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# MALENKOV NAMED PRIME MINISTER OF SOVIET RUSSIA

## Canadian Packers Rush To Buy American Beef

### Stalin's Successor, The Man With The Card-Index Brain

By The Canadian Press  
Georgi Malenkov, Russia's new premier, is known as "the man with the card-index brain."  
A post-revolutionary figure who rose quietly to the top ranks of the Soviet Communist party as Stalin's favorite, he knows the innermost secrets of the Kremlin.  
Pudgy, round-faced Malenkov is an austere, orthodox Communist. He normally wears the drab party uniform, buttoned up to the neck.  
When Stalin died he became the senior of the surviving nine Communist party secretaries.



Georgi Malenkov

**First Big Job**  
His first big job was under Stalin on the state defence committee appointed in 1941 to wage war against Nazi Germany. He was the youngest of the five original members.  
Malenkov became a member of the Politburo in 1946 and of the Presidium which replaced it in 1952. Stalin also made him a vice-premier.  
In recent years he has done most of the talking on top Communist bodies. In 1949 he told a Moscow audience that a third world war would prove to be "the graveyard of world capitalism."  
Malenkov has seldom travelled outside Russia.  
Stalin's years bridged well into the pre-Communist world. But Malenkov, who is only 51, has known nothing else since early adolescence.

From Soviet diplomats, agents and the Communist press, Malenkov has performed his picture of Western civilization, of democracy and freedom and mankind's forward steps and backward steps outside of Russia.  
Stalin did some travelling, talked to some foreigners, was exposed to some influences outside Russia.  
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### Pouliot Complains N.B. Flooding Constituency

OTTAWA, (CP)—Jean Francois Pouliot, turbulent Liberal member for the Quebec constituency of Temiscouata, protested Friday that he is having nothing but trouble with some of his New Brunswick neighbors. His constituency borders on New Brunswick.

Mr. Pouliot said he has nothing against New Brunswick as a whole or his many friends there. But there are "others who are rotten politicians," he said.  
His criticisms were aimed at proponents of power developments on the upper Saint John River. He said the proposed developments will flood parts of Temiscouata constituency and part of Maine.

### Coming Events

- \*Races at Avondale on March 7th, at 2 P. M.
- \*Farmers, ask about the Shur Gain Feed Finance Plan. For particulars contact your local feed mill.
- \*Victoria Rink semi-finals tonight, Tryon Arrows vs. Victoria Lions.
- \*Come to the measuring party at Beecher Graham's, Rose Valley, Monday evening, March 9th.
- \*There will be no school hockey or afternoon skate in North River Rink Saturday, March 7.
- \*Social and auction sale in Long River hall, Monday, March 7th.
- \*Bean and pantry sale by the Daughters of England at Fennell and Chandler's at 2.30.
- \*The Princess Elizabeth Group of the Baptist Church are holding a rummage sale at the Church Saturday at 6 p.m.
- \*Come to Cornwall, York Point Institute pantry sale at S. A. MacDonald's, Saturday, March 7th, at 2 o'clock.
- \*Don't miss "The Chimes of Mornandy" P.W.C. Auditorium, March 11, 8.30. Tickets on sale at Old Spain.
- \*Farmers Co-operative seed cleaning plant, Crapaud, ready to clean timothy seed, clover, grain. At Elmer MacDonald's Mill, Crapaud.
- \*Hockey at North River Rink, Saturday, March 7th. Nine Mile Creek Third game vs. Cornwall Meadors. Third game in finals. Game time 8:15.
- \*Master Feeds. Another car has arrived. Clark's Feed Service, Mt. Stewart. Also Grinding and Mixing Service. Phone for off-car prices. It's results that count.
- \*Buying Pigs at Fredericton, Monday, Tuesday & A. M. Brookfield, 10, Millon, 11, Charlottetown Market Square, 1 P. M. York, 2, Bedford, 3, Mt. Stewart. Paying \$24.00 pair for good pigs over 30 lbs. each. Will also buy smaller ones. Knud Jorgensen.
- \*Introducing Pioneer Sow Ration and Pig Starter to induce more people to test this good feed. A reduction of fifty cents will be allowed for short period. Oil Cakes \$5.25 per bag. Choice Codfish 12¢ per lb. R. L. Dickerson, New Glasgow.

### Appeals To Governments

He referred to the defeat of the Liberal Government of Premier McNeil in New Brunswick last summer and said he wished to appeal to the Federal Government and the new Progressive Conservative Government to stop flooding Temiscouata "for the benefit of a dead government."  
"I am told that this development will not be needed for 15 years," said Mr. Pouliot. "Was it used as a screen to cover the scandals of the last New Brunswick Government?" he asked.  
Answering his own question he said: "I don't know."  
A hearing on the proposed developments is expected.

### Seven-Year Prison Term For Fraud

MONTREAL, (CP)—The maximum seven-year penitentiary term for fraud was imposed Friday by Chief Judge Edouard Archambault on Gaston Belair, 45, of Quebec for having defrauded a 76-year-old spinster of \$5,000.  
Miss Yvonne Quimet, grey-haired complainant, testified Belair acted as an investigator of some sort and offered to look after all her business. She trusted him with her signature on a blank cheque so he could compare it with the signature registered at her bank. Subsequently, she said, she found \$5,000 had been withdrawn from her account.  
Belair testified the money was a loan from Miss Quimet.  
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### Suggests Manslaughter Charge In Hockey Death

COLLINGWOOD, Ont., (CP)—Police Chief Walter Elliott said Friday he will recommend that a charge of manslaughter be laid against Walter Fines of Aurora in connection with the death of Robert Gillies of Collingwood after a hockey game.  
Gillies suffered fatal head injuries after being checked into the boards during the game here Wednesday night.  
Chief Elliott said he had already taken up the matter with acting Crown Attorney Boyd Seagram of Aurora.  
"I have pointed out that in my opinion there is more than sufficient evidence to warrant laying this serious charge," the chief said.  
Thursday night the chief said he had sworn statements from many persons who were close to the incident. They included both referees and a goal judge.  
"These statements all indicate that Fines' attack on Gillies was deliberate," he said Friday.  
Gillies suffered a fractured skull when he crashed head-first into the boards during the Ontario Hockey Association junior C' playoff.

### Purchase 650 Head In Chicago In Three Days

OTTAWA, (CP)—Canadian packers have started a rush to buy low-priced United States beef, an agricultural official reported Friday.  
The beef is expected to hit Eastern Canadian markets within a matter of days.  
Canada has big livestock supplies of her own, but Canadian purchases in the U.S. were foreseen as a possibility by officials here if Canadian producers didn't cut prices following the end of the Canada-U.S. livestock embargoes last Monday.

### Trend Was Forecast

The forecast trend developed. As Canada and the U.S. lifted their year-long barriers on movement of livestock and meat across the border, Canadian producers gained courage about the future.  
Under the impetus of a strong market for beef in Canada, Canadian cattle prices steadied and even advanced slightly. Some of the early gains were erased toward the end of the week.  
But that was too late. The rush for low-priced American beef was on.  
Within the first three days following the end of the embargoes, Canadian packers purchased about 650 head of American cattle at Chicago for slaughter and movement into Eastern Canadian markets.  
Other purchases were made in other U.S. markets.

### Biggest Flow In 5 Years

The American Meat Institute said there hasn't been a beef cattle export to Canada of such proportions in more than five years.  
Similar conditions prevailed in January, 1952, the month before Canada announced the outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease in Saskatchewan. The U.S. then clamped on a ban against Canadian livestock and meats. Canada imposed controls on imports to prevent a col-

### N. S. Against Compulsory T.B. Examination

HALIFAX, (CP)—The Nova Scotia Government does not agree with compulsory examination for tuberculosis. Health Minister Connolly replied Friday to Russell Cunningham (CP-Cape Breton East).  
Mr. Cunningham urged during legislative discussion of health department estimates that the same compulsory measures of treatment applying to known tuberculosis cases should be extended to examinations.  
Mr. Connolly said compulsion was abhorrent to many people. The government's present program of health education and voluntary tuberculosis tests might take a little longer but would achieve the same end result.

### Thousands View Stalin's Body

MOSCOW, (AP)—Russians paid personal tributes at the bier of Joseph Stalin in the Hall of Columns Friday night, filtering in two by two from a massive line of humanity that strung out for miles in biting cold.  
Already it was apparent that the Russians would give their dead leader a funeral ranking with the greatest patriotic and emotional demonstrations in their history, and probably equalling that of Lenin, father of the Bolshevik revolution.

As at Lenin's funeral in 1924, the line of men, women and children waiting to enter the hall where Stalin's body lay in state extended to the snow-clad suburbs of Moscow.  
Sixteen abreast, they shuffled into the House of Unions, only a few hundred feet from Red Square, which Stalin's presence had dominated so many years on the great public spectacles of May Day and the October revolution anniversary.  
Two by two, they climbed the marble stairs to the Hall of Columns, where Stalin's bier stood in the centre of the massive room, surrounded by a mountain of tulips, hyacinths and other flowers.  
The body of the man who rose through revolution and bloodshed from a crude shoemaker's hut in the Georgia mountains to chieftainship of millions of Communists everywhere in the world, was removed in mid-afternoon from the Kremlin hospital where he died Thursday night.  
Never Regained Consciousness  
The official medical bulletin disclosed that he never regained consciousness after the brain haemorrhage that left him paralyzed Sunday night. It mentioned only heart failure as the cause of death.  
Shortly before 3 p.m., a motor hearse came out of the Spassky gate and moved with the flag.

### N.B. Gov't Officials Optimistic Over Base Mining Development

FREDERICTON, (CP)—New Brunswick may be on the verge of the greatest base mining development in Canada's history, the legislature's forestry and natural resources committee was told Friday by C. S. Clements, director of mines in the provincial department of lands and minerals.  
The province now is in the midst of the biggest mining exploration activity ever seen in this country, he said.  
His report was the first by a government official since an announcement in January of base metal deposits in Gloucester county.  
Mr. Clements told the committee it is expected between 25,000 and 35,000 claims will have been staked by spring. This compared with Ontario's record of 23,673 in 1946.  
A "terrific" amount of geological survey work would be done in New Brunswick this summer. Companies would have to bring many geophysicists from England because there were not enough in Canada to meet the demand.  
Mr. Clements said that drilling of one ore body at Austin Brook, 16 miles south of Bathurst, had proved the existence of 30,000,000 tons of zinc-lead-silver-copper ore. It was 1,100 feet long and an average width of 182 feet had been maintained since drilling started. At present the ore body had been drilled to a depth of 805 feet "where grade and width are found to be comparable to the 200-foot horizon."

### Religious Rioting In India And Pakistan

NEW DELHI, (Reuters)—Religious rioting flared up anew on the Indian sub-continent Friday.  
In central New Delhi 1,000 right-wing Hindus defied a government ban on demonstrations and tried to hold a procession through the streets. Police used tear gas to break up the surging crowd and arrested 22 leaders, including the heads of three parliamentary minority parties. All were held on charges of violating the demonstration ban, imposed earlier in the day by the government to avert violence.  
In Karachi, the Pakistan cabinet held an emergency meeting to discuss the situation in Lahore, where rigid martial law failed to quell Muslim rioters demonstrating against a "modernist" sect.  
Lahore, capital of the Punjab state and Pakistan's second city, was almost completely cut off from other parts of the country. Martial law was imposed and troops patrolled the streets in armored cars, as transport slowed to a standstill throughout the paralyzed city.  
Soldiers manned communications facilities and other public services where striking employees walked out early in the day.  
Unsuccessful in quelling the rioters with tear gas and nightsticks, soldiers opened fire on the mobs as the situation became worse.

### Conservative Accuses Gov't Of Squander Mania

OTTAWA, (CP)—A prominent Progressive Conservative accused the government of a "squander mania" Friday and said it is covering up under the lid of secrecy any efforts to bring before the people evidence of waste and inefficiency.  
The charge was made by John Diefenbaker, member for Lake Centre constituency in Saskatchewan, as the Commons continued discussion of the budget.  
"Too much money extracted from the people is being squandered by the parasite of extravagance," said Mr. Diefenbaker.  
"The attitude of the government is that the lid of secrecy be placed on whenever we try to get the facts."  
Hazen Argue, C.O.F. member from Saskatchewan's Assiniboia constituency, went even further. He said the "government reeks with scandal and the cabinet is loaded with reckless men."  
As for the budget, he said, it is a "penny-a-day budget" for the small man; a \$9-a-day budget for the small corporation and a \$9,000-a-day budget for big companies such as International Nickel.

### Liner Lady Rodney Sails For Egypt

HALIFAX, (CP)—The liner Lady Rodney slipped out of Halifax Friday to end nearly a quarter-century of service on runs between Canada's eastern seaboard and the West Indies.  
The Rodney sailed for Egypt where new owners will operate her, probably as a pilgrim ship.  
The sister ship Lady Nelson, also sold by Canadian National Steamships, will follow next Tuesday.

### Will Head Contingent To The Coronation

OTTAWA, (CP)—The army announced Friday it has chosen Lt.-Col. James Riley (Big Jim) Stone, the man who organized the 2nd Battalion, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry and led it to Korea, to head the Canadian army contingent at the Coronation.  
The colorful, 45-year-old officer from Salmon Arm, B. C., won a second bar to his Distinguished Service Order for his courageous leadership in Korea.  
In London the commander of the 2nd Battalion, PPCLI, will head the Canadian army's hand-picked marching contingent of 208 personnel who will take part in the Coronation procession. Also representing Canada in addition to the RON and the RCAP will be a reserve force army component of 204 who will line the streets in the vicinity of Canada House.  
The active force group will be composed of two companies of four platoons each. In the first company, which will be sent from (Continued on Page 15 Col. 1)



Lt.-Col. J.R. Stone

### Vatican Paper Comments On Stalin's Death

VATICAN CITY, (AP)—L'Osservatore Romano said Friday Joseph Stalin's name "will forever be bound to the silent and great suffering of the Church."  
Commenting upon Stalin's death, the Vatican newspaper recalled that Catholics in Russia were dispersed even before the war. "After the conflict," it said, "flowering communities of the Eastern Catholic Rite were destroyed."  
"There then began the sorrowful Calvary of our Baltic brethren—Lithuanians, Latvians, Estonians. The tempest raged and raged upon Romanian, Bulgarian, Hungarian, Czechoslovak and Polish Catholics and in vast areas of Oriental Asia.

## Streamlining Of Gov't Announced

(By Eddy Gilmore)  
MOSCOW, (AP)—Georgi M. Malenkov was named prime minister of the Soviet Union Friday night to succeed Joseph Stalin. The 51-year-old Malenkov long has been one of Stalin's closest collaborators in the running of the Communist Party, and had been considered his most likely successor.  
At the same time, a communique of the central committee of the Communist Party, the council of ministers and the presidium announced big streamlining changes in the government.  
The announcement said the changes were necessary to assure "uninterrupted and correct leadership" of the country and prevent "any kind of disarray and panic" following Stalin's death.  
These changes were announced: V.M. Molotov, former vice-premier, moved back into the post of foreign minister where he became so well known in long conferences with Western statesmen after the Second World War. He replaced Andrei Vishinsky, who became permanent representative to the United Nations.  
Vishinsky, sailing for Europe from New York just as the changes were being read over the Moscow radio, apparently was caught by surprise. He said he had no comment. Andrei Gromyko, former representative to the U.N. and now ambassador to Britain, left London by plane for New York to fill Vishinsky's place during his absence in Moscow.  
L.P. Beria, long head of the Soviet Union's political police, was named interior minister and head of the ministry of state security which was combined with it. He presumably remains boss of the secret police and Russia's atomic program.  
Marshal Klementi Voroshilov, also a vice-premier, was named chairman of the presidium of the Supreme Soviet Parliament in the place of Nikolai Shvernik. The position is similar to that of formal chief of state or president.  
Marshal Nikolai Bulganin was named minister of the armed forces.

## British Believe Molotov Has Been Demoted

(By The Canadian Press)  
British sources expressed belief Friday night that Russia's number-three man, V.M. Molotov, has been demoted in the new Kremlin setup.  
But there was no official comment on the sudden change in which Georgi Malenkov succeeded Joseph Stalin.  
The sources expressed surprise at Molotov's return to the foreign ministry after four years of what was thought to have been much more important work.  
Molotov, often regarded as the cleverest of Stalin's lieutenants, is the only one of the three chief contenders for Stalin's mantle to know and understand the West. Neither Malenkov, nor Lavrenti Beria mixes easily with foreigners nor has any personal experience of current life beyond the Iron Curtain.  
Molotov has travelled widely in his diplomatic capacity.  
Other Opinion  
French foreign office sources in Paris expressed great surprise that Malenkov had taken the top job.  
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### Canada's Wheat, Flour Exports Show Increase

OTTAWA, (CP)—With Britain the biggest buyer, Canada's wheat and flour exports climbed to 190,700 bushels in the first half of the current crop year, the bureau of statistics estimated Friday.  
This was a 23-per-cent boost over the 154,900,000 bushels shipped in the similar half-yearly period of August, 1951-January, 1952.  
Half-year exports of wheat in the current crop year which began last Aug. 1 increased to 161,600,000 bushels, up 20.5 per cent over the 134,200,000 shipped in the first half of the previous crop year. Wheat flour in terms of wheat increased to 29,100,000 bushels, up from 20,700,000.  
Britain imported almost one-quarter of the total, absorbing 39,100,000 bushels of wheat and 10,988,649 bushels of wheat flour in terms of wheat equivalent.  
Other big markets were the United States, West Germany, Belgium, Yugoslavia, Japan, The Netherlands, Brazil and Italy.  
Meanwhile, the world's wheat suppliers found themselves with still more wheat than they had a year ago.  
Total supplies in the four major producing countries, including Canada, increased to 1,480,000,000 bushels, or some 5 per cent more than the 959,400,000 bushels available a year.

## Ismay Says Atlantic Powers Under Strength

By DOUGLAS HOW  
OTTAWA, (CP)—Lord Ismay said Friday the Atlantic Pact powers for Britain in India, Africa and elsewhere, he told both a gathering of members of Parliament and later members of the press gallery that he leaves it "to the conscience" of the government of each of the 14 NATO countries to decide what they can do.  
In the presence of members of the cabinet which has levelled off Canadian defence spending, he called on all those NATO countries "which can afford to" to keep their military budgets rising until the goal is reached.  
The NATO secretary-general declined to name any country specifically but his words were widely interpreted in parliamentary corridors as embracing Canada among those countries he feels could do more.  
A hearty, amiable 66-year-old former cavalryman who has soldiered for Britain in India, Africa and elsewhere, he told both a gathering of members of Parliament and later members of the press gallery that he leaves it "to the conscience" of the government of each of the 14 NATO countries to decide what they can do.



IT'S A BRAVE GUY WHO TEACHES A LADY TO SHOOT A REVOLVER!

## Major Controversy In Labor Unions Threatens

TORONTO, (CP)—The Globe and Mail said Friday that Percy Bengough, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, "has opened the door to a major controversy in the labor movement by attacking and denouncing Moral Re-Armament as a danger to organized labor."  
Mr. Bengough's views were contained in a letter published by the Detroit Labor News, an organ of the Wayne County Federation of Labor. In it he wrote of MRA effort to win converts among labor delegates at international labor conventions, and referred to delegates being taken out "to feed at a mansion for the purpose of taking their pictures." He said he had "a fair knowledge of their operations...The vast amount of money at their disposal coming from nowhere."  
The Globe and Mail said the published views of the TLC leadership "created a stir among some of the top AFL union leaders in Canada who were shocked at the news of the attack on MRA." Speakers

## Prime Minister Non-Committal To Labor Group

By JOHN LEBLANC  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
OTTAWA, (CP)—The Canadian Congress of Labor got largely non-committal replies Friday from Prime Minister St. Laurent on a series of wide-ranging proposals in its annual legislative submission to the cabinet.  
Mr. St. Laurent turned down one recommendation outright—that of increased unemployment insurance benefit payments—observed that the congress brief contained "desirable objectives" that would get consideration and made no government commitments.  
A. R. Mosher, president of the 370,000-member C.C.L. told Mr. St. Laurent he was a "little disappointed" that the Prime Minister had not dealt more fully with the congress recommendations in his reply to the 70-man delegation.

TORONTO, (CP)— Minimum and maximum temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	20b	6
Victoria	44	56
Edmonton	1	28
Calgary	1	25
Regina	24b	7
Winnipeg	21b	3
Toronto	22	30
Ottawa	17	29
Montreal	21	31
Quebec	16	26
Saint John	28	32
Moncton	22	31
Halifax	28	36
Charlottetown	28	36
Sydney	27	33
Yarmouth	28	36
St. John's, Nfld.	29	36

HALIFAX, (CP)—Official forecasts:  
Prince Edward Island: Clear with a few cloudy intervals and widely scattered snowflurries; a little colder; west winds 15. Low high at Charlottetown 18 and 28.  
High tide today at Charlottetown at 2.50 A. M. and 2.08 P. M.  
High tide on the North Shore at 9.03 A. M. and 10.34 P. M.  
Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.  
Sun rises today at 6.41 A. M. and sets at 6.58 P. M.