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OF A
MERE MAN
Wealth is the conjurer's devil;
whom when he thinks he hath, the
devil hath him.

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me death.

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COMMANDER OF MAGNIFICENT RELIEVED OF POST

Serious Outbreak Of Cutworms Reported In P. E. I.

Expect Parliament To Meet In September

Cabinet Changes Looked For; New Taxation Agreement With Provinces Likely.

EDITOR, PUBLISHER DIES
NEW YORK, June 28—(AP)—William T. Griffin, 51, editor and publisher of the New York Enquirer, died today of a heart ailment. Griffin founded the Enquirer in 1929.

Coming Events

- Eldon Legion Dance, Flat River Hall, 1st July.
- Dance, Waterville School, June 30th. Good music.
- Don't forget the Blue Goose Snack Bar, De Sable.
- Reserve Wednesday, July 20th, Fenoic, North Rustico.
- Bornhays Institute Lawn Party postponed till later date.
- Dance Long River Hall every Wednesday. Good music.
- Mail your films to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- Dance, Mt. Stewart every Thursday, Eastern Rhythm Boys.
- Ice Cream Social, Rose Valley Church Grounds, Thursday, June 30th.
- House Dance, Ray Foster's Dinnatinnage, July 1st. Good music.
- Meeting Clyde L.O.B.A. Wednesday night. All members please attend.
- Hunter's River tonight at 8:30. "Gene Autry" in "Trail to San Antonio."
- Concert and Dance in St. Patrick's School, Lot 22, Wednesday, June 29th.
- Dance in St. Peter's Legion Hall every Tuesday night. Cliff Peters Orchestra.
- Rollo Bay Tea Wednesday, July 6th. The biggest event of the East. Reserve the date.
- This Store will be closed all day Friday, Dominion Day. J. F. Morris, Kinkora.
- Canadian Legion dance in Rustico Hall, Rustico, Wednesday, good music, refreshments.
- Dance and Ice Cream Festival, Tracadie, Monday, July 4th. McKenzie's Orchestra.
- Auld's Store, Harrington, will be closed Wednesday afternoon until further notice.
- Dance, The Barn, Montague, Friday, July 1st. New floor. Cliff Lilly's Orchestra.
- Dance, Ice Cream Festival and Bingo, Legion Rink, North Rustico, Thursday, June 30th.
- Blue Goose Snack Bar, De Sable, is now open. Sandwiches, ice cream, drinks, smokes.
- Marie Players in "The Little Coochopper", Kingsboro Hall, July 1st, 8:30. Women's Institute.
- Meeting of the Vernon Driving Club will be held at Dennis Docherty's, Friday, July 1st, 8:30 P. M.
- Come to the Island's Country Club, Travellers Rest, every Thursday evening for your dancing pleasure.
- Come to the Ice Cream and Dance, Bradalbane School, Thursday night, June 30th. McNeill's Orchestra.
- Come to Y. P. U. ice cream festival beside Mutch's Store, Mt. Herbert, Thursday night, June 30. If not fine Monday.
- Mr. W. R. Reek of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, and Mrs. Reek are visiting the Island and renewing old friendships.
- Corran Bann Hall, Wednesday, June 29th. Seven Mile Bay Players present "The Masquerade". Dance. Melody Boys Orchestra.
- Reserve Wednesday, July 6th, for Ice Cream Festival to be held in Carleton School. Sponsored by Carleton Women's Institute.
- Western Musical Show and dance, Lower Montague Hall, Wednesday, June 29, by Western entertainers. Time 9 p.m.

New East-West Squabble Touched Off By Russia

BERLIN, June 28—(AP)—Russia today touched off a new East-West squabble by seizing a truck convoy it approached Berlin from Western Germany. The vehicles carried vital power-plant machinery for West Berlin.

The first session of the new, Liberal-dominated Parliament will open in September, it was indicated today. Post-election speculation pointed to a renewal of Federal attempts to reach a financial and taxation agreement embracing all 10 provinces to open the way for broadened social security.

While Prime Minister St. Laurent prepared to return to Ottawa from Quebec City for a Cabinet meeting tomorrow, a wide field of potential legislative and administrative action opened up amid the accumulation of election results.

The field encompassed the possibilities of Cabinet reorganization, Senate appointments and reform, international commitments under the Atlantic Pact, further steps towards full national sovereignty and others.

The largest conjecture surrounded the practical prospects arising from Mr. St. Laurent's repeated campaign statements that the fundamental liberal aim is the widest possible distribution "of the good things of life" and his related pledge to keep striving for "a complete system of social security."

The heavy defeat of George Drew's Progressive Conservatives and Mr. St. Laurent's big triumphs in both Ontario and Quebec were seen as cues for a renewal of attempts to negotiate with those two provinces the sort of financial agreements that now have been accepted individually by seven others.

The 10th is Newfoundland which Mr. St. Laurent predicted will shortly come to terms.

Mr. St. Laurent said on the hustings that a general conference with the "Premiers of the Province" will be held at least by 1951 to discuss the sort of financial agreements now involving seven provinces.

From the legislative standpoint, the spending budget that initiated the heavy tax cuts in effect still needs parliamentary ratification.

A September opening is indicated because supply—spending money for the Government—was voted only until the end of the month before Parliament headed for the hustings at the end of April.

In time, Mr. St. Laurent is expected to revamp his Cabinet, possibly widen it, and hear the representatives of Toronto and Alberta and send some of its present members to the Senate, the Bench or the Diplomatic Corps. Immigration for one might become a separate portfolio.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Laurent are expected to vacation near Bathurst, N.B., within the fairly near future.

Internal Retrenchment Considered In Britain

LONDON, June 28—(CP)—Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was reported tonight to be studying proposals for banking quarters for drastic internal retrenchment in a move to protect sterling and Britain's falling gold reserves.

The proposals put to the Chancellor are said to include dearer money, cuts in imports from dollar countries, and a sharp reduction in Government spending to an extent impairing social progress towards the "welfare state."

The problem of the shrinking gold supply will be laid before the Cabinet at a conference here in July. Invitations have been sent to Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India, Pakistan and Ceylon.

Official British sources said the talks will center around the line of reasoning: all the Commonwealth countries except Canada are in the same boat. To keep from sinking they must slash their dollar-spending program.

They have to draw up a plan to protect the threatened stability of the sterling area, which, with the exception of South Africa, has pooled its gold and dollar resources.

An Ottawa dispatch said the Canadian Government probably will decide at its first post-election Cabinet meeting tomorrow whether to send Finance Minister Douglas Abbott to the London talks.

A Government source said the program "is mostly one which concerns the sterling area. It is one which Canada can do little about, since it deals with the shortage of dollars—both Canadian and United States."

The pound sterling dropped during the day to a low on the Paris free money market, selling at 145 per cent less than the official British rate. The quotation was 850 francs to the pound against 1,000 Monday and an official rate of 1,097.

The slump in the London stock market was checked, however, when buyers went bargain hunting after Monday's sharp fall.

Probe Death Near Fredericton, N. B.

(By The Canadian Press)
FREDERICTON, June 28—Circumstances relating to the death of Hayward Tibbets, 64, at Ripple last night were under R.C.M.P. investigation tonight.

His body was brought to Fredericton today for post-mortem examination by Dr. R. A. H. MacKeen, Saint John, provincial pathologist. An inquest will be held sometime next week after further investigation.

The death was said to have followed a fight between Tibbets and another man, also of Ripple, who allegedly accused Tibbets of providing liquor to the man's son and interfering with the father's attempts to take the son home.

Doctors Want Voluntary Medical Care Scheme

HALIFAX, June 28—(CP)—Dr. A. D. Kelly of Toronto told the annual Canadian Public Health Association convention today that Canada's doctors want a voluntary prepaid medical care scheme throughout the Dominion.

Dr. Kelly, associate secretary of the Canadian Medical Association, said a C. M. A. statement of policy also advocated Federal payment of outright health insurance premiums on behalf of persons unable to meet them.

The C. M. A. now was studying proposals to establish a national body to correlate existing provincial prepaid medical care schemes. An application for the incorporation of this body had been handed to the Government.

Dr. Kelly said there now are "care" plans functioning in six provinces, sponsored by the medical profession. Nova Scotia's Maritime Medical Care Incorporated was started in March and now had 2,000 members.

Establishment of care plans grew from an awareness among doctors that a potential demand existed for a method of budgeting against illness. This belief also held that practicing physicians were in a position to direct setting up of care schemes.

Dr. Kelly said: "We believe that the highest standards of medical practice are promoted by permitting patients to choose their medical advisers and the present opinion is that remuneration of doctors by fee-for-services also contributes to this end."

N. S. Ayrshire Breeders Enjoy Visit To Island

(By The Canadian Press)
HAMILTON, Ont., June 28—Mrs. Olive Dionne, 39-year-old mother of the Dionne quintuplets, will leave next week for Rome, her husband said today. She is expected to have an audience with the Pope.

She will be accompanied by Sister Aimee Des Anes, Superior of Villa Notre Dame, the quint's private school.

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The annual meeting of the Nova Scotia group was postponed from last evening to this morning at 9 o'clock at Birch Court.

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108-Year-Old Ontario Woman Casts Ballot

HAMILTON, June 28—(CP)—Probably the oldest person in Canada to cast a ballot in yesterday's Federal election was Hamilton's senior resident, Mrs. Walter (Susan) Partridge, who will be 108 years old on Aug. 6. She said she has recently changed her politics.

Couple Sentenced For Abandoning Children

SAINT JOHN, N. B., June 28—(CP)—Juvenile Court Judge L. M. Peppers today sentenced Joseph Cormier, 32, Francis, Kent County, to one year in jail on a charge of abandoning two children in Saint John June 20. Helen McKinnon, also Mrs. Joseph Cormier, was sentenced to one year in detention in the Good Shepherd's Home after pleading guilty to the same charge.

The children, a boy of 19 months and a girl aged eight months, were left outside St. Vincent's infant's home. Witnesses said the accused had lived as man and wife. Cormier, 52-year-old carpenter, said he had a wife and 16 children.

Naval Officers See Sea-Air Exercises

HALIFAX, June 28—(CP)—A crew of old salts sat off Halifax harbor today and watched their successors battle an air attack.

Some 15 members of the Canadian Naval Officers' Association were aboard the destroyer Noctua and the frigate Swanses during routine exercises. The aircraft, single-seat Firefly fighters from the Navy's Shearwater air base at nearby Dartmouth, "blasted" the ships with depth charges, rockets and machine-gun fire.

Later, anti-submarine equipment picked up the throbs of submarine engines. Noctua and Swanses "closed with the enemy"—the British submarine Tudor on loan to the Canadian Navy for anti-submarine training.

The C. N. O. A. convention continues tomorrow.

Return to Work

THEFTOR MINES, Que., June 28—(CP)—Some 2,500 employees of three asbestos-producing companies returned to their jobs in Theftor Mines and Black Lake, formally ending a long strike. At Asbestos, 70 miles away, more than 2,000 employees of the Canadian Johns-Manville Company continued the strike begun Feb. 13 for higher wages. The three companies whose men returned today at old pay rates are Quebec Asbestos Corporation, Johnson Mines, Ltd., and Flintlock Mines.

Court Martial Finds Him Guilty On Two Counts In Grounding Of Carrier

(By Houben Ciplin, Canadian Press Staff Writer)
HALIFAX, June 28—(CP)—A five-man navy court martial tonight dismissed Commodore G. R. (Gus) Miles, O.B.E., 47, of Rothesay, N.B., from command of the aircraft carrier Magnificent and sentenced him to be reprimanded.

The court martial, presided over by Admiral E. R. Mainigny, Atlantic Coast flag officer, convicted Commodore Miles, senior officer afloat, of "negligently or by default suffering" the 18,000-ton flat-top to be "hazarded" and "stranded" off Nova Scotia's south shore June 4.

The big ship had 200 feet of her bottom ripped out when she went aground off White Point Beach, 70 miles from Halifax, on what an officer aboard the carrier said was a "submerged, uncharted rock", 150 yards off shore. Tugged from her perch by the destroyer Haida, she later limped into Halifax and now is in dry-dock at Saint John, N.B., for repairs.

The court acquitted Commodore Miles on two charges of having hazarded and stranded the carrier by negligence or default. The investigation officer, Lt.-Cmdr. W. D. F. Johnston of Barnsted, Surrey, England, will stand on the same charges before a separate court martial tomorrow.

Navy officers said the court's findings will be sent to Ottawa for review by Defence Minister Claxton, who has the power to decrease but not add to the sentence.

Following the taking of evidence the court was cleared for 31 minutes. Then Commodore Miles, who took command of Magnificent last fall, was recalled to find his sword, resting on a polished table before the judges, pointing toward him in token of conviction.

The Court's Finding

The court's decision, read by Cmdr. V. W. Howland of Ottawa, judge advocate, said: "The court finds that charges (Continued on Page 5 Col. 8)



COMMODORE MILES

Annual Meeting Of Protestant Orphanage Bd.

A highly successful year was reported at the annual general meeting last night of the Protestant Orphanage trustees.

Mr. W. A. Stewart, chairman, Mrs. H. S. Henderson, vice chairman and Mr. Ira M. Brown, secretary treasurer, were re-elected.

Mrs. H. S. Henderson, chair of finances, reported the best year in the long history of the institution.

Total receipts from all sources were \$30,256.32. Of this amount \$10,980.63 was received from bequests and placed in the endowment fund. The Provincial Auxiliary raised \$11,538.95 for maintenance. The grand total in the endowment fund and in estates now stands at \$116,600.00. Mrs. Henderson stressed the fact that due to appalling high prices and the large number of children in the Home, the surplus for the year was a modest one.

Chairman's Review

Following is the report of Mr. W. A. Stewart, chairman of the (Continued on page 13, Col. 6)

Election Editorial Comment

By The Canadian Press
Frederick Gleaner (Independent)—The endorsement of the Liberal administration has been alike in each Province. Undoubtedly there must be a reflection upon the Province, individually and Provincial administrations which are linked with the Federal administration will be all the stronger. It is very likely that some readjustment in Federal-Provincial relationship must take place.

Winnipeg Free Press (Ind.-Lib.): "The rebuke to the St. Laurent Government in yesterday's election shows that the Canadian people approve the present policies of the nation and, with equal clarity, that they reject the lack of policy in the Conservative Party. Socialism has met a shattering and, as it may prove, a fatal defeat."

The Edmonton Bulletin (Ind.) commented: "The Liberal victory was due entirely to the fact that the Liberal Government was close to the realities and requirements of the people as a whole, while the Progressive Conservatives were remote from them."

Ottawa Citizen (Ind.-Liberal): "The rebuke to the Drew-Duplessis-Houde-McCullagh forces of reaction was on a scale unprecedented."

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Maximum penalty for conviction on the intimidation charge is two years in prison, with or without hard labor, plus a fine.

Nfld. Premier Ordered To Answer Election Charges

(By Joe MacSween)
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 28—(CP)—Premier Joseph Smallwood today was ordered to answer charges that he intimidated voters in the Federal riding of St. John's West. Hearing was set for July 7.

Magistrate Hugh O'Neill ruled today in a 2,000-word judgment that his court is competent to hear the charges brought against Newfoundland's Liberal Premier by W. J. Browne, retired district court magistrate. Mr. Browne was the successful candidate in St. John's West in yesterday's election.

Counsel for Mr. Smallwood had argued previously that the courts were not competent to deal with the charges because the Canadian Criminal Code still has not been proclaimed in the new Province and therefore no legal penalties could be imposed under the Dominion Election Act.

Magistrate O'Neill said: "I hold that there is authority in Newfoundland courts of summary jurisdiction to deal with offences against the Dominion Election Act, 1938, in a summary manner, and therefore cannot concede with the motion for dismissal."

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THE AVERAGE MAN IS ABLE TO DETECT A RATTLE IN THE CAR MORE QUICKLY THAN ONE IN HIS HEAD!

TORONTO, June 28—(CP)—Maximum and minimum temperatures: Victoria 47-57; Edmonton 48-71; Regina 45-85; Winnipeg 52-83; Toronto 66-83; Ottawa 54-79; Montreal 58-77; Quebec 54-79; Saint John 41-76; Moncton 41-76; Halifax 46-61; Charlottetown 47-74; Sydney 49-72; Yarmouth 51-62; St. John's 37-66.

HALIFAX, June 28—Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until Wednesday midnight:

Tuesday evening the weather was fine over the Maritimes. An area of high pressure that covers the district is moving very slowly and no important change is expected. Temperatures should remain above 40 during the night and rise to the 70's inland Wednesday.

Regional forecasts—

Prince Edward Island: Clear during the night and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature. Light winds. Low early Wednesday morning and high in the afternoon at Charlottetown 46 and 70.

High tide today at 1:16 A.M. and 12:16 P.M.
Sun rises this morning at 4:28 and sets at 8:03.

Borden Car Ferry Schedule

WEEK DAYS	
Lv. Borden	Lv. Cape Tormentina
9:10 A.M.	10:35 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	2:30 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	7:30 P.M.
9:00 P.M.	10:30 P.M.

SUNDAYS	
Lv. Borden	Lv. Cape Tormentina
9:10 A.M.	10:35 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
6:45 P.M.	8:00 P.M.

WOOD ISLANDS-CARIBOU	
DAILY FERRY	
Leave Wood Islands	
7 A.M.; 9 A.M.; 11 A.M.; 1 P.M.; 3 P.M.; 5 P.M.	
Leave Caribou	
7 A.M.; 9 A.M.; 11 A.M.; 1 P.M.; 3 P.M.; 5 P.M.	