

# Pink Salmon From B.C. Seem Unhappy In East

OTTAWA (CP) — British Columbia pink salmon don't seem to be enjoying the Canadian Atlantic coast.

And what's worse, neither do the Gaspé salmon.

Dr. A. W. H. Needler, deputy fisheries minister, said Tuesday pink salmon eggs transferred from the West Coast to Newfoundland survive well.

But the adult salmon aren't finding their way back to their new-found home, he said.

"The results aren't encouraging so far," he told the Commons fisheries committee, replying to Tom Barnett (NDP-Cornwall).

River spawned salmon are noted for their homing instinct after years in the open-ocean.

Dr. Needler also said his department is concerned about the falling Gaspé salmon catch.

Russell Keays (PC-Gaspé) said the Gaspé salmon on their ocean journeys are venturing too close to Greenland and are being picked off by Greenland fishermen in large quantities.

Dr. Needler said his department wants to start a research program to find out just where the Gaspé salmon are going.

But he rejected the proposal of Lloyd R. Crouse (PC-Queens-Lunenburg) for a research program into whether the inshore lobster fishery has been depleted by too heavy fishing of offshore lobsters.

It would be too expensive and difficult, he said.

**NO OFFSHORE SEEDING**

Dr. Needler said there is a sound basis for believing in-

shore lobsters are self-supporting without any seeding from the offshore types.

Lobsters require warm beds for good reproduction and they found these temperatures in such inshore spots as Lunenburg County.

Lobsters, he said, reproduce more prolifically inshore than offshore.

**OFFERED TO BUY LINER**

CANNES (AH) — Ex-king Saud of Saudi Arabia visited the 66,348-ton liner France when she stopped at the French Riviera on a Mediterranean cruise and asked if he could buy her.

Captain Joseph Ropart said, "That would be a pleasure, but she doesn't belong to me," and the king left after giving the captain and the purser diamond-studded watches for their trouble.

**NUNS STRIKE BACK**

PORTO ALEGRE (AP) — Vigilantes caught a cat-burglar who had been preying on religious institutions in this Brazilian city. He was ambushed by nuns of the Holy Family high school as he broke into the building.

## Closing Of Bell Island Mine Planned June 30 By Dosco

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — through the use of electricity in processing.

The government had offered large blocks of cheap power and a loan of "\$8,000,000 or \$10,000,000" towards the project. However, representatives of unidentified firm were unable to find markets in Europe and decided to quit the plan.

"They ran up against a stone wall," Premier Smallwood said. "After the unsuccessful trip to Europe by the firm's representative," things looked pretty gloomy," he said.

President J. E. Clubb of Dosco Industries Ltd., said Tuesday the company will cease mining ore on Newfoundland's Bell Island after June 30.

Mr. Clubb told a news conference the mine has lost almost \$2,000,000 in the last four years because of a limited market for the quality of ore produced.

Dosco's Sydney steel plant "has had to turn more and more to high grade ores in order to compete in today's steel markets."

The company's iron mining operation is the sole industry on Bell Island and Mr. Clubb said it "fully recognizes the gravity of our decision and the effect it will have on the welfare of our employees, their families and the company."

About 175 of the 850 employees at the Wabana mine are eligible for early retirement under a pension plan. Others would be retained on shutdown and shipping operations beyond the termination of mining June 30.

**STOCK PILES ORE**

The company has about 1,000,000 tons of iron ore stockpiled at Wabana.

The Newfoundland government offered substantial taxation and other financial concessions to keep the mine open.

Iron mining operations started on Bell Island in 1885.

In peak production the mines produced up to 2,800,000 tons a year and employed more than 2,000 men.

About 9,000 people live on Bell Island in Conception Bay, where the mines are situated. Practically all depend for a livelihood on the mines.

**DESCRIBES EFFORTS**

Premier Smallwood described in an interview last-ditch efforts during recent weeks to keep the industry alive.

He said "large Canadian mining company" which he would not identify, had negotiated with Dosco and the government had offered later to back a loan if the two could agree on a \$30,000,000 scheme to produce higher quality ore



## LOCAL OFFICER PREPARES TO LEAVE CYPRUS

Maj. W.L. Conrad of Charlottetown, officer commanding "B" Squadron, Royal Canadian Dragoons, standing in the turret, checks equipment of the Ferret Scout cars at Fort Phillips, Nicosia, before turning over to the 8th Canadian Hussars (Princess Louise's). The RCDs return to Canada following six months of Cyprus duty patrolling along the north coast of the Island, manning night posts along the disputed Kyrenia Road, and escorting two convoys daily each way between Nicosia and Kyrenia.

## Parliament At A Glance

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

TUESDAY, April 19, 1966

The Commons headed toward its first vote in the budget debate.

The issue was a New Democrat motion saying the government should have increased income tax exemption levels in the budget.

A Conservative attempt to hold a special debate on a squabble between the CBC and program employees was ruled out.

The motion was to hold a discussion on the firing of two hosts of This Hour Has Seven Days.

Solicitor General Pennell announced some form of re-velation would be held into the murder conviction of Steven Truscott.

## Bank Directors Plan Meetings

MONTREAL (CP) — Directors of the Bank of Montreal will visit Edmonton and Calgary for board meetings on consecutive days at the end of May, the bank announced Tuesday.

President G. Arnold Hart, said that the two-city program will be "attended by the bank's directors, from many parts of Canada and from abroad in the first of its kind held anywhere by the board of a Canadian chartered bank."

Mr. Hart said, that the Alberta meetings are designed to give the bank's directors the broadest possible knowledge of regional conditions in various parts of the country.

The Alberta meetings, the latest in a series away from the head office will gather in Edmonton May 29, and will conduct meetings on May 30 and 31 in Edmonton and Calgary, respectively, Mr. Hart said.

## School Hit By Tornado

KANSAS CITY (AP) — A tornado struck in suburban Loveland Park, Kan., Tuesday, damaging a school and damaging or destroying about 20 houses, police reported.

The Catherine Carpenter grade school was still occupied by some of the pupils. Others had been dismissed for the day. One person was reported injured.

Three homes were flattened and eight others damaged in the Woodstock district of Overland Park, just west of the Missouri-Kansas line.

The tornado was one of several seen in the Greater Kansas City area at mid-afternoon. There were no immediate reports of damage from the other twisters.

## Jackie Romance Denied Officially

SEVILLE, Spain (Reuters) — Reports of a romance between Jacqueline Kennedy and a 62-year-old Spanish diplomat were officially denied here Tuesday by the United States ambassador to Spain.

Ambassador Angier Biddle Duke said in a statement: "On behalf of Mrs. Kennedy I wish to make it crystal clear and completely understood that there is no basis in fact to the rumor of an engagement."

"Personally I think that Mrs. Kennedy has acquitted herself so well as a human being that she deserves our respect and understanding, and should not be subject to false rumors of this kind."

Rumors of an impending engagement between the widow of the late U.S. President Kennedy and Antonio Garrigues, Spain's 62-year-old ambassador to the Vatican, originated with a West German newspaper last week.

Garrigues flew here Tuesday from Madrid to join Mrs. Kennedy and her hosts, the Duke and Duchess of Alba, for the Seville spring fair.

Duke said later that Garrigues has known the Kennedy family since before the Second World War. Garrigues was once Spain's ambassador to the U.S.

An informed source in Madrid said the duke urged Mrs. Kennedy to allow the statement to be released. He convinced her she could not remain silent in

## Miss Whitton Has Good Day

OTTAWA (CP) — Charlotte Whitton, 70-year-old former mayor of Ottawa, who collapsed at the wheel of her car last Thursday, was reported to have "had a good day," Tuesday — her fifth in hospital.

A Civic Hospital spokesman said he could not say when Miss Whitton would be going home.

Miss Whitton collapsed, apparently from exhaustion, a few hours after taping three television shows at a local television studio. The show, Dear Charlotte, is carried five days a week by CJOH, Ottawa, and several other Canadian stations.

## De Gaulle Policies Criticized

By JOSEPH E. DYNAN

PARIS (AP) — Opposition leaders lashed out Tuesday at President de Gaulle's Atlantic and European policies in a futile attempt to force a change with a parliamentary motion of censure. The vote is set for this evening.

Guy Mollet, secretary-general of the Socialist party, and Maurice Faure, middle-road spokesman, led an attack in the National Assembly against de Gaulle's decision to evict NATO troops from France and to withdraw French forces from the Atlantic Alliance.

Mollet and Faure warned that the best possible deterrent against aggression on Western Europe is the physical presence of American troops on the continent. Mollet asserted de Gaulle's unilateral action undermines world faith in the value of French commitments.

## Zellerbach Co. Profits Higher

VANCOUVER (CP) — Crown Zellerbach Canada Ltd. announced Tuesday profit during the first three months of 1966 dropped nine per cent from the same period last year despite an increase in sales.

Robert G. Rogers, president, said sales reached \$39,600,000, an increase of 16 per cent from \$33,600,000 in the first quarter of 1965.

Net income declined to \$2,400,000 from the 1965 figure of \$2,700,000.

"The reduction in earnings reflects continuation of the cost-profit squeeze evident in 1965," said Mr. Rogers.

## OLD CZAR DISAPPEARS

PARIS (AP) — Sir Winston Churchill has replaced a Russian czar on a Paris street sign.

A block-long street near the Champs Elysees, formerly named for Alexander III (1845-94), has been renamed for the late British statesman.

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## THE ELECTION ACT, 1963

In order to assist enumerators in their duties for the forthcoming Provincial Election on May 30th, Schools of instruction will be held at the following locations as per the following schedule:

LOCATION OF ENUMERATORS	LOCATION OF MEETING	TIME & DATE
<b>PRINCE COUNTY</b>		
1st & 2nd Electoral Districts of Prince.	O'Leary Legion Home	800 PM 20 April
3rd, 4th & 5th Electoral Districts of Prince	Elm Street School	800 PM 21 April
<b>QUEENS COUNTY</b>		
All Queen County Electoral Districts	Charlottetown Community Centre	800 PM 21 April
<b>KINGS COUNTY</b>		
1st & 2nd Electoral Districts and Red House, Launching, Woodville Mills and Annandale polls of 5th Electoral District	St. Peter's Quigley Memorial Hall	800 PM 20 April
3rd, 4th Electoral Districts and balance of 5th Electoral District polls.	Montague High School	800 PM 21 April

All meetings will commence promptly at 800 PM, and a representative from the Provincial Election Headquarters staff will be in attendance.

Enumerators will be sworn in and receive their enumeration books at this meeting.

G. L. MONKLEY  
Chief Electoral Officer  
Province of Prince Edward Island

**LOST CHILD WQN GAME**

ROME (AP) — Parents, neighbors and police searched all night for nine-year-old Anna Maria de Luca, who vanished while playing hide-and-seek. The next morning she was found asleep inside the garbage can where she had hidden.

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## Progressive Conservative Nominating Convention

Of the 3rd District of Queens will be held in Mt. Stewart Memorial Hall Saturday, April 23rd at 8.30 p.m. Each poll is entitled to send 5 accredited delegates. Rev. David MacDonald, MP, guest speaker.

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President of 3rd District Queens Progressive Conservative Association

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