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WEEK'S EVENTS IN REVIEW

PRAGUE EXPELS TWO CANADIANS: Word has been received from the Canadian Chargé d'Affaires in Prague that the Czechoslovak Ministry of Foreign Affairs has demanded that Sergeant R.W. Danko and Corporal J.G. Vanier of the Staff of the Canadian Air Attaché in Prague leave Czechoslovakia "within twelve hours". The Ministry has made certain charges against these two men without producing any supporting evidence, and has declared them to be persona non grata.

This incident is apparently part of deliberate policy in certain of the satellite countries where members of the staffs of Western diplomatic missions have been subjected to baseless accusations, followed by demands for their expulsion.

The Government has under active consideration the appropriate steps to be taken in the circumstances. Meanwhile, Sergeant Danko and Corporal Vanier have been recalled to Canada and have now left Czechoslovakia. Their personal reports will be made immediately they arrive.

ATOMIC ENERGY CONFERENCE: The following is the text of the announcement, made simultaneously, on January 26, in Canada, the United States and the United Kingdom, on a meeting of the representatives of the atomic energy agencies of the three nations, in England, February 9 to 12:

In the interest of continued uniform application of measures for security of atomic energy information held in common by the United States, the United Kingdom and Canada, representatives of the atomic energy agencies of the three nations will meet February 9th-12th, 1950, at the British Atomic Energy Research Establishment, Harwell, Didcot, Berks, England.

The three nations now use uniform declassification guides in determining what information arising from their atomic energy research and developmental work may be published and what information is to be classified and restricted in circulation. These guides were developed at the first declassification meeting of the representatives of the three Governments November 14th-16th, 1947, in Washington,