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Weather - Cloudy with occasional showers; a little cooler Saturday.

HAS CANADA GIVEN TO JAPAN MATERIAL FOR WAR MUNITIONS?

Canada Shipping Japan Large Amounts of War Materials

Causing Concern To Those In Authority At the Dominion Capital

LEAD FOR BULLETS SHIPPED

Have We Been Assisting Japan In Building a Powerful War Machine?

(Special to The Daily Mail) (By Dean Wilson)

OTTAWA, Aug. 13—When the Government at Ottawa recently passed an Order-in-Council forbidding all Canadian citizens or legal bodies from doing anything which may be considered as direct or indirect breach of neutrality in the Spanish Civil War, it was no surprise to the well-informed in the capital since it is known that just a policy was agreed upon by the various Dominions and the Motherland at the Imperial Conference in London.

But now a new and far more important subject has arisen as an immediate and direct result of this action by the Federal authorities, and it concerns a point of paramount interest to this Dominion, although it appears that everyone in authority in Ottawa is trying to give this subject the least possible publicity.

With the gathering of war clouds in the Far East, there has been a sudden realization by the Dominion that this country has been shipping tremendous quantities of materials to Japan, and which undoubtedly has gone into many thousands of tons of war materials, and now Japan has created a powerful war machine directly through these Canadian supplies during the past few years.

It is true that Japan has obtained these materials for the apparent reasons of building and repairing rolling stock, rehabilitating the Manchoukouan and other new territories and so forth, but lately it has been discovered that this foreign nation has carried on extensive operations which tend to establish that Japan is using Canadian products solely for the big war machine.

Japan itself produces only one basic metal, and in manufacturing any war materials, there is a necessity of at least five basic metals. Canadian mines and scrap metals from industrial plants in this country have been the main source of Japan's basic metals used in these manufactures, which may raise a question on the international scene if the Far Eastern conflagration should spread or become acute.

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NUTS IN VANCOUVER ARE EXCITED OVER GINGER ROGERS

(Special to The Daily Mail)

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 13—With the kitchen staff all agog, guided by assistant manager Thomas Rathe, accompanied by her cousin, Phyllis Fraser, with whom she is travelling and Rita Myers, feature editor Vancouver Daily Province. Ginger Rogers, petite blue-eyed dancing star of movie fans, was smuggled through the kitchen by-ways of the Empress Hotel where she lunched today en route to Chateau Lake Louise, while her admirers who had suddenly appeared out of the everywhere to crowd the hotel rotunda suddenly realizing they had been fooled made a dash for doors and exits to wave her good-bye on the S. S. Princess Kathleen.

Said assistant manager Rathe as his heels clicked beside Ginger's slim feet down the stone passages "don't you think I sound like Fred Astaire." Said she in reply "I thought there was something homey about this atmosphere."

FAIR WAGE BOARD CONVENES AGAIN

Meeting Will Conclude This Afternoon—An Announcement

The New Brunswick Fair Wage Board reconvened this morning following an adjournment from yesterday afternoon. No announcement was made by the chairman, A. B. McKinnon, Newcastle, after yesterday's session, but it was understood that several matters of considerable importance were included on the agenda. It is expected that the present sitting will adjourn this afternoon until later in the month. Although the date of the next session has not been announced, indications are that the board will convene again before the first of September. Premier A. A. Dysart welcomed the members when the meeting opened yesterday morning, while words of greeting were also extended by Hon. J. B. McNair, K.C., attorney-general and acting minister of labor. A full board was present at the meeting and the secretary, John S. MacKinnon, Saint John, and Fair Wage Officer H. R. Pettigrove were also in attendance.

It is expected that an official announcement regarding the meeting will be given at the conclusion of the session this afternoon.

200 GERMANS IN SOVIET PRISONS

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MOSCOW, Aug. 13—A new wave of arrests were made recently and over two hundred Germans were in Soviet prisons. The German news agencies were quite sharp in their remarks. Some of the Germans who were arrested before were sentenced to nine months with trial.

Beef vs. Dairy Herds

FROM time to time these days the newspapers, including The Daily Mail, are publishing articles regarding pure-bred Jersey cattle of which there is a large number in York County. Although the farmers of New Brunswick are solving the milk production by raising small pure-bred Jersey cattle, what are they doing with the beef market? One Canadian packer has recently made the statement that the farmers of the Maritimes "do not raise enough beef to weigh down a wheelbarrow." All but a few of the local breeders of cattle have abandoned the dual purpose cow—the cow which could be milked for several years and then killed for beef. The pure-bred Jerseys, on the other hand, produce excellent milk for a time but when their usefulness in the milk line is finished they are just a bag of bones and absolutely useless for meat purposes, according to the Canadian packer.

Packers claim this is a time when Maritime farmers should go in for beef raising and when local steers are most needed. At the present time the herds of Western cattle are being depleted in supplying the United States and English demand. It is only a few years ago that an energetic farmer residing in Carleton county brought from the West a large number of cattle, placed them on his farm and fattened them and shipped them to the Old Country, selling them at a good profit. It is pointed out by the secretary of the Industrial and Development Council of Canadian Meat Packers that retail meat prices are due for a further increase. It is said by retailers both in this city and at Saint John that unless beef and pork prices go up shortly that the dealers will be out of luck. It is claimed by retailers that they are not making any profit now and that they will be selling at a loss unless an increase comes soon.

THERE IS ANOTHER SIDE TO THE STORY

Replying to the statements made by the meat packers regarding the raising of beef in New Brunswick, a well-known authority who has made a study of farming conditions in this Province, is responsible for the statement that our farmers are making more money today out of dairy farming than they could possibly make if they went in for the dual purpose cow. This authority states that New Brunswick farms are well adapted for dairy herds and that the farmers today are making more money by going in for these herds. The same authority states that it is impossible for the Maritime farmers to compete with the West, even under present conditions in regard to raising beef. This gentleman states that the Canadian Meat Packers are naturally anxious to have the New Brunswick farmer go in for beef raising, as it would then be easy for the packers to pick up beef herds more conveniently than they can do at the present time. There is a chance, however, for the New Brunswick farmer to make some money out of select bacon hogs and the farmers of Carleton county and certain parts of York county have begun to appreciate this fact and are going in for hog raising to a considerable extent. The price of pork today on the American market is 18 cents and on the Canadian market is 13 cents, according to the New Brunswick packers.

There does not seem to be any good reason why farmers should not go in for sheep-raising. There used to be a slogan, "A sheep on every hillside." A sheep will feed where another animal could not exist. Why not "A sheep on every hillside."

First Auto Railer On C. N. R. Rails At Moncton

(Special to The Daily Mail)

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 13—Transportation in the Maritimes witnessed a new development with the arrival here of the first auto railer which is being tried out by the Canadian National Railways in the Atlantic region. A test run was made following the arrival of the new transportation medium these taking part in the test including the deputy mayor and officials of the city of Moncton along with representatives of the provincial government and the Moncton Board of Trade. Railway officials present included R. J. S. Weatherston, general freight and passenger agent, J. H. Corcoran, district passenger agent and others. H. Crochester of Montreal system superintendent of passenger train service was in charge. Flexibility of the new type of railway passenger unit was demonstrated when the auto railer made various calls around the city to pick up its passengers and left by highway for Salisbury, fourteen miles from Moncton, returning on the railway line, to the running time being fifty minutes. All passengers aboard expressed very keen enthusiasm over this new development.

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FEVER OUTBREAK HERE CHECKED

Three Cases Reported In City—No Danger Of Epidemic

The scarlet fever outbreak which occurred in the city a few days ago has been checked, it was indicated by Dr. J. M. Cameron, district medical health officer. No more cases have been discovered, and the three which formed the outbreak have been checked.

One patient is in Victoria Public Hospital, while the other two are quarantined to their homes. Those who had been in contact with the carriers have been inoculated to prevent them contracting the disease or spreading it to others. Dr. Cameron today stated that there is absolutely no danger that a serious epidemic will result from the cases so far discovered. The theory that the disease has been spread by the city drinking water was branded as "utterly foolish" due to the fact that water cannot carry the disease.

Source of the outbreak is as yet unknown. There have been no other cases in the city for over a year, and investigation by the authorities dis-

U.S. SHORTAGE GIVES BREAK TO CATTLEMEN

Cattle At Calgary Stock Yards Marching In Larger Numbers

CALGARY, Aug. 13—Shortage of cattle in the United States has given the Western Canadian rancher the "first break since 1929" Harvey K. Adams, one of the West's most prominent livestock commission merchants, said today.

Cattle are going through the local yards, and other exchanges, by the hundred and prices are \$2 or \$3 over those two or three years ago.

Duty on Canadian cattle entering the United States is \$3 a hundred. Those that enter under the quota are taxed only \$2 a hundred, and scores of ranchers are anxious to get through before the higher duty is levied. Cattle have been leaving Calgary for the United States at the rate of from 5,000 to 10,000 each week.

In past years the United States was hit by severe drought, such as Southern Saskatchewan and South-eastern Alberta is suffering from now. This year Southern Montana and other areas have good crops, but because of the drought, ranchers are short of cattle.

Even in normal times the United States cannot feed itself, and must import from Canada and Mexico. After the quota is filled it is estimated 25,000 head or more will be shipped to the United States at a profit, despite the \$3 levy.

The movement to Montana from Alberta started six weeks ago, and has been so heavy that cattlemen are being hard put to keep up with it. Montana dealers are contracting with agents here and are shipping to Billings and Great Falls. There weekly auction sales are being held, such is the demand.

A large number of stockers is also going to Ontario and scores of Ontario buyers are visiting this Province, Mr. Adams said. Most of them are in the drought area buying from farmers forced to sell out because feed is lacking. "It is the first break for the rancher since 1929," Mr. Adams said. "During the last three or four years the best stockers, and there were not many of them at that, commanded only \$2, and are now bringing \$4, with good ones taking \$6.60.

"If we could get the markets we would soon have the ranching business on a paying basis. The United States is our only real market, the others, including the United Kingdom are too far away.

"The United States also will take inferior cattle as well as good cattle, realizing they must take some poor cattle along with the rest, while Britain only will take the best.

"If we could get normal crops the United States will want all our cattle. That country could take double that

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Fighting At Shanghai Today

(Special to The Daily Mail)

SHANGHAI, Aug. 13—There was some fighting here today, each side claiming that the other side fired the first shot. The Japs bombed the new wharf and set it on fire. This wharf cost £300,000 and was finished only last year. The Chinese protested against the shelling of Shanghai. There are at present 950 British soldiers at the International Settlement. They are to be joined by the Royal Welsh Fusiliers from Hong Kong and a naval detachment also from Hong Kong.

closed the fact that in neither of the three cases in the city had visits been made to other districts in which the disease might exist at present.

Teachers Are Warned To Guard Schools Against Propaganda

Teaching of Political Doctrine Not Fundamental Function of Education

IS COMMUNISM TEACHING FEARED?

Past System of Training Teachers is Very Unsatisfactory

(Special to The Daily Mail)

LIVESTOCK AND CROP INSPECTION AT FEDERAL FARM

Closing Programme Of "At Home" Starts 7.30 Tonight

Inspection of live stock and field crops as well as Holstein and Percheron demonstrations were the highlights of this morning's program of the Dominion Experimental Station, At Home, which opened Wednesday. Leonard Griesbach, Stanley Wood, J. H. King, C. F. Bailey and J. T. Akins conducted the demonstration. The program will close at 7.30 o'clock this evening with motion pictures at the station residence.

An address by Dr. H. Barton, deputy minister, Dominion department of agriculture, Ottawa, opened the afternoon program at 1.30 o'clock. This was followed by a talk given by Dr. Hilton, veterinary general, health of animals branch, Ottawa, on the most modern methods of treatment for diseases among livestock. From 2.30 to 3.30 o'clock, an interesting horseshoeing demonstration was given by Dr. Akins and W. Magee. Following the foregoing feature was a discussion on "Farm Management" led by J. M. MacKenzie and E. M. Taylor.

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STILL FIRING ON FOREIGN SHIPS

MADRID, Aug. 13—The government oil tanker shelled today by a ship other than Spanish and twelve of the crew were missing. The ship carried Russian crude oil.

The British Government sent a protest to the insurgents stating that when they bombed the Spanish government the other day several bombs were dropped near a British warship.

Boys and girls in school should develop a standard of discrimination in the field of art and good reading. "Today as at no other time," said the Deputy Minister, "the establishment of sound judgment is necessary. With the great number of varying influences that exist about them, there is a danger of creating nothing but confusion in the minds of the young unless there is instilled in them the sound abiding principles that can distinguish between the beautiful and the ugly. If we can create in them a love of the truth, an appreciation of beauty and an understanding of the principles of conduct and the import-

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BATHING BEAUTY'S BIG TOE LURES BASS TO FRYING PAN

PERTH, N. B., Aug. 13—A bathing beauty's big toe lured bass to the frying pan. A beautiful maiden and a frying pan are the modern bait and tackle for the famous Tobique bass.

Two Andover girls whose modesty makes them hesitate to see their names in print furnished this brand new fish story today. They were swimming late in the evening in the vicinity of Red Rapids near here when one girl felt something bite her toe and she screamed. Suspecting a bass was her attacker she made her way to shore, grabbed a flashlight and turned it on the spot in the water where she was bitten.

The bass was there and moved toward the shore, attracted by the light—and, presumably, by the girl. The second girl dashed to the summer cottage, emerged with a frying pan and scooped up the big fish for today's breakfast.

HEPBURN PLANS EARLY ELECTION IN ONTARIO

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Aug. 13—Premier Mitchell Hepburn has announced a general Ontario election in a short time. Without indicating the date, he told a rally of 3,000 Elgin County Liberals he would soon seek the endorsement of the Ontario electorate.

Foremost issue he said was his unalterable opposition to "the invasion" of Ontario by the Lewis Committee for Industrial Organization. He reiterated his determination to keep John L. Lewis' foreign agitators out of this country.

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