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MAMMOTH AIR TRAINING PLAN TO BE STARTED IN CANADA

IDEA IS TO BUILD UP STRONGEST AIR FORCE IN THE WORLD

LONDON, Oct. 11 - The British Government to-day announced the inception of a gigantic Empire Air Training Plan in Canada for the purpose of building up one of the largest & strongest air fleets in the world.

News of the British Government's new move to establish this Empire Air Training Plan was received enthusiastically in Canada where it will undoubtedly prove an immense boon to the aviation industry of this country.

The new plan is being widely acclaimed throughout the Empire in general.

Under this training scheme air pilots & mechanicians from Britain, New Zealand, Aust ralia and Canada will undergo extensive air training in the Dominion. The new plan also calls for the establishment of new plane factories and equipment to speed up production.

FRENCH PREMIER SAYS "NO" TO HITLER PEACE PROPOSALS.

PARIS - Premier Daladier has declared that France and Britain will not lay down their arms until a peace which excludes all possibility of hegemony in Europe by one state or group of states is "effectively ensured."

Hus declaration came after semi-official sources in France had scorned Adolf Hitler's peace formula, describing it as "based on the exploiatation of Central and Eastern Europe."

Prime Minister Chamberlain was scheduled to announce Great Britain's answer to Hit-

ler's peace proposals on Thursday.

Britain and France want a durable peace, resting on honour and respect for one's word, guaranteeing the security of France and all nations, he declared.

ARMISTICE RUMOR IN BERLIN CAUSES REJOICING

LONDON, Oct. 11 - Profound rejoicing in Berlin on Tuesday followed the rumor of an armistice which smept through the city. It was only after the official German broadcasting agency denied the rumor that the hoax became known and, even then, reports state, jubilant Germans would hardly believe that the rumor of an armistice was untrue.

GENERAL MANAGER T. Y. CORP'N. LEAVES FOR THE SOUTH.

After spending the past several weeks in this district supervising T. Y. operations. General Manager Livingston Wernecke planned to hop off Thursday from Mayo Lake in his private Bellanca plane piloted by "Chuck" Gropstis.

The Wernecke plane is float equipped and has been besed at Mayo Lake since Mr. Wernecke's arrival last month. It is understood that ice is already forming on the lake.

CANADIAN WEATHER REPORTS CURTAILED

JUNEAU - Radio reports on Canadian weather have been banned by order of the Civil Aeronautics Authority. A CAA message received here by the Alaska Aeronautics and Communications Commission says:

"Effective immediately, discontinue radio

broadcast and radio transmission of Canadian weather and information by all CAA and assoclated systems.

The weather order is one of Canada's war measures, designed to keep information from the enemy.

NORWAY, SWEDEN UNEASY.

LONDON, Oct. 11 - Sweden has to-day order-ed work to start at once on its two new battle. ships which have been under consideration for some time. The Norwegian and Swedish armies and other branches of the service are being brought up to full strength.

These measures followed upon the heels of recent European developments in the Baltic whereby Soviet Russia has obtained imp-

ortant and strategic air bases, etc. from
Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania.

Summoning of the Finnish Foreign Minister
to Russia has further heightened the tension
in Norway and Sweden. It is understood that the Soviet will attempt to gain important concessions in Finland as in the other Baltic States. The Finnish army and air and naval units has been mobilized with a stubborn resolve to resist any attempt to detract from Finland's independence.

(Further War News on Page 6)

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LOCALS

THE W. A. of St. Mary's Church met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fisher. Next week the W. A. meets at the home of Mrs. God, Andison.

THE ALTAR SOCIETY of the Mayo Catholic Church met on Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. Jack Bellerby.

FOR THE PURPOSE of making plans for Red Cross work, a meeting of the women of Mayo was called for last Saturday afternoon in the IODE House. Following the lead made by the Dawson Chapter, IODE, the Mayo Chapter is sponsoring this war work. Same

FINE ADDITION: Ed. Kimbel, Mayo's building expert, has been busy these past number of days building a fine new addition to his home on 3rd. Ave. Early this summer Ed. raised his house several feet off the ground for flood protection & as soon as he has completed the present job, the Kimbel residence is going to be a mighty fine looking home.

MASSA SAKATA this week mov-4th. Ave., opposite the Doctor's place, to Johnnie Hansen's small cabin, just past the Kimbel residence on 3rd. Charley Nixon had been living in the Hansen bungalow until recently.

THOS. McKAY, Silver operator of Keno, drave to town in his new Chev. truck the early part of this week, remaining here for a couple of days on business.

WM. SIME, Goy't. Assayer at Keno who returned recently fr. om his 6-months! holiday trip outside, is a visitor in Mayo to-day.

RALPH BETTS, of the T.Y. Calumet camp crew, was in for a short holiday over the week end, returning up the hill on Sunday afternoon.

ED. BURNELL left last week for his winter home at the 26-mile on the Stewart.

MOVING SILKING BUNKHOUSE .

T. Y. Corp'n. carpenters the past two weeks tearing down the Silver King bunkhouse which is to be re built at the Calumet camp.

TAKES LAY ON FAMOUS OLD KENO MINE

Billie Williamson has been granted a lay on th T. Y. Corporation's Sadie the claim by Mr./Wernecke and plans to begin operations at once. The Sadie is of the most famous silver producers in this district and it was from this claim on Keno Hill that the Co. took out some of its largest ore output in former years. Re-starting of work on the Sadie is looked upon as a very encouraging sign to all who are interested in property on Keno Hill.

Bill was in town Thursday getting ready for his winter operations at the Sadie.

EMIL FORREST, T. Y. Diesel on a short business trip.

ACCORD ING TO WORD by air mail from Vancouver on Monday, T. C. Richards was in Vancouver last week. "Rich" and family planned to leave on the return trip North on this week's boat.

MRS. W. A. GEDDES was and returning passenger to her home in Dawson on Monday's plane. She has just returned from attending a W. A. convention in the East. As the plane was held here over night by the weather, the Bishop's Wife had the opportunity of wisiting a number of her Mayo friends and Church workers.

MISS V. PAGE, Matron of Mayo General, was a passenger aboard the White Pass Bellanca Tuesday, en route to Dawson to spend a few days' on holiday.

J. E. FERRELL, pioneer Mayoite, left by plane Tues-day, en route to Portland to

INTER SETTLES DOWN IN EARNEST

Woolen mittens and fur caps Hugo Seaholm and Alex Strand were very much in evidence in berg have been engaged during Mayo this week following the settin-in of a very premature winter,

A howling snowstorm whistled in over Mayo last Friday and Mayoites awoke Saturday find nearly half a foot of snow on the ground. Sunday of was fairly mild, also Monday, morning but a miniature blizzard swept across the valley Monday afternoon and evening.
Tuesday morning broke clear

sunny but cold and thus the weather has remained ever sin-There was 12 degrees of frost Wednesday night. To-day, however, it is a little milder with prospects of a thaw still in the offing.

Otherwise, as many old timers shake their heads and declare: "It's going to be an avfully long winter.

QUITE A FEW Mayo householders are busy these days getting in their winter's supply of fire wood.

THE FIRST sleigh of the winter season was seen on EMIL FORREST, T. Y. Diesel Saturday morning last when operator in Mayo, returned by Archie Close had his new team plane this week from Carmacks hitched up to a winter rig. where he had flown last week Those gay bells on the harness sound mighty like winter time

> H. J. TAYLOR, representative of the Imperial Oil Co. of Vancouver, was a Mayo vistitor this week. He left for Dawson Tue sday.

CON LAKENESS AND JIM ROBIN_ SON, well-known young Mayo men who had been working for Ed. Barker on Haggart all season, boared the southbound plane Tuesday, en route to Vanc. This will be Con's first trip to Vancouver and Jim, who hails from Bella Coola, look-ed forward to showing Con over the big city upon their arrival. Jim said before leaving that he planned on trying to join up with the Air Force after he got outside.
Ed. Barker and the other

members of his crew, expect to come to Mayo just as soon as there is enough frost on the ground for caterpillar

travel.

GEORE AYLWIN made a trip day, en route to Portland to with his dog team this week undergo an operation. He planned to fly straight through brother Sis has been working for Fred Taylor this season. Sis planned to come in with George.

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BADMINTON CLUB DANCE GAY EVENT DESPITE BLUSTERY WEATHER

The Badminton Club's Thanksgiving Night dance held in Pioneer Hall Monday night proved a popular event despite the fact that blustery weather and a smaller than usual crowd resulted in the sponsors "just breaking even" on the

The Club is very grateful for the splendid

support from the Galena Hill people in staging Monday night's dance.

As one officer of the Badminton Club, expressed it: "Had it not been for the fine attendance from the hill the dance would not have

been the success that it was.

The dancing program got under way to music supplied by the P. A. System following which the Badminton Club orchestra took over musical duties. Members of the orchestra were.
Mrs. Geo. Andison, piano, Mrs. Alex McCarter,
saxophone, Miss Vera Breaden, piano-accordion,
Wm. Jeffrey, Jr., traps and Tommy Portlock, banjo. The music was greatly enjoyed by the dancers on the floor.

After the Club Orchestra completed its musical program an impromptu orchestra comprised of Bill Thomey, Miss Dorothy Durie and "Chuck" Caddy took over. Vocal selections were rendered by Messrs Hayden, Caddy and Pete Petiot.

Refreshments were served on the stage under the direction of Mrs. Alex McCarter, Vice-Pres. of the Badminton Club. The "eats" were served

of the Badminton Club. The "eats" were served by Harry Ryogi, assisted by members of the Club. Among those in from the hill to attend the dance were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thomey, Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacDiarmid, Mrs. Johnnie Kazinsky, Hugo Seaholm, Alex Strandberg, Claude Irving and a number of other T. Y. Galena Hill employees from the various camps.

OLD TIME DANCE CLUB

Henry Ford, the motor magnate, who popularized old time dances and old time tunes, a few ized old time dances and old time tunes, a few years ago, has nothing on Maye. An Old Time Dance Club is being formed here and members plan to meet weekly to join in the fun of old time dan-ces, to old time tunes. The Club is expected to boast some 25 to 30 members as soon as the new organization gets under way and sche uled dan-oes will be held on the stage in Pioneer Hall according to tentative plans already outlined. The Miner hopes to be able to have more details for the next issue of the paper concerning the Old Time Dance Club in Mayo which will undoubtedly prove a popular innovation.

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USA LENDS OVER MILLION FOR PLACER DEVELOPMENT

Chas. G. Lewis, General Manager for Livengood Placers, Inc., announces that the Reconstruction Finance Corp'n. of the United States Government has granted the loan of \$1,050,000 to the company for the development of its property.

This means immediate opening up of a large, placer gold property, some 5 miles in extent, 90 miles from Fairbanks. Work is being started at once on winter operations. The Livengood district is credited with having produced no less than \$15,000,000 by earlier methods of mining. The camp is said to have a productive life of 25years more.

Planes a Pilots

PILOTS VINES & OAKES brought the White Pass tri-motor Ford "AZB" in from Whitehorse. last Sunday with a small amount of airmail and the following passengers for Mayo: H. J. Taylor and White Pass Vice-President C. J. Rogers. Mr. Rogers went on to Dawson but Mr. Taylor, representative for the Imperial Oil Co. remained here on business.

AIRMAIL IN: Pilot Everett Wasson, with Bill Gordon, Jr., acting as co-pilot flow the big
Bellanca "BLT" to Mayo from Whitehorse Monday,
bringing the sirmail. Mrs. W. A. Geddes was a
passenger for Dawson, and H. W. Adcock. The
White Pass fliers started off for Dawson but
ran into Monday's severe storm and turned back

to Mayo, remaining here overnight.

On Tuesday morning Pilot Wasson hopped off for the Gold City. Passengers from Mayo who made the flight over to Dawson were: Miss V.

Page and H. J. Taylor.

On Tuesday Pilots Vines & Oakes brought the Ford "AZB" in from Dawson, southbound. Aboard the big ship were several well-known Dawsonites who were heade south, including Harry Gleaves, Phil Burich and others: Alex Forbes got off at Mayo to spend a few days here before continuing south.

Mr. Rogers was a returning passenger for the

south on Tuesday's plane.

Boarding the Ford here were: J. E. Ferrell,

Con Lakeness and Jim Robinson. Mr. Ferrell planned to catch the YSAt soutbound ship at White-

horse and fly direct to Vancouver.

BRINGS MAIL: Bringing the first mail of the
season underits new winter contract, the White Pass & Yukon Route's Airplane Service plane
"AZB" landed here Wednesday from hitchorse with
Pilots Vines & Oakes at the controls. Mrs. E.
Nelson was a passenger for Dawson from which
point she expects to go to the Maizie May ranch on the Stewart River.

J. H. MacDonald emplaned here for the flight

over to the Gold Metropolis. The Ford brought 42 sacks of mail for Mayo.

It is understood that the Ford will be returning south, via Mayo, on Friday.

FORMER WHITE PASS FLIER JOINS TRANS-CANADA STAFF

September issue of Canadian Aviation carries the announcement that Norman "Buck" Stone, former White Pass aviator, has been in special training the past few months with Trans-Canada Airways, prior to joining the regular staff.
"Buck" is well-known throughout the Yukon, having made many flights throughout the Terriotry, aspecially as cornel of with his partner biomel especially as co-plot with his partner Lionel Vines on the Ford "AZB." Buck's many friends wish him much success in his new position.

TO JOIN AIR FOR E: - One of the first volunteers to leave the Tukon was Kenneth MacDonald, popular native-born son who sailed south early in September to join the Royal Canadian Air. Force. It is believed that Kenneth was the first volunteer to leave the Territory to enlist for service.

SURVEYING AIRPOIT: The Whitehorse Star of Oct. 6th. states tat R. J. Crossley, surveyor with the Dep't. of Civil Aviation, was in Whitehorse last week to make a contour survey of the airport. He had working with him four axe-men and a chair men and a chain man.

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NEW STEAMERS, ALASKA: Seattle - A new Seattle-British Columbia and Alaska freight vessel line to be known as the Milwaukee Alaska Line will begin operations shortly, running three ships.

BROTHER OF AIR PILOT LES COOK KILLED ACCIDENTALLY

A recent issue of the Whitehorse Star just to hand carries an account of the accidental death of Jim Cook, brother of Les Cook, Chief Pilot for Northern Airways Ltd.

The accident took place Sept. 16th. From mea-

gre reports it is understood that Jim was accidentally killed while making a rifle set to capture a bear which had been robbing his meat ca-

Mrs. Cook, young widow of the unfortunate victim, made a 300 mile hiking trip and boat journey from the head of Ross River, where the Cooks had operate a trading post, to Selkirk to report the tragedy. Arriving at Selkirk, Mrs. Cook sent a wire through to Les Cook, her husland's brother, in Atlin.

Les flew into the district to assist the bereaved wife.

bereaved wife.

The parents of the ill-fated young trading post operator reside at Pincher Creek, Alberta.
The Miner joins with the Whitehorse Star in expressing to Mrs. Cook, Les and Jim's parents

our sincerest sympathy.

POPULAR WHITE PASS PURSER IN NEW DAWSON POST

Succeeding Chas. D. Phillips, veteran White Pass employee in the Dawson office who retired this fall after 37 years continuous service with the Company, R. C. "Chuck" Beaumont, popular White Pass purser these past several years has now taken over his new duties as assistant cashier and express agent. "Chuck" flew to Dawson to take over his new duties last week Dawson to take over his new duties last week. "Chuck" is well-known in Mayo, having spent several seasons on the Stewart River run and his many silver friends congratulate him on his new promotion.

"HAM" OPERATORS IN YUKON WILL AGAIN BE ON THE AIR

The Dawson News of last Thursday carries the following account of interest to amateur radio fans in this district:

When the operation of amateur radio broadcasting sets was prohibited by the government as a war time measure, Captain George Black at once wrote to the authorities protesting against such prohibition applying to Yukon and explained the great use and value of such broad-casts to isolated places, and that there is no possibility of the licensed amateurs distributing anything of value to the enemy.

Last week Captain Black received a radio message from Mrs. Black at Ottawa saying: "Most radio licenses will be allowed. Have sent letter by air."

by air."
EC. NOTE: Well Alec Berry, we hope this is good news to you. The Elsa broadcasts over your amateur set have been missed greatly by all your radio fans in town.

DAWSON, Oct. 5 - According to the latest Maizie May inside dope, Harry Skelton has a cook coming in from the outside to handle the dining salon at the famous Stewart River hay resort. ED. NOTE: Mrs. E. Nelson passed through Mayo by plane this week en route to the Maizie May ranch, via Dawson.

KING MAY

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT MAY BE FORMED IN CANADA

OTTAWA, Oct. 6 - The Quebec provincial election, in which Premier Duplessis is proceeding to stir up racial hatreds, may possibly lead to a war time general election if Quebec sweepingly endorses the theory of non-participation.

of non-participation.

No such course, however, has yet been discussed here, much less decided on. Developments must be awaited, and there is far from being any concession of a Duplessis victory.

McNaughton will relincular his post president of the National Research Council to become inspector general of units, 1st. Canadian Division, Canadian Active Service force, the announcement said.

If, however, Duplessis should win, especially by a decisive majority, the clear intimation is that Messrs Lapointe, Cardin and Powers will retire from the Federal Government, leaving Quebec high and dry in matter of cabinet representation.

Their indicated position is that it would

be illegical to remain in a government pros-ecuting a war effort, whose purpose is rep-udiated by the people of their province. A situation like that might bring on an election. Naturally, the suggestion is that a national government would be formed before

U. S. A. SHIP IROQUOIS DOCKS

NEW YORK, Oct. 11:- Carrying a large load of American refugees from Europe, the U. S.A. 6,500 ton steamer Iroquois docked to-night.

President Roosevelt was informed last Thareday by Grand Admiral Erich Raeder of the German fleet, that the Iriquois would sunk as it approached American waters under the same circumstances as the British ship Athenia the day after war broke. A fleet of U. S. warships and destroyers went out to meet the Iriquois following this warning which was described in Berlin as "merely act of comradeship."

FUEHRER THREATENS WAR OF HORROR IF PLAN REJECTED

BERLIN, Oct. 6 - Adolf Hitler to-day proposed a European peace settlement comprehensive basis," but added that if the Allies rejected his "outstretched hand," this "statement will have been my last."

"Then we shall fight," he went on, and pictured the new war as one sure to bring unprecedented horror to the world.

"May those meanles and their leaders who

"May those peoples and their leaders who are of the same mind (as himself) now make their reply," he said in his hour and twenty minute speech to the Reichstag and the world.

"And let those who consider war to be the better solution reject my outstretched hand. He challenged the Allies to "interpret these opinions of mine as cowardice if they like."

Collaborators said Hitler regarded his proposals as "formal" and that he would now wait for Britain and France to act on them.

QUAKE FELT FAIRBANKS

FAIRBANKS - An earthquake at 9.50 a. m. yesterday caused minor damage here.

GENERAL MONAUGHTON TO COMMAND CANADIAN FORCES

OTTAWA, Oct. 7 - Major-General A. L. G. McNaughton, who commanded the Canadian artillery during the last year of the Great War has been given command of the First Canadian Division. Description No. 1 Division, Defence Minister Norman Rogers mn-

ounced last night.

McNaughton will relinquish his post as

IL DUCE ADVISED AGAINST HITLER PEACE MOVE

LONDON, Oct. 7 - Adolf Hitler was under-stood Friday night to have made his Reichstag peace proposals against strong Italian advice.

Usually well-informed embassies heard that when Count Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, arrived in Berlin Sunday, he conveyed a conciliatory peace plan which Premier Benito Mussolini had evolved. It provided for recreation of an independent Poland of restricted size to be guaranteed by all the great European powers instead of by Germany and the Soviet Union.

Mussolini was also reported to have suggested all other questions, ranging from colonies and disarmament to an economic new deal, should be dealt with in a 5-power conference by Germany, Russia, France, Britain and Italy.

SABOTAGEON BIG U. S. SHIP?

SAN PEDRO, Oct. 7 - All leaves of satiors aboard the Battleship U. S. S. Arizona were cancelled to-day, reportedly following discovery of evidence of sabotage plot aboard the warship.

Naval authorities declined to make any comment on a report that an effort had been planned to damage the big dreadnaught which is one of the units of the navy's main battle-

force.

YANKEES WIN WORLD SERIES IN 4 STRAIGHT

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 - The Yankees slugged their way to a 7-3 win over the Cincinnati Red Sox in Crossley Field last Saturday to win their third straight vicotry in the World's Series. On Sunday the Yanks bumper the Rods out of the picture by walloping the National Leaguers 7-4 to win their fourth straight Series title. In the third game the Yanks hit four homers, two being slammed out by Rookie Keller.

PLEA SEEN AS VALEDICTORY

LONDON, Oct. 6 - A bold-faced, single word "NO," captioned the main editorial of Lord Beaverbrook's Evening Standard, sounded the keynote of early British re-action to Hitler's proposals for an all-inclusive peace confer-

ence.
"Hitler's speech changes nothing," the
Standard said. If he has made his last peace offer, he also has made his last war... The power of democracy in Britain and France has taken the decision from his hands.