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BEGINNING TODAY

(Wednesday) And Balance of the Week

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HIGH TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY - The temperature went up to 87° yesterday, one of the hottest days of the year. Experiment to State official said last night. The humidity was 66.

FIREMEN CALLED - Firemen were called to extinguish a fire in a C.N.R. boxcar near the City dump at a subway block yesterday. The blaze was extinguished quickly.

ROSES FROM GERMANY - Mrs. Nelson Roberts, New London, received for her birthday one dozen roses from Germany who is now serving in Germany.

RETIRED SHORTLY - Mr. J. Lighter, Master Mechanic and Assistant Superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Division, C.N.R., is retiring in September, forty years' service on the railway.

STILL OFFERING oranges at special price of 60¢ per box. Also in stock celery, tomatoes, lemons, grapefruit, onions. R. D. Quigley & Co., Ch'Wtown. Phone 186. 8-22-11

TO ATTEND MEETINGS - Mr. Gordon Holmes, Crown Prosecutor, left this morning for Montreal where he will attend the meetings in connection with the Uniformity of Legislation, Criminal Section. He expects to be absent from the city for about ten days.

POLICE CHIEF AT CONVENTION - Chief of Police A. Birwistle left the city yesterday for the convention of the Chief Constables' Association of Canada at London, Ontario, August 21-24. He is accompanied by Mrs. Birwistle. He expects to be absent from the city for about ten days.

APPOINTED RECTOR - Rev. Edward Baldwin, a native of Baldwin's Road, P.E.I., has been appointed Rector of the Holy Redeemer parish in Montreal, Quebec. He is the son of the late Rev. Arthur Baldwin, who was transferred to Toronto. Father Baldwin comes here from the parish of St. John the Evangelist, London, Ont. Rev. John Mackinnon, of Grand Prairie, Alberta, and Rev. E. A. Robert, of Montreal, Quebec, were also present at the appointment.

BULBS FROM HOLLAND - Mrs. Gordon MacMillan, Cornwall, was delighted to receive a parcel of tulip bulbs from Holland with the following message, dated Holland, July 25th: "Dear Mrs. MacMillan, I have in town yesterday getting some bulbs to send home and seeing pictures of flowers in a beautiful flower garden of Prince Edward Island, so thinking some tulips from there, might be of interest to you, we decided to get a few and send them along. Yours truly, Patrick McKaskill and Andrew Gass."

PERSONALS - Mr. Ira Hughes has left for his home in New Glasgow, N.S., after visiting his sister and brothers in Harrington.

Mrs. Hazel Carr of Charlottetown is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr, New London.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith have motored from Rockland, Mass., to visit her sister, Mrs. Rowe Hughes, Harrington, who is operated on in the P.E.I. Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Birt, Cape Tormentine, is a patient in the New Glasgow Hospital, Amherst, N.S.

The many friends of Mrs. Daniel McKaskill will regret to learn that she is a patient in the P.E.I. Hospital, and hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. Jack Williamson of the Customs at Halifax, and Mrs. E. G. Edgerly of the Douglas St. Hotel, are visiting at 1 Douglas St. with the latter's mother, Mrs. L. P. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGrath C.N.R. Halifax, who were guests at the Douglas St. Hotel, are back to Brackley Beach for a few weeks.

Messrs. Augustine and Lawrence Bernards of Harper Road spent a few days recently in the city.

Mrs. Ernest H. Francis and daughters Mrs. Reta Stegford and Miss Elsie Francis of Annapolis are leaving on a trip to Milton, Mass.

Prof. A. R. Kendall and Mrs. Kendall of this city are spending a two weeks vacation in Amherst, N.S. guests of the former's brother, Mr. W. R. Kendall and Mrs. Kendall.

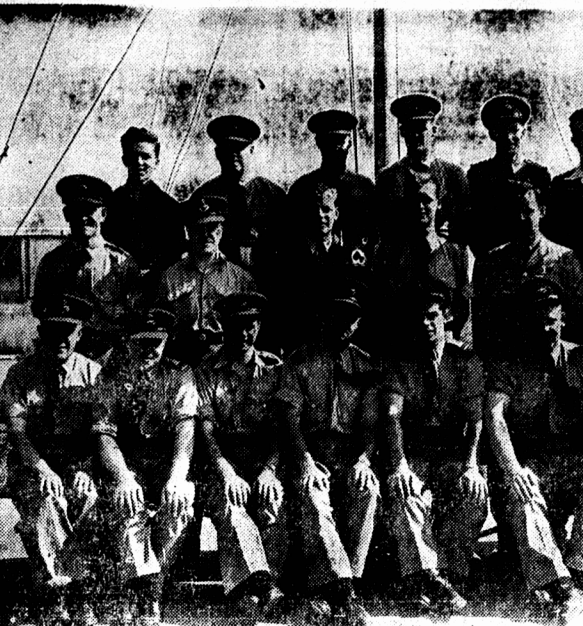
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Air Cadet Officers



R. C. A. F. Air Cadet officers class together with front row: Mr. L. W. A. Gaudet, Summerside, R. C. A. F. instructor who finished their course in Summerside yesterday. Fourth from the right in the third row from the right in the front.

Family Allowance Figures Released

(By The Canadian Press) OTTAWA, Aug. 21—The average family allowance per family in Canada is \$14.18 a month, Health Minister Claxton disclosed today in making public at a press conference the amount paid in allowances in July and August. A total of \$17,560,924 was paid in July to 1,237,754 families with 2,956,844 children under 16. It was estimated that in August 1,300,000 families with 3,104,400 children under 16 would receive \$18,440,136. Families in Quebec and Ontario received \$10,784,725 last month. Those in the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia received \$4,828,682, and families in the Maritimes \$1,947,517.

White Quebec has a high proportion of families with a large number of children the average is 2.9 children under 16 with the average for the Dominion being 2.4 children per family receiving allowances.

In Quebec the average allowance per child is slightly less than in the other provinces, but the average allowance per family is rather more, said Mr. Claxton. He re-

Table with 3 columns: Province, Number of Families Receiving Allowances, Number of Children, Total Allowances. Includes data for P.E. Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia.

Mr. Claxton said the average allowance per child worked out to \$5.94. The scale of allowances is \$5 a month for a child less than six; \$6 a month for a child between six and 13; and \$8 a month for a child between 13 and 16. Families with incomes of less than \$1,200 receive their full allowance and income tax exemptions, as do families with incomes of \$1,200 to \$3,000.

Registrations for allowances are not compulsory and may be made at any time when the application by about \$3,000 exemptions are exempted.

Towers Restaurant and intersection to the Queen's Arms. Heard later it was Lawson Crosby. On further investigation witness learned that Crosby had stopped out of the Spencer car when the accident occurred. The occupants of the Spencer car had noticed the vehicle approaching, but did not stop. He told the jury of picking up portions of grapefruit and of how he had seen the car.

He then told the jury of chasing a vehicle which had turned right a lane way a short distance from the Spencer car and of stopping it a quarter of a mile away. Fragment of what appeared to be grapefruit were adhering to the vehicle which he thought was a 1936 or 1937 truck. Witness' opinion was, after examination of truck that it was the vehicle responsible for the impact at the Spencer automobile.

Continuing, witness said that after Stanley Pursey had been taken to the R.C.M.P. Barracks, he appeared to be very nervous and in no condition for questioning. On August 14th Alan Pursey, a brother of Stanley Pursey, had reported to the R.C.M.P. headquarters and had given a statement which stated that he had come to Charlottetown with his brother and Wes Russell on Saturday night from Rustico. He had slept most of the time until arriving at Russell's in Charlottetown. A statement was also obtained from Stanley Pursey in which he told of leaving Simpson's, Charlottetown, Saturday night with orders to be delivered around Rustico. He told of being stopped by the R.C.M.P. for license, etc., but that he couldn't produce license as he had lost his wallet.

Continuing his evidence Corporal Roomie told of finding empty bottles in the back of truck and a bottle of vanilla extract under the seat of the cab. At the time of finding bottles there was a distinct odor of liquor off them.

Constable W. H. Warner, R.C.M.P., corroborated the previous witness' testimony and in addition told of an occupant of the truck getting out and running away from the vehicle while he and Stanley Pursey were making an examination of it. Asked as to Stanley Pursey's condition at that time he said Pursey was highly nervous or either was not sober. He hadn't smelled any liquor off him, witness said.

Officer L. F. M. Strang of the R.C.M.P. told of taking pictures at the scene of the accident on Sunday afternoon. Same were produced in evidence and shown to the jury.

Other Witnesses John Spencer, in his testimony told of inviting the deceased to a drive home when he met him in Wheatley's Grocery Store on Saturday night around midnight. On approaching witness' home he asked Crosby if he would get out there or wait until witness had taken care of his (witness) yard. Mr. Crosby had decided to get out then and Spencer had warned deceased not to get out until a car that was approaching had passed. The witness heard a crash and felt slight jolt in the car. He then described how after getting out of his car he had some book a distance and saw the body of deceased lying on pavement. He was lying face up with his feet pointed toward the Spencer car. He had spoke to Mr. Crosby but had received no answer. He then went on to tell of halting a car and taking Mr. Crosby to hospital.

Questioned by the Coroner Spencer said he could not tell whether the car that was approaching was a truck or not.

Mrs. John Spencer, wife of the previous witness gave much the same evidence as her husband. She was definite that the car that had passed them was a truck and after the crash she had gotten out of her husband's car and endeavored to get the number of the truck but failed to do so.

John Spencer Jr., the other occupant of the Spencer car told of seeing the approaching car come over to their side of the road as it approached the car. Crosby was close to them when a truck and after witness said. He thought that the vehicle was a truck he answered when questioned, and it looked to be an international and to have green sheath iron sides.

Miss Myrtle McKay, clerk at Wheatley's grocery, was the last witness testifying that on Saturday night, August 11th she had sold the late Mr. Crosby two glass jars of grapefruit and two tins of a drive home.

MARRIAGES

TRETHEWEY - CARE - At St. James' Church, Charlottetown, P.E.I., the United Church Parsonage of Margate on August 20th, 1945 by Rev. E.J.O. Fraser, B.D., Ruby Frances Carr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson of Kensington, P.E.I., to Harold Gold Trethewey of New Germany, N.S.

MACALLUM - FINLAYSON - At St. James United Church Manse, West Covehead, P.E.I., on Monday, Aug. 20, 1945, by Rev. Thomas Wilson, B.Sc., John Cairns MacAllum of Brackley Beach, P.E.I., and Evelyn Margaret Finlayson of Bangor, P.E.I.

COMPTON - COMPTON - In the Kirk of St. James, Charlottetown, August 20th, 1945, by the minister, Rev. T. H. Bussell Somers, M.A., S.T.M., Ellen Compton of Bangor, P.E.I., and Donald Benjamin Compton of Bangor, P.E.I.

McFADYEN - DINGWELL - At Trinity Church, Charlottetown, on Wednesday, August 15, 1945, Pearl Idella Dingwell and Neil Charles McFadyen, both of Charlottetown, Rev. Margaret MacKinnon officiating.

ALLAN - COX - At Trinity United Church, Charlottetown, Aug. 20, 1945, by Rev. E. F. Coffin, Miss Margaret Campley Allan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allan, Charlottetown, to John Clare Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cox, Shelburne, N.S.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Rowe Hughes, Harrington, wishes to thank Doctors, Nurses, Neighbours and friends who were so kind to her during her operation in the P.E.I. Hospital, for the kindness of the staff of Harrington Institution for sending fruit. 8-22-11

BIRTHS

CAMERON - At the P. E. I. Hospital on Aug. 18, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, Clyde River a son.

McMILLAN - At the P.E. Island Hospital on Aug. 21st, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan a son.

LARSEN - In this City on Aug. 18, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. William Larsen a daughter.

N. D. MacLean

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WANTED - IN HOME WERE modern conveniences, including electric range, an efficient and good for general housework and good plain cooking. \$10.00. Apply references, full name and address. 8-22-11

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Furniture: 3 bedroom suites complete; chesterfield suite; bookcase; 2 extension tables; library table; 1 fire basket; 2 heating stoves; washing machine; 2 cupboards and a large quantity chairs, tables and cooking utensils now on premises.

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Uranium Hunt Toughest Job Ever Tackled

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE Associated Press Science Editor NEW YORK, Aug. 21 (AP) - Plutonium, the bomb's fuel, is the rarest uranium 235 is the key to atomic power.

It makes the atomic fire that produces plutonium by alchemy, and there is no other way of getting plutonium.

The use of plutonium to fuel atomic power houses would multiply by 100 times the world's uranium power resources. But if the supply of rare uranium is not plentiful, it would not be feasible by present known methods to make any more plutonium. Consequently, even before the war ended, scientists planned to extract the precious 235 for atomic fires only by power.

The fact that there is even as much as seven-tenths of one per cent of 235 in the common 238 form of uranium is one of the lucky breaks in scientific history. Had this tiny fraction been a little smaller, it would have been far more difficult, and perhaps impossible at this time, to make atomic power or bombs.

The tiny percentage is just about enough, when common uranium is treated with electric brick ovens, to set up a chain reaction. This means that common uranium is a ready-made atomic fuel. It also means that plutonium atomic fires may be made by using as fuel the uranium which has been concentrated by processes found in the war.

Man probably never before undertaken a task as difficult as the separation of uranium 235 from the more common metal. If 1,000,000 of these individual uranium atoms were concentrated on the point of a pin they still would be invisible to human eyes without a microscope—and for many types of atoms even a microscope would not see that number.

The problem is like trying to recover needles from a haystack 1,200 feet high but in this atomic world there are billions of such

haystacks, with one uranium needle in each. In 1941 when the separation skill of science had been unable to produce enough of the common uranium in metallic form to make more than a few thin dimes. There was no known method of producing the thousands of tons required. When uranium metal was finally available, a far harder job still lay ahead, to separate the neutrons from the atomic blast. Actual-ly six different methods were tried successfully to extract a little of the pure 235, dissolving it in liquid, whirling it in high speed centrifuges and electrolytic means.

Tomorrow: Man may destroy himself with the atomic bomb, but he can't destroy the earth.

Coal Commission Continues Hearings

MONTREAL, Aug. 21—(CP)—Recommendations for the removal of a duty on American anthracite and against the extension of freight subsidies on Canadian Maritime coal were heard today by the Royal Commission investigating the coal industry.

The Commission listened to views of a number of coal distributors in the second and final day of hearings in the Montreal area. The submissions fell into two groups—those concerned with anthracite used largely for domestic heating in the Montreal area, and those dealing with bituminous coal used for industrial purposes.

In several districts a readiness was expressed to extend the use of Canadian coal if it could be suitably prepared and sold at competitive prices with American fuels.

The proposal to wipe out the present duty of 50 cents a ton on American anthracite came from a group of five Montreal distributors. The dealers had formed part of a group of nine who yesterday submitted a general brief urging that anthracite be made available to Canadian householders at the lowest possible cost.

The companies said that no anthracite was available in Canada and that American anthracite should be allowed to compete on an even basis with domestic coal, which is not subject to the 50 cent duty.

Trade Problems Arise As U. S. Ends Lend-Lease

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INQUEST INTO

(Continued from Page 1) tired to bring in the above verdict. Mr. Gordon C. Holmes represented the Crown.

Dr. E. S. Giddings, the first witness told the jury of making a superficial examination of an accident victim who died at the Prince Edward Island Hospital. The man was in a coma and there were abrasions about the face with a compound fracture of the right upper arm.

The man's pulse was rapid and his condition bad. He died on the following day (Sunday), witness testified.

Continuing, Dr. Giddings stated that in his conjunction with Dr. H. H. Pierce he conducted an autopsy on the body of the deceased and went on to describe the various injuries which included broken ribs, abrasions around the head and pleural haemorrhage.

There was no evidence of fracture of the skull but in the witness' opinion death was caused by an intra-cranial haemorrhage and shock, caused by a blow or a fall on the head.

Dr. H. H. Pierce corroborated the previous witness' testimony, also stating that in his opinion death was caused by intra-cranial haemorrhage and shock.

Police Evidence Cpl. W. S. Roome, R.C.M.P., told of being in company with Constable W. H. Warner on Malpeque highway at the Towers restaurant on Saturday night, August 11. Had noticed a car coming from the direction of Summerside and had instructed Constable Warner to stop the vehicle, which was done. Warner then called to witness to follow him to town as he was proceeding with the car on the question. Witness did so and arrived at P. E. I. Hospital, Roomie found out that car had been proceeding with an injured man who had been picked up from the highway a short distance between the