

OPOSITION BID

More Processing Plants For Raw Materials Urged

OTTAWA (CP) — The three Opposition parties say they want the government to establish a national development policy aimed at building more manufacturing industries around Canada's raw materials.

This wish was expressed Monday in a motion of non-confidence in the government presented by Opposition Leader Diefenbaker. The motion won immediate support from both CCF Leader Coldwell and Social Credit Leader Low.

Mines Minister Prudham, however, said the government is already doing quite a bit to encourage development of natural resources.

The best way to develop mining, at least, was for the go-

vernment to create conditions favorable for private enterprise to develop the resources.

"We provide the foundation to go forward and do the job," he said.

SUPPORTS GORDON REPORT

Mr. Diefenbaker coupled his motion with a strong statement of support for the Gordon economic commission proposals on resources development.

But "what is the government going to do?" he demanded. Was it going to bring in legislation implementing some of the commission's suggestions? Or was one report "to be embalmed?"

Both Mr. Coldwell and Mr. Low went further than Mr. Diefenbaker and suggested establishment of a national investment policy, but there should also be a national investment board to spread development more evenly across the country.

"We say that some of our great projects should be public projects," he said. Under the present "hit-and-miss free enterprise system we find depressed regions and the most depressed region is the maritime region."

SEES INEQUALITIES

Mr. Diefenbaker said a national development policy, applied to all provinces, would correct economic inequalities, especially in the Atlantic and Prairie provinces.

His policy, outlined in the non-confidence motion, would encourage more processing of raw materials in Canada; give Canadians a greater share of investment control and high posts in foreign corporations operating in Canada; reduce Canada's trading deficits, and provide federal assistance for hydro-electric development, northern highways, and other projects.

COSTLY PEST

Rats destroy millions of dollars worth of food and property in

BLACKWOOD on BRIDGE

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

No Play Too Safe; Mr. New Goes Down

Mr. New, the avid kibitzer, talks a great game. He is very glib about coups, squeezes and end-plays. He can give you the standard safety play for every combination of cards. In short, he can do everything but play the game.

NORTH dealer

Both sides vulnerable

NORTH

Mr. Champion

6 5 4

A 3

A 6 5

A J 5 3 2

EAST

Mrs. Keen

10 9

Q J 10 7 2

9 5 4

J 8

Q 10 7 2

10 8 6

WEST

Mr. Dale

6 5 4

A 3

A 6 5

A J 5 3 2

9 8 7

K 9 8

K 9 4 3

K 9 4

SOUTH

Mr. New

A Q 7

K 8 6

K 9 4 3

K 9 4

The bidding:

North East South West

1 NT Pass 2 NT Pass

3 NT All Pass

In today's deal proved there is such a thing as being too safe. The opening lead was the queen of hearts and he let it win. This is often the correct play, particularly at a no trump contract, and the purpose is to cut the communication between the defenders' hands and arrange the timing of the hand to your advantage. In this particular deal, however, other considerations outweighed those just mentioned.

At trick two Mrs. Keen led another heart and dummy's ace won. With the damage already done, Mr. New went after the club suit.

He elected to play "safely" here too and, as you see, any attempt to win all five clubs would have met with disaster. Mr. New's purpose was to make sure of four club winners.

At trick three he cashed dummy's ace of clubs, then led the deuce. If Mr. Dale had played low, he intended to put in the nine; the nine would either hold the trick or, if it lost, the opposing clubs would be divided 3-2, the most favorable division.

If Mr. Dale played the 10 on the second club lead, Mr. New planned to win it with the king and fire back the nine, which would drive out the queen to set up the rest of the suit. Either way, he thought, four clubs could be won.

He had used the standard safety play for this combination of cards all right, but see what happened. On the second club

lead, Mr. Dale played the 10. Mr. New won with the king and played back the nine, remarking complacently that Mr. Dale could take his queen any time.

Mr. Dale replied that if nobody objected he'd make it later. He ducked and let the nine win.

Slowly it dawned on Mr. New that he still didn't have clubs set up and that he needed two entries to dummy to do the job. He had just one—the ace of diamonds. Desperately he went to the board with that card and took the spade finesse. That lost and the contract was down one.

With the safety play available in clubs top-fourth winners and five top winners in other suits, there was no good reason for the hold-up in hearts at trick one. If Mr. New had won the first heart trick in his hand and started on the clubs at once, he would have made the hand. The ace of hearts would have furnished the vital additional entry to the board later in the play.

CANADIAN GIFT

EASTWOOD, England (UPI)— Cedar shingles for restoring the spire of the 12th-century church of St. Laurence at this town near Southend have been donated by a Canadian lumber company. The vicar, Rev. R. Burn, formerly worked for the company as a lumberjack.

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Today's Talks May Avert Dock Strike

NEW YORK (CP) — Union and employer representatives appeared optimistic about averting a threatened strike today by 46,000 dockworkers from Maine to Virginia.

Negotiators for the New York Shipping Association and the International Longshoremen's Association (Ind.) conferred until early today. The meeting was to resume at noon, with the strike scheduled for 3 p.m.

"We have never been so close to achieving a contract," said Alexander Chopin, chief negotiator for the employer group. He said his organization had made "a considerable amount of concessions" aimed at reaching agreement.

TENTATIVE CONTRACT

A tentative contract agreement is based on proposals put forward by the federal mediation and conciliation service.

Louis Waldman, the union's chief counsel, said "union progress has been made" toward reaching agreement on a New York agreement. The ILA's negotiating committee was "in the midst of considering employer clarification of acceptance of the mediator's proposals."

In Philadelphia, shippers said a strike by longshoremen there was likely even if the dispute was settled by the ILA in New York. Union officials in Philadelphia said they "couldn't possibly" negotiate a contract by the strike deadline.

Considering the main stumbling block is the employers' insistence on a "right of management" clause. It would give employers exclusive power of deployment of workers and methods of operation.

The dockworkers are free at 3 p.m. to resume a strike which lasted for nine days before it was ended November 24 by a court injunction under provisions of the Taft-Hartley Labor Act. It enjoined the ILA from striking until the expiration of a cooling-off period.

Wages apparently are not an issue. The employers have agreed to a 32-cent-an-hour increase in the present \$2.48 hourly base pay. It would be spread over a three-year period, the duration of the proposed contract.

BROAD SPEECH

LONDON (CP) — A Lambeth district judge could not understand the accent of a Yorkshireman. A policeman was called up to act as "interpreter."

The correspondent for the Liberal News Chronicle says prospects for new "summit" meeting with Russia will be one of the topics discussed.

ISLAND ROCKET BASE

The Daily Mirror specialist says Macmillan "will almost certainly" press Eisenhower to go along with an easing of the ban on East-West trade.

The Conservative Daily Mail says vital decisions on the Western "push button" defense will be made at Bermuda, transforming Britain into an island rocket base.

The correspondent for the Labor Daily Herald says it is a "safe bet" that the Middle East will get top priority.

The Liberal Manchester Guardian says Eisenhower will

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U.K. Political Correspondents Vary

In Ideas As To Bermuda Talks Topic

LONDON (Reuters)—Nothing will be barred from discussion at next month's Bermuda meeting between Prime Minister Macmillan and President Eisenhower, political correspondents said today.

The correspondents said the agenda will include "anything and everything," but when they tried to pick the topic they came

into the picture the members met separately. Eisenhower will meet Mollet in Washington Feb. 26 and 27.

"But," The Guardian adds, "the manifest demonstration of Western unity will still be lacking."

Britain and the United States."

CANADIAN ROLE

The Edinburgh Scotsman says the co-operation of Canada will be vital to have a "clinch" on Anglo-American relations.

TRY THE

CAPITOL

Our Miss Brooks

Eve Arden

Gale Gordon

Don Porter

TODAY

RANDOLPH SCOTT

"SEVEN MEN FROM NOW"

TRY THE

TOTEM

Today "Search For Briley Murphy"

7-8:20 "Two Years Before The Mast"

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STARS WED.

Shows at 7 p.m.—9:10

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as King Lear "Cap'n Kirby"

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Glenn FORD

as sugar daddy "Cap'n Kirby"

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Machiko KYO

MGM presents in CINEMASCOPE & METACOLOR

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"The Teahouse of the August Moon"

co-starring Eddie ALBERT

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