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## NFLD. UNION HITS UNEXPECTED SNAG IN COMMONS

### AUSTRALIA PLANS HUGE BOMB-PROOF PLANTS

#### Pope Pius Declares Trial of Cardinal Outrage To Church

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The United States will build guided missile this year with wings up to 500 miles. Scientists and military authorities confidently expect to push that range on up to 5,000 miles. These prospects came out before a House of Representatives armed services sub-committee today in testimony before Congress to authorize spending of \$200,000,000 to build a 3,000-mile long range proving ground to test guided missiles.

#### Coming Events

- \*Skating Milton rink tonight, 8 till 10:30.
- \*Card Party, Dance, Little Pond Wednesday, February 16th.
- \*Mail your Films to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- \*Dance in Fort Augustus School, Tuesday, February 15th.
- \*GIRLS hockey practice Bedeque rink this afternoon 4 to 5.
- \*Dance in Millvale School, Tuesday night, February 15th. Refreshments.
- \*Crockinole Party in Fownall Hall, February 15th. Auspices Y. P. U.
- \*League game tonight Hunter River, South Rustico vs. Hunter River. Skate after.
- \*Pantry Sale at Prowse Bros., February 26th, sponsored by South Winsloe W. I.
- \*Legion Dances in South Rustico Hall, Wednesday, February 16th. Good music. Refreshments.
- \*Dance at Blue Haven tonight, three miles from Charlottetown on Malpeque Road. Door prize.
- \*Horse races at Stanley Wednesday, Feb. 16. Horses must be entered by 1:45. Classes starting at 2 p.m. sharp.
- \*Cornwall rink tonight, Winsloe vs. Cornwall Juniors, Maple Leaf All Stars vs. Cornwall C. C. First game 7:30.
- \*Hockey, New Glasgow Rink, tonight, Charlottetown Bombers vs. Hope River Red Wings. Game starts 8:30 sharp. Skate after.
- \*Hockey tonight, Long Creek Rink, New Haven Royals vs. Long Creek Beavers, 8 o'clock. Skate after.
- \*Co-operative meeting for Cross Roads, Alexandria and Pownal districts at Cross Roads School, Thursday, Feb. 17, at 8 p.m.
- \*Dance in Johnston's River School, Friday, February 18th. Dancing from 9 to 12:30. Sponsored by Junior Farmers.
- \*General Meeting to be held in Johnston's River School, Wednesday, February 16th, concerning Community Centre.
- \*Hockey game at North Rustico Rink Tuesday, Feb. 15 between New Glasgow and North Rustico. Game starts at 8:30. Skate after.
- \*Variety concert by Jimmy Povey, Clyde River Hall Friday, Feb. 18. Sale of baskets. Proceeds for hall. Ladies with baskets free.
- \*Hockey East Royals rink tonight, West Royals Beavers vs. Southport Ramblers. League game. Skate after.
- \*For plenty of laughs see "Heading for Heaven" plus "Laurel and Hardy" plus "Jesse James" at MacDonald Bros. Theatre, tonight.
- \*Women's Institute Dance in Cowhead Community Hall, February 15th. Drawing for car wrap. If no fine following fine night.
- \*Have car heated shavings for bedding purposes, unloading Tuesday and Wednesday, February 15th and 16th at Longworth Ave. Siding, Ellis Bros., Central Royals. Phone 1798-7.
- \*Unloading car Cafeteria Feeds Tuesday and Wednesday, February 15th and 16th at Longworth Ave. Siding, Ellis Bros., Central Royals. Phone 1798-7.

#### Farm Prices

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—Canadian farmers got a little more for their produce in December than the month before, said the Bureau of Statistics today reporting an increase of 1.5 points to 261.6 in the index number of farm prices. The Bureau said the gain reversed the downward trend evident for three months before. Increased prices for livestock, more than offsetting lower prices for some grains, potatoes, poultry and eggs, largely accounted for the upward movement in December. Average Maritime indexes for 1948 (1947 in brackets): Prince Edward Island, 237.9 (180.3); Nova Scotia, 214.1 (185.1); New Brunswick, 250.5 (199.6).

#### 2,100 Asbestos Miners Strike For Pay Boost

ASBESTOS, Que., Feb. 14 (CP)—More than 2,100 asbestos miners are idle at this Eastern Township town today following a union decision last night to strike against the Canadian Johns-Manville Company for higher wages. The strikers, members of the Syndicate of Asbestos Workers, are demanding wage boosts of 15 cents an hour. Their present hourly rate is 85 cents.

#### Murder and Suicide on Toronto-Montreal Train

MONTREAL, Feb. 14 (CP)—A sleeping car shooting tragedy that brought death to a Toronto couple, each married and with families, was pronounced murder and suicide by Montreal police today. Some time during the overnight Toronto-Montreal run, Earl Fauman, 39-year-old lawyer, fired a bullet into the head of Mrs. Martha Leona Kelly, 28-year-old registered nurse and wife of an Ontario police inspector. Fauman then sent a bullet into his own brain. No one heard the shots. The bodies, clad only in night attire, were found when the train ended its run here. The bodies were lying across the lower berth of the compartment. A .38-calibre revolver, believed to be that of the woman's husband, was in Fauman's hand. Two shots had been fired. Another .38-calibre revolver, with no shots fired, was found on the floor. In Toronto Inspector Frank Kelly, head of the Criminal Investigation Branch of the Ontario Provincial Police, said he had "expected trouble of this sort." He hadn't seen his wife since Thursday. Kelly married his wife about 10 years ago in St. Thomas, Ont. There is a six-year-old daughter. "I suspected this fellow," said Kelly. "I knew my wife had been in last night because there are a few things missing. My gun is gone." Fauman's 39-year-old widow broke down on learning of the tragedy and was ordered to bed by a physician. When neighbors came to the house to comfort her, she cried out: "I can't live. What will become of my little ones? I was sick last night and fainted and he walked out. He had been away all night. I knew something had happened to Earl." There are two small Fauman children, a boy and girl.

#### Bank Takes Brakes Off Capital Credit

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—Indications that extreme inflationary pressures are lessening today prompted the Bank of Canada to take the brakes off the use of general chartered bank credit for financing business capital expenditures. Graham Towers, governor of the Bank, coupled publication of the annual report with a notice to the chartered banks withdrawing a credit conservation "suggestion" he issued last February. The report itself, tabled in the Commons, gave a cautiously optimistic picture of Canada's financial progress but made no forecasts. At a press conference, Mr. Towers said Canada had fared better in the post-war years than many would have believed possible in 1944. In a supplementary statement concerning chartered bank credits, (Continued on Page 5 Col. 1)

#### Canadian Artist Dies In New York

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—Mrs. Norman MacLeod, Canadian artist who portrayed the work of the women's branches of the armed forces in oils for the National Gallery during the war, died in New York Saturday, it was learned here today. She was 44. She was the former Pegi Nichol of Ottawa. In 1929 she won the first prize in the Willingdon art competition. She organized the Observatory Art Centre at University of New Brunswick in Fredericton in 1940 and conducted the art school there for seven years.

#### U. A. W. Head Supports St. Lawrence Project

By George Ronald  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (CP)—Walter Reuther, president of the United Automobile Workers (U.A.W.), today once more pledged his union to support the St. Lawrence seaway and hydro project. "I think this is the year," he said, noting that some congressmen who fought the scheme in the past now are on record in support of it. Thomas J. Campbell of New York, markets editor of the magazine Iron Age, described a visit to the newly-discovered iron ore deposits in Labrador and Northern Quebec. More than 300,000,000 tons has been proven, he said. "As long as we face a cold war and the possibility of a shooting war, the United States cannot be caught short of iron ore," Campbell said. He noted that the proposed seaway is considered one way of transporting the Labrador iron to midwest steel mills.

#### Premier Jones Follows Debate on Newfoundland From Speaker's Gallery

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (Special)—In Ottawa today on provincial business, Premier J. Walter Jones had brief talks with five members of the Cabinet on matters which he explained to The Guardian's correspondent here "could not very well be discussed over the phone." For two hours this afternoon, Mr. Jones sat in the Speaker's gallery of the Commons following the debate on Newfoundland. His presence was remarked in the debate by Defence Minister Brooke Claxton who noted the interest of Prince Edward Island in the Canada-Newfoundland union agreement. Speaking to The Guardian after the debate, Premier Jones remarked that Opposition Leader George Drew was "off the track" in his suggestion that the Provinces should be consulted on the union agreement. There was, he said, no historical precedent for consultation with the provincial governments or legislatures regarding the entry into confederation of a new Province. "There was no consultation of this kind on the entry of confederation of our Province of Prince Edward Island, nor of British Columbia nor Manitoba. I don't see why such consultation should be necessary in the case of Newfoundland," the Premier said. In the speaker's gallery, the Prince Edward Island Premier was seated close to Joseph Smallwood, member of the Newfoundland delegation to Canada in 1947 and 1948. They exchanged whispered comments during the remarks of Mr. Drew and C.C.F. leader M. J. Coldwell. Mr. Jones recalled that Mr. Smallwood's father was born quite near his (the Premier's) farm in Prince Edward Island.

#### Murray Harbor Boys 2nd In Competition

TORONTO, Feb. 14 (CP)—The Triple "C" Tuxis Square group of Prince Albert, Sask., took the Dominion senior championship in the national athletic contest among church boys' groups for 1948. Officials of the National Boys' Work Committee of the Canadian Council of Churches announced today that out of a possible 600 points, the Prince Albert group obtained 513. They were followed by Murray Harbour, P. E. I., Calgary, Winnipeg, Manitoba and Toronto in that order. The intermediate championship went to a group of Trail Rangers from Vineland Station, Ont., whose average score was 317. Murray Harbour group was second in this competition also, followed by Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

#### Will Require 25 Years To Complete

CANBERRA, Feb. 14 (Reuters)—Australia decided today to spend \$592,000,000 on a vast system of hydroelectric power stations feeding huge atom-bomb proof factories deep below the earth's surface. The chain of 20 power stations—harnessing the waters of the Snowy River, south of the Federal Capital—and the new defence production region will take 25 years to complete and will make Australia Britain's arsenal in the Pacific.

#### Fish In Storage

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—Cold storage holdings of fish were lower Feb. 1, amounting to 31,244,000 pounds compared with 37,419,000 Jan. 1 and 34,427,000 on the corresponding date last year. The Bureau of Statistics reported today. Stocks on the latest date comprised 29,248,000 pounds frozen fresh and 1,966,000 pounds frozen smoked. They were increased over a year ago in stocks of cod, haddock and inland fish, but holdings of salmon and other sea fish were lower. Totals, those for Feb. 1 last year in brackets: Cod 4,556,000 (2,839,000) pounds; haddock 1,288,000 (1,210,000); salmon 7,606,000 (11,234,000); sea hering 4,271,000 (3,739,000); other sea fish 7,869,000 (8,568,000); inland fish 4,163,000 (2,289,000).

#### Princess Margaret Confounds Gossips

LONDON, Feb. 14 (CP)—Just as she wanted to confound the gossips, vivacious Princess Margaret had another date tonight—with another man. Just back from a weekend at Mountfield Court with Tom Egerton, son of the hunting and shooting Egertons, Her Royal Highness went to the ballet tonight with the Hon. Julian Fane, 21-year-old brother of the Earl of Westmorland. Glowing newspaper accounts of her sojourn in the country with the Egertons had hardly cooled before she appeared at Covent Garden with young Fane, accompanied by Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh.

#### Vessel Makes Port With Heavy Ice Load

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 14 (CP)—Down 19 inches in the water because of the weight of ice coating her, the Newfoundland motor vessel Trepassay docked here today after a three-day battle with a storm off the island's south coast. None of the crew was injured. Deckhousing of the Trepassay—one of the "splinter fleet" built in the east-coast Clarendville Shipyard—was badly smashed. The vessel was en route to Marytown, Nfld., to load fish for the West Indies. She will be repaired here.

#### Blizzards Take Big Livestock Toll In U. S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The Agriculture Department reported today that blizzards have killed 81,000 cattle and calves and 37,000 sheep and lambs in South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado. The figures are up to Feb. 1.

#### Norwegian Royalty



PRINCE HARALD



ASTRID

From Norway come these latest portraits of the young man who stands in direct line for the throne of that Scandinavian country, Prince Harald, who will be 12 years old on Feb. 21, and his charming sister, Astrid, who was 17 on Feb. 12. Eyes of the world are now turned on Norway with Russia and the western powers staging diplomatic tug-of-war to get her into their respective camps—Russia through non-aggression pacts, the west with the North Atlantic pact.

#### Drew Moves Provinces Be Consulted First

BY D'ARCY O'DONNELL  
OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—Legislation providing for Newfoundland's union with Canada hit an unexpected snag in the Commons today. George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, moved that the union not take place until the Provinces have been consulted. Mr. Drew made the motion as the House debated an address to be sent to the United Kingdom Parliament asking it to confirm the terms of union set out in a bill adopted last week by the Commons.

Preliminary indications were that the move will be defeated. M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said his party will join the Liberals in voting against Mr. Drew's proposal. Solon Low, Social Credit leader, said his group would support Mr. Drew. But the Social Credit and Progressive Conservative Parties together do not have enough strength to outvote the Liberal and C. C. F. Parties.

Discussion continued at the night session with speakers including Justice Minister Garson, A. L. Smith (PC—Calgary West), Stanley Knowles (COP—Winnipeg North Centre) and Rev. E.G. Hansell (SO—MacLeod). Mr. Drew's proposal was contained in an amendment to the formal address. The amendment said there should be immediate consultation with the Provinces on Newfoundland's entry into confederation. It added that the union should not be consummated until after "satisfactory conclusion" of (Continued on Page 5 Col. 4)



TORONTO, Feb. 14 (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria 21 44; Edmonton 21 25; Regina 40 20; Winnipeg 14b 4; Toronto 32 39; Ottawa 13 33; Montreal 14 —; Quebec 10 19; Saint John 14 24; Moncton 17 19; Halifax 30 32; Charlottetown 29 —; Sydney 22 23; Yarmouth 33 37.

HALIFAX, Feb. 14 (CP)—Official inland forecasts issued tonight by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax and valid until midnight Tuesday.

Monday evening there was still some snow falling in the southern part of the Maritimes but the sky was changeable and in some sections it was almost clear. The mass of cold air that moved into the district from Ontario brought the temperatures below the freezing point in all sections. A disturbance that developed on the leading edge of this air mass caused some freezing drizzle during the day and roads became quite icy in parts of Nova Scotia. In Prince Edward Island and Southern New Brunswick there were ice pellets and snow.

By evening this small disturbance was moving off to the southeast and the weather was clearing. However, another disturbance is forming in the Central United States and is expected to cause rain in the southern regions Tuesday evening.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island—Clear during the night. Tuesday clear becoming overcast by afternoon followed by snow in the evening. No great change in temperature. Light winds. Low and high Tuesday at Charlottetown zero and 23 above.

High tide this noon at 12:00 and tonight at 1:40. Sun rises this morning at 7:01 and sets at 5:27.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. WEEK DAYS Leaves Borden 9:10 A.M. and arrives at Cape Tormentine 4:10:15 A.M. Leaves Cape Tormentine 2:40 P.M. and arrives at Borden 3:35 P.M. No Sunday schedule in effect.

#### Democratic Parliament Established In Israel

By TED R. LURIE  
JERUSALEM, Feb. 14 (AP)—The young state of Israel, first Jewish homeland in 2,000 years, came under democratic parliamentary government in solemn ceremonies today.

Israel extends the "hand of peace" to her Arab neighbors, said Provisional President Chaim Weizmann in an address which convened the recently-elected parliament. Speaking at the swearing-in rites, Dr. Weizmann, older statesman of world Jewry, apparently gave voice to his people's claim to Jerusalem, holy city of the Christian, Jewish and Moslem faiths. "With a deep sense of this holy moment, I am opening the first Israeli Parliament in the eternal capital of Jerusalem," he said. The choice of the holy city as the scene of the ceremony was in itself a significant gesture, since

#### Prevention And Cure Claimed For Seasickness

BALTIMORE, Feb. 14 (AP)—Baltimore physicians using a drug in an army-sponsored experiment have found a cure for seasickness—and also the way to prevent it.

Details of their findings in the test are to be presented to the Johns Hopkins Hospital Medical Society tonight by Dr. Leslie H. Gay and Dr. Paul Carlisle.

The dramatic story how seasickness, which has put its stamp of wretchedness on countless ocean travellers, found its master, as prepared for presentation to the society, is this:

Tests involving a storm-tossed ship full of ailing soldiers brought forth the fact that a new drug—called dramamine—can take care of the ailment. The success of dramamine is sure to be hailed by any and all who ever staggered, green-faced and miserable, aboard a rolling vessel. But those susceptible to other forms of motion sickness—by car, plane, or train, also may take heart. The two doctors in their account to the Hopkins Medical Society said the key experiment was made aboard the army transport General Ballou, on a trip from New York to Bremerhaven, Germany. During that extremely rough crossing, they reported, less than two per cent of soldiers who got the drug as a preventive measure developed seasickness. And in another group, where the malady was allowed to develop in its natural way, dramamine failed to give "complete relief" in only about three per cent of the cases, 407 of 418 being cured. Motion sickness, one of the truly baffling medical problems, is caused by the disturbance of man's equilibrium mechanism.