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# RAILWAYS ORDER EMBARGO ON PERISHABLE FREIGHT

## International Fur Conference Opens Here This Morning

### Coming Events

- North Rustico Picnic, Wednesday, July 21st.
- Annual Picnic at Cardigan, Wednesday, July 14th.
- Kelly's Cross Picnic, Tuesday, July 13th.
- Ice Cream Social, Lower Montague Hall, Tuesday, July 13th.
- Pictures at Morell every Tuesday and Saturday Show 9 o'clock.
- Dance, Iona Hall, Wednesday, July 14.
- Minstrel Show by Liguorian Players at St. Teresa's, July 14th.
- Sale of standing hay, Monday, July 12th, 8 p.m. L. T. Beaton.
- Come to the dance at the Bonshaw Inn, Tuesday, July 13th.
- Strawberry Ice Cream festival, Alexandra School, Wed., July 28th.
- Ice cream festival and dance, also ball game. Head Hillsboro, July 14th.
- Movies, Hunter River, Tuesday, July 13. Double feature. 8:30 p.m.
- Movies Horton Hall, Murray River, Wednesday, July 14. Double feature. 9 p.m.
- Movies Vernon Bridge, Monday, July 12. Double feature. 9 p.m.
- Come to New London School for ice cream and cake Monday, July 12.
- Dance, Borden, Monday, July 12th. Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Dance, Borden, Friday, July 16th. Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Dance, Bradabane, Thursday, July 15th. Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Reserve Wednesday, Aug. 18th, for St. Johns Church picnic at Crapaud.
- Bay Fortune United Church Lawn Party at Abel's Cape, on Wednesday, July 14th.
- Institute Dance, Stewart's Corner, Wood Islands, Tuesday, July 13th.
- Open air dance Covehead rink, Tuesday, July 13th. Music by George Chappell's Orchestra.
- Ice cream and dance, Donagh School, Thursday, July 15th. Good music.
- Sturgeon—Movies, Thursday, Comedy, "Don Juan Quilligan", New serial starting.
- Movies—Canoe Cove, Wednesday, "Don Juan Quilligan", New Serial "Secret Agent."
- Hospital Dance, McLean's Warehouse, Souris, Wednesday, July 14. Modern and Old Time.
- York Strawberry Festival, on Parsonage Grounds, Monday, July 12th.
- Annual meeting of Morell Hall Co., Ltd., July 14th at 8:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.
- Women's Institute Ice Cream Festival, Stanchel School, Wednesday, July 14th.
- Auld's Store, Harrington will close Wednesday afternoons until further notice.
- Movies—Cardigan, Tuesday—"Don Juan Quilligan", comedy—First chapter serial.
- Buying pigs today at Fredericton. Will not be buying at any other point until following week. Knud Jorgensen.
- Dance, Vernon River Hall, Tuesday, July 13th. Best music by Eastern Rhythm Boys.
- Hospital Dance, Montague Curling Rink, Wednesday night, July 14th. Music by Eastern Rhythm Boys.
- The Annual Meeting of West River Telephone Co. will be held in Long Creek Hall, July 13th, at 8 P. M.

The International Fur Breeders' conference, the first of its kind ever held, will commence its deliberations at the Charlottetown Hotel this morning at 10 o'clock.

The purpose and objective of the conference is to provide a medium through which all interested nations, through their delegates, can meet in open assembly, exchange ideas and information on our aspects and problems associated with the fur breeding industry, whereby a broader understanding and better picture of the industry as now carried on can be obtained. It is hoped that a free exchange of ideas between breeders and breeders' organizations of fur producing countries will benefit the industry as a whole.

Prince Edward Island has been selected as the meeting place because it was here that the fur farming industry had its birthplace. An historical account of the first attempts in 1874 by the late Sir Charles Dalton, his trials, errors and successes, which finally resulted in successful fur farming, will be a feature of the conference. There will also be similar reports from other fur breeding countries.

Delegates from all fur farming countries of the world have been invited and invitations have been accepted from Norway, Sweden, Iceland, the United States, and there is a possibility of others being represented also.

Saturday evening and yesterday these people were arriving, most-

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## Makes Trans-Atlantic Voyage In Yawl

NORTHEAST HARBOR, Me., July 11—(AP)—Joseph Peterson, 23-year-old merchant marine engineer, piloted his 38-foot yawl "Seven Seas" into harbor Saturday after a 55-day, one-man, non-stop sea voyage from Sebalub, Estremadura, Portugal.

Tanned and bearded, Peterson of Bangor, Me., said the trip was "fine" and that he had "no trouble" during the 3,600-mile crossing. He relied mostly on sail, he related, but occasionally used a small auxiliary motor. He left Portugal May 16.

Peterson arrived in Europe aboard the same yawl last summer after a 67-day crossing from Maine with Stanley Cressey, University of Maine English instructor.

•Dance, Covehead Race Track, Wednesday, July 14th. Duke Neilson's Orchestra.

•Come to the ice cream social at Cape Traverse Hall, Tuesday evening, July 13. Proceeds in aid of school.

•Dance and Ice Cream, Kinkora Hall, Thursday, July 15th. Summerside Orchestra. Dancing 9:30 to 12:30.

•Wearer Pigs—open to buy immediately 50 weaner pigs, 50 lbs. or over. Livestock Feed Agency.

•Ice cream and dance, Woods Mill, Farmington, Thursday night, July 15. Junior Farmers. Add. 35 cents.

•Will be unloading Old Sydney Screened Coal Monday and Tuesday, July 12 and 13. J. R. Driscoll, Mt. Herbert.

•Marshfield—Dunstaffnage United Church Tea, Wednesday, July 14. Supper ready at five o'clock. If not fine, following fine evening.

•Farmers here is an opportunity to get satisfactory returns for your fowl. Buying good grade live fowl Thursday, July 15, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Price 24 1/2c per lb. R. L. Dickieson, New Glasgow.

•Mammoth C. C. F. Provincial Picnic, Wednesday afternoon and evening, July 14, at John Forbes' Shore in Lower Bedouque, 1/4 mile off pavement from Bonness' Store. Bathing, boating, music, sport excellent refreshments and canteen services, etc. Plan your holiday here. Everyone welcome.

•District Convention: The following Women's Institutes, Alexandra, Pownal, Bunbury, Southport, Cross Roads, Hazelbrook, Waterville, Leaves of Friendship, Donagh, and Mt. Abion will meet for their District Convention in Mt. Herbert Orphanage, Monday, July 19th. Meeting at 2 o'clock, evening meetings at 8

## Jerusalem Bombed First Time In History

### Heavy Fighting Is Reported In Holy Land

TEL AVIV, Israel, July 11—(CP)—The Arab town of Lydda surrendered tonight to Jewish forces, Israeli military headquarters announced. Jews occupied the town at once.

CAIRO, July 11—(CP)—Jerusalem was bombed today for the first time in its history while Arab and Jewish armies battled furiously on scattered fronts to gain control of vital Palestinian road, rail and communications centres.

Two Egyptian Spitfires dived-bombed the Holy City, raking the western fringe of modern Jerusalem. Their apparent target was an Israeli army airstrip.

Several explosions were heard. A brief announcement in Jerusalem said four children were wounded.

The Egyptian Defence Ministry said the Egyptian Air Force bombed Tel Aviv, capital of Israel, heavily during the day.

A communique said eight other Jewish settlements were also bombed.

Israeli forces entered Lydda and El-Ramle during the day, taking hundreds of prisoners, semi-official sources in Tel Aviv said.

The Israeli troops have been developing a pincer movement on this Arab stronghold area and are preparing for an offensive to drive the Trans-Jordanian army out of Jerusalem.

In North Central Palestine, Iraqi troops and Palestinian Arab irregulars pushed forward 10 miles from their Jordan base. Arab officers said seven Jewish-occupied villages were captured along a 12-mile front.

His Excellency the Governor General, Lady Alexander and family prior to their arrival in Canada. Perhaps they were planning this year's vacation in Prince Edward Island! They are due to arrive here tonight at 10:30. Tomorrow morning they will motor to their summer cottage at Dalway. The Vice-Regal party will be met at Borden today by Lieut.-Col. W. W. Reid, D.S.O., Aide-de-Camp to the Governor General.

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## To Attend Freight Rates Conference

Premier J. Walter Jones informed the Guardian last night that he and the other six Provincial Premiers who have expressed their disapproval of the 30 per cent freight-rate increase recently granted the Canadian railways, will meet Prime Minister King and his Cabinet in Ottawa on July 20 to discuss the matter further. The Premiers of Ontario and Quebec will not be present.

## Largest Baby Is Normal 12-Year-old

ANDOVER, N.B., July 11—(CP)—Robert Fimmimore, who was one of the largest babies ever born alive, observed his 12th birthday Saturday. He weighed 17 pounds four ounces at birth and has grown to a normal 80-pound sixth grade student.

## SCIENTIFIC WRITER DIES

NASSAU, Bahamas, July 11—(AP)—Dr. Charles Sumner Doley, 92, author of many scientific books and founder of the first biochemical laboratory in the United States, died Saturday.

## Sees Russia Facing Severe Political Crisis

WOODFORD, Essex, England, July 11—(CP)—Winston Churchill suggested Saturday that the Kremlin is wrestling with a severe Russian political crisis.

The denunciation of Yugoslavia at a time when the Berlin crisis was at its height indicated this, the wartime prime minister told a Conservative Party rally in his home constituency. At the same time he cautioned that the Western Allies can yield on the Berlin issue only at the risk of a third world war.

Recalling the Communist information bureau's denunciation of Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia, Churchill said of Russia's rulers: "Their prime interest is to preserve their personal power over the hundreds of millions of people of many different races whom they rule with a rod of iron."

"We cannot tell what internal stresses are at work in this grim oligarchy. It would seem to me that they must be very severe at the present time and that one part of the dictatorship is working separately or even contrary to the other."

Churchill called the present period of waiting for a Russian reply to western protest notes on the Berlin blockade "an anxious hour."

"It must not be forgotten that with Russia we are dealing not with a free nation that can express its free will, but with 13 men in the Kremlin who have made themselves the masters of the brave Russian people and who rule them with far more dictatorship than was ever shown by any Russian Czar since the days of Ivan the Terrible."

"No one can tell what these 13 holo-causts in the Kremlin will do. They do not reason as we do in the western world."

## Reforestation Of P. E. Island Areas Under Discussion

The Forest Committee of the Maritime section, Canadian Society of Forestry Engineers, expressed the opinion Saturday that additional areas in Prince Edward Island could be re-forested in order to prevent erosion and to maintain an adequate soil water table.

This opinion, the committee said, was also held by local authorities who were concerned with the rapid depletion of the Island's remaining forests.

The Committee was impressed, the report stated, with the beauty of the Province and with its vigorous tree growth. Nowhere, the report said, was there greater interest in the development of woodlots than in Prince Edward Island.

The Maritime section of the Society concluded its three-day summer meeting in Charlottetown on Saturday morning. While the visiting members made it plain that the meeting was not primarily one for the consideration of any

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## Fishery Research Work To Be Done Off Alberton

### Saint John Has Brief Hailstorm

SAINT JOHN, N.B., July 11—(CP)—For five minutes this afternoon Saint John was battered by the largest hailstones seen here in at least 20 years. They measured one-half to one inch in diameter. The storm came down the St. John River Valley, but most of the hail appeared confined to the Saint John area. There were some reports of broken or cracked windows but no extensive damage was indicated.

## Pravda Attacks Two Canadians

MOSCOW, July 11—(AP)—Pravda, organ of the Communist Party, today attacked a group of Canadian and United States officials for "arms banditism."

Those attacked were Louis St. Laurent, Canadian Minister of External Affairs; Brooke Claxton, Canadian Defence Minister; Gen. Carl Spaatz, former chief-of-staff of the United States Air Force; Gen. Omar Bradley, United States chief of staff; William H. Draper, United States undersecretary of the army; John Sullivan, United States navy secretary; and Kenneth Royall, United States army secretary.

St. Laurent and Claxton were represented as "the servants of Wall Street in Canada."

Pravda asserted the Canadian and American leaders are attempting to create a "war psychosis" which "evidently is needed by certain persons for their selfish purposes."

## Fire At Sea Costly To N. S. Fisherman

MONCTON, N.B., July 12—(Monday)—(C P)—A fire-filled finale to a disastrous Northumberland Strait fishing season nearly claimed the life of 37-year-old Capt. Allan Harnish of Hubbards, N.S., late Friday night.

Details of a fire at sea off Cape Tormentine, 70 miles from here, were learned early today. Capt. Harnish suffered severe burns about the shoulders and right leg, and fractured his left leg in the blaze that wrecked his fishing boat and all equipment. His loss was estimated at approximately \$10,000.

Harnish and a crew of two had sailed for Nova Scotia and the tuna fishing season when an explosion, followed by fire, occurred on his boat. The two crew members

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## Seven Poisoned By Butterscotch Pie

SAINT JOHN, N.B., July 11—(CP)—Seven Saint John residents have been treated for food poisoning after eating butterscotch pie. Two remained in hospital tonight but their condition was improving.

Investigation showed the pies came from different places. Police continued inquires on a theory the fault might lie in a manufactured filling.

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## Speculation On Next Russian Move In Berlin

By ALEX H. SINGLETON  
LONDON, July 11—(AP)—Russia may agree to the Western Powers' demand that the blockade of Berlin be lifted, but with stiff, perhaps unacceptable conditions attached.

That was the private opinion of western diplomats as they weighed possible courses today which Russia could take in replying to the sharp protests Britain, the United States and France made public Friday night.

Speculation in London was based on the premise that Russia does not want a shooting war, and that Soviet plans and provocations are aimed at undermining western influence without forcing a showdown.

It was regarded as possible that Russia thus may counter with an agreement to suspend at least temporarily its ban on road, rail and barge traffic into Western Berlin, provided:

1. The Western Powers agree to a new meeting soon of the Big Four Foreign Ministers to discuss

the problems of Germany as a whole.

2. The Western Powers halt, pending outcome of such a meeting, their plans for creating a separate Western German government.
3. Qualified observers pointed out that Russia may get a flat refusal if she asks for a Big Four Foreign Ministers meeting. These observers said that while the Western Powers ruled out the question of withdrawal from Berlin, they had these courses open:
  1. Continue indefinitely their mass effort to supply Western Berlin by air.
  2. Lay the question before the United Nations Security Council. Here, however, the Russians could use their veto.
  3. Send in a military convoy of supplies to determine whether Russia would resort to force to stop delivery.
  4. Put the entire question before the United Nations General Assembly at its September meeting in Paris.

## First Step To Prepare For July 15 Tie-up

Passengers Told Not To Depend On Train Travel After Midnight Wednesday.

MONTEAL, July 11—(CP)—Canada's railways tonight took the first step to prepare for the possible July 15 rail strike by ordering an embargo on acceptance of perishable commodities for shipment and warning that they might not be able to continue passenger train operations after the walkout deadline.

The Railway Association of Canada acting on behalf of the Canadian Pacific, Canadian National, Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo and Ontario Northland Railways, said other freight and express shipments will be accepted "subject to delay."

The embargo against acceptance of shipments of livestock, live poultry and perishable commodities by freight, was to become

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TORONTO, July 11—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:—Victoria 17, 8; Edmonton 54, 80; Regina 57, 86; Winnipeg 69, 80; Toronto 66, 83; Ottawa 65, 90; Montreal 71, 89; Quebec 70, 87; Saint John 71, 89; Charlottetown 61, 79; Sydney 56, 58; Yarmouth 63, 72.

HALIFAX, July 11—(CP)—Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until midnight Monday.

Synopsis: There were scattered thundershowers over the Maritimes Sunday. Warm humid air from the Southern States covered the district and a weak disturbance had developed in New Brunswick. Temperatures inland reached the 90's but near the coast, some places reported a maximum of only 60 degrees. There was widespread fog at sea and this drifted in to some coastal sections in the evening. Inland it was hazy and some fog can be expected to form during the night. A mass of cooler air is approaching from the northwest and will spread into New Brunswick during the night and cover most of the district by Monday evening. Scattered thundershowers can be expected again on Monday.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island: Cloudy during the night. Showers or thundershowers Monday morning. Clearing, cooler in the evening. Light winds. Low early Monday morning and high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 60 and 70. High tide this afternoon at 2:51 and tonight at 3:49. Sun sets this evening at 7:46 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:28. First quarter moon July 16, 7:34 a. m. Summerside tide 16 minutes later than Charlottetown. Daily Except Sunday CAR FERRY "ABEGWEIT" Standard Time Leaves Borden, 9:10 a. m., 1 p. m., 4:30 p. m., 9 p. m. Leaves Tormentine, 10:35 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 7:30 p. m. SUNDAY Leaves Borden 9:10 a. m., 1:00 p. m. and 6:45 p. m. Leaves Tormentine 10:35 a. m., 3:00 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. WOOD ISLANDS — CARIBOU Daily including Sunday Standard Time Leaves Wood Islands, Prince Nova 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 3 p. m. Charles A. Dunning, 9 a. m., 1 p. m., 5 p. m. Leaves Caribou, Charlie A. Dunning Nova, 9 a. m., 1 p. m., 5 p. m. Prince 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 3 p. m.

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