

Cattle Embargo May Cause Unemployment

NATO Secretary Job Muddled

LONDON — L. B. Pearson, Minister of External Affairs for Canada, has decided not to accept appointment as secretary-general of the new streamlined North Atlantic Treaty Organization, a well informed source of information said today. Sir Oliver Franks, British Ambassador to Washington, has already declined the appointment.

The Manchester Guardian described the delay in making the appointment of a secretary-general as an "unfortunate muddle." Pearson could hardly have been expected to accept the appointment after it had already been offered to Franks and turned down by him.

Allies Stage Tank Attack

SEOUL — A powerful force of Allied tank raiders smashed through a former Red supply base of Kumsong today and blasted Chinese entrenched north of the city.

The two-pronged attack battered the Reds for more than three hours.

Some of the larger General Patton tanks were damaged but others took them in tow and pulled them back to their bases, when the raiders broke off the fight.

Alberni Mill Man Drowned

PORT ALBERNI — A 36-year-old lumber mill operator was drowned Thursday when a lumber carrier he was operating kipped off a ramp.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police said they believed Tommy Sherriett was knocked unconscious when the vehicle dropped off the assembly wharf near the Tahsis Lumber Co. mill.

Parliament Sings "God Save Queen"

OTTAWA — After the reading of the Speech from the Throne in Parliament yesterday every one rose and sang "God Save the Queen" at the suggestion of Prime Minister L. S. St. Laurent.

Should Fight for Conservation of Natural Resources

Candid Speakers Heard at Rod and Gun Club Gathering—Exploitation Scored

Prince Rupert hunters and sport fishermen last night heard a retired government official urge them to fight for conservation of natural resources—in particular the forests. He also called on the Rod and Gun Club to "stand firm" in its demand to have scientists stationed in northern B.C. to study game fish and animals.

Ontario Cattle Hit by Disease

OTTAWA — The Department of Agriculture disclosed Thursday that a new cattle disease has been discovered on an Ontario farm where a number of cattle have died.

The new disease was identified as a variety of typhus which is transmitted by a parasite. It has never before hit Canada.



EMPTY STOCKYARDS—Regina's stockyards are empty as a result of a ban on the movement of cattle in the district because of a foot-and-mouth disease outbreak in southern Saskatchewan. Infected herds are being rounded up and slaughtered. (CP PHOTO)

Throne Speech Tells Of Kitimat Railway

OTTAWA—The giant new aluminum industry at Kitimat in Skeena riding, figured yesterday in the Throne Speech at opening of Parliament.

The development was indirectly mentioned when it was indicated that the building of a 43-mile railway from Terrace to Kitimat was projected.

Retaliation By Canada

OTTAWA — Government, trade and financial officials said today that Canada has "every hope" that the United States soon will lift offensive restrictions against imports of Canadian dairy products.

However, they said, if no action is forthcoming by next June, there is "every possibility" Canada may impose equally offensive restrictions against some American farm products.

The action would be in retaliation for refusal of United States Congress to rescind legislation imposing quotas in cheese and other dairy products.

Atlee Replies To Churchill

LONDON—Replying to charges of Prime Minister Winston Churchill the day previous, Former Prime Minister Clement R. Attlee denied yesterday that his government had agreed to extend the Korean war across the Yalu River into Communist China. He had, however, agreed with the United States that, if attacks by Communist bombers in Korea became too heavy, Manchurian air bases should be attacked.

PRINCE RUPERT MLA HEARD AT VICTORIA

J. D. McRae Defends Forest Management—Seeks Early Blacktopping of Highway

VICTORIA—Speaking in the Throne Speech debate in the Legislature this afternoon, J. D. McRae, MLA for Prince Rupert defended the government's forest management policy. The first forest management licence in the province, he said, had brought a permanent boom to the Prince Rupert area.

Mr. McRae felt that every consideration was being given to the small operator under the forest management system. "However some restrictive regulations must be placed on small and big operators if we are to guarantee perpetual employment to our citizens in the forest industry."

Speaking of highway matters Mr. McRae said: it is reasonable that reconstruction and blacktopping should be done on the highway at the hub of expansion, instead of waiting until black-topping is laid 700 miles from the south. He presumed that a practical program was to be laid down from both ends as well as possible mid-points and work will be done on the Rupert-Terrace section which has been neglected. Apart from 27 miles along CNR right-of-way, Mr. McRae held that there was 63 miles between Prince Rupert and Terrace which should be prepared for black-topping as early as possible.

In opening Mr. McRae expressed regret at the passing of King George VI and wished a good reign to Queen Elizabeth II.

He referred to the importance of the fishing industry in the area which, in spite of the expansion of industry, is still one of most importance to the city of Prince Rupert.

In keeping with the hope of the fishing industry to create a home market for canned salmon, he placed a tin of canned salmon—"Paramount Brand"—on the desk of each member. "May the deliciousness of this product induce the members to eat more fish products," he exhorted.

Mr. McRae felt that the government had acted wisely in deferring action on the report of the legislative inquiry board on the Industrial Conciliation Act. (Continued on page 7)

Slaughter Of Cattle Proceeds

REGINA — Cattle, affected with foot and mouth disease, were herded alive into the first mass grave on the western outskirts of Regina today.

Once this pit is filled to its 200-head capacity, Royal Canadian Mounted Police constables will begin slaughtering them.

First burial pit is on the farm of Konstantine Haun, 69-year-old dairy farmer, who has forty of his cattle marked for slaughter because of the dread disease.

Storm in Maritimes

HALIFAX—One of the fiercest storms of the season swept the Maritimes yesterday. Shipping was held to port and railway, highway and air transportation was delayed or cancelled.

A gale reached velocity of sixty miles an hour and over. There were great drifts of snow. Snow here was followed by heavy rain which left streets and roads a sea of slush.

After sweeping over the three Maritime Provinces, the storm moved on to Newfoundland.

PETERBOROUGH, England (CP)—Kathleen Marsh, 56-year-old postmistress in this Northamptonshire city, is emigrating to Canada because she feels many people between 55 and 60 "get into a rut." She says "I feel that making fresh contacts will give me a new zest for life."

Five Hundred Packing House Workers Facing Prospect of Job Loss

VANCOUVER — Five hundred packing house workers may be thrown out of employment as a result of the embargo which has been imposed by the British Columbia government against live and dressed cattle from east of the Alberta border following the outbreak of foot and mouth disease in Saskatchewan.

A spokesman of the Packing House Workers' Union today said there might be some justification for the embargo on live cattle but he saw no reason for an embargo on dressed meats.

The authority of the provincial Department of Agriculture to impose an embargo on inter-provincial trade is being questioned.

Bruntjen at Laboratory

VANCOUVER (CP)—On instructions from the veterinary division of the federal Department of Health, Will Bruntjen, German immigrant, who was picked up here yesterday morning as the suspected carrier of foot-and-mouth disease, into Saskatchewan, was flown last night to Ottawa.

Today at Hall, Que., laboratory tests will be carried out on the immigrant. There is no charge against him but the authorities wish to make sure he is not an innocent carrier of the disease. Bruntjen was recognized when he walked into the immigration building about 10 a.m. and asked for a job.

Bruntjen arrived a few months ago from Westphalia, Germany, where foot and mouth disease was prevalent a year ago.

Why Mr. Drew Was Absent

Says No Provision Made For Him at Governor-General's Welcome

OTTAWA—Opposition Leader George Drew failed to appear at Union Station yesterday for the welcoming ceremonies on arrival of Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey.

He explained later the reason—no provision had been made on the printed program for the Leader of the Opposition.

M. J. Coldwell, CCF leader, and Solon Low, Social Credit leader, were there.

Mr. Drew attended the swearing in ceremony later and, of course, the opening of Parliament when the new Governor-General delivered the Speech from the Throne.

Prince Rupert Man Has "Sure Cure" for Foot-Mouth Disease

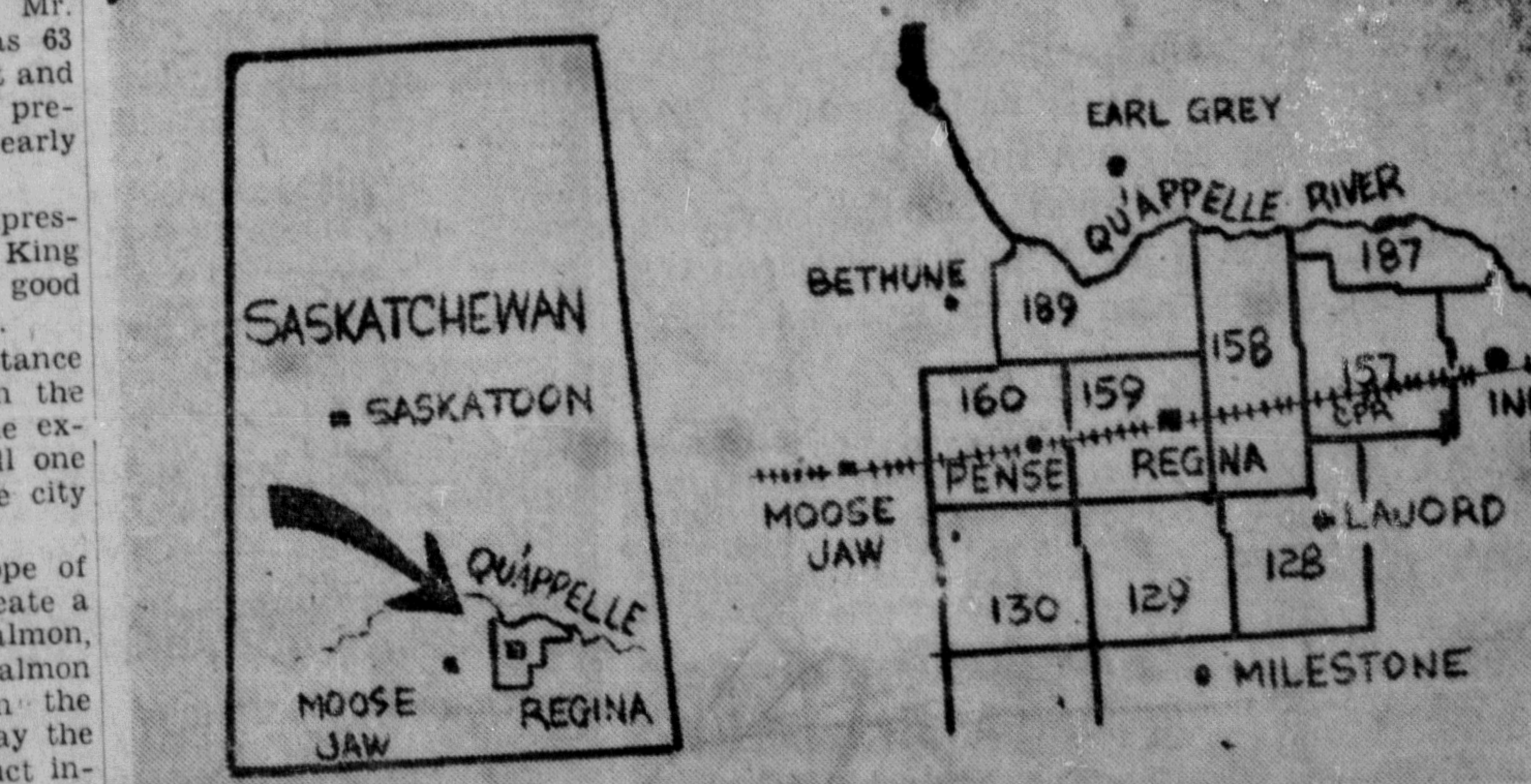
REGINA — Government officials yesterday laughed off several "remedies" for foot and mouth disease they are combatting in eleven municipalities surrounding Regina.

"Some of them are ridiculous," officials said. All of them are "a lot of malarky and useless." There is no known cure for the disease.

A man in Prince Rupert wired to say he could "guarantee positively to kill foot and mouth disease in one treatment." He said he could demonstrate his cure if some one would send him a railway ticket to Regina.



JACK McRAE
... Heard in Legislature



QUARANTINED AREA—Two maps show the original area in south Saskatchewan from which movement of livestock has been forbidden by the federal government. The agriculture department Tuesday moved to extend the area from nine to 10 municipalities. Elmsthorpe, not shown on the map at right, has been included in the quarantine section which resulted from an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease among cattle in the Regina area. Map at left shows the area in relation to the province. (CP PHOTO)

Today's Stocks

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

VANCOUVER	
American Standard	25
Bralorne	6.00
B R X	.04 1/2
Caribou Quartz	1.20
Congress	.05
Cronin Babine	.95
Giant Mascot	.21
Indian Mines	7.75
Pend Oreille	2.05
Pioneer	.33
Remier Border	.09
Privateer	.09
Reno	.03
Sheep Creek	1.67
Silbak Premier	.56
Vananda	.22
Salmon Gold	.03 1/2
Spud Valley	.16
Silver Standard	2.40
Western Uranium	3.25

Oils

A P Con	50
Calmet	2.05
Central Leduc	3.05
Home Oil	16.00
Mercury	.28
Okalta	4.00
Royal Canadian	.22
Royalite	17.00

TORONTO

Athlona	.12
Aumaque	20 1/2
Beveourt	.90
Builaio Canadian	.21
Consol Smelters	38.00
Conwest	3.75
Donalda	.47
Eldona	28 1/2
East Sullivan	8.75
Giant Yellowknife	10.90
God's Lake	.39
Hardrock	13 1/2
Harricana	.12
Heva	.12
Joliet Quebec	.49
Little Long Lac	69 1/2
Lynx	.13
Madsen Red Lake	1.98
McKenzie Red Lake	.40
McLeod Cockshutt	2.67
Moneta	.35
Negus	.60
Noranda	80.00
Louvicourt	.30
Pickle Crow	1.58
San Antonio	2.45
Senator Rouyn	18 1/2
Sherri Gordon	4.20
Steep Rock	7.20
Silver Miller	1.57

HISTORIC RING

HAVANT, England (CP)—Experts believe that a gold ring discovered in a garden in this Hampshire village is actually the episcopal ring worn by William of Wykeham, the 14th century bishop who founded Winchester College.

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British Columbia

Mr. Howe

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Admit Returns

Mr. Justice

Whittaker said

Weather

Synopsis

Forecast

Tides

March 1, 1952

4:30 20.6 feet

17:06 17.3 feet

10:59 4.8 feet

22:48 7.8 feet

First reports were that about a dozen cattle had died and more than two dozen are infected.

Officials say the disease dies with the animal and will not spread.

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