

Canadian Strike

Canada: From the Atlantic to the Pacific, the trains of the Canadian Pacific Railway ground to a halt, following a strike of three thousand firemen.

The men are protesting against a new plan, reducing the number of firemen on diesel locomotive operations, and with their engines idle, they picketed all main stations.

To-day, the tracks of the world's largest privately-owned railroad are safe for pigeons...And already, vital industries are feeling the effects of a crippling rail shut-down.

Moorhouse body returns

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Italy: Arriving at Naples (on its way to Britain) the coffin, bearing the body of 2nd Lieutenant Anthony Moorhouse was taken to the City Mortuary. There, following a post-mortem examination, the remains were confirmed to be those of the young Subaltern, who lost his life during the Port Said operations.

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The body of the ^{young officer} ~~Subaltern~~ was later restored to his grieving parents for burial with full military honours at Lawnswood Cemetery, Leeds.

Israeli ships

The Middle East: Passing through the Egyptian blockade, the Israeli frigate "Miznak" steams into the Gulf of Akaba - making for the port of Eilat...

From early 1950, Egyptian shore batteries on the Sinai Peninsula have dominated this narrow waterway - closing the gulf to Israeli shipping.

However, since the Sinai campaign, (and the capture of the Isle of Tiran) this is the second frigate to break the blockade, ^{An indication of} indicating Israel's determination to keep the Gulf and the Red Sea open for her shipping.