

Maxims of a Mere Man
You think that you are pushing and you are pushed.

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Prince Edward Island
Like The Dew

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ATTORNEY GENERAL APPEALS TO CITIZENS TO OBSERVE TIME LAW

"Despite protestations to the contrary, the attempt to introduce Daylight Time in any section of this Province is a violation of our provincial law as it now stands, and our citizens should think seriously before taking such a course," stated Hon. W. E. Darby, Attorney General, in commenting yesterday on a resolution passed at a meeting of the Charlottetown City Council. The resolution stated that "from and after the 20th day of June, 1954, to midnight of the 23rd day of September, 1954, Daylight Saving Time, being an hour in advance of legal time, shall be in effect in the City of Charlottetown."



Hon. W. E. Darby

"There is nothing to prevent people shifting their clocks an hour ahead if they wish to," he added. "But for a municipality to announce that it is going to adopt Daylight Time, and to request citizens to do likewise, is certainly flouting the law and creating unnecessary confusion."

"I consider it very ill advised for any public body, which expects to have people observe their own laws and ordinances, to flout any law of the Legislature, which is the parent body of all our civil and municipal corporations. To say the least, it sets a very bad example, and can only lead to general disregard of law and order in the community."

Viet Nam Gov't Resigns; French Chief Flies To Paris To Report

SAIGON — (AP) — Gen Paul Ely flies to Paris today to report to the French government on the defence of Viet Nam, whose own government has just resigned. It is expected Ely, the new French military and civil chief in Indo-China, will carry with him a series of optional plans for holding the river delta against the Vietminh rebel buildup.

The French regard the delta as the key to Indo-China. They have been evacuating small outposts in recent weeks and transferring the garrisons to defence of the main delta towns and the railway and highway between Hanoi and Halphong.

Coming Events

- Dance in Millview Hall, every Friday.
- Dance, Cadross School, Friday, June 18th.
- Reserve July 21st, Tignish Parish Picnic.
- Corran Ban Picnic, Wednesday, July 28th.
- Cake Sale, Fennell and Chandler's, Saturday 23rd.
- Reserve Wednesday, July 14th, at Vernon River Tea Party.
- Come to Mayfield tonight and see Wheatley River 3 act play.
- Dance in Emerald Hall Thursday, June 17th. Good music.
- Unloading car of wheat at Hunter River today and Friday, C. M. Simpson & Sons.
- "See 'Feminine Touch' by Monique Players, Fortune Hall, Friday, June 18th, Curtain 8:15.
- Dance in St. Andrew's Hall, Mr. Stewart, every Thursday. Good music. Canteen service.
- Arriving today, charload N. B. Ordan and 3 inch. Cheaper off car. Leo Mallett, Freetown. Phone 18-23, Bedeque.
- Come to Cornwall hall Monday night, June 21st, and see 'The Middlemost Maid' presented by Kelly's Cross players.
- Now in stock—Feed Molasses. Get your supply now for your grass. The price is right. Beaton & MacRae, Winsloe, P. E. I.
- Reserve Wednesday, July 7th, for Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival at Beachwood Garden, Cornwall, in aid of Cornwall United Church.
- Notice—All taxes due Appin Road School must be paid by June 25th, 1954, otherwise they will be handed in for collection. By order of trustees.
- Old time fiddling and step-dancing contest in Seven Mile Bay Hall, Tuesday, June 29th. Good cash prizes. Dance after. Send entries to William Chaisson, Borden.
- Attention Hog Producers in Elmira, East Baitie and surrounding districts. Mr. Gordon Robertson will be collecting hogs every Tuesday morning until further notice. Please note this change in loading day. Canada Packers Ltd.

had specific instructions from Laniel for defending the delta against the expected attack. But since Laniel's government was defeated in the French national assembly Saturday Ely's instructions may be changed sharply.

Premier-designate Pierre Mendès-France, who wants to wind up the 7½-year-old war, contends France's military outlay is too heavy for her economic situation and should be cut back.

Viet Nam Premier Prince Bao Loc, whose government has held office since early January, stepped down after political discussions lasting several weeks. Viet Nam's chief of state, ex-emperor Bao Dai, announced in France the appointment of the new premier, Ngo Dinh Diem, a nationalist and strongly anti-Communist.

Regarded as a reformer, he was reported to have a free hand in forming the new government and uniting the country against the Vietminh.

The country however, still faces serious problems.

Despite emergency measures there is a crisis in mobilization for the national army. It has been admitted openly that, of the 80,000 men called up in the last draft, only 8,000 responded.

A petition seeking clemency for Gash and bearing more than 7,500 names from all parts of B.C. was submitted to Ottawa on his behalf and a fund was started for the benefit of the youth's 17-year-old wife, Marilyn, his baby son and another child expected next month.

Heavy rains on Prairies Reported

OTTAWA (CP) — Another bout of heavy rain has hit some Prairie areas so badly that wheat acreage in those spots will decline, the bureau of statistics reported Wednesday in another survey of prairie crop conditions.

The heavy rain, which will have the effect of boosting summer-fallow, has swept through north-west Manitoba, northeast Saskatchewan, and west and north-central Alberta.

Local Runway Extension Will Receive Favorable Consideration

MINISTER QUERIED RE RELIEF OF WOOD ISLANDS CONGESTION

OTTAWA, June 16, (Special) — Transport Minister Chevier was asked to give only an indefinite answer to a question asked by J. Angus MacLean, Conservative member for Queens in the Commons today, as to what action the Federal Government proposed to take to relieve the congestion on the Wood Island-Caribou ferry route. The Queens member said he was aware the Transport Department planned construction of a new ferry but what would be done in the meantime he asked.

Mr. Chevier said the matter had been discussed by representatives of Prince Edward Island, The P. E. I. Government and the Canadian Maritime Commission. Several suggestions had been put forward and investigated, he said. One "very excellent suggestion" had been made, he added, but this had to be dropped owing to the inability of the applicant to fulfill certain conditions.

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Doctors Tell Of Useful Cancer Research Tools

By JOHN TRACY
Canadian Press Staff Writer
HONEY HARBOR, Ont. (CP) — Scientists are trying to find the nature and cause of cancer by growing tumor cells in laboratory bottles and in in-bred strains of mice.

Three authorities on experimental tumors Wednesday told of these new research tools in papers delivered before 175 experts attending the Canadian cancer research conference at this Georgian Bay summer resort.

Dr. H. B. Anderbont, biology chief at the national cancer institute in Bethesda, Maryland, one of the United States' top cancer research centres, uses mice in which susceptibility to cancer may be controlled.

Dr. R. C. Parker, a graduate of Acadia university, Wolfville, N.S., and a world authority in his field, is growing cancer tissue in flasks of chemicals at Toronto's Connaught medical research laboratory.

Dr. Margaret Armstrong has been growing cancer tissue in developing chick embryos at the department of anatomy of the University of Toronto.

Sales of TV Sets Increase Sharply

OTTAWA (CP) — Sales of television sets rose sharply during March over the corresponding month a year ago while radio sales showed a sizeable reduction.

During the month the number of TV sets sold by producers increased to 37,949 units from 26,623 in March, 1953, the bureau of statistics reported Wednesday. Radio sales declined to 43,730 units from 57,824.

The biggest TV gains over last year were in Quebec, with sales of 14,296 units compared with 8,368. Sales in the Atlantic provinces increased to 1,981 units from two.

At Opening Of Nurses Residence



Hon. B. Earle MacDonald, Minister of Health and Welfare is seen above (at microphone) during official opening ceremonies yesterday of the new nurses residence at the King's County Memorial Hospital at Montague. Chairman of the board of trustees, Mr. B. N. Hooley presided. See page 5 for story and additional picture. —Photo by Pepler.

Chevier Says Would Be In Airport Interest

OTTAWA (CP) — Transport Minister Chevier indicated Wednesday the government will give favorable consideration to the extension of the runway at the P. E. I. airport.

He said in the Commons department believes in the interests of extending the runway. Municipal authority in Charlottetown had been letter that it would like to see the proposed runway extended to the government's possession. The runway would be provided by the P. E. I. government. However, the P. E. I. government received no word from Ottawa.

OTTAWA, June 16, (Special) — Assurance that ways at Charlottetown still under consideration in the House of Commons after Chevier's statement to the Commons today, was questioned by J. Angus MacLean, Conservative member for Queens. Mr. Chevier said he was down at Charlottetown last year, he looked over the runway together with a representative of the P. E. I. government. At that time, the discussion on the policy of the Federal government in granting assistance to municipal airports.

Smallwood Calls Reporter Rat And Scavenger

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Premier Smallwood Wednesday attacked in the Newfoundland legislature a former colleague who now is a columnist-reporter for a St. John's newspaper.

The premier accused Harold Horwood of "slanted" reporting and called him a "scavenger" and a "rat."

Referring to two recent articles by Mr. Horwood in the Evening Telegram, Premier Smallwood said one was "slanted" to indicate that members of the Liberal government derived income from a new industry of which they were directors and the other was misrepresentation of house proceedings.

The premier said: "This whole thing was written by this dastardly clown, this loathsome literary scavenger, this cut-throat, this rat, who has been using the columns of the Telegram to carry on his own personal vendetta against this government. He hates me like the devil hates holy water."

WALKS OUT

Mr. Horwood walked out of the press gallery following the premier's speech and said he will not cover any more sessions this year. He added: "I am tired of the campaign of hatred and vindictiveness that has been heaped upon my head after exposed the method by which Liberals succeeded in deriving portions of their income from retail liquor sales without appearing to have connections with public bars and beer parlors."

Mr. Horwood was a former Liberal member of the legislature. He did not seek re-election in the 1951 provincial general election. He writes a bylined column that appears on the Telegram's editorial page.

Health League Backs Fluoridation

TORONTO (CP) — The Health League of Canada has given its unqualified endorsement to the fluoridation of water supplies as a means of combating tooth decay.

The endorsement was based on a survey, started May 6, of 71 major universities with preventive medicine departments in Canada and the United States.

Steel-Nerved Bridge Tender Saves Span

VANCOUVER (CP) — A steel-nerved bridge tender saved the centre span of Second Narrows bridge from being wrecked Tuesday when a freighter ran wild in the rip tide in North Burrard inlet.

The 10,000-ton Norwegian-owned Bonanza slammed into the bridge structure, buckling the whole structure. Two holes were torn in her port side by giant girders and a shower of concrete from the bridge.

GIVEN SUPPORT IN WHEAT POLICIES

OTTAWA (CP) — The government's wheat-marketing policy was sustained Wednesday against two opposition motions of want-of-confidence.

Members voted 137 to 58 to defeat a Progressive Conservative motion saying the government has failed to deal effectively with the problem of marketing Canada's wheat surplus.

A CCF motion seeking support for a floor price on wheat of at least 1.82½ a bushel—10 cents above the present price—was defeated 168 to 28.

All three opposition parties supported the PC motion. However, Progressive Conservatives voted against the CCF proposal after opposition leader Drew said the price is "unrealistic" under present circumstances.

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Later, while introducing his department's estimates, he said there is little chance of a trade war with the United States. As for a floor price, he said Canadian farmers already have one through the Canadian wheat board's initial payment of \$1.40 a bushel.

"Lost Tribes" In New Guinea To Become Part Of Civilization, Australia Decides

CANBERRA, (Reuters)—The natives of the newly-discovered "Shangri-La" in southeast New Guinea are going to become part of civilization—whether they like it or not.

Pleas to British newspapers for the Australian government to leave alone the Papuan "lost tribes" were described by an Australian official Wednesday as "unreal sentimentality."

"If Australia does not develop the areas, someone else will," said the official, a member of the external territories department.

WANT NATIVES UNMOLESTED

Australia was asked by the writers not to taint the 100,000 natives reported by an aerial survey team to be living in hitherto-unknown, jandlocked valleys, without the cares and worries of civilization.

Indo-China Talks Given Reprieve

GENEVA, (Reuters) — The nine-power Indo-China peace talks got a last-minute reprieve Wednesday night after "sufficient progress" was made at the day's closed meeting for them to continue in full session.

Conference sources said this decision came after what was described as "conciliatory" new proposals by Communist Chinese Premier Chou En-lai on the problem of Laos and Cambodia, the smaller of the three Indo-China states.

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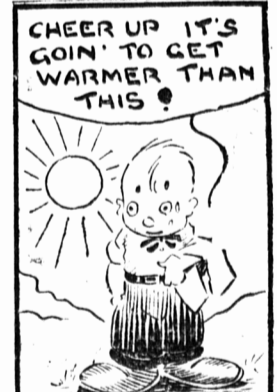
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The endorsement was based on a survey, started May 6, of 71 major universities with preventive medicine departments in Canada and the United States.

Sixty-four of the 90 universities queried in the survey conducted by the league's special fluoridation committee, gave their unqualified support to the principle of fluoridation. None of the universities opposed it though some gave no opinion.

DEFENCE COLLEGE

Dunlap, who will hold the No. 2 post in the air force, has been appointed to the National Defence College at Kingston, Ont., for the last three years.



TORONTO (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	46	56
Vancouver	44	59
Victoria	46	57
Edmonton	48	51
Calgary	42	56
Saskatoon	52	65
Regina	53	63
Winnipeg	51	60
Toronto	53	77
Ottawa	54	74
Montreal	55	73
Quebec	51	79
Saint John	47	70
Moncton	44	68
Halifax	48	59
Fredericton	44	74
Charlottetown	34	65
Sydney	34	65
Yarmouth	44	67
St. John's Nfld.	31	63

HALIFAX (CP)—The Dominion public weather office here says a large high pressure area will continue to dominate the weather picture Thursday, and there will be a continuation of fine, generally warm weather.

Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick: Clear and warm; light winds. Low-high at Charlottetown 43 and 72, Moncton 45 and 73, Fredericton 45 and 78, Saint John 48 and 65, Edmundston 45 and 80, Campbellton 43 and 80.

Bay of Fundy: Light winds, clear, with visibility 15 miles; little change in temperature.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 10:31 a.m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. High tide today at the North Shore at 5:43 a.m. Sun rises today at 4:26 a.m. and sets at 7:02 p.m.