendship Treaty With Tito's State

LONDON (CP)—Soviet Russia scrapped her friendship treaty with Yugoslavia today, declaring "Premier Marshal Tito's regime is lined up with foreign imperialist circles." It declared Yugoslavia has been carrying on hostile activity against the Soviet Union.

The Russian action was the sharpest diplomatic slap at Yugoslavia since the Moscow-led communist international information bureau expelled Yugoslavia in June, 1948.

Since that time, Russia and her eastern European satellites have clamped an economic boycott on Yugoslavia. Marshal Tito, Tuesday, accused Russia of "rattling the sabre and digging trenches" in an attempt to intimidate his country.

## BRITISH BOYCOTT WOULD DESTROY CAN. ECONOMY

LONDON (CP)—The Minister of Health, Mr. Bevan, said today that if Britain stopped buying Canadian products the United Kingdom's dollar crisis would become a "Canadian financial crisis."

Bevan said: "If it be a crime if the British government fail to balance its dollar purchases by its dollar sales, then what about Canada? Canada has never done it either under a Liberal or a Conservative administration."

He claimed Canada and the United States should recognize that Britain's economic difficulties were not due to defects in the Labor Govt.'s administration.

## Brother in Self Defence Quote Earl Johnson

Statement that he had shot his brother in self defence was admitted in evidence Wednesday at a trial-within-a-trial at the Assize court.

Earl Johnson, 34-year-old Nanaimo fisherman charged with murdering Capt. Vic Johnson on board Iuzumi III here last August 13.

Mr. Justice J. O. that he had seen Mrs. Jeanette Johnson, wife of the deceased, strike Earl Johnson on the arm as he entered the Iuzumi's forecastle after she had called the police.

"Mrs. Johnson was in the room," Johnson said. "She had something in her hand. As she passed over her husband's body, she went up to Earl and struck him on the left arm with a hatchet."

He identified a hatchet as the one which he had wrested from the hysterical woman. He had received a cut on the finger as he tried to stop the blow struck against Earl Johnson, Corporal Taylor said.

Other than a few slight scratches on his head, the wound in the left arm was the only wound on Earl Johnson, Dr. J. A. Macdonald testified.

Dr. Macdonald described the chest wound which had resulted in Earl Johnson's death. It was made by a .22 bullet. His autopsy, however, revealed a second bullet in Johnson's chest cavity. It was apparently of .38 calibre and had been there a long time because it was sealed in protective tissue.

Dr. Macdonald said that he had treated a two-inch cut on the left arm of Earl Johnson at the police station later that night. The man, he said, had obviously been drinking.

Both Dr. Macdonald and Corporal Taylor said that they had seen a knife lying between the legs of the dead man as he slumped alongside the boat's engine. It appeared to have fallen from his hands.

Jurors hearing the case are H. T. Lock, foreman, M. F. Stuart, A. W. Allaire, George D. Lee, Peter Mark, W. R. Thain, Emil Blain, George McFall, Klieve E. Keefer, Graham Alexander, J. W. Odowes, Patrick K. Deane.

## ATLANTIC FLIERS REPORTED ALIVE

NEW YORK, (CP)—Transworld Airlines announced today it has received a dispatch from its Paris office indicating two Italian fliers, missing since September 17 in a trans Atlantic flight, are adrift in their plane near the Bahama Islands. They are John M. Brondello and Camillo Barloglio, from the Azores to New York.

## UNION DEMANDS PEACE MEASURES

VANCOUVER (CP)—A call for international disarmament and atomic energy control through United Nations action was made Wednesday at the annual convention of the International Woodworkers of America (I.W.A.).

The 100,000-strong I.W.A. in a seven-point resolution on international affairs, condemned the Soviet Union's abuse of the veto in the U.N. Assembly, reaffirmed its support of the European recovery plan, called for a United States foreign policy designed to achieve lasting peace and hit out at American charges of war mongering, declaring they were "completely unfounded."

Delegates agreed to press for an "early conclusion to peace treaties with Germany, Japan and other enemy countries."

They placed on record their approval of the C.I.O.'s opposition to recognition of the government of "fascist Franco Spain."

## FOUR NAVAL REAPPOINTMENTS

OTTAWA — Changes in the appointments of four officers of the Engineering Branch of the Royal Canadian Navy were announced today at Naval Headquarters.

Commander (L) John Osborn, R.C.N., of Toronto, will take up the duties of Engineer Officer in the cruiser H.M.C.S. Ontario. He has been serving on the staff of the Superintendent of H.M.C. Dockyard, Halifax.

Commander (E) Ivor J. L. Palmer, O.B.E., R.C.N., of Montreal and Victoria, formerly Engineer Officer of the Ontario, has been appointed Manager of the Engineering Department, H.M.C. Dockyard, Halifax.

He succeeds Lieutenant-Commander (E) Daniel H. Fairney, R.C.N., of Halifax, who has been appointed Officer-in-Charge of the Mechanical Training Establishment, H.M.C.S. Naden, Esquimaux, and Engineer Officer of the R.C.N. Barracks.

Lieutenant-Commander (E) Frank Harley, R.C.N., of Victoria, takes up the appointment of Assistant Command Technical Officer on the staff of the Flag Officer Atlantic Coast in Halifax. Lieut. - Cdr. Harley formerly was Officer-in-Charge of the Mechanical Training Establishment at Naden.

## TODAY'S STOCKS

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

Vancouver	
Bayonne	.06 1/2
Bralorne	9.50
B. R. Con	.03 1/2
B. R. X	.06 1/2
Cariboo Quartz	1.12
Congress	.04
Hedley Mascot	.30
Pacific Eastern	.06
Pend Oreille	5.25
Pioneer	3.35
Premier Border	.03 1/2
Privateer	.20
Reeves McDonald	2.15
Reno	.03 1/2
Sheep Creek	1.20
Silbak Premier	.39
Salmon Gold	.12
Spud Valley	.06

Oils	
Anglo Canadian	4.00
A. P. Con	.18
Atlantic	.69
Calmont	.34
C. & E.	6.00
Central Leduc	.90
Home Oil	11.00
Mercury	.10
Okalta	1.65
Pacific Pete	2.95
Princess	.27 1/2
Royal Canadian	.06 1/2

Toronto	
Athonsa	10 1/2
Aumaque	13 1/2
Beattie	.57
Bevcourt	.25
Bobjo	15 1/2
Buffalo Canadian	.10
Consol Smelters	102.00
Conwest	1.11
Donalda	.51 1/2
Eldona	.60
East Sullivan	3.15
Giant Yellowknife	6.50
God's Lake	.42
Hardrock	.26
Harriana	.07
Heva	.12 1/2
Hosco	.11 1/4
Jackknife	.08 1/4
Joliet Quebec	.48
Lake Rowan	.68
Lapaska	.05 1/4
Little Long Lac	.65
Lynx	.12
Madsen Red Lake	2.96
McKenzie Red Lake	.64
McLeod Cokshutt	1.45
Moneta	.38
Negus	2.20
Noranda	59.50
Louvcourt	.15
Pickle Crow	2.15
Regcourt	.04
an Antonio	4.15
Senator Rouyn	.38
Sherrit Gordon	3.10
Steep Rock	1.75
Sturgeon River	.19
Silver Miller	.44

## \$690,000 IN PUBLIC WORKS FUNDS ALLOWED

OTTAWA (CP)—A Public Works appropriation for British Columbia contained in supplemental estimates tabled in Commons Wednesday included the following:

Ocean Falls—Further amount to complete a public building, \$48,000.

Pacific Highway customs building, \$25,000.

Prince George public building, addition and alterations, \$25,000.

Vancouver Post Office building site, further amount required, \$550,000.

Whitehorse, public building, \$50,000.

## FORD WORKERS REACH ACCORD PENSION PLAN

DETROIT (CP)—The Ford Motor Co. and the United Auto Workers' Union (UAW) reached agreement today on a history-making pension plan to be financed by the company.

I will pay \$100 monthly—including United States social security—to Ford workers over 65. The agreement averted a strike of 115,000 Ford production workers.

## SENATORS BOOST BOSTON'S CHANCE IN PENNANT RACE

NEW YORK (CP)—The bump-tuous, tail-end Washington Senators enlivened the already frantic American Baseball League pennant race last night by dumping the Boston Red Sox into a first-place tie with the New York Yankees. The Senators defeated the Sox 2-1.

The Senators rang up both runs in the ninth inning with Al Kozar romping home with the winning run from third on Mel Parnell's wild pitch.

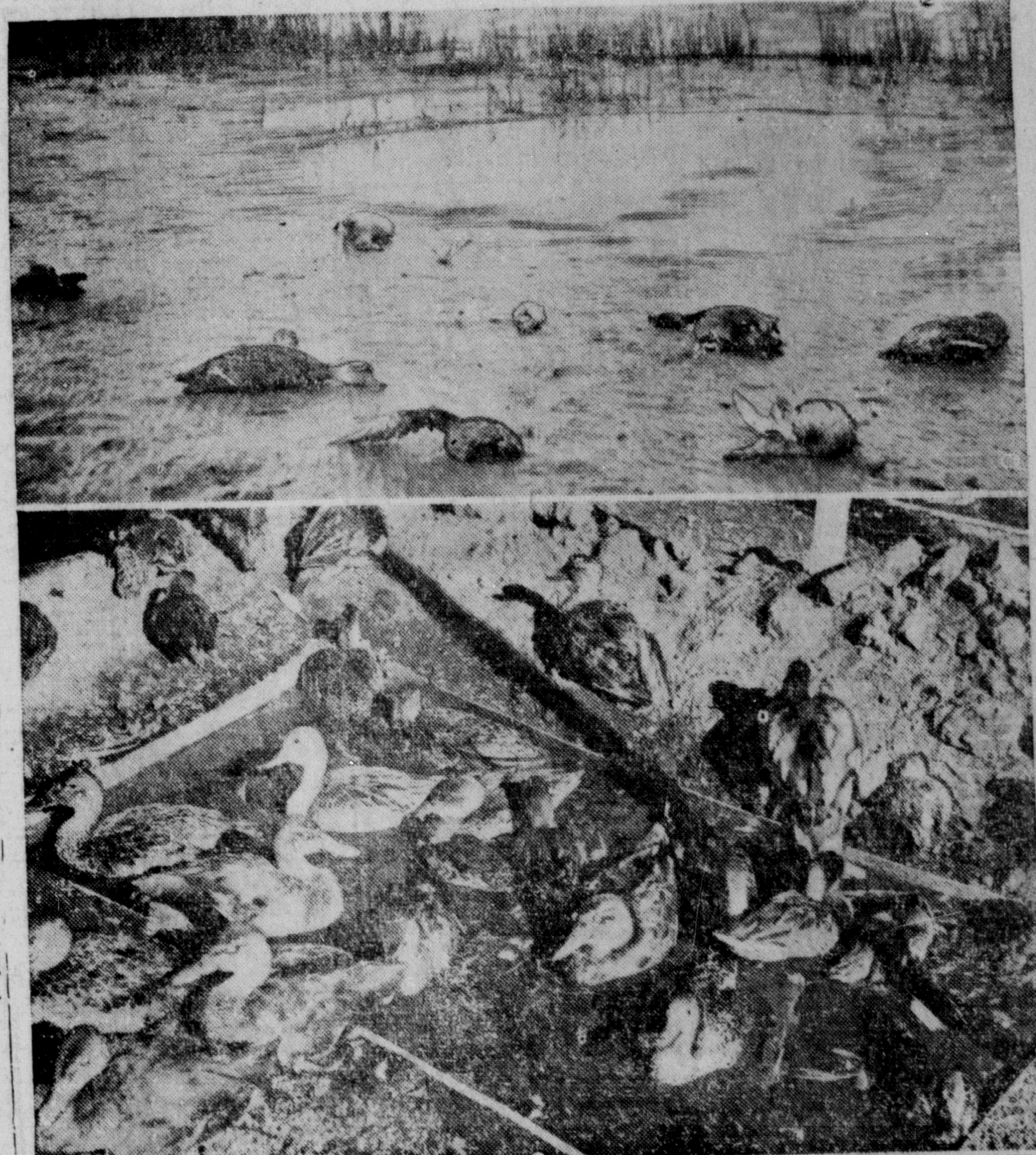
The Senators' victory gave an added fillip to the Yankees' chances since the Yankees, trailing Boston by one game, had beaten Philadelphia Athletics in the afternoon.

## PIPELINE CO. INCORPORATED

OTTAWA (CP)—The Senate today gave first reading to a bill to incorporate the Alberta Natural Gas Co. which plans a pipeline from Alberta to Vancouver via the southern route through the United States.

## JUPITER'S RULE

Th Silver Age was the second mythological period in the history of the world, under the care of Jupiter



DUCK DISASTER—Thousands of ducks have been infected with botulism, caused by eating decaying organic matter, in the great duck shooting marshes around Whitewater Lake in Manitoba. Top photo shows some of the victims of the epidemic, now under control but which off to cubs fear has killed 75,000 to 80,000 birds. Wildlife organizations have combined their efforts to curb the disease and the bottom photo shows some of the 6,800 birds cared for in temporary pens prior to their release. (C. P. Photo)