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OF A  
MERE MAN

If you subdue your inclinations  
rather than allow them to subdue  
you, you will have cause to be glad.

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If Democracy, the laughing phil-  
osopher, were on the earth in the  
present crisis, he would laugh.

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## 16 FAMILIES LEFT HOMELESS IN N. B. VILLAGE FIRE

### Holiday Week-end Accidents Take 4 Lives In Maritimes

#### 123 Packinghouse Pickets Arrested

#### Death Of Mr. G. H. Taylor On Sunday

The death occurred at his home in the city, 21 Upper Prince Street, Sunday evening of Mr. George H. Taylor, 96, well-known jeweller and founder of the business which bears his name.

Mr. Taylor came to this Province from Diss, Norfolk, England, 70 years ago where he was trained by his father in the goldsmith trade. He almost immediately established the business in which he was associated for 47 years.

Mr. Taylor was a charter member of the Charlottetown Board of Trade and was one of those active in its formation. He took a keen interest in the affairs of the city in his day and continued that interest until a few years ago.

He was a life-long member of Trinity United Church and served as an elder in the congregation. He was interested in the welfare of the community and willingly lent assistance and support to any worthy cause.

It is interesting to recall that Mr. Taylor built and owned the first cottage in what is now known as the summer colony Kepchoch. Throughout his lengthy career Mr. Taylor enjoyed almost perfect health until about seven years ago when he suffered a partial stroke which necessitated a severing active connections with the business he had founded.

Mr. Taylor is survived by his wife, the former Laura May Robinson of Diss, England; two sons, Reginald G. city, and Wilfred P. Kensington, and three daughters, Mrs. A.R. Weir, Saskatoon, Sask.; Miss Gwendolyn, N.N. city, and Vera, Mrs. William Sealy, city.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from Trinity United Church, interment being in the Peoples Cemetery.

#### Coming Events

...Movies—Canoë Cove, Wednesday. "The Return of Rusty."

...Dance, Morell, Friday night. Eastern Rhythm Boys.

...Masquerade Dance, Flat River Hall, Oct. 17. Women's Institute.

...Chicken Supper, Long Creek Hall, Thursday, October 16th.

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...Hospital Dance, Montague College, Thursday, October 16th. Don Messer and his Islanders.

...Dance, Horton's Hall, Murray River, Wednesday, Oct. 15. Eastern Rhythm Boys.

...Come to the dance in Mount Stewart Legion Hall, Wednesday, 15th. Music by Rolfe McKenna's Island Ramblers.

...Rain or shine. Come and have a good time. Kozzy Korner, Vernon Bridge, Thursday night, Oct. 16th. Eastern Rhythm Boys.

...Don't miss the big dance and sale of refreshments at Eldon Tuesday night, Oct. 14. Best of music by the Eastern Rhythm Boys.

...Dance, Downs & Archer's Garage, Parkdale, Tuesday, Oct. 14. Dancing 9 till 12. Good orchestra; modern and old-time dancing. Admission 40 cents.

...Growers with tablestock potatoes and turnips, ready for market in Kings County; also receive quantity of pressed hay, anywhere in the Province. Phone or write T. J. Kitcham, Souris.

...Chicken Supper at Louis Corbett's, South Granville, Thursday, October 16th. Supper commencing at 6 o'clock. Sponsored by the Women's Institute.

...Variety concert by Charlottetown talent Thursday night, Oct. 16, in North Willshire Hall, starting at 8:30 sharp. Sponsored by the Kingston Canadian Legion, since since.

#### Stresses Happy Relations With This Dominion

"There is a greater interest taken by Australians in Canada today than ever before," declared Rt. Hon. Francis M. Forde, Australian High Commissioner to Canada, who spent an interesting week-end here, and spoke very warmly of the courtesy and hospitality extended to him.

"Although happy relations always existed between our two Dominions, they were greatly strengthened during the war because of the hospitality of the Canadian people towards the 10,000 Australian boys who trained in Canada under the Empire Air Training Scheme," Mr. Forde told a Guardian representative Saturday.

"The 500 Canadian brides who went to Australia after the war also created a very fine impression, and they have become good Australian citizens."

On his arrival here the High Commissioner met Premier J.J.

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#### Former Vancouver Man To Hang Jan. 8

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 13 (CP)—Charles Martin, 33 formerly of Vancouver, was convicted in Ontario Supreme Court today of the murder of Joseph Grant, Toronto prosecutor last Dec. 10, and sentenced to be hanged Jan. 8, 1948.

Martin was impassive as Chief Justice J.C. McRuer pronounced sentence. When the Chief Justice asked him if he had anything to say Martin replied in a strong voice: "I have nothing to say, Your Lordship."

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#### Presbyterian Young People In Conference

HALIFAX, Oct. 13 (CP)—Jean MacDonald of Sydney, N.S., was named president of the Young People's Societies of the Presbyterian Church at its eighth annual meeting here during the week-end.

Other officers named were: Vice-presidents: Alex MacIntosh, Scotburn, N.B.; Dorothy Russell, Chatham, N.B.; Lillian Cresser, Halifax; Thelma Larter, Montague, P.E.I.; Leaman Furnell, Saint John, N.B.; Katherine Greaves, Sydney; secretary Ruth MacKay, Scotburn; assistant secretary Ella Baillie, Scotburn; treasurer Ernest Sutherland, Thorburn, N.S.

More than 80 delegates attended the meeting with 11 from Prince Edward Island, four from Cape Breton Island and 60 from the Nova Scotia mainland.

EARLY MINE RESCUE

In 1884, four men were taken alive out of a mine in England after they had been trapped for 24 days without food.

#### Bomb Damages American Consulate In Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, Oct. 13 (AP)—A bomb was tossed at the United States Consulate today and an Arab informant said tonight the attack was by a member of an Arab group constituting the "striking force" of the exiled Mufti of Jerusalem, Haj Amin el Husseini.

The informant said that American had been warned by telephone to quit the consulate before the bomb was thrown and advised to "leave Palestine." But a consular official said no telephone "or any other warning was received."

Two women employees of the consulate were injured in the blast. Authorities said earlier that they believed the bomb taker was a woman who walked into a guarded dead-end street, threw the bomb into a consulate garden, and got away.

The explosion came amid mounting tension in the Holy Land over unconfirmed reports of Syrian and Lebanese troops massed on the northern frontier.

It was the third attack in recent weeks on consulates of countries favoring partition of Palestine, and the Arab informant said the French

#### Archbishop Kingston Warmly Welcomed As Primate Of All Canada

#### New Vancouver To Montreal Record

MONTREAL, Oct. 13 (CP)—A new Trans-Canada Air Lines North Star streaked across the Dominion today from Vancouver to Montreal in six hours, 52 minutes, lopping one hour and 48 minutes off the non-stop record for the 2,672-mile flight.

The North Star MK. 11 landed here at 7:43 P.M., EST, carrying Reconstruction Minister Howe, T. C. A. president H. J. Symington among the 19 passengers on the test flight.

Officials reported the plane hit an average speed of 342 m.p.h. on the trip travelling at an altitude of between 20,000 and 23,000 feet. The plane never reached its top speed, believed to be nearly 360 m.p.h., they said.

The flight was undertaken by T. C. A. to test the new-type North Star and, if the plane proves satisfactory, the MK. 11 North Star will be put into trans-Atlantic service, officials said.

#### Russia Approves Plan For Palestine

(By Clyde Blackburn)

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Oct. 13 (CP)—Russia today joined with the United States in offering support to the basic principles embodied in the majority report of the special United Nations Commission which recommended partition of Palestine between Jews and Arabs.

This instance of Russia joining along with the U.S. brought an immediate statement of gratification from American delegates.

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#### Rumored Hon. C. D. Howe To Resign

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13 (CP)—The Vancouver Daily Province said Saturday Reconstruction Minister Howe is to become head of Trans-Canada Airlines, relinquishing his post in the Cabinet.

"This was indicated Saturday in both Vancouver and Ottawa," the Province said. "Mr. Howe has always been interested in the operations of T.C.A. and has had much to do with the outstanding success of the airline."

President Herbert J. Symington of T.C.A. is due to retire shortly, his retirement being necessitated by the press of private business.

#### Widowers Not Invited To Princess' Wedding

LONDON, Oct. 13 (Reuters)—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor have not been invited to attend the wedding of Princess Elizabeth and Philip Mountbatten at Westminster Abbey on Nov. 20.

The Duke's secretary said today: "The Duke and Duchess of Windsor have not received invitations to the wedding."

The Duke, who has been on a short visit to Britain tomorrow will drive to Dover to return to France by steamer.

The Duke has not appeared at any official Government or Royal function in Britain since he abdicated 11 months after his accession to the throne in 1936.

#### Two Persons Injured In This Province

Accidents took four lives in the Maritimes over the holiday week-end, reports last night indicated, and caused injuries to at least five other persons.

Two were dead from shooting accidents in New Brunswick while traffic accidents took two lives in Nova Scotia.

A shooting accident and an accident on a farm sent two to hospital in Prince Edward Island.

Accidents took 41 lives across Canada during the holiday week-end which ended with the celebration of Thanksgiving Day Monday.

A Canadian Press survey Monday listed 19 deaths by traffic accidents, a yacht capsizing, three each by fire, falls and asphyxiation, one by a farm mishap and two by hunting accidents.

Largest multiple fatality was the drowning of five persons in the sinking Saturday night near Powell River, B.C., of the Gulf Star, a yacht converted into a passenger vessel. Eleven other persons suffered minor injuries.

In a shooting accident which occurred about 3 p.m. Saturday near Mount Stewart, Mr. Donald MacDonald, 28, was seriously injured and was taken immediately to the Charlottetown Hospital. He was on a hunting trip with two or three other companions, and was attempting to crawl through a wire fence when a gun carried by one of his companions "coming behind him, accidentally discharged, hitting him in the lower regions of the back."

He was driven to hospital by a Mr. Clarke of Mount Stewart. Lloyd McGregor, 15, Kingston, suffered a painful injury when he had his right leg cut off below the knee, about eight o'clock Saturday morning when he became tangled up in a tractor. He was picking potatoes on a farm owned by Horace B. Willis, Kingston, and was apparently in a tug and disorganizer, when he got his leg caught in the power take-off on the tractor. He was immediately taken to the Prince Edward Island Hospital where he is undergoing treatment.

In New Brunswick

FREDERICTON, Oct. 13 (CP)—Four holiday shooting accidents, two fatal, were reported in New Brunswick tonight.

Albert Guthrie, 22, Saint John, was killed instantly while on a hunting trip at Lower Queensbury, near Fredericton. When he tried to knock an apple from a tree with his rifle the weapon caught in a twig and discharged. Condition of Edward McKinnon, in hospital at Fredericton, was (Continued on Page 5 Col. 6)

#### Distilling Plants In U. S. To Close Down

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP)—Chairman Charles Luckman of the Citizens Food Committee announced today that virtually the whole United States distilling industry will close down for 60 days at midnight, Oct. 25, to conserve grain for shipment to western Europe.

Luckman told reporters after a three-hour session with industry spokesmen that 36 of the 39 distillery companies had agreed to close down. The other three, he said, were small plants with "special hardship problems."

The decision was made despite a plea of the Distillers Workers' Union (A.F.L.) for a 10-day delay before ordering action.

The union called for an effort to find a conservation measure which would not make workers jobless.

Luckman told reporters that the industry executives estimated the unemployment in the shutdown at 2,500 to 7,500 workers, as against Union estimates ranging from 3,000 to 100,000.

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#### Top Scientists To Discuss Commonwealth Defence

By JAMES MCCOOK

LONDON, Oct. 13 (CP)—The scientific brains of the Commonwealth defence services, experts on everything from the effects of Arctic weather on motor lubrication to radar's value in desert warfare, gather here next month for what the Defence Ministry calls a "routine meeting."

The meeting marks the development of peacetime collaboration of the Commonwealth defence scientific services on a basis as effective as during the war, informed sources say.

Informal Commonwealth talks last year resulted in the approval by home governments of periodical meetings and collaboration among services scientists. Sir Henry Tizard, who heads the United Kingdom Defence Research Policy Committee and was a recent visitor to Canada, will be chairman of this first formal meeting.

The trend towards specialization in Commonwealth studies is expected to be more evident at the November meeting.

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#### \$125,000 Fire Monday At St. Basile

ST. BASILE, N. B., Oct. 13 (CP)—Sixteen families comprising 39 adults and 15 children were homeless tonight in this northwestern New Brunswick village after a \$125,000 fire destroyed 14 buildings—seven homes, two barns, two small garages and three sheds. Four other homes were badly damaged.

Madawaska County's worst conflagration since Acadians settled in St. Basile, five miles from the town of Edmundston, in 1785, the fire was first noticed shortly before noon in a barn owned by Hermyle Mercure. Strong wind fanned the flames across the main highway.

On the roadside nearest the St. John River destroyed buildings were the home of Hubert Martin containing an apartment occupied by William Coffey; the home of Odilon Dufour; a two-tenement house owned by Wilfred Voisine and occupied by Conrad Lavoie and Amedee Mazerolle; the home and garage of Eloi Pineau; a three-tenement house owned by Raphael Azize and occupied by A. Rapin; Magloire Martin and Albert MacDonald; the home of Levite Theriault; two barns belonging to Hermyle Mercure and Wilfred Voisine, and a garage owned by Mr. Azize.

Destroyed on the other side of the road were Antoine Beaupre's two-tenement house occupied by Mrs. Florent Martin and Edmond Martin, and three sheds, two owned by Mr. Beaupre and by Mrs. Alexina Pelletier. Considerable damage occurred at the home of Miss Eugenie Cyr, in which Napoleon Pelletier had an apartment; the homes of Mr. Beaupre and Mrs. Pelletier, and the two-tenement house of Mrs. Denis R. Michaud, occupied by John Michaud.

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TORONTO, Oct. 13 (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver 54, 58; Edmonton 44, 54; Regina 36, 76; Winnipeg 44, 67; Toronto 55, 71; Ottawa 56, 70; Montreal 53, 67; Quebec 44, 70; Saint John 36, 60; Moncton 40, 69; Halifax 48, 62; Charlottetown 46, 63; Sydney 45, 61; Yarmouth 45, 60.

HALIFAX, Oct. 13 (CP)—Official inland forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax tonight.

Synopsis: It was sunny and warm inland on Monday but rather windy. Near the coast the drift fog fine-weather clouds hid the sun often enough so that temperatures rose only to 60 in many localities. Cooler air is moving into the district from the northwest and showers are expected to accompany its leading edge as it moves across the north half of the district on Tuesday. A tropical storm was located by airplane a few hundred miles off the Carolina Coast. It is moving northward and may cause gales and heavy rain over part of the Maritimes Tuesday night or Wednesday but it is not yet possible to forecast where it will go.

Forecasts, valid until midnight Tuesday:

Prince Edward Island: Cloudy becoming overcast with showers by midday. Clearing and cooler Tuesday afternoon. Southwest winds 20, becoming light Tuesday evening. High Tuesday at Charlottetown 64.

High tide this morning at 10:46 and tonight at 11:04. Sun sets this afternoon at 5:19 and rises tomorrow morning at 6:15. First quarter moon October 21st, 8:11 P. M.

Summer time ends eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

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