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THREE DEAD IN \$1,500,000 WOOL PLANT FIRE

Fisheries Expenditures For Maritimes Announced

New Elements From Smash-up Of Atom

PALO ALTO, Calif., July 11.—(AP)—A devastating smash-up of the atom, yielding a whole lot of strange new transmuted elements, was reported today as the first formal achievement of the giant post-war cyclotron at the University of California. This initial effort of the 4,000-ton machine opens the way for the production of upwards of 100 new radioactive elements for scientific research.

Coming Events

- *Lot 65 Picnic, July 26th.
- **Cardigan Picnic, Wednesday, July 16th.
- *Come to the ice cream festival Marie United Church July 15th.
- **Dance, Lorne Valley, Tuesday, July 15th.
- **Reserve July 23, for picnic at St. Anthony's, Bloomfield.
- *Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers each Tuesday, Earl Jay.
- **Reserve Tuesday, July 16th for Kollo Bay tea.
- *Kelly's Cross Picnic Wednesday, July 16th.
- **Brae Picnic Wednesday, July 16th.
- **Dance, Orwell Hall, Monday, July 14, Milverton Orchestra.
- **Dance at Elmer Peter's barn, Rollo Bay, Monday, July 14.
- **Brae Picnic, Wednesday, July 16th.
- **Dance in Corran Bann Hall, Tuesday, July 15th.
- **Reserve Wednesday, August 6th for St. John's Church Picnic at Craupaud.
- **Ice cream and dance in Emerald Hall, Monday, July 14, C.W.L.
- **Dancing Monday night Country Club, Tuesday, July 15th, must be by Prince County Pioneers.
- **Ice Cream Social in South Granville School, Tuesday, July 15th. If no fine Wednesday.
- **Dance in Brae Hall, Tuesday night, July 15. Brae orchestra. Luncheon served. Admission 25c.
- *Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers Ltd., Tuesday until further notice. Dingwall and Rossiter.
- **Reserve Tuesday July 22, for Cornwall-York Point Institute Ice Cream Social on hall grounds.
- **In stock asphalt shingles and roll roofing. N. Aubrey Chittell, Fredericton.
- **Ice Cream, Bingo and Outdoor Dance in field cemetery, Barnfield Church, Tuesday, July 15th.
- **Dundas Y. P. U. present their 3-act play, "Have a Heart", at St. Peter's Bay, Monday, July 14th.
- *Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers each Tuesday afternoon, W. Crane.
- **Until further advised our mill will close each Saturday at noon. McGuigan & Boyle.
- **Dance, Wood Islands West School, Monday, July 14th. Ice Cream, Luncheon in aid of School.
- **Come to Lawn Party, Riverside School, July 15th. MacNeill's Orchestra.
- **Annual Meeting and clean-up, St. Catherine's Cemetery, Thursday, July 17th. All interested urged to be present.
- **We require 200 weaner pigs, 30 to 60 lbs. Price allowance for pigs over 35 lbs. Livestock Marketing Board.
- **Picking up Hogs at Fenkes Station each Thursday for Canada Packers Ltd., Merlin Devine.
- **Loading Hogs at Montague Station each Thursday for Canada Packers Ltd. S. C. McLean. Phone 444.
- **Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers each Tuesday. Signed David Pratt.
- **Collecting Hogs each Wednesday morning for Canada Packers. Robt. Dawson, Crapaud.

OTAWA, July 11.—(Special)—

Implementing his pledge made earlier this year at Charlottetown and last month in Ottawa that more attention would be given by the Dominion Government to needs of fishermen and the fishing industry, Fisheries Minister Frank Bridges tabulated supplementary estimates totaling \$463,287. Of this total, department officials said today that "a very substantial proportion will be spent in the Maritimes."

In the additional fisheries estimates, \$27,500 will go to fisheries inspection, an additional \$100,000 to construction and improvements in connection with aids to the industry and \$26,000 for fish culture. Special supplementary fisheries estimates include a vote of \$50,000 to provide for assistance in the construction of bait-freezing and storage facilities and \$16,000 for additional equipment for the North Atlantic herring investigation vessel "Haringue" now at work on experimental fishing of herring and mackerel in Maritime Province waters.

Also included in the supplementary estimates offered the Commons in its concluding days is the item for \$20,000,000 for general post-T.N.R.A. relief of which \$6,000,000 is set aside for fish and fish products.

"Fair Share" Promised

Departmental officials said today that while it was impossible for purchasers to give a break-down by Province of their respective allocations, "Prince Edward Island will get a very fair share of the canned fish orders" and possibly some of the orders.

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Weather Is Slightly Cooler In The West

WINNIPEG, July 11.—(CP)—Westerners got only slight relief today from the heat which has engulfed the Prairie region and British Columbia since last week-end. Temperatures generally fell one or two degrees lower. However the west still laid claim to the coldest and hottest spots in the country—Akivik, N.W.T., was lowest at 47 and Moose Jaw and Yorkton in Saskatchewan highest at 83.

Canada Will Admit 5,000 More Refugees

By George Kitchen
OTTAWA, July 11.—(CP)—The Government has taken steps to admit to Canada an additional 5,000 displaced persons, bringing to 10,000 the number now being allowed into the Dominion, Reconstruction Minister Howe disclosed today in the Commons during immigration policy.

Defending the Government's immigration program, Mr. Howe emphasized that these immigrants would be over and above those admitted as relatives of Canadians and said they would enter Canada "as large groups coming to industrial and other employment."

Mr. Howe, speaking as Acting Minister in charge of immigration, briefly outlined steps taken by the Government to facilitate immigration as Opposition members urged that the Government broaden its policy and appoint a separate deputy minister for immigration in the Mines and Resources Department.

Before taking up Mines and Resources, Mr. Howe said:

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Vancouver Man Is 113 Years Old

VANCOUVER, July 11.—(CP)—Alvera Ruody Hasaburg, claiming to be Canada's oldest citizen, today credited "no wives, no liquor and no tobacco" as the secret of living to the ripe old age of 113 years.

Spending his latest milestones in hospital, the centenarian-opus has his own teeth, wears no glasses, and admits only "a slight hearing deficiency."

"One hundred and thirteen years isn't so much," he says. "I still have to go some to catch up with my brother who died at 129."

Liberals Name Candidates In First Queens

The Hon. W.F.A. Stewart, minister of agriculture, and Attorney General F.A. Large were nominated last night as councillor and Assemblyman respectively at a Liberal convention in Breadalbane to contest the First District of Queens at the next General Provincial Election.

Mr. Alex McDonald, Breadalbane allowed his name to go before the convention as Assemblyman but when the vote indicated Mr. Large had won by a good majority, Mr. McDonald moved the Attorney General's nomination be made unanimous.

First Queens is represented at present in the Provincial Legislature by the Hon. W.F.A. Stewart, Liberal, and Mr. Walter G. MacKinnon, Progressive-Conservative.

Mr. Large, who was sworn in as Attorney General on May 8, 1944, has held the office for the past three years without having a seat in the House.

London Interested In Princess And Philip

LONDON, July 11.—(CP)—Princess Elizabeth's engagement and the Royal Family's daily round of activities remained front-page news in Great Britain today but on a more restricted scale.

Reports and gossip writers were hard put to find something fresh to write about the Princess and her fiancé, Lieut. Philip Mountbatten.

Crowds still hung about before Buckingham Palace, awaiting the Royal Family's comings and goings but the number of onlookers was much decreased from last night when police reported the largest crowd at the Victoria Monument since VE-night.

The Princess and her future consort made one informal public appearance when with the King and Queen and Princess Margaret, she visited Lords for an hour in the early afternoon to watch the Sten-Harrow cricket match. The crowd gave them a great cheer-unusual in stately Lords—on arriving and leaving.

Later in the day the King and Queen, the Princess and Philip left Buckingham Palace for the Royal Lodge at Windsor where they will spend the week-end. The crowds then drifted away from the gates.

Queen's Member Asks Immigration Question

OTTAWA, July 11.—(CP)—Reconstruction Minister Howe said in the Commons today that the immigrant regulations which now preclude the admittance of Asiatics into Canada were "under study" and might be changed.

He was replying to W. Chester S. McLure (PC-Queens) who had inquired about a woman and her daughter in Lebanon who had applied for admittance to Canada.

The Acting Mines and Resources Minister said since they could not enter under present regulations since Lebanon was in Asia but that section of the regulations was under study and there might be a change.

CBC To Get Full Radio License Fee

OTTAWA, July 11.—(CP)—The Commons tonight gave first reading to a bill to give the CBC the full return from the collections of the \$2.50 radio license fee in Canada.

At present the CBC only receives about \$2 from each collection with 50 cents deleted for administration.

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Potato Deficit For U. S. Is Forecast

OTTAWA, July 11.—(CP)—Potato crops are tricky, but prospects are that Canada will produce just about enough potatoes this summer to meet her own needs.

There's little hope she will be able to assist materially in supplying the United States with a forecast deficit of 25,000,000 bushels, reported from Washington today.

Canada normally grows about 75,000,000 bushels of spuds, and while she has a large surplus last year, she managed to dispose of it through efforts of the Agricultural Price Support Board. Just at present, she is importing new potatoes from the U. S.

This is the normal procedure. Canadian crops are later than those in the U. S. and during June and July this country usually brings in new potatoes. In the autumn, when the crop is harvested completely, Canada generally fills the 1,000,000-bushel low-duty import quota set by the U. S.

Crops this year are forecast at about 10 per cent below last year's expectations at this time. While whether they do to the actual crop, a recent Dominion Bureau of Statistics report gave prospects for New Brunswick the big spud-producing province, at 78 per cent of the long-time average, compared with 93 per cent forecast at the same time last year.

Prince Edward Island prospects are for 90 per cent of this year compared with 99 per cent last year, while Ontario expects 78 per cent, Quebec 81. Late planting due to wet weather and reduced acreage, are the basis of the estimates.

The U. S. Agriculture Department, which last year was faced with a tremendous 831,000,000 bushel crop, is expecting about 125,000,000 bushels less this year, which will mean 25,000,000 less than estimated needs.

Battle With Flooded Assiniboine Continues

WINNIPEG, July 11.—(CP)—With more than 25,000 acres of crop land near Bala St. Paul, about 30 miles west of here, reported saved, leg-weary flood-fighters moved west to Poplar Point where the swollen Assiniboine River now is even with newly-constructed emergency dykes.

Unpublished Conan Doyle Works Found

LONDON, July 11.—(Reuters)—An unsuspected hoard of unpublished work by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, including "Some Personalities" about Mr. Sherlock Holmes, the Baker Street Sleuth came to light today.

The manuscripts were found in an old cardboard Victorian hatbox in the strong room of a country bank untouched since 1922 when placed there by the late author.

In addition to the "Personalities" the finds included a one-act play, "33 Crown and Diamond"—An Evening with Sherlock Holmes.

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Child Falls From Second Storey Window

Three-year-old Sue Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hudson of St. Eleanor's, escaped with only slight concussion yesterday when she fell from the second storey of her home. The child was taken to hospital at Summerside, two miles away, where it was announced after examination that she was suffering from slight concussion but had no bones broken and apparently had suffered no internal injuries.

The child was playing upstairs when the accident happened. She was alone but it is assumed that she unhooked the screen at the window before losing her balance.

She was knocked unconscious in the 11-foot drop to the grass but other children playing in the yard called to rush the child to the Prince County Hospital. The little girl regained consciousness during the trip to Summerside—S.

Howe Sees Drew "Out Of Line"

OTTAWA, July 11.—(CP)—Reconstruction Minister Howe said in the Commons today that the Ontario Government's plan to fly 5,000 Britons from Ontario seemed "a perfect example of a man playing with machinery he doesn't understand and getting his fingers hurt."

The acting Minister of Immigration, answering questions by Donald Brown (L—Essex West) during consideration of Mines and Resources, was critical of the fact that a contract had been signed with an American air line to fly the prospective British emigrants across the Atlantic.

It seemed only reasonable that any such charter should have been with a Canadian or British company which had equipment available.

The result was that the prospective immigrants would have to be landed in the United States and transferred to Canada and he said Premier Drew was "out of line" when he arranged the contract with the U. S. company.

Soviets May Be Considering Own Economic Plan

(By Eddy Gilmore)
MOSCOW—July 11.—(AP)—Prospects of Soviet aid for European countries—especially those which do not eventually associate themselves with the Marshall proposal—appeared to observers today to be a distinct possibility.

On the eve of the Paris conference, Moscow's press and radio maintained previous attacks upon the American offer, but including new points.

The Soviet view on several issues was more clearly outlined:

1. The prospect that Russia may offer aid in one form or another to European nations. (Previous dispatches have suggested this aid might take the form of grain, industrial goods and reduction, in the case of ex-enemy nations, of reparations.)
2. A growing belief by the Russians that really they never were wanted in the arrangements that they were invited merely as a polite or necessary gesture.
3. Hope expressed in some quarters that the U.S.S.R. might eventually come into the setup as ill-founded.
4. Mounting apprehension that there is a plan afoot somewhere to get Western Germany into the Marshall proposal and eventually into what the Russians describe as the "western bloc."

The Russians say they look on the Truman doctrine and the Marshall proposal—which they do not separate—as primarily aimed against them.

Quinine Substitutes

Synthetic substitutes for quinine are atabrine, plasmoquin and totaquine.

Standard Time Motion Defeated In Fredericton

FREDERICTON, July 11.—(CP)—A motion that standard time be proclaimed for York County to replace daylight saving time, was defeated today after lengthy debate at the semi-annual meeting of the county council. The motion was ruled out of order following an explanation that adoption of daylight saving time was optional, under provincial law, for cities, towns and incorporated villages in New Brunswick.

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Forecast valid until Saturday midnight, with an outlook for Sunday:
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Outlook for Sunday—Clear and warm.
High tide this morning at 4.31 and this afternoon at 5.05.
Sun sets this evening at 7.46 and rises tomorrow morning at 4.26.
New moon July 17, 11.35 p.m.

YOU SHOULDN'T PLACE TOO MUCH CONFIDENCE IN YOUR COMPANION WHEN YOU ARE BESIDE YOURSELF!