

Henri Beaudout Says No More Expeditions By Raft

MONTREAL (CP — Henri) Beaudout, skipper of the ocean-crossing raft, L'Egare II, flew back over the Atlantic to his wife Sunday and told her: "No more raft expeditions."

The excitement over the news a week ago that the raft had made its landfall and the extraction of a troublesome wisdom tooth had sent the 25-year-old Jeanine Beaudout to bed in her home in suburban Montreal South. Beaudout arrived at Montreal Airport two hours earlier than the plane had been expected. He missed seeing his little daughter, Chantale, there. She was being driven out by friends of the family.

"It's good to see Montreal again," said the 29-year-old adventurer. "Sometimes on the

raft we wondered if we ever would."

STRANGE TRIP
Beaudout said it seemed strange on the flight home, sipping champagne while travelling about 250 miles an hour — "On the raft we would have taken perhaps 15 days for that distance."

He said the other plane passengers didn't know who he was until the plane stopped at Prestwick, Scotland. Then they came up and shook hands with him, asking about the raft trip.

When the stewardess brought him fish for his meal he laughingly told her he had had enough fish-eaten during the long raft journey — "to last me a long time." He got chicken instead.

Beaudout said if his wife is well he hopes to return to London in

about a week to arrange for shipment of the raft back to Canada. He said some museums in Europe asked if they could have it. So did the museum in Halifax, before Beaudout and his two companions set out. But he would rather let a Montreal museum have it, if the museum wants it.

SEEKS "ACTIVE" JOB
Beaudout, native of Limoges, France, would like to take his wife and daughter back there to visit his parents, whom they have never seen.

He said his raft companions, Mark Modena and Gaston Vanackere, would wait for him in London.

Beaudout has no immediate plans. He had given up his job as a draftsman and now would like



EASY STEERING FOR NEW CARRIER

The 25-ton rudder fitted into H.M.C.S. Bonaventure, Canada's new aircraft carrier, could be turned easily by a one-year old child, so delicate is the steering

mechanism installed aboard. The electro-hydraulic steering gear is inspected by PO Ronald Lowden of Springhill, N.S. left, and CPO Joseph Currie of Vernon River,

P.E.I., two members of the stand-by engineering staff who will join the 18,000 ton modern warship when she commissions in October. (National Defence Photo)

Iona Takes Lead In Softball Series

The Kings County League softball semi-finals started at Vernon River park Sunday, between Iona and Vernon River. The game was won by Iona by a score of 8-6, after a hard fight to hold the Vernon River team from a comeback following a bad start. Both teams made some good double plays when in trouble. Joe MacAulay did a good job as umpire also. Ev MacInnis, first base, and Father Roach on third base, Chas MacInnis on the losing pitcher.

Next game will be on Sunday next at one p.m. and five p.m. if needed.

Scotland Yard Probing Deaths At Luxury Resort

EASTBOURNE, Eng. (Reuters) — A Scotland Yard superintendent arrived today to begin an intensive investigation into the deaths of wealthy women in this south coast luxury resort.

The investigation, led by Detective Superintendent Herbert Hannam, ace Scotland Yard murder investigator, was called after months of whispering gossip about the women's deaths and their wills.

It may last several weeks, involving the scrutiny of wills of the dead women and interrogation of people who received requests. But only a few of the wills—possibly 20—will be selected for special investigation by the yard.

As Hannam went to work, rumor spread at the resort that a

mass killer had been slaying women over a 10-year period.

The same speculation came from some national newspapers. Townfolk have been talking openly about the deaths since the beginning of this year.

ANYTHING POSSIBLE
Police officers shook their heads when asked today whether any examinations are planned. An inspector said: "We do not intend to ask for exhumation orders at the moment, but of course anything is possible."

Examinations would be carried out if Hannam decides that police pathologists should be called into examine the remains of dead woman for possible traces of poison.

Gossip in the town reached police ears after the death last month of 50-year-old Mrs. Gertrude Joyce Hullett, who died from an overdose of sleeping pills in her home near the 600-foot cliff of Beachy Head. This week an inquest decided that she committed suicide.

But the inquest verdict did nothing to stop the rumors sweeping this resort.

Egypt Seeks Canal Pilots In France

PARIS (Reuters)—Egypt Monday started a recruiting drive in France to get pilots for the Suez Canal, nationalized by Egypt last month.

An advertisement in the Paris financial evening newspaper L'Information said: "The administering organization of the Suez Canal has decided to intensify and facilitate the passage of ships through the canal and needs probationer captain-pilots in order to train a sufficient number of pilots to meet the new program."

"Candidates must be aged under 40 years and have sailed for at least eight years. They must also hold a master's certificate or its French equivalent."

PERSONALS

Mr. Roy Vandierstine has returned to his home in Perth, Ontario, after spending the summer months as a guest of Billy Vandierstine, Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart, Lexington, Kentucky, Mrs. W.E. White, Lancaster, Ohio, and Mrs. Rufus Stewart, St. Stephen, N.B., are having a pleasant holiday in Montague visiting friends.

AMBLESIDE, Eng. (Reuters)—Trouble with his breathing apparatus forced Sub-Lieut. Bernard Commons of the Royal New Zealand Navy to abandon his 10½ mile underwater swim of Lake Windermere Wednesday after covering about three miles.

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

- Barley Meal No. 1 2.90
- Gro-More Laying
- Mash 18% 4.25
- Cracked Wheat Best 3.15
- Above not less than 5 bag lots assorted.
- Heaviest Barbed Wire to clear 9.85

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Bidders may receive Tender Forms from the office of the undersigned.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. G. WHITE,
Deputy Minister.

Charlottetown,
Prince Edward Island,
27 August, 1956.

NOTICE

SOURIS SNACK BAR AND RESTAURANT
will be closed

AUGUST 27th to SEPT 7th

Newspapers to be had at McKenzie's Imperial Service Station.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Progressive Conservative Association Fifth Kings District Meeting will be held in the Town Hall, Georgetown, on August 30th, at 8:30 p.m.

Poll Chairmen will please have their five delegates appointed to attend this Meeting.

GORDON ROSS
President.

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LORNE VALLEY

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JUDGE RETURNS

LONDON (Reuters) — Judge Bernard Shaw, 65-year-old president of the Cyprus special court who was shot and wounded by terrorists June 25, flew back to Cyprus Monday. Shaw, who was wounded in the head and neck, said when he arrived in Britain last month to recuperate: "I shall definitely go back."

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Mount Stewart Red Cross Swimming

Classes came to a successful close on Monday, August 20th. Mrs. Harold Atleek acted as the chairman of the local Committee sponsoring this worthwhile project.

Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety Instructor, Miss Eileen Sutherland, Carleton Siding, instructed the swimmers.

On August 6th, Joan Murphy and Douglas Cudmore examined the swimmers in their aquatic skills. Following is a list of the successful candidates who merited Red Cross Swimming awards.

- BEGINNERS**
Barry Ellis
Sheila Sinott
Ann MacEachern
Lillian Cronin
Stanley Atleek
Rose Pigott
Garry Clark
Ernest Lawson
Eunice Reddin.
- JUNIORS**
Wayne MacIntyre
Darryl Atleek
Allan Ellis.
- INTERMEDIATES**
Ellen Reddin.

POWNAI

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, Saint Thomas, Ontario, left Prince Edward Island, Wednesday morning, August 22 on return to their home after spending a pleasant vacation here.

The many friends of Mr. J.B. Gay of Pownal, are sorry to hear that he has undergone a serious operation in the Prince Edward Island Hospital, and he is hoped that he will soon be able to return to his home.

Mr. Alfred Weatherbie has been a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital. Everybody hopes that Alfred will soon be able to return to his home.

Nancy and Eleanor Reddin of Tea Hill spent the week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. MacKinnon and Natalie.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. Cyril Jones of Pownal, for his wonderful success in the Old Home Week cattle show.

ing. Mr. Jones has a pure bred Holstein herd. Congratulations are also offered to Mrs. Jones, Janet, Heather and Paulette, they too have a great interest in this work.

Miss Hilda Jones of Pownal, has taken up her duties as school teacher in Cornwall school.

Mrs. Wilbur Jones of Pownal, has returned home, after visiting friends and relatives in Boston, U.S.

David Smith of Pownal, entered the Prince Edward Island Hospital to undergo an operation. He is a grade X pupil of Pownal School, and his friends and chums all wish him a speedy recovery. DJ

REDS SLAY 17
RANGOON, Burma (Reuters)—A 100-strong Communist rebel force shot dead 16 men and women they captured in a raid on a police outpost at Shwebo, 60 miles northwest of Mandalay, according to reports reaching here Saturday.

500 BLOOD DONORS NEEDED

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