



SISTERS WIN HONORS IN DRAMA FESTIVAL

Mrs. W.E. Scantlebury (left) and her sister Mrs. E.S. Giddings smile happily with the trophies they received at the Dominion Drama Festival which was concluded in Sherbrooke, P.Q. last week.

GOVERNMENT SERVES NOTICE

Another Closure Today In Gas Pipeline Debate

OTTAWA (CP) — The Government Monday served notice it will close the pipeline today for the second time in a week to choke off Commons debate and ensure passage of its controversial gas pipeline legislation by June 7.

The closure motion, which is certain to be carried by the Liberal majority, will force a vote at 11 a.m. Wednesday on the bill to lend up to \$80,000,000 to Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. for its Alberta-Montreal project.

Finance Minister Harris said if the plan goes through there is a possibility of completing the line to Toronto by next summer. But if no start is made this year, he said, one may not be possible before 1958 and completion by 1959 would be uncertain.

GIVEN SECOND READING "That was our choice. We could risk that or we could take the action we are taking here," Mr. Harris said as he spoke in the third day of debate on the government motion to give the bill second reading—approval in principle.

By THE CANADIAN PRESS Traffic flowed, spring blossoms opened, servicemen paraded and Parliament talked on Victoria Day, first long holiday weekend of the 1956 summer-travel season.

By automobile, train, bus and air, dwellers in the larger centres made it an occasion for travel. By nightfall Monday the accidental death throughout Canada had reached 46, against last year's 74.

PARLIAMENT SITS In the capital Parliament noted that Victoria Day also is the Queen's official birthday and a royal salute of 21 guns echoed over the Ottawa river at noon.

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UNFORTUNATE SITUATION "It is unfortunate this stage of retrogression must be reached before the motorist can be helped," Mr. Thoma urged Canadians to increase efforts at alleviating city traffic congestion.

Sees Remarks On Investments Not Too Serious

OTTAWA (CP) — External Affairs Minister Pearson Monday advised CCF leader Coldwell not to attach "too serious importance" to remarks of the visiting Earl of Home on the subject of United States investments in Canada.

PLUNGED FROM 9,000 FEET

Birdman Killed Trying To Fly With Wooden Wings

LIVERPOOL, Eng. (Reuters)—French "birdman" Leo Valentin plunged 9,000 feet to his death Monday trying to fly with wooden wings. Earlier he had thrilled a crowd of 100,000 at a charity air show with a delayed action parachute jump from 10,000 feet—without his wings.

LLOYD LISTS THREE

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Queen Replies To Greetings

OTTAWA (CP) — Government House Monday released the text of a reply from Queen Elizabeth to a birthday greeting sent to her by Governor-General Massey.

QUEEN'S HORSE RETIRING

LONDON (Reuters) — Winston, the aristocratic police horse who carries the Queen at the ceremonies of trooping the color, will make his farewell appearance this year, June 2. A golden chestnut, Winston has been the Queen's mount for seven years and has taken part in the spectacular ceremony, the Queen's official birthday parade, for the last four years.

EXTENDS TERM

OTTAWA (CP)—Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey's term as governor-general of Canada has been extended by one year to the spring of 1958, Prime Minister St. Laurent announced today.

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Cypriot Rebels Toss Bombs From Shelter Of Rioting Girls

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP)—Cypriot rebels hiding among rioting schoolgirls tossed bombs at British troops trying to restore order in Nicosia Monday, killing one Briton and wounding three others.

Fire Threatens Settlement

LITTLE SMOKY RIVER, Alta. (CP)—Three telegraphers and 18 Alberta forest protection rangers Monday fought to check a raging brush fire which threatened their homes at this tiny settlement in the Peace river area, 250 miles at this tiny settlement in the Peace river area, 250 miles northwest of Edmonton.

Big Fire In CNR Repair Shop

WINNIPEG (CP)—A fierce wind-swept fire Monday night burned through a large car shop in the sprawling Fort Rouge yards of the Canadian National Railways.

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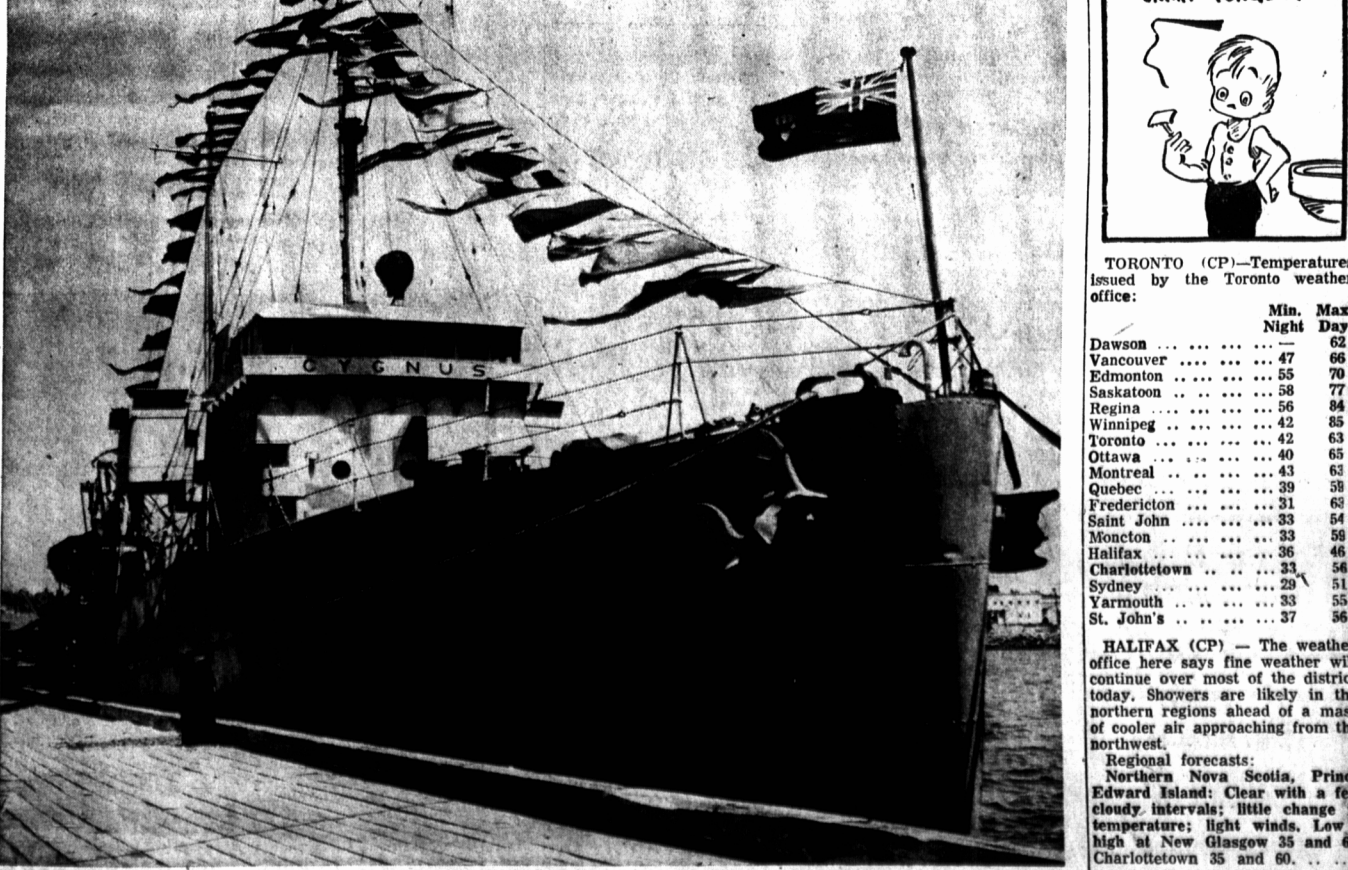
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Coming Events

- Regular Dance, Bonshaw Inn, Tuesday night. Burns' Orchestra. Dance, Lorne Valley Hall, Wednesday, May 23rd. Webster's Orchestra.



CYGNUS DRESSED FOR VICTORIA DAY In full dress for Victoria Day, the fisheries patrol ship C. G. S. "Cygnus" is seen at Summerside yesterday with signal flags extending in a colorful display from the mast along the entire length of the ship. Two other Government ships—the Kapuskasing and Summerside for the weekend holiday, were also berthed at Summerside for the weekend (Photo by Weston)



Table with columns: City, Min, Max, Night Day. Includes Dawson, Vancouver, Edmonton, etc.

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office here says fine weather will continue over most of the district today. Showers are likely in the northern regions ahead of a mass of cooler air approaching from the northwest.