

**Oil Exploration  
Off Sable Island  
Planned By Firm**

Calgary (CP)—Socoxy Mobil Oil of Canada Ltd. announced Wednesday it has acquired federal government permits to explore 2,267,341 acres off the Nova Scotia shore for oil and natural gas.

A spokesman said Nova Scotia permits had not been obtained.

The acreage lies about 110 miles east of Sable Island, where Socoxy has held a 1,100,000-acre exploration tract since 1959 under federal and provincial permits.

Socoxy said exploration plans for the new area have not been made.

Shell Oil Co. of Canada Ltd. earlier applied to the federal government for exploration rights on 30,000,000 continental shelf acres along the Nova Scotia coast, surrounding Socoxy's Sable Island tract.

A Shell spokesman said the application is being processed, and the Nova Scotia government has granted a geophysical permit to the company to allow federal exploration under federal permits pending a decision on whether the federal government or provinces own mineral rights on the continental shelf.

He said a condition of the Nova Scotia permit is that the company would take out provincial licences if it was decided the provinces owned the rights.

Prime Minister Pearson said Nov. 18 the Supreme Court of Canada would be asked to rule which government owned offshore rights.

**Oil Industry  
Investment  
Seen Needed**

Ottawa (CP)—It is urgent that more investment be made in the Canadian petroleum industry if future requirements are going to be met, the royal commission on taxation was told Wednesday.

Any suggestions that Canada enjoys unlimited oil supplies must be discounted, said Charles Hay, board chairman of the Canadian Petroleum Association.

"The estimated demand for crude oil, coupled with the present rate of discoveries shows that by 1970 the ability of the industry to produce market requirements will be used near to capacity and proven reserves will be no more than adequate for 12 or 13 years."

The association, representing the majority of Canada's petroleum firms, came to ask the commission to recommend general taxation measures that would have the effect of making oil investments more attractive.

One recommendation was that the depletion allowance—in lieu of the diminishing supplies of oil—be calculated at 25 per cent of gross income rather than the present 33-1/3 per cent of net income.

The other main recommendation was that drilling and exploration costs be deductible from all income of all individuals and corporations. Under present regulations, such costs can be deducted only from income derived from oil and gas production.

Mr. Hay said he thought this second change would result in more companies associating themselves with firms in the oil exploration business, and making risk capital available.

**Fluid Milk,  
Cream Sales  
Up In Nov.**

Ottawa (CP)—Sales of fluid milk and cream, in milk equivalent, rose four per cent in November, to \$12,245,000, pounds compared with the same month of 1962, the bureau of statistics said Wednesday.

This brought sales in the first 11 months of 1963 to \$564,092,000 pounds, up by two per cent from a year previous.

November sales of fluid milk and cream declined by one per cent in New Brunswick from a year earlier to 13,285,000 pounds but were up in other provinces.

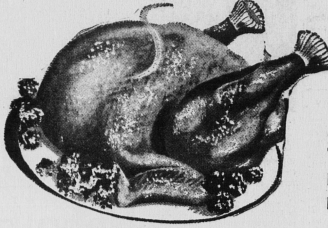
Month's sales in these provinces, with percentage gains from a year earlier in brackets: Prince Edward Island 2, 203,000 pounds (3), Nova Scotia 16,565,000 (2), Quebec 158,209,000 (3), Ontario 126,572,000 (3), Manitoba 28,536,000 (4), Saskatchewan 30,886,000 (7), Alberta 24,406,000 (5) and British Columbia 42,370,000 (5).

All provinces reported larger sales in the January-November period as compared with a year earlier. Totals, with percentage gains in brackets: Prince Edward Island 25,560,000 (2), Nova Scotia 186,536,000 (2), New Brunswick 54,260,000 (1), Quebec 1,675,286,000 (3), Ontario 2,065,314,000 (2), Manitoba 200,851,000 (2), Saskatchewan 320,345,000 (2), Alberta 255,825,000 (3) and British Columbia 457,983,000 (3).

ENVOY QUITS  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Matthew H. McCloskey is resigning as U.S. ambassador to Ireland to help the Democrats raise money for the year's election campaign.

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