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Residents Pray

For Rainstorm

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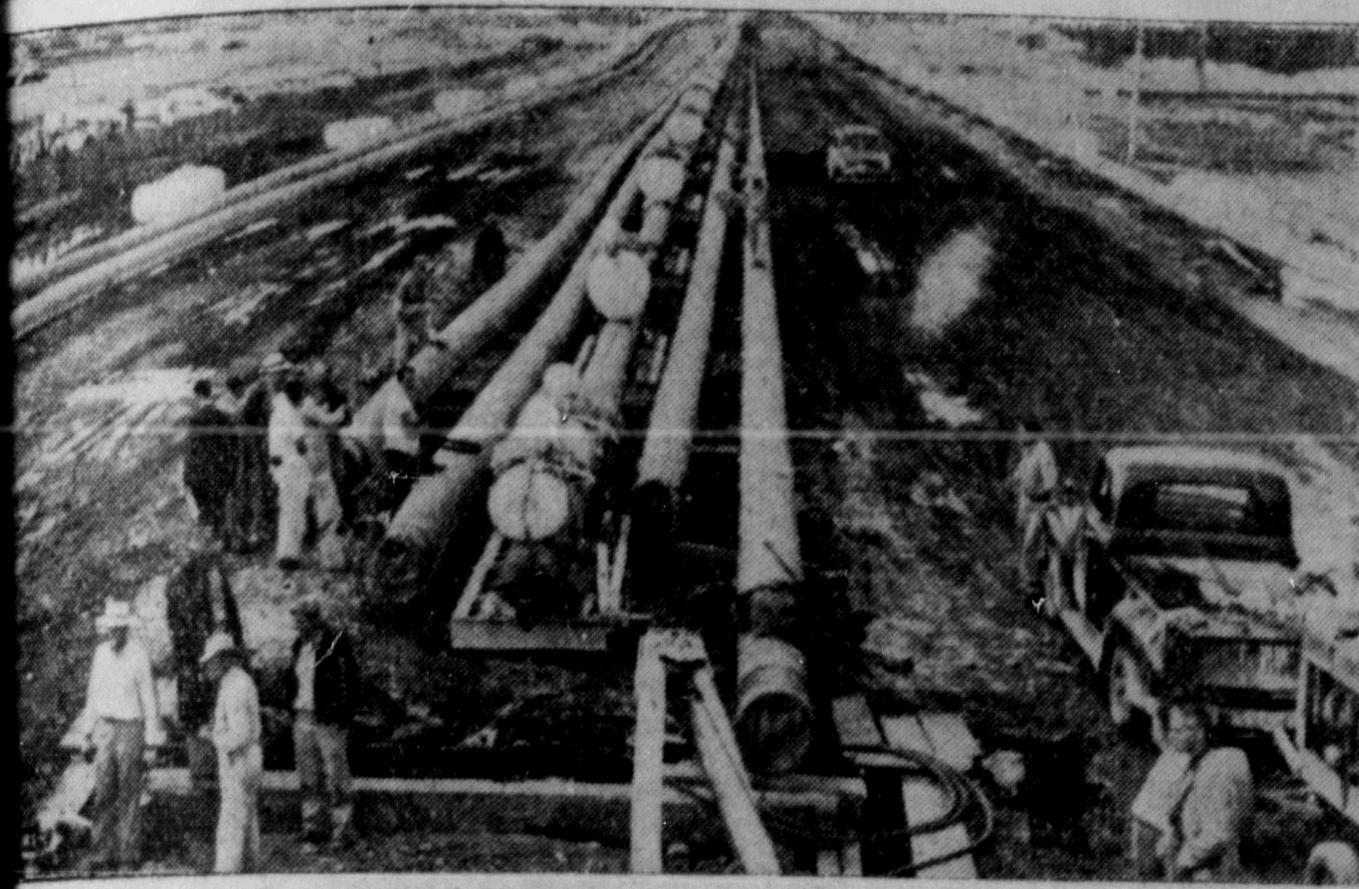
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GHT SECTIONS of pipeline that will forn the first of the crude oil links across the of Mackinac, near Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., are given last mintue tests by workmen. The et sections are being towed into place by a 200-ton pulling engine, located nearly four stant at the Lower Michigan peninsula. Straddling the pipe at 80-foot intervals are s filled with compressed air. They will prevent the 20-inch line from digging into the of the Straits.

wd in City Hall Disturbance scribed as 'Ugliest Ever Seen' Lawrence river have

imony resulted in dis- cer in the stomach.

d Mervin Jonasen.

were with the RCMP Inspector Taylor said was ugly in its mann the "dirty language" le believed that if tear it been used to disperse as no doubt that somehave been hurt. very alarmed for the

property of this city of Slack came after inspector reported accused had approach-Reds and nine American guards. th the apparent inten-

ing helpful and trying Inchon brought no immediate what was behind the ce. The witness said he onversation with anthe accused, Earl Batt, e. He described having at the head of the prohich moved on to city

Mr. Batt who was ng the crowd, and he at I might consider he police official related. should be plenty of fun and exf the police. I said I to hear their com- citement at McClymont Park tomy offce at a more morrow afternoon when the ime and asked him to Prince Rupert Parks board stages he crowd. He said he its second annual swimming what he could do." gala. tness stated he shook There will be novelty events, h Batt not as a gesture swimming and diving competi-

questioning by defence gress made by their children in Mrs. Willa Ray, he said the swimming classes given by ese PoWs. great hope" that Batt Miss Marilyn White, pool inhat he said or other- structress. d not have let him go. ing the use of tear-gas, there will be treats for the Taylor said the bombs children. The meet starts at 2:30 ntensely hot once the p.m.

aylor, RCMP, yesterday avoid injury to anyone. Later he right hand. ence at the preliminary turned on the gas machine gun. | Under questioning by Mr. Hoor eight persons charg- While unable to identify anyone garth, he said he did not know articipating in an un- throwing rocks, he said one why the crowd had gathered and

ed James Slack, Earlier fence counsel Doug Hogarth, the hall. f the defendants, Mike inspector said the police were Another witness, RCMP Sgt. surrounding forests. as also freed. The ac- out of sight when the crowd first Stewart, told the court that the taken by Magistrate W. arrived at the city hall.

Norman, declared the crowd He said Batt told him at the till charged are John seemed "anxious to upset the scene that the crowd wanted to McKenzie, Earl Batt, law and order of this city." He "demand or discuss" their rights. reen, George Flewin, estimated there were 600 persons He said the accused added that arvis, Simon Morrison in front of the city hall. He iden- "everything would be OK if the

tified Mrs. Green as shouting RCMP got rid of Const. Wasson. ing that he has had 24 and using "profane and obscene" After further discussion about police experience, two language and said he received

Scheduled

I omorrow

Weather permitting, there

Competition is open to all and

ng the crowd as the pin is released. He said he threw a report that another of the have ever seen," In- them at the feet of the crowd to accused, Jonasen, had burned his

sembly early Sunday glanced past the end of his nose said there could have been specand he saw one hit a police offi- tators, in addition to agitators, both at Frizzell's corner where the case against one of Answering a question by de- the trouble started and at city of emergency was declared

disturbance seemed to get worse but police and Fire Chief H. R. at the request of crown | Another witness, RCMP Sgt. after the police were withdrawn. Lachance said the emergency

> ing the major blaze along the (Continued on page 3) Riviere Sault au Cochon. There was another beacon of Red Prisoners Taunted, hope, too. A rain-maker has been called in from the U.S. and is expected to arrive here Stoned by Korean Civilians

today by plane. Damage so far from the weeklong blaze that has reduced 50 square miles of forest to ashes

will only be lifted when "all

The 2,500 residents of this

centre grouped in the parish

church Friday night to pray for

rain to help the 575 men battl-

danger is passed."

has been set at \$1,000,000. Forests in the district, 200 miles east of Quebec City, con tain birch, pine, spruce and cypress, ranging in height from 50 to 75 feet. Volunteer fire cents an hour under a Quebec slap at the summer killer. government plan through which companies share 50 per cent of expenses, are using tractors, pumps, picks and axes.

The South Koreans responded Two lumber camps, one of of health and welfare, Dr. A. F. Today's liberated Americans been engulfed by the flames.

Red Pow stockages. And Com- ed in the Lake St. John Rober- tative gamma globulin. munist Peiping radio continued val, Chicoutimi and Gaspe dis- In Fort Garry, Ross Wright Manitoba, where incidence was the war of words over the with- tricts, most of them of a minor took over a vacant lot, charged later last year, was bounding far escape from the coaches," he shorter companion riding with nature but also in great part two cents for drinks, five cents ahead with 13 deaths in 767 cases said.
out of control. Most of the for popcorn and staged a circus. compared to 179 cases last year. outbreaks have been blamed on He cleared five dollars which was careless blueberry pickers.



MARLENE STEWART, 19, of Fonthill, Ont., British Women's Amateur title holder is shown being congratulated by her father after winning the Canadian Women's close championship at Sunningdale golf club at London, Ont. Today, Miss Stewart is playing Barbara Romack of Sacramento in the finals of the Canadian Women's Open after a week of sparking golf which marks her as one of the finest women golfers in the amateur world, (See story on Page four.)

Boy Stages Circus to Help In Battle Against Crippler

cial health officials took a new has had polio. anti-polio step in Winnipeg hos- SUPPLY ASSURED pitals, a 13-year-old boy in sub-

ist from the federal department noculated.

immediately donated to the So-

WINNIPEG W-While provin- ciety for Crippled Children. Ross

Dr. Elliott said the local comfighters, paid from 75 to 80 urban Fort Garry took a personal mittee is now assured of an adequate supply of gamma globu-Dr. M. R. Elliott, deputy min- lin. Children of married women verge. ister of health for Manitoba, met acting as nurses for the duration Friday with an epidemic special- of the epidemic will also be in-

them brand-new, have already W. Peart. As a result, nurses the four western provinces treating polio victims will be in- mounted to 45 by Friday. The added to the stories of horrors in Other outbreaks were report- noculated with the polio-preven- disease was behind its last year's in the river. pace in two of the provinces.

> was filled with polio cases as 18 'mom.' " new sufferers turned up this week including two in Victoria who pulled two dead from one the paratroopers. pared to 105 with three deaths at track so dazed "they didn't ald. the same time last year. Officials are not unduly concerned as the incidence is scattered and no outbreaks of epidemic proportion are reported.

An acute shortage of physiotherapists in Winnipeg prompted an appeal to Britain and two British therapists are to be provided as soon as possible.

East Escapes Main Storm

escaped the brunt of the north- TLC's annual convention here, bound hurricane today as the attended by 600 delegates. gale moved out to sea south of Nantucket, but coastal areas were gates re-affirmed the TLC's old steps" towards unity. hit with heavy rain.

centred a short distance east of for political education." A simi- of the rival body and said he Nantucket Island. The centre lar league exists in the American was moving east northeastward Federation of Labor, big United a united congress would be, about 20 miles an hour, the states ally of the TLC. weather bureau said. Highest winds were estimated at 75 miles gress of Labor has a hook-up an hour over a small area near with the CCF, which it describes outward 100 miles.

gusts up to 60 miles an hour just feated Friday. before dawn at the peak of the A closed liaison between the Palmer Jr., 3, of Pine Springs

Coach Falls 80 Feet Into Shallow River

MANCHESTER, (AP)- Two British trains crunched into each other atop a viaduct 80 feet over the River Irk today, killing 10 passengers and injuring 50 others.

down after ripping a 30-foot gap in the viaduct wall.

An emergency call went out for acetylene equipment to burn into parts of the wreckage to reach at least three persons befor acetylene equipment to burn river is shallow at the isolated stretch of track about a mile from Victoria station. lieved trapped in the coach. The

Breakdown gangs went to work almost immediately to remove the wrecked coaches from the main line. Exactly how the collision occurred was not announced.

The crash derailed the engine and two coaches of a steam train running from Manchester to Bacup, 21 miles north of this Midlands industrial centre, and three coaches of an electric train to Bury, nine miles to the northwest.

HURLED INTO RIVER

The first news of the crash morning, police said. reached police when a man Other casualties were reported gine of the Manchester-Bacup lages. train had "blown up." Ambul- Kyoto is near Wakayama, cranes rushed to the scene,

ter and admitted with serious southernmost main island. multiple injuries. Eleven others received treatment.

The British Railways issued a MIShap Kills and two coaches of the steam train and three coaches of the Stevedore electric train were derailed. All Stevedore electric lines are blocked."

said the collision occurred at a 1321 Overlook St., Prince Rupert, point at the beginning of the was killed instantly this morning viaduct where the tracks con- at the Columbia Cellulose site

LOUD BANG

One of the first rescuers on

"One child was walking about Mr. Smith, who came from

One coach somersaulted into know they were even on a railthe river bed, landing upside way track. We ran after them and told them to sit on the

TOKYO (AP)—The third flash flood to hit Japan this summer killed at least 229 persons, injured 260 and left 103 missing today near the ancient Japanese capitol of Kyoto, Japanese national police reported.

Incomplete reports to police said 680 houses were washed

More than half of Kyoto's southern suburb of Ide disappeared in raging flood waters when swollen waters burst a dam east of the village. Some of the passengers were A flood in the narrow moun-

hurled into the river. Firemen tain valley of Kizu washed away found others trapped in coaches one-half of the village early this

telephoned to say the steam en- from the nearby towns and vil-

ances, fire engines and heavy which lost about 700 citizens in floods last month. Three weeks Three of the injured were earlier, another 700 persons died taken to hospital in Manches- in the floods of Kyushu, Japan's

A Manchester newspaper man James H. Smith, about 30, of when struck on the head by a sulphur hopper while standing up on a moving truck.

Mr. Smith, an employee of the the scene, George Crowther, who Pacific Stevedoring Co., was re-Deaths for the season across resides 100 yards from the via- ported to be riding on a truck duct, said he heard a "loud from the gate to the dockside bang" and then saw a coach when the accident occurred. The open truck passed under the "There were men, women and hopper, which was lower than children, frantically trying to the level of Mr. Smith's head. A him, Fred Viger, escaped unhurt.

Vancouver's isolation hospital in a dazed condition crying Terrace about 12 years ago, was a veteran of the Second World Another rescuer, Joe Beckett War and served overseas with

Friday. The province totalled of the coaches, said he saw sev- He is survived by his wife and 223 cases and seven deaths com- eral people walking along the two children, Lorraine and Ron-

Political Education Body Urged at TLC Convention

OTTAWA (P)-Canada's biggest between the central labor orcentral labor body, the Trades ganizations in these countries. and Labor Congress of Canada, Besides the TLC and the 350,is moving cautiously towards 000-member CCL, these include political action and fusion with the Canadian and Catholic Conother union organizations.

attempt to associate itself with Rail Brotherhoods with around the CCF in the political field.

The moves came at Friday's

On the political side, the delenon-partisan stand, but asked At 6 a.m. EDT the hurricane the executive to set up a "league

In Canada, the Canadian Con-Cape Cod and Nantucket had designated by the TLC was de- "pet" of the family.

The weather bureau said the in a resolution adopted by the here. hope of eventual organic unity household pet.

federation of Labor with 100,000 However, it has turned down an members and the Independent 40,000 more.

The TLC executive—which fa-BOSTON (AP)—New England session of the 580,000-member vored the convention resolution -now has modified its view. It accepted a convention declaration that it explore "further

> A. R. Mosher, CCL president, Friday night welcomed the move does not care who the officers of

Bear Kills Child

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz. (AP) - A the centre and gales extended as the "political arm of labor." three-year-old boy was mauled An attempt to have the CCF so to death this week by a bear, a

The victim was Andrew Mark two big congresses was suggested Camp, about three miles west of

centre was expected to be almost TLC, which proposed a "no raid- The bear was three years old 200 miles east of Cape Cod at ing" policy and expressed the and was considered to be a

ain Makes Big Payment Loan To Be Ended in '58

Army Seeks

A O - The United the dollar proceeds from the sale test. has agreed to pay the of Canadian securities held by SMALLEST GROUP ng portion of its 1942 British investors against the in- Today's group of 50 Americans loan by 1958 through terest-free loan, Mr. Abbott said was the smallest returned so far in a statement.

9,000,000 and 20 equal to Britain before the wartime patriated Saturday. payments of \$7,500,000 mutual aid program developed, The Roks freed today stripped Abbott and Finance totalled \$700,000,000. Britain off their clothes as parting de-Abbott announced yes- agreed to pay off the loan by fiant gestures at their Red cap-om a pledge to apply vestments in Canada. The loan who tried to kick a Chinese he has been interest-free.

The arrangements worked in Canada's favor. Faced with heavy debts as a result of the damaging NGTON (AP)—The U.S. many of her North American issued a draft call for holdings to gain dollars to meet hrings to gain and to buy food.

brings to 1,538,430 the. Thus, in the matter of 11 years, ber of men drafted or the outstanding portion of the aption of induction since loan was reduced by \$511,000,000 tonight and high Saturday at eptember 1950 to \$189,000,000, the amount Brit Port Hardy, Sandspit and Prince ain must still pay.

PANMUNJOM (AP) - The freed from Communist prison United Nations command said camps today.

today South Korean civilians Fifty Americans, all apparently stoned taunting Communist war hale and hearty, were among the prisoners moving north for re- group freed on this, the 11th day patriation Friday, injuring 314 of the prisoner exchange. The UN command said some

The outbreak of violence near 3,600 Red prisoners, flaunting banners and chanting Communechoes at this dusty village where ist songs, hurled boots and metal 400 more Allied prisoners were canteens at South Korean bystanders as they were being taken by truck to a rail station from Inchon harbor.

holding of some prisoners.

COMMUNISTS PROTEST

Peiping said the Reds had protested to the armistice repatriation commission against what it called "the forcible retention of a number" of Communist prisoners due for repatriation.

The broadcast accused the UN but as a bond of good tions. Parents will also have the command of "brutal treatment" opportunity of seeing the proand murder of Korean and Chin-

The Reds also protested that the UN command "had been imposing restrictions obstructing the work" of Communist Red Cross teams visiting UN camps. The broadcast said the protests

were lodged Friday and that an

explicit answer was demanded within three days. The UN command Friday told the Reds to say definitely whether they plan to withhold any Allied prisoners. The UN has made no mention of a Conmunist pro-

diate lump payment of The 1942 loan, made by Canada 300 South Koreans also were reby the Reds. Fifty Britons and

applying against it the dollars tors. Four American marines spotted at the exchange point.

Forecast

Cloudy and cooler Sunday with a few light rain showers. Winds southeasterly 15 in exposed areas, otherwise light. Low Rupert, 50 and 64.



THE BODY of William Atkinson, 19, of Tillsonburg, Ont., lies on the sidewalk as police question Allan Pidgeon, also of Tillsonburg, after a 90-mile-an-hour chase through Toronto streets. Atkinson was thrown from a stolen car after a pursuing police cruiser sideswiped it. Pidgeon, injured when the stolen car turned over

was charged with attempted murder,