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country as long as the upper chamber retains its present status and is appointed in traditional fashion.

Even if these objections were invalid, there is a deplorable aspect to this picture of a conclave of politicians...

V.O.W. Petition

Questioned the other day as to a petition presented to her by a delegation of the Voice of Women...

As noted by an Ottawa Journal columnist, the Voice of Women has for some time been considered a nuisance group...

It asked for greater federal participation in monitoring programs, noting that milk is the only food product monitored...

Our Toronto contemporary was a harsh critic of Prime Minister Diefenbaker during the last election campaign...

\$6,000 TAX FREE—Of the \$18,000 salary now proposed for MPs, \$6,000 is listed as tax-free expenses...

Transistors Go Home

It's a tossup which is worse, says the New York Times—the sound of a transistor radio outdoors or the sight of the person who lovingly carries it...

The Times editorial writer doesn't stop there. He spits on his hands and goes at this pet grievance with mounting acerbity.

Transistors, it says, "are a blight on the landscape and to the eardrums. Adult children and childish adults use them as sitting calls and conversation pieces."

Transistors, it is conceded, are a great invention. But there is much to be said for keeping them out of earshot in public places.

EDITORIAL NOTE

The 19th annual edition of Quick Canadian Facts has just appeared. Produced by a veteran journalist, C. J. Harris, the work does a fine job of presenting a great deal of precise factual information about many phases of Canadian activity...

The requiem of flying saucers came in an answer in the House of Commons which said the RCAF investigated unidentified flying objects and continued: "While it is not the policy of the department to deny the public information on unidentified flying objects such reports are not produced in published form."



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BRITISH COMMENTARY

Test Ban Hopes For The Future

In nearly every country in the world there will be feeling of relief, satisfaction and hope at the conclusion of the partial test ban treaty between the United States, Britain and the Soviet Union.

Relief because the agreement means the end—no, almost means the end—of all those nuclear tests which are capable of harming human health through radioactive fallout.

WHEN PROGRESS STOPPED The United States and the Soviet Union had started a series of tests in the atmosphere—some, perhaps, as in the recent Soviet series, of very large size—the threat to health might have become very real.

There is also a strong political reason for satisfaction. After the death of Stalin has been concluded, and the post-war occupation and restored Austria's independence.

Now at last a partial test ban agreement has been concluded, and this is the first solid and significant achievement between Russia and the West since 1945.

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Sun Can Bring Skin Disorders

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen The virtues of the sun have been extolled for so many generations, we feel a little guilty criticizing the old boy. The heat and light he gives, especially the health producing ultraviolet rays are so true when it comes to the tanning in a few days...

Studies have shown that on a clear day at 20 minute exposure in the average person will become slightly pink after a 20 minute exposure, a vivid red after 30 minutes, and burned at 100 minutes...

Sunburn not only is painful and disabling but destroys skin cells and leaves microscopic scars. The epidermis also is damaged by constant exposure to the sun, such as occurs in outdoor workers. It becomes dry, wrinkled, and weatherbeaten.

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NOTES BY THE WAY

After all, there's not much good in seeing ourselves as others see us. Most of us wouldn't believe our eyes... 'Why didn't you stop when I blew my whistle?' demanded the cop. 'I'm a little deaf,' the lady driver explained apologetically. 'Well, don't worry,' the officer reassured her. 'You'll get your hearing tomorrow.'

Those Rusted Cars

The automobile industry certainly is one of the world's foremost in its ability to adapt and improve. It spends hundreds of millions each year in bringing out its new models. It has all sorts of research facilities. Yet, seemingly, it can't produce a car which will stand up to rust in a few years. It can make engines, wheels, etc., which will last many years but, by the time the body is falling apart, this adds materially to the costs of operating a car. One has either to buy a new one every two or three years, or else to spend a lot of money on paint jobs and getting rust spots repaired. It is an expense to which automobile owners should not be subjected. Surely it is not beyond the competence of the automobile industry to manufacture a body, or at least a part, which will be rust-resistant. It almost is an affront to intelligence to suggest, it cannot do so, because in many what the industry has achieved. We have heard cynics suggest the automobile companies don't want to find a rust-resistant body or rust-resistant paint—because cars would last too long. That's a rather incredible idea but if I do it I do it myself. It doesn't meet the problem it will be catering to such cynicism.

'Unlicensed To Practice'

In Skawville, Que., a 63-year-old practical nurse was fined \$100 for practising medicine without a licence. The charge was laid by the provincial College of Physicians and Surgeons. An agent of the College, in this particular instance, prevailed upon Mrs. Serrera to offer treatment for an ailment, technically she was guilty of practising medicine without a licence.

Our Yesterdays

From the Maclean Files... TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (August 3, 1958) Congratulations are being extended to the graduates of the Prince George Hospital for the excellent showing made in the RN examination. In a class of 17, Miss Helen Rogers, Kensington, was second, Miss A. H. Campbell, Edmonton, 3rd, Vivian Payne, Westmount, 4th, and Miss Vera Griffin, tenth.

Mr. William Silliphant, Hunter River, has an apple tree that is attracting considerable attention, as side by side with the well formed apple is a second growth of apple blossoms, large and pink-tinged, as in early spring—something unique in August.

Mr. Malcolm A. MacQueen, an accurate and most interesting account of the lives of the Selkirk settlers, and a book which will now turn its attention to his brother, Mr. Peter MacQueen, Orono.

The family of the late John A. and Mrs. MacLellan, (Johnnie at the Shore) in Indian River, are enjoying a vacation at their former home. It is 18 years since the family have all been home together.

The FLYING DUTCHMAN RESTAURANT "Your Island Steak House"

Follow the Pipes Follow the Scots to LORD SELKIRK PARK ELDON AND ENJOY

The Caledonian Club

PIPE BAND PERFORMANCES by Balmoral Girls' Pipe Band, Strollers HIGHLAND LASSIES DANCING TO THE SKIRLING OF THE PIPES ATHLETIC EVENTS

NOVICE EVENTS START AT 10 A.M. A.D.T. OFFICIAL OPENING OF GAMES 2 P.M. A.D.T.

By Dr. Frank MacKinnon, Principal, Prince of Wales College, Women's Institutes

REMEMBER THE DATE AUGUST 7th ADMISSION: ADULTS 75c; CHILDREN 25c

Seek Dante Original

In 1965, Italy will mark the 700th anniversary of the birth of its greatest poet, Dante Alighieri.

The year will be an occasion for nation-wide celebrations — but to one individual, it is a day of great significance and trouble.

That individual is Signor Dante Sergio-Alighieri, a crumb of bread, the great descendant of the poet.

Signor Sergio-Alighieri is today occupant of the house at Gargagnano, ten miles from Verona, where Dante spent a great many years of his stormy and turbulent life as a political exile from his native Florence.

WANTED Horses and Ponies

for GOLD CUP & SAUCER PARADE, AUG 16 In Charlottetown

GIRLS: Do you have a horse? We have several entered in the parade but would like a few more. For details...

Phone Miss Virginia Putnam 4-7020

KIDS: Do you have a pony? We'd like all sizes, shapes and colours... you may use either saddle, cart or miniature sulky. For information...

Phone Mr. B. Earle MacDonald 4-6757