

God never meant that man  
should scale the heavens by strides  
of human wisdom.

Mountains interposed make ene-  
mies of nations who otherwise  
would be one.

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# WEST INDIES TOWN OF CASTRIES DESTROYED BY FIRE

## U. S. Stops Rail Shipments Into Berlin

### Anti-Confederation Campaign in St. John's

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 20—(CP)—Anti-confederates Saturday night placarded this Newfoundland capital with posters reading "Confederation means British union with French Canada."

### Coming Events

- Unloading wheat Monday, \$2.70 per cwt. McGuigan & Boyle.
- Clean up day at Brookfield Cemetery postponed till June 29th.
- Movies, Kingston, Tuesday, "Wild Beauty." A real thriller.
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- Movies—Sturgeon, Thursday, "Bred Beauty." A deal thriller.
- Ice Cream Social, Tryon United Church grounds, June 26th.
- Dance every Tuesday St. Peter's Legion Hall, Clifford's Orchestra.
- Special meeting of Summerfield Credit Union tonight, June 21, 1948.
- Shipment of Fertilizer sowers just arrived at Massey Harris, Kensington, Oliver Campbell.
- Come to the big dance at Borden Friday, June 25th. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Dance Breadalbane Thursday, June 24th. Rolfe MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Hear Col. Reid address the Junior Farmers at Central Bedeque Hall, Tuesday evening, June 22nd.
- Meeting Bedeque Scarlet Chapter Monday, June 21st, at Bradalbane.
- See Kingsboro Players present "Melvina's Courtship," Pownall Hall, June 22nd, at 8.30 P. M.
- Rev. E. R. MacWilliam will show moving pictures free at Belfast on Monday, June 21, 8.30 p.m.
- See "Hillbilly Hospitality" presented in Mt. Stewart Theatre Monday, June 21, by Marshfield-Dunstaffnage Y. P. U.
- Meeting of Liberal Poll Committee of Johnson's River Poll, Johnson's River school, Tuesday, June 22nd, 8.30 p.m.
- The Temperance Federation requests ministers to use the 27th as they think best for plebiscite purposes.
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- See Marshfield-Dunstaffnage 3-act comedy "Hillbilly Hospitality" in Mount Stewart Theatre Monday, June 21st.
- Concert by the Inter-Community Choral Club, assisted by Charlotteville talent, in Victoria Hall, Thursday, June 23rd at 8.30.
- Parkdale Players will present "Mama's Baby Boy," a three act comedy in C. M. E. A. Hall, Vernon River, Wednesday, June 23. Dancing afterwards.
- Parkdale Players will present "Mama's Baby Boy," a three act comedy in Harrington Hall, Monday, June 21st.
- The Annual Convention of W. C. T. U. will be held in Summerside, Thursday, June 24th, at 3.30 P. M.
- Matinee Races, Strawberry Race Track, New Glasgow, June 23rd. Three classes, also matched race. Laddie Dale, Mack Ferguson, Ross Marie, Jos. O. Gallant.
- C. C. F. Club Meetings, Kingston, Monday, June 21st, Kensington, Friday, June 25th, at J. A. MacKenzie's. Guest speaker will be George Walton, Past Provincial President. Everyone welcome.
- Everybody saying "meet yuh" at the Fun-fest, South Freetown school grounds, June 22nd, 9.30 p.m. An evening of songs, dances, and the playing of musical instruments. We'll broadcast the big fight, too. Be seen' yuh.

## Presidential Hopefuls At Philadelphia For Republican Convention

### Memorial Day Observed By War Veterans

Between four and five hundred returned men of two World Wars observed Memorial Day Sunday yesterday when they paraded to services at Trinity United Church and the Roman Catholic Basilica. The parade was headed by the Band of the 17th Recce Regiment under Bandmaster Thomas MacFarlane.

### Three Drowned When Car Rolls Off Wharf

BERTHIER, Que., June 20—(CP)—Three young men were drowned near here today when the car in which they were riding rolled off a wharf.

### FIRE AT C. N. E. PLANT

TORONTO, June 20—(CP)—More than \$4,000 damage was caused by a fire which broke out in the southeast section of the coliseum at the Canadian National Exhibition Saturday. Firemen battled spontaneous combustion for the blaze which spread to a kitchen and lunch counter on the second floor.

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## May Supply 10,000 Troops By Plane

BERLIN, June 20—(AP)—The United States army tonight stopped sending supplies into Berlin by rail for the American population. The action was taken rather than submit the trains to Soviet inspection.

## Rotarians Gather Here For District Convention

About fifty visitors, the vanguard of 500 Rotarians and their wives, from all parts of Eastern Canada, Newfoundland and Maine, are in Charlottetown awaiting the opening tomorrow of the 192nd District Conference and Assembly of Rotary.

## Takes Reconstruction Minister Howe To Task

OTTAWA, June 20—(Special)—At the Saturday session of the Commons, W. Chester S. McLure, Progressive Conservative member for Queen's took Reconstruction Minister Howe sharply to task for failing to implement the recommendations of regional reconstruction committees.

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## Provinces Ignore Transport Board

OTTAWA, June 20—(CP)—Deadline for the filing of initial submissions in the government's projected general freight-rate inquiry came Saturday with the Provinces still ignoring the Board of Transport Commissioners.

## Two Killed When Car Goes Over Bank Of River

GRAND FALLS, N.E., June 20—Two men were killed and a third escaped injury by jumping clear today when a car hurled over the bank of the St. John River and crashed to a ledge 200 feet below.

## Parliament At-A-Glance

(By The Canadian Press)  
External Affairs Minister St. Laurent indicates Canada is not likely to enter regional defence pacts unless the U.S. participates.

## Anglican Archbishop Arrives In England

LIVERPOOL, June 20—(Reuters)—Rev. George F. Kingston, Archbishop of Nova Scotia and Anglican Primate of Canada, arrived here Saturday on the liner Empress of Canada with a large entourage of Anglican and Episcopalian churchmen for the Lambeth Conference in London next month.

## Pleasant Grove Boy Fatally Injured In Highway Accident

Francis McDougall, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDougall, Pleasant Grove, was fatally injured by a car yesterday afternoon while riding a bicycle on the main road near his home.

## Stresses Need Of Support For Home Defense

Every young Canadian has a duty to his country at this time to serve either in the active or reserve defense forces, declared Lt. Col. C. I. Merritt, V.C., M.P., in an address to members of the United Services Officers' Club here Saturday night.

## Do-or-die Fight For Old Parties In Quebec

QUEBEC, June 20—(CP)—With training camps barely opened, the July 26 battle of provincial ballots shapes up as a do-or-die fight for Quebec's two major parties in the opinion of political observers here, campaign organizers included.

## Damage Will Run Into Millions

(By The Canadian Press)  
CASTRIES, St. Lucia, Windward Island, June 20—An eight-hour fire last night and early today all but wiped out this island capital of 24,000 persons. No lives were lost.

## U. S. Wheat Exports Back In Private Hands

WASHINGTON, June 20—(CP)—United States wheat exports, long handled and controlled by the Commodity Prices Corporation, are to be put back in private hands, it was learned here today.

## Greek Army Launches Offensive In Civil War

ATHENS, June 20—(AP)—The Greek Army threw six divisions, supported by artillery and air power, into the Northern Pinakia Mountains tonight in an effort to break the back of the Communist revolution. It was estimated that more than 70,000 troops launched the greatest offensive of the civil war.

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## A BIRD IN THE HAND IS WORTH TWO FROM THE GALLERY



TORONTO, June 20—(CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Vancouver 55-66; Edmonton 61-77; Regina 46-68; Winnipeg 51-79; Toronto 55-79; Ottawa 51-79; Montreal 55-76; Quebec 57-72; Saint John—71; Moncton 46-72; Halifax 48-69; Charlottetown 48-65; Sydney 45-63; Yarmouth 47-62.

## Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island—Variable cloudiness

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OF CANADA

## FLOUR

BECAUSE WE PACK OURS  
100 LBS. TO THE BAG... NOT 98 LBS.