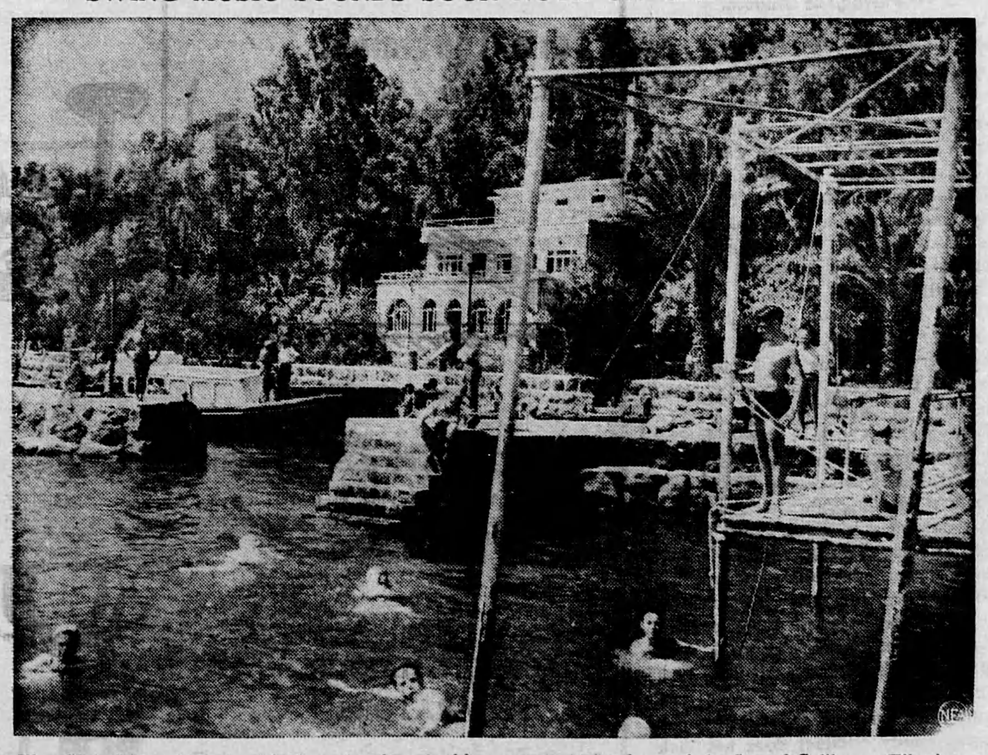
BULGARIAN PEASANTS IN FESTIVE MOOD

Peasant girls in native costume parade along the streets of Sofia, Bulgaria, carrying sheaves of precious wheat in celebration of Spring harvest.

PRIME MINISTER KING AT DOWNING STREET

The leader of the Canadian Government is photographed in the grounds of 10 Downing Street, London residence of British prime ministers, after his arrival for the meeting of Empire Prime Ministers, Left to right are: Prime Minister Clement Attlee of Great Britain; Rt. Hon. Ernest Bevin, Foreign Minister, Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, retiring Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain and Mr. King.

SWING MUSIC SOUNDS SOUR NOTE ON GALILEE SHORE



The Club Lido above, a drinking, dancing, bathing resort on the shore of the Sea of Galilee at Tiberias, Palestine, "with its dancing and swing music . . .offends the sensibilities of many Christian people," according to the Anglo-American Inquiry Committee which recently investigated protests. First dancing club on Galilee's shores since the days of the wicked Herod Antipas, the Lido, originally German-owned, is reported under lease from Palestine's enemy property custodian

MOUNTIES GUARD CANAL

R.C.M.P. officers are shown above guarding government property at the Cornwall Canal against possible damage by striking members of the Canadian Seamen's Union.

Highlights of the News

Hard Coal Men Quit

Pennsylvania's hard coal miners dug gardens instead of anthracite or made holiday plans while they waited for union and operator leaders to frame a new contract which would end their strike.

In New York negotiators, in their fourth week of conferences, reported little progress toward a new pact.

The strike by 75,000 diggers—9th major United States anthracite shutdown since the turn of the century—became effectiv after the expiration of the old contract, Leaders of the A F L United Mine Workers and the operators agreed that the walkout wa. completely effective. There are no collieries in the anthracite fields working.

$15,200 Bull

The highest price ever paid for a bull sold at public auction in Canada, was paid at the national Holstein sale for an 11-month-old Holstein bull—Raymondale Rag Apple Yalta.

The bull was consigned by Senator D. Raymond of Vaudreuil, Quebec, and was purchased jointly by H. L. Gilbert, Vercheres, Que., and W. A. Hogge, St. Laurent, Que.

Maritime Strike

All the resources of American armed might will be used to keep the United States merchant marine operating if the maritime strike called for June 15 occurs, President Truman told his press conference. These resources would include the Navy and the Coast Guard.

Mr. Truman acknowledged that the prospects of settling the maritime dispute looked rather dark at the minute. To meet the situation, he said, the Government is taking every necessary preparation to see that the ships continue operating.

The Navy moved to bring back into service all discharged men now available for service as well as others with experience in the merchant marine.

Radio Strike Threatened

President Petrillo of the Musicians Union threatened to call a strike against all radio net-works and to stop the manufacture of phonogaph records should the court uphold the constitutionality of new Congressional measures to curb his activities.

In what would amount to a virtual blackout of all forms of "canned music," Mr. Petrillo asserted that the networks would be prohibited from broadcasting a musical program outside the city where it originated.

Trans-Jordan Pipeline

The Palestine broadcasting system said that four-week negotiations between representatives of the Arabian-American Oil Company and the Trans-Jordan Government had been completed with an agreement for building an oil pipeline across Trans-Jordan.

Portugal Restored

In fulfilment of a wartime pledge, the British base in the Azores, Portuguese islands in the North Atlantic, has been formally handed back to Portugal. A similar ceremony took place simultaneously at the American base.

Church Union

The question of union between the Church of England in Canada and the United Church has progressed to the point where reports will be presented to the Dominion meetings of both churches next September.

Union was discussed in Toronto last week by representatives of the two great Protestant denominations, meeting as a joint committee.

India Railways Face Strike

Biggest strike in the history of Indian labor, involving nearly 1,000,000 men, was brought nearer when the railwaymen's unions served notices on all eight State-owned railways, to come into effect June 27, if their demands for higher pay are not granted.

Bread Rationing

Herbert Morrison, Lord President of the Council, told the House of Commons that Britain is preparing a system of bread rationing for emergency use. He compared the world food situation to the black days of Dunkerque "when all the news was bad".

"The very blackness of the situation", he said during debate on Britain's food administration "is calling forth forces which make this the turning point in human history."

Earthquake in Turkey

Rescue crews searching through villages levelled by an earth-quake in the eastern Turkish Province of Mus reported a toll of at least 1339 persons killed and hundreds injured.

Many villages were shaken, and many persons were trapped in their collapsing homes.

Makeshift Homes

UNRRA has undertaken to build some 85,000 temporary homes in rural areas of Greece by the end of 1946. Since there is no furniture available, UNRRA furnishes a combination floor-bed with an extra section for each additional three members of a family. The rest of the floor is earth or stone.

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