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# HOG PRODUCERS TELL STORY BEFORE PRICES PROBE

## General Election In Ontario On June 7

### Freight Rates Battle Transferred From House To Railway Committee

### Guards Posted On Eve Of Italian Election

ROME, April 16 — (AP) — Armed, steel-helmeted guards look up a round-the-clock vigil tonight to keep the peace through the Italian parliamentary election which begins Sunday morning.

### 14 Dead, 20 Injured In Train Wreck

CREWE, Cheshire, England, April 17 — (Saturday) — Fourteen persons were killed and more than 20 injured early today when a Glasgow-to-London fast mail train crashed into the rear of a London-bound passenger express.

### Get Jail Terms For Ill-treating Child

GAGETOWN, N.B., April 16 — (CP) — An ex-navy man and his wife from nearby Clarendon today were convicted and sentenced to jail on charges of ill-treating a child under 16 years of age.

### Coming Events

- \*Play, Tracadie Hall, Wednesday April 21st. Dance after.
- \*York Rifle Club prize shoot April 21, commencing 12 noon.
- \*Rummage Sale Saturday, 4 P. M. Market Building.
- \*Reserve May 1st, Pantry Sale at Rogers Hardware, by South Mt. Women's Institute.
- \*Card Party, Credit Union, 225, Somerset, Monday night, April 19th.
- \*I will be hauling hogs for Canada Packers each week. J. A. Gillespie.
- \*I will be hauling cream to Central Creameries starting April 24th, on main road. J. A. Gillespie.
- \*National Film Board in New Perth School Monday, April 19th. Sale of cake and candy.
- \*St. Andrew's Dramatic Club present their Play, St. Peter's Bay, Wednesday, May 21st, 8.15. Auspices St. Peter's Parish.
- \*Notice — Will have car horses at Hunter River and Kensington h. April. Watch for date of arrival. Walter S. Weeks, Hunter River.
- \*In stock, Asphalt Shingles, Brick Siding, Plastic Cement, all kinds of Nails, Lime Cement, Pressed Hay, All kinds of Feeds. Please get your order filled now. We deliver. Good prices. G. C. Green, Emerald.
- \*Cheerio-My-Deario, a three-act comedy farce presented by Drama Club of Central Christian Church at Empire Theatre, April 20th at 8.15 P. M. Tickets on sale at the Abernethy Gift Court and Wanda's Dress Shop.

### Manitoba Premier To Visit Ch'town



HON. STUART S. GARSON

Premier of Manitoba, who has accepted an invitation by Premier J. Walter Jones to visit this Province during the first week in May, when he will deliver an address in Charlottetown on the subject of Socialism.

### Maritime Lumber Dealers Meet

HALIFAX, April 16 — (CP) — Cooperation of lumber dealers to help meet the still acute housing shortage was promised today.

### Charge U.S. Military Leaders Seeking War

WASHINGTON, April 16 — (AP) — An opponent of selective service in the United States Congress today believes military leaders are trying to build an army to fight "a hit-and-run war" with Russia.

### Prices Delegation Marches On Commons

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### Announcement Is Surprise To Legislature

TORONTO, April 16 — (CP) — Premier Drew today called an Ontario election for Monday, June 7.

### The Chief Issue

A projected \$600,000,000 development program for the provincially-owned electric power system is the chief election issue.

### Urges Caution In Bill Of Rights

OTTAWA, April 16 — (CP) — Justice Minister Isley cautioned Parliament today against trampling on the constitutional toes of the Provinces with a national bill of rights.

### DOG FIGHT FATAL TO MAN

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### Accepts Call To Montreal Church



Rev. T. E. McLennan

Definite word was received in the city yesterday that the Rev. T. E. McLennan, pastor of Trinity United Church, has been unanimously called to St. James United Church in downtown Montreal.

### \$250,000 For Clam Industry

WASHINGTON, April 16 — (AP) — There was no opposition at a Senate hearing today on a bill already approved by a House of Representatives sub-committee for a \$250,000 study aimed at restoration of the soft shell clam industry.

### CZECH AIRMAN FLEES COUNTRY

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## Island Egg & Poultry Business Hit Hard By Jump In Express Rates

### Atomic Energy May Aid In Cancer Cures

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE (Associated Press Science Editor)  
NEW YORK, April 16 — (AP) — The world's greatest cancer centre opened here today, with news of a new use of atomic energy that may help cancer.

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REGINA, April 16 — (CP) — Saskatchewan truckers have asked the Provincial Government for a 21-per-cent increase in truck freight rates to bring their rates in line with new railway charges.

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TORONTO, April 16 — (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver 48, 50; Edmonton 29, 37; Calgary 28, 38; Regina 11, 35; Winnipeg 19, 42; Toronto 44, 64; Ottawa 36, 58; Montreal 37, 55; Quebec 31, 57; Saint John 24, 44; Moncton 31, 48; Halifax 41, 41; Charlottetown 28, 38; Sydney 29, 35; Yarmouth 32, 42.

HALIFAX, April 16 — (CP) — Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until midnight Saturday, with an outlook for Sunday.

Synopsis:  
After a fine day in the Maritimes it is beginning to get cloudy in some portions. This is especially true along the Atlantic and Bay of Fundy coasts of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick where cloud has drifted off the water. Where the cloud is especially heavy drizzle may be expected. Saturday it will continue overcast as a wave of cold air sweeps eastward and spreads over the district. Preceding this cold air will be a band of showery weather. Saturday night the weather will be clear again with rather cold temperatures with bright sunny weather Sunday.

Regional forecasts:  
Prince Edward Island: Overcast tonight and Saturday with rain showers in the afternoon. Clearing Saturday evening. Little change in temperature. Light winds becoming south 20 in the morning and shifting to northwest winds 25 early in the afternoon. Low early Saturday morning with the high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 32 and 45.

Outlook for Sunday—Clear. High tide this morning at 8.00 and this afternoon at 3.50. Sun sets this evening at 6.47 and rises tomorrow morning at 5.12. Full moon April 23rd, 9.28 A.M.