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Pyreans Reject Armistice

United Troops Gain Ground

By The Canadian Press
SEOUL—Pyun Yung South Korea's acting minister, said flatly his country will not accept the impending armistice and hinted that his troops may refuse to go back when the armistice is signed.

A statement came as chanted demands swarmed through and other cities in the straight day of angry demonstrations against a truce would leave Korea divided.

New reports also told of the troops in almost regular strength—perhaps 3,000 tracking through the line in the allied position in Korea today and off bitter counter-attacks by two South Korean

troops, troops of the United States 3rd Division and about six Communist troops as an estimated 8,000 to 10,000 hit American and Korean positions along the

3rd Division reported killed and wounding about 600

Korean National Assembly President Syngman Rhee government-sponsored demonstrations to avoid "violence" between Korean people and Allied

acting prime minister newspaper men after the meeting: "We cannot accept any part of armistice terms."

hinted that Republic of Korea troops, who man two of the 155-mile front line, will pull back 1 1/4 miles to a buffer zone after the armistice is signed.

Thousands of South Koreans chanted slogans and snaked through the street, the city also adopted a resolution on the United Nations command to scrap the armistice plan and start again.

Meanwhile, all five countries agreed for membership on a "neutral" Korean-of-war commission in Korea now are expected to serve—thereby eliminating one of the last barriers to

Outline of British Guiana in America, like that of Holland below sea-level and protected by canals.



PRESIDENT EISENHOWER congratulates the nation's two top jet aces, Capt. Joseph McConnell (left) of Apple Valley, Calif., who has 16 MIGs to his credit, and Capt. Manuel Fernandez of Miami, Fla., with 14 MIGs, during a visit to the White House. The aces were taken out of combat and flown to Washington.

Electors Begin 3-Week Wait Before Learning Result of Vote

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia settled back today to await the official outcome of Tuesday's provincial election—already heralded as a triumph for Social Credit.

Except for the CCF, which still figures it has a fighting chance, other parties are waiting for the final tabulation in gloomy resignation.

In Prince Rupert, CCF candidate **George Hills** took a wider lead over the other two election contestants with the counting of the advance poll which gave Hills 27 votes, **Bruce Brown**, Liberal, 15, and

William Murray, Social Credit, seven.

New totals for the three candidates in the Prince Rupert riding, with two regular polls—Osland and Oona River—not yet reported, are: **George Hills**, CCF, 1,817; **A. B. Brown**, Liberal, 1,669, and **William Murray**, 1,557.

GYRO SWIMMING POOL TO BE OPENED SATURDAY

The Gyro swimming pool at McClymont park is scheduled to be opened Saturday following acceptance last night by the parks board of applications from two swimming instructors.

Miss Marilyn White of New Westminster and Mrs. William McGinnis of Prince Rupert were hired. Miss White arrived yesterday and both will take over supervision duties of playground and pool immediately.

Commissioner Art Murray voted against hiring two qualified instructors, claiming that one with an assistant would be ample.

Million-Pound Landings Here Wind up Area 2 Halibut Season

Close to 1,500,000 pounds of halibut were landed in Prince Rupert over the last two days in wind-up landings from Area 2A where fishing closed last midnight.

American	
Frisco	14,000, 173, 14, 12, Atlin.
Canadian	
Marg I,	45,000, 17.5, 13.5, 11, Cold Storage; Melville, 23,900, 17.4, 13.5, 11, Cold Storage; Morans, 17,000, 16.4, 13, 11, Royal; Mother III, 36,000, 16.4, 13, 11, Pacific; Mobro, 10,000, 16.1, 13, 11, Atlin; Sentinella, 23,000, 16.3, 13, 11, Atlin; Pacific Belle, 28,000, 16.4, 13, 11, Atlin; Invercan II, 5,000, 16.1, 13, 11, Booth; Hopewell, 7,000, 16.1, 13, 11, Booth; Cape Beale, 29,000, 16.8, 13.5, 11, Atlin; B.C. Producer, 47,000, 17.4, 13.5, 11, Booth; Antler, 27,000, 17.3, 13, 11, Cold Storage; Teeny Milly, 37,000, 17.2, 13, 11, Cold Storage; Joan F III, 23,000, 17.2, 13, 11, Royal; Lois N, 30,000, 17.6, 15.2, 14, Pacific; Active Pass, 26,000, 17.6, 15.1, 14, Booth; Balzav I, 16,000, 17, 13, 13, Cold Storage.

The final landings brings to 10,800,000 pounds of fish landed in Prince Rupert from that area this season, including fish sold on the halibut exchange, both Canadian and American, fish delivered to the Co-op, and camp fish.

In all, about 500,000 pounds were landed here by American vessels.

Landings:

Co-op										
Norden	9,000; Sable R	16,000;								
Atlin	35,000; Ingrid H	22,000; Cape Spencer	12,000; Annabelle	7,000;						
Island Queen	16,000; Miss Margaret	15,000; Oslo	10,000; Shirli	16,000; Signal	27,000; Cape Spencer	23,000; Svalbard	14,000;			
Covenant	45,000; Kyrulle	11,000; North Cape	14,000; Sea Maid	20,000; Wales Island	13,000; Dovre B	40,000; Prosperity A	35,000; Primrose	5,000; Five Princes	15,000; Kaien	12,000;
Northern Breeze	31,000; Arctic	30,000; Fredlia III	29,000; Gustav	23,000; Neptune	12,000; Tramp	22,000; Gony	9,000; Four Forty	14,000; Cub	3,000; Sonja E	3,000.

Playing With Matches Deadly

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP)—Playing with matches is blamed for the death of four-year-old Carol Nendick in North Vancouver General Hospital.

RCMP report the girl and a six-year-old companion were playing with matches and old newspapers when the girl's dress caught fire. Flames quickly enveloped her, causing fatal burns.

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High Flood Crest Hits Alberta City

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A crest of 30 feet could be expected, highest since 1923.

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Busy Month For Shipping

Another busy month is lined up for Prince Rupert's government elevator with the planned arrival of four more grain ships in June.

One ship already has been loaded this month; a second, the British freighter Sedgepool, is expected to leave here Friday for her destination in Peru with a cargo of wheat.

New Austrian Ambassador

VIENNA (CP)—Russia has decided to appoint an ambassador to Austria and re-establish full diplomatic relations with this occupied country. Austria will also appoint an ambassador to Russia.

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 Low tonight and high Friday at Port Hardy, 48 and 58; Sandspit and Prince Rupert, 48 and 55.

Log Shipping Experiment May Open New Markets

Japanese Freighter To Load at Pulp Mill

An experiment which may result in a new 6,000,000-board-foot market for B.C. lumber annually is under way here with preparation of a waterborne shipment of low grade cedar logs to Japan.

The Japanese freighter **Yayo Maru** is due here tomorrow (Friday) to begin loading a million board feet of the logs at the Columbia Cellulose Co. Ltd. pulp mill at Watson Island, Rae Johnson, company woods manager, announced today.

If the logs are found satisfactory for the purpose designed in Japan, regular shipments of this type will be made in the future "and will open an entirely new and considerable outlet for B.C. lumber," said Mr. Johnson.

Because cedar logs, with the exception of the highest grades, are a drug on the B.C. market at present, Columbia Cellulose has been unable to dispose of its "by-product" timber within the province.

Mr. Johnson explained that while cedar is unfit for pulp making, it is cut in the course of logging for pulp woods such as balsam, spruce and hemlock. Between some 20 small logging operators along the northern coast from whom Columbia Cellulose buys pulp logs regularly and its own vast logging operations some six million feet of cedar logs are cut annually.

GET EXPORT LICENCE
 "Earlier, we were able to sell or exchange these logs in the south, but we can't get rid of them now at all," said Mr. Johnson. "So we have been granted an export licence. If this experiment works, we will be able to absorb all the cedar cut by the small operators as well."

This test shipment will be used in Japan for home building construction; for timbers, rough siding, and panelling. The Japanese buyers will decide whether or not the texture of the lumber and other qualities will meet a prescribed standard.

"If the lumber meets their standard, we can pretty well depend on a market. It will not be sold at any great profit, but would well pay for the operation," Mr. Johnson said.

FIRST SHIPMENT
 This will be the first waterborne shipment of cedar logs from Prince Rupert and the first such shipment of any kind of logs to the Orient from here.

Meanwhile, the B.C. Lumber Manufacturers' Association announced that B.C.'s waterborne lumber exports had dropped 3,000,000 feet from March to April.

Of a total of 123,000,000 board feet exported by B.C. in April, one third went to the United Kingdom, Commonwealth countries took another 23,000,000 and the remainder was shipped to the United States.

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Federal Election Day Nears

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent said Wednesday night that there likely will be an announcement Friday in connection with the general election date.

But as yet, the Prime Minister said as he stepped from the plane which carried him and four cabinet ministers back from London, he has made no decision on the date of election.

The matter would be discussed Friday at a cabinet meeting and an announcement would be made after the meeting.

Mr. St. Laurent told reporters that he has barely had time to catch up on Canadian news, but he had been told of the Social Credit victory in British Columbia.

MAY BE SERIOUS
 Asked if he thought the B.C. election result was a serious blow to chances of Liberals in the forthcoming federal election, Mr. St. Laurent replied acutely that he did not know whether it was serious for the Liberals, but "it may be serious for the people of British Columbia."

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A total of 206 Commonwealth and foreign naval vessels of all classes will take part in the 1953 Coronation naval review.



ESTHER CLAIRE, queen of the Miami Beach summer fishing tournament, demonstrates the correct form to use when landing fish. Of course, the fish might lose some of its fight when it gets a look at Miss Claire. Tournery begins July 4 and continues through Labor Day.

American Financier Makes Deal For 14 Million Canadian Acres

DENVER, Colo.—Dr. Victor Ziegler, head of Ziegler Exploration Co. of Denver, said Wednesday that his firm has completed a deal with four Canadian corporations for the control of 14,000,000 acres of land.

"There are several oil-fields in this land," Ziegler said. "It's just a question of finding them."

Involved, he said, are 439,000 acres in Alberta, 8,500,000 in the Yukon and Northwest Territories, about 4,000,000 in Saskatchewan and about 850,000 in British Columbia.

Dr. Ziegler declined to tell reporters the names of Canadian companies or of financial details.

Reds Release Controls in East Germany

BERLIN (CP)—East Germany's Red rulers announced sweeping reductions Wednesday night in communication of Soviet-occupied territory and signed a peace treaty giving the Protestant church big concessions.

Both startling developments—western quarters figured the Kremlin ordered them—apparently were aimed at making the east zone a more attractive candidate for unification with a more prosperous and free West Germany.

They appeared also designed to quiet widespread fear and discontent among East Germany's 18,000,000 residents which have sent thousands fleeing each week to the west.

Concessions to the Germans from their Red rulers also gave new ammunition to West German opponents of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's campaign to bring Germany's western half into military alliance with NATO countries.

Earthquake In Fairbanks

FAIRBANKS, Alaska (CP)—An earthquake of moderate intensity rocked Fairbanks at 2:37 p.m. Wednesday. Buildings shook perceptibly but no damage was reported.

A seismograph at the University of Alaska recorded the quake and officials there said it was centred about 90 miles south of Fairbanks, which would place it near the Big Delta country.

Citizens Urged to Make Speedy Return of Name, Address Cards

Postal officials here to organize the house-to-house delivery system made another appeal to citizens to return cards with their names and address on before Saturday.

"There's no way of compiling our directory without having names and addresses," said postmaster Jack Burgess as he scanned the mounting list of persons who will begin receiving mail at their homes next Monday.

Seven postmen have been

trained and will start their rounds at 10 a.m. Monday.

Meanwhile, said the postmaster, citizens who have not installed letter boxes or slots are also warned to "get it done now."

Postmen are not allowed to leave mail under a door or on the porch.

Householders are further urged to make sure correspondents have their correct address, using street and house numbers. For apartments use the suite number and street name and number.

"The response to cards distributed last week was very good," said Mr. Burgess, "but we need everyone's name in order to compile our directory."

A brief inaugural ceremony is planned before the postmen begin their rounds.

The service brings to conclusion a concerted drive by the Junior and Senior Chambers of Commerce and efforts of E. T. Applewhite, federal MP for this riding.

THE MINISTER ST. LAURENT chats with Canadian service- men at the Caledonian games in London. Left to right: LAC Drake, Vancouver; Sgt. Stan Bendle, Toronto; Pipe Sgt. Stewart, Toronto, and Pipe Major Archie Cairns, Hamilton. Stealing the picture is nine-year-old Hal Chalmers of Edmonton, winking at the camera. He is the son of FO Harry Chalmers, education officer with the RCAF's No. 1 fighter wing at North Lufphenham.