

15 MOWED DOWN IN SQUARE

Rebel Hostages Rescued But Up To 50 Are Said To Have Been Killed

From AP-Reuters LEOPOLDVILLE (CP)—Belgian paratroopers dropped from American planes joined Congolese troops in capturing Stanleyville from Communist-backed rebels Tuesday. But they failed by minutes to prevent a massacre of some 15 or more foreign hostages.



REV. Hector MacMillan of Avonmore, Ont., who was among white hostages killed by Communist rebels Tuesday.

The Canadian embassy announced that Dr. Melvin Loewen of Steinbach, Man., dean of Stanleyville University, his American wife and his five children, all of whom were earlier reported missing, had been found and taken out of Stanleyville.

Hope Is Strengthened Most Canadians Safe

By THE CANADIAN PRESS Hope strengthened today that most of the 32 Canadians reported to be alive in the Stanleyville area of the Congo had escaped the massacre staged by Congolese rebels.

U.S. official reports said 15 persons were mowed down by machine-gun fire in Lumumba Square of the rebel capital when rescue was near.

In Brussels, Belgian Foreign Minister Paul Henri Spaak first said he was informed that at least 50 non-Africans had been killed. He told a press conference later the number definitely reported killed was 18. Officials here said that by 6 p.m. EST 700 former hostages had been flown to Leopoldville from Stanleyville. They included 14 Canadians.

Carlson Was Only Doctor For 100,000 In District

NEW YORK (AP)—Dr. Paul Carlson, the medical missionary killed by the rebels in the Congo Tuesday, went to Africa to help alleviate the "terrible need there."

Negroes in a wide area around the Ule River. For a salary of \$10,000 a year, Carlson went to the area under the auspices of the Congo Protestant Relief Agency.

Two Killed, 15 Injured

KANSAS CITY (AP)—A three-story apartment building was ripped apart by a terrific explosion early Tuesday, killing two children and injuring 15 other residents.

The blast was believed caused by an accumulation of gas fumes. Most of the north half collapsed into the basement, carrying some residents in their beds to their deaths.

City Firm Becomes Horseshoe Printer

Canada's only mass producer of horseshoes is located in Charlottetown. Show-making equipment was set up during the summer.

The heavy demand for winter shoes for horses used on farms and in the woods. Orders for this type of shoe could run as high as 50,000 and there will be duplicate orders for summer shoes.

Shock in New Charge

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Survivors reaching Leopoldville included eight Britons, more than 200 Belgians, 100 Greeks, 100 Indians, 19 Italians, 11 Dutch, 10 French, seven Luxembourgers and five Swis.

More than 30 Canadians had been reported in rebel hands. McMillan's death was reported by the United States embassy in Leopoldville. A spokesman said he was among those cut down in Lumumba Square in front of a monument to Parliament in a claim first reported by the United States.

About 40 persons were reported to be in the machine-gun massacre. FORCED TO SIT Survivors reaching Leopoldville were forced into the square and herded to sit down in the street.

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Centenary Planners Set To Meet At Toronto Today

TORONTO (CP)—Federal and provincial centenary planners gather here today to review their accomplishments and put new vigor into their future work.

The fourth national conference on the centennial of Confederation brings federal and provincial government ministers and civil servants face-to-face with a representative group of Canadians drawn from all provinces.

The agenda for the meetings, which continue Thursday, is aimed at spreading interest in the centennial and planning for 1967 into a wider range of organizations, including church, university, women's, labor, and agricultural associations.

Seizure Denounced By Peace

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS The Soviet Union and China denounced Tuesday the seizure of Stanleyville, stronghold of the Communist-backed Congolese rebels.

They seceded at the rescue aspects of the Belgian-U.S. air force in the Congo. In Africa and among neutral nations, there also was sharp criticism.

Gifts, Messages Are Pouring In For Sir Winston

LONDON (Reuters)—Presentations and greetings from all over the world poured into the London home of Sir Winston Churchill Tuesday, a week before he officially celebrates his 90th birthday.

Members of the wartime British leader's household said the flow of gifts may reach monumental proportions by next Monday.

Plants of the Churchill family to celebrate the occasion were still modest—confined to an intimate and mainly family dinner.

Quints Fight For Survival

PARIS (Reuters)—The quintuplets born prematurely Monday to 27-year-old Mrs. Monique Sambar were rescued Tuesday night to be fighting for survival.

Dr. Francis Allison, chief assistant to the head of the special pediatrics centre where the triplets—three boys and two girls—were taken soon after their birth at a clinic in the Paris suburb, said the sextuplets were considerably more than originally expected.

He said that the original estimate had been \$100,000 but it was now expected the plant would cost some \$250,000, however he pointed out that the first figure included only the site and the building, while the latter included all other costs of services such as constructing a special power line.

Moss Plant Bill Exceeds Estimate

CAPITAL BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN OTTAWA—Cost of Establishing the Irish moss plant in Prince Edward Island will be considerably more than originally expected, Solicitor General J. Watson MacNaught revealed here Tuesday.

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Go't MPs Appear Shaken

By DAVE MCINTOSH made "representations in the case of Rivard."

Mr. Rivard said he had made a statement to the RCMP in the matter and will insist on appearing before the inquiry. He had not done anything which might be interpreted as reprehensible.

Opposition Leader Diefenbaker said that Mr. Nielsen has done more revelations and demands that the case be resumed in the Commons today by the government, again citing the appropriations of Mr. Favreau's department.

Former Mayor Of N.Y. Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—William O'Dwyer, former Democratic mayor of New York City, died Tuesday. He was 74.

O'Dwyer was mayor for five years beginning in 1945. He left on the eve of a police shake-down scandal to become President Harry S. Truman's ambassador to Mexico. A post he held until President Dwight D. Eisenhower's election in 1951.

But the opposition protested that the terms of reference of the inquiry commission are too narrow and that a clause should be inserted in them to permit an investigation into the whole affair.

SHOUTS 'WHITEWASH'

Justice Minister Favreau announced that a judicial inquiry will be held into charges by Erik Nielsen (PC) against Raymond Denis, when executive assistant to Immigration Minister Tremblay, offered a \$20,000 bribe to a Montreal lawyer to drop his opposition to the application for a passport for Lucien Rivard, charged with smuggling heroin.

The government MPs appeared pale and shaken as the final shock of the day hit: The opposition suggestion of link-up between the narcotics case and that of Hal Banks, de-throned but jumping boss of the Seafarers' International Union of Canada (Ind.).

Mr. Pearson declined. He said the government has no desire to hold anything back and that the inquiry will be "full and open."

Search For Nfld. Plane Is Extended

HALIFAX (CP)—RCMP search and rescue headquarters here said Tuesday the search for a civilian aircraft missing in western Newfoundland for 13 days was still going on.

He also said Guy Lord, 25, of Cranbourne Que., former official assistant to Mr. Favreau, had tried to coerce Montreal lawyer Erik Nielsen into dropping opposition to bail in the narcotics case by threats of withdrawal of government business. Lord now is at Oxford University.

Ferry Crews Ponder Code of Earnings

By FARMER TISSINGTON Capital Bureau, The Guardian OTTAWA—Five hundred workers on the CNR operated ferries in the Ottawa River are concerned that implementation of the governments new federal labor code may cut-back their income. It was revealed in the Commons Tuesday by Angus MacLean, MP for Quebec.

Mr. MacLean said he did not want to continue with the matter referred to by Mr. MacLean. Outside the house, the Queen's Parkers had received about 25 form letters from the CNR workers pointing out that while they would welcome the eight-hour day which is part of the proposed new code, if it meant a reduction in earnings, they would prefer to continue working the present 10-hour day.

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PRINCIPALS IN BRIBE CHARGE

Erik Nielsen (left), Conservative Member of Parliament for the Yukon, has charged in the Commons that a former ministerial assistant offered a \$30,000 bribe in a narcotics smuggling case. Paul La

montagne (second from left), Montreal lawyer who was acting for the U.S. department of justice in the case says the charge is "substantially correct" but that he rejected the bribe so soon as it

was offered Mr. Nielsen says. Raymond Denis (right), a Montreal lawyer and former executive assistant to Immigration Minister Tremblay, is also

from right, parliamentary secretary to Prime Minister Pearson, has asked to be relieved of duties until a judicial inquiry has examined his role in the case. (CP Wirephoto)

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But the opposition protested that the terms of reference of the inquiry commission are too narrow and that a clause should be inserted in them to permit an investigation into the whole affair.

There were shouted demands for Mr. Nielsen's resignation, and that the government should resign when T.C. Douglas, New Democratic party leader, asked for a full investigation into the actions of the unparliamentary members of the Norris royal commission to determine whether or not the government had acted improperly in favor of Denis.