



## Starting Fund Okayed For Maine Power Job

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. army engineers will get \$800,000 to start surveys and plans for a \$227,000,000 hydroelectric and flood-control project on the Upper St. John River in Maine. The starting money was contained in a \$4,700,000,000 supplemental appropriation bill which President Johnson signed at his Texas ranch.

The project, endorsed by the U.S. administration, the Maine Congressional delegation and governor but opposed by private power and coal interests, would be the first federal hydroelectric project in New England.

The project, at the Dickey and Lincoln School sites on the St. John, was opposed in the U.S. Congress both as to authorization and an initial appropriation. Its construction was approved by the Senate without contest but the House of Representatives would agree at first only to another year of study. Finally the House yielded and agreed to construction authorization.

Then the Senate put \$1,850,000 into the supplemental appropriation bill to start planning. The House, which originates money bills, had provided nothing for

the controversial development. The House, however, accepted an \$800,000 compromise on assurances from appropriations committee leaders that the planning money did not commit Congress to go ahead with the undertaking.

If finally constructed, the Dickey and Lincoln School site dams are expected to produce 794,000 kilowatts of power.

**MUNCH ON TREES**

Many animals, large and small, including the giraffe and Australian koala bear, live almost exclusively off trees.

## Bilingual Anthology Is Planned

TORONTO (CP) — A 600-page volume containing "the essence of Canadian literature" in the last century will be published for the centennial year, John Fisher has announced.

The centennial commissioner announced a \$25,000 grant for the bilingual anthology. Material used will be in either of

the two languages in which it was originally published — French or English.

The editors are associate parliamentary librarians Guy Sylvestre, chosen by La Société des Écrivains Canadiens, and H. Gordon Green, a contributing editor of The Family Herald of Montreal, chosen by the Canadian Authors Association.

The project is under the joint direction of the two literary bodies, with the centennial commission's assistance.

Mr. Sylvestre is a well-known biographer, essayist and critic, while Mr. Green is described as a prolific fiction writer, biographer and magazine contributor.

The two authors' associations will receive \$30,000 for expenses and compensation. The rest will go to the publisher.

Mr. Fisher made the announcement at the annual literary dinner of the Trinity College Library Institute at the University of Toronto.

REGINA (CP) — A total of 7,328 hunters shot a record 38,800 cock pheasants in Saskatchewan during the 1944 season, the provincial wildlife bureau reports. Some 25,000 cock pheasants were killed by 5,500 hunters the previous year.

**COLD WEATHER IS FORECAST**

Much below normal temperatures and moderate precipitation is the 30-day outlook for Prince Edward Island, according to the United States weather bureau. All Eastern Canada will have below or much below normal temperatures during November. Most western areas will have temperatures above or near normal. Precipitation will be light to moderate, except for Newfoundland and the west coast, which will have heavy precipitation. (CP Wirephoto)

## Klansmen Questioned On Disorderly House

WASHINGTON (AP) — Three Ku Klux Klansmen — two of them described as demolition instructors for the white supremacist clan — were questioned here about charge of running a "disorderly house" in a tavern and being members of a secret group called Nacirema.

Nacirema, U.S. House of Representatives investigator Philip Manuel explained, is "American spelled backwards" and is made up principally of klansmen and former klansmen who want "more violent action."

The three klansmen, all of Decatur, Ga., are John L. Brock Jr., William Crowe and William A. Anderson.

The house committee on un-American activities was told by Manuel the three were arrested March 16, 1943, charged with operating a disorderly house on Kelly Lake Drive outside Atlanta, Ga.

The address, said Manuel, was also the headquarters of a tavern.

The charge of maintaining a disorderly house was brought after a series of drunken weekend parties, according to the police reports in the committee's hands. The reports made no mention of prostitution.

**CHARGE DROPPED**

The record indicated the charge against Brock was dropped but disposition of the other charges against the others was not brought out.

Although the matter did not come up in Monday's hearings, there is a possibility the "committee will look into the case of a New York klan leader who was reported to have shot and killed himself Sunday after his Jewish origin was exposed.

Committee Chairman Edwin E. Willis (Dem. La.) confirmed that the klansman, Daniel Burns, 26, had been subpoenaed to appear before the committee.

Crowe, 48, and Anderson, 40, were identified by Manuel as instructors for a demolition school for klansmen.

Manuel said Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and Georgia Grand Dragon Calvin F. Craig of Atlanta were on hand in October, 1941, when Crowe and Anderson gave do-it-yourself explosives demonstrations at a farm outside Macon, Ga.

**TAUGHT BOMBING**

Manuel told the committee, as he had last week, that klansmen were taught how to make booby traps, to rig dynamite fuse caps and to make various types of fire bombs.

Representative Charles L. Wetner (Dem. Ga.) said he could think of no reason for such

instructions and demonstrations other "than the wilful taking of human life."

Crowe, Anderson and Brock, 40, declined to answer questions, citing U.S. constitutional protections against possible self-incrimination.

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## Missile Sites Are Silenced

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. Air Force and navy jet planes—some operating as new "hunter-killer" teams — silenced three surface-to-air missile sites Sunday in the air-defense ring set up by Russians around Hanoi, North Viet Nam's capital.

Pilots reporting later on the strikes said they left one side in ruins and knocked the two others out of action in 20 minutes despite heavy missile and conventional anti-aircraft fire 38 miles northeast of Hanoi.

Ironically, small-arms fire knocked down one U.S. navy jet and a U.S. spokesman said the pilot was presumed captured after bailing out of his plane.

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