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Prince Edward Island Like The Dew"

ST. JOHN'S, CANADA, TUESDAY, MAY 26, 1959

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Green Causeway Report 'Big Bluff' Says Premier

Island Members 'Started' Politics

A big bluff—was the term used by Premier Matheson yesterday to describe the recent Ottawa report on the Prince Edward Island causeway (The premier was referring to federal works minister Green's statement that a causeway would cause a ten-foot tide differential in the Northumberland Strait and that possible land damage would have to be assessed before an opinion could be given on the feasibility of the land bridge to the mainland.)

The Premier also struck back swiftly at the accusation of a Federal Member of Parliament Dr. Orville Phillips, who said Mr. Matheson was playing politics in regard to transportation facilities on Borden.

SCOTIA STORY

"The politics all started when the four federal members made a joint announcement that they were going to spend a million and a half dollars on the Scotia II an announcement that was made on the eve of my arrival in Ottawa to discuss transportation problems", said the Premier.

The report on the causeway by Mr. Green which appeared in the May 22nd. Mr. Matheson said was precipitated by Hon. George MacKay's query made of Works Minister Green.

"The only thing I can figure from it, is that it was made carelessly or with the idea of forestalling the ultimate construction of the causeway. I believe they are wasting money trying to obtain information that any layman could give them", he said.

The Premier observed that the report made public last week was only an interim report. "We shall await with interest the full report which has been promised to be made public next month", he added.

The report on the causeway which was promised sometime ago in May, and later postponed for one month is now further postponed, apparently.

A Canadian Press story yesterday quoted Transport Minister Hees as saying he was now expecting a feasibility report on the causeway in June. The statement was made in the House of Commons in reply to a question from Tazew Arzoo, House Leader for the CCF party.

Chairman Is Selected For Board

OTTAWA (CP) — Ian N. McKinnon, seasoned chairman of the Alberta Oil and Gas Conservation Board, is the federal government's choice for the chairmanship of the new National Energy Board, informants said Tuesday night.

He was due in the capital Tuesday night to discuss the job with the government and especially with Trade Minister Churchill, who will report to Parliament on the projected board's operations.

Mr. McKinnon is understood to be willing to accept the \$20,000-a-year post, at least on an interim basis.

Informants say Prime Minister Diefenbaker may have had these qualifications in mind when in a Commons speech on the board earlier Tuesday, he said the federal government hopes to get the best men available for the new energy body.



MAJOR-GENERAL MEGILL BRIGADIER WRINCH BRIGADIER PANGMAN

Move Eliminates Prairie Command

OTTAWA — Prairie Command, one of Canada's main military administrative divisions will cease to exist after September 1, Canada's defence minister, Hon. George R. Pearkes announced Tuesday. Major General W.J. McGill, DSO, CD, general officer commanding the district will retire from the Canadian Army the same date.

Simultaneously, the Lakehead region of Ontario, one of the three major divisions now comprising Prairie Command, will become part of Central Command with headquarters in Oakville, Ontario, and the Saskatchewan district with headquarters in Regina will become part of Western Command which reports to Edmonton.

The Manitoba portion of Prairie Command will be set up as a separate area under command of Brigadier J.E.C. Pangman, DSO, ED, CD, at present deputy chief of the Canadian General Staff. This military entity will also report to Western Command headquarters in Edmonton.

Brigadier Arthur E. Wrinch, EBE, CD, recently named to direct the Army's national survival operations, will be promoted to Major-General to fill the vacancy created by Major-General McGill's retirement.

EXPERT DRIVER FINED ANYWAY

LEICESTER, England (CP) — Harry Woodford was driving home from the office, minding his own business, when an elderly woman stepped in front of his car. With an expert swerve, he picked his way through the oncoming traffic while the pedestrian completed her crossing unscathed.

A police constable, who saw the incident, praised Woodford's expert driving and the motorist, mopping his brow, headed for his club to quiet his nerves.

A few hours later, his nerves were truly quieted, Woodford again was observed swerving through the oncoming traffic.

The policeman who observed his second performance was less admiring. Monday Woodford appeared in court on a charge of driving under the influence of drink. He pleaded guilty.

Woodford was fined £75 and disqualified from driving for a year.

Bomarc Said On Schedule

OTTAWA (CP) — Development program of the American B-70 anti-aircraft missile is up to schedule, Defence Minister Pearkes said Tuesday in the Commons.

He added that plans to include the Bomarc in North American air defence are unchanged.

Mr. Pearkes was asked by Paul Hellyer (L-Toronto Trinity) for comment on a Canadian Press story which said Canadian plans to acquire the Bomarc depend on United States action. The story added that the U.S. Army is opposing further major investment of funds in the U.S. Air Force Bomarc program.

The minister said his information doesn't warrant any uncertainty concerning future use of the Bomarc.

80,000 To See APEC's Show

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP) — More than 80,000 persons are expected to attend the Atlantic provinces industrial exposition opening here today. It ends Saturday.

About 200 exhibitors from the four Atlantic provinces have arranged for booths to display their wares. Atlantic cabinet ministers, premiers and business officials are expected to attend.

Exhibits will range from silk stockings to the latest in stainless steel, plastic and aluminum. The largest exhibitor is Eastward Industries Ltd. of Saint John with 10 booths to show its office and home furnishings and hi-fi record players.

A machinery manufacturer will have a mural depicting development of the company from its beginning 125 years ago to the present.

SCALE MODELS

The New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, a provincial government agency, will show scale models of hydro-electric and thermal power generating units.

The destroyer escort Nootka will dock at Fugley Terminal on the waterfront where the exposition is to be held and a cruise will be made.

Other exhibits will include stainless steel, plastic and aluminum products from Nova Scotia, dairy goods from Prince Edward Island, and paints from Newfoundland.

'Vacationland Is Ideal' For Traffic At Borden

Premier Matheson is satisfied that the Motor Vessel Vacationland is ideal for handling traffic at Borden. The Premier stated yesterday he was basing his opinion on a report submitted to him this week by Mr. Alex Scott who went to Michigan last week to inspect the ferry and to inquire into all aspects of its possible operation on the Island.

The ferry can be purchased for about \$3 million dollars, complete with present landing ramps, all tools and spare parts. The ship is comparatively new, having been built in 1952. She went into operation in 1954.

According to engineer Scott's findings the Vacationland could quite easily be docked in the present layout berth of the SS Prince Edward Island which has a dredged depth of 26 feet. On the Tuxton side the old berth is available with all the operating machinery.

The Tormentine berth was abandoned some years ago due to the decrepit condition of the wharf, particularly the long arm and the railway approaches were not good because of the curvature.

It is pointed out that the Vacationland (Continued on page 5 Col. 3)

29 YOUNG LADIES GET DIPLOMAS

Need Of Nurses Within Province Stressed To Class Of Graduates

The need of keeping Island nurses within the province was highly emphasized by Mrs. Helen Bolger, R.N., at the graduating exercises of the Prince Edward Island Hospital School of Nursing last night.

"If each new graduating class would remain on the Island for at least a year, the nursing service in hospitals would be greatly stabilized," she said.

GRADUATE NURSES

Seventeen young nursing graduates and two from the School of Radiography received their diplomas from His Honour Lieutenant-Governor F. Walter Hyndman at the exercises held at Prince of Wales College.

Nursing graduates were Mary Winnifred Cairns, Summerside; Evelyn Etta Louise Coffin and Lillian Ethel Mehetable Coffin, Boston, Mass.; Gladys Ariene Davison, Kensington; Verna Lenore Gillis, Point Pleasant; Glenda Jean Jamieson, Montague; Mary Frances Johnston, Millan, Summerside; Marina Jemima MacMillan, Alberry Plains.

Other nursing graduates are Nancy Winnifred Lea, Charlottetown; Merriel Elizabeth Palmer, Charlottetown; Georgie Jerusha Waugh, Bedeque; Janet Roberta Waugh, Bedeque.

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Labor Party Said Needed

ANTIGONISH, N.S. (CP) — Donald Macdonald of Ottawa, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Labor Congress, said Tuesday labor must form its own political party to "safeguard the progress we have made in the past."

He told a conference of Atlantic province CIO representatives that labor had no alternative but to become active politically.

"Today there is not one aspect of the trade union movement that is not controlled or influenced by legislation or government policy," Labor in Canada, as in the United States, had been the target of a two-pronged attack. The first phase was propaganda and the second was now being reached in "anti-labor legislation."

WITH MILITARY POMP

John Foster Dulles To Be Buried Today

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

WASHINGTON (AP) — John Foster Dulles' body lay at rest in stately Washington National Cathedral Tuesday night, and great and ordinary people from many lands filed past to pay him honor.

Today the former U.S. secretary of state will be buried with military pomp in Arlington National Cemetery after funeral service at the cathedral.

President Eisenhower will attend. So will the chief of government of West Germany, 83-year-old Konrad Adenauer.

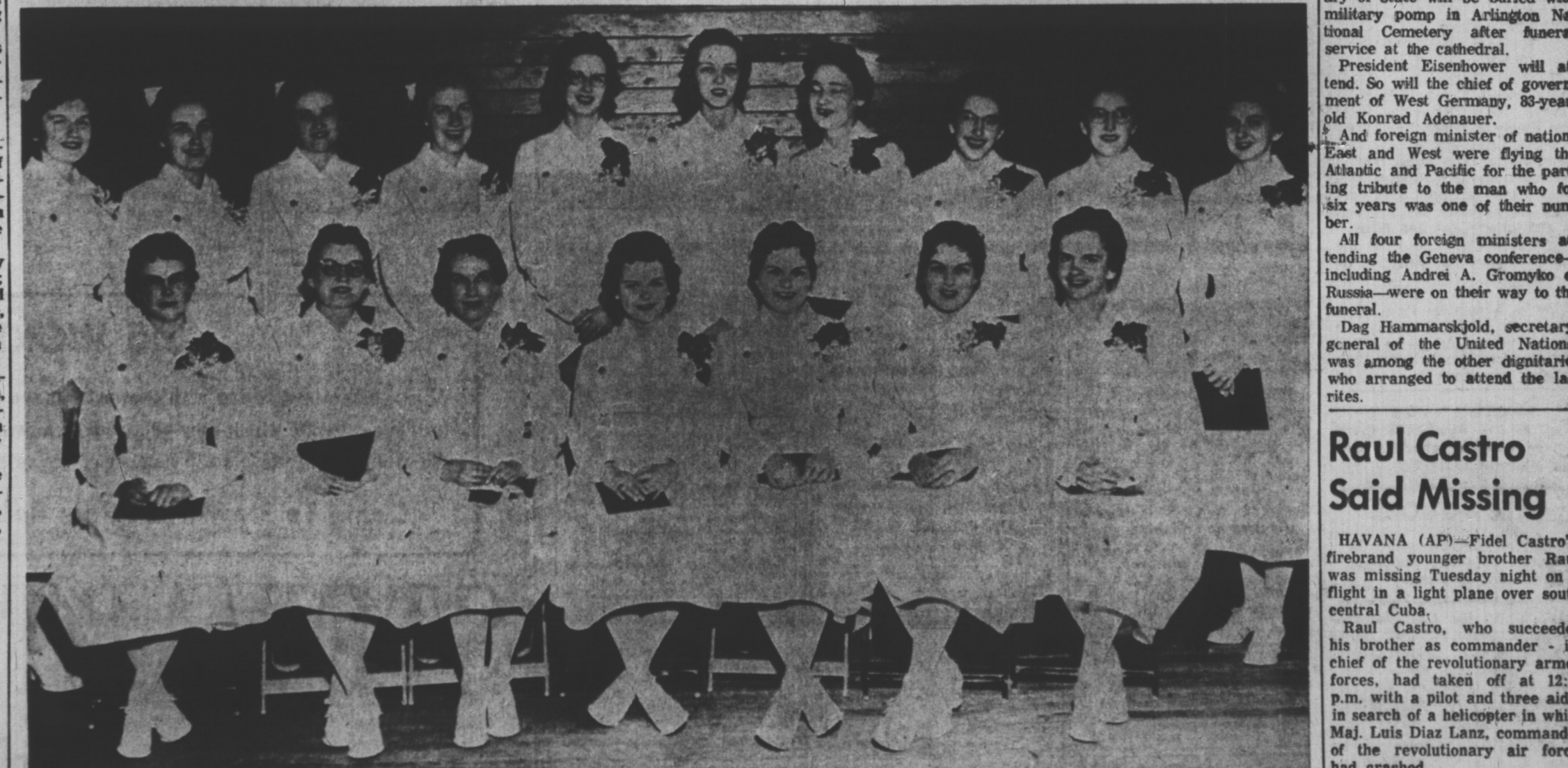
And foreign minister of nations East and West were flying the Atlantic and Pacific for the parting tribute to the man who for six years was one of their number.

All four foreign ministers attending the Geneva conference—including Andre A. Gromyko of Russia—were on their way to the funeral.

Dag Hammarskjold, secretary-general of the United Nations, was among the other dignitaries who arranged to attend the last rites.

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GRADUATING FROM the Prince Edward Island Hospital School of Nursing last night were, left to right, SEATED, Verna Lenore Gillis, Point Pleasant; Merriel Elizabeth Palmer, Charlottetown; Georgie Jerusha Waugh, Bedeque; Janet Roberta Waugh, Bedeque; Lillian Ethel Mehetable Coffin, Boston, Mass.; Marina Jemima MacMillan, Alberry Plains; STANDING, Mary Lou Vessey, Charlottetown; Helen Viola Shaw, Summerside; Mary Winnifred Cairns, Summerside; Mary Frances Johnston, Montague; Evelyn Etta Louise Coffin, Boston, Mass.; Ariene Davison, Kensington; Glenda Jean Jamieson, Montague; Mary Frances Johnston, Millan, Summerside; Marina Jemima MacMillan, Alberry Plains; Nancy Winnifred Lea, Charlottetown.

TULIP TIME IN OTTAWA

Prime Minister and Mrs. John Diefenbaker are pictured on the lawn of their residence at 24 Sussex Drive. In this photo by Mal-

Liberal Leave Committee To Protest Lengthy Sitting

By JOHN LEBLANC

CANADIAN PRESS STAFF WRITER

OTTAWA (CP) — Three Liberal members of the Commons industrial relations committee left the session in a body before it adjourned Tuesday in protest at what they contended was an over-long sitting.

Their move followed a running fight between Liberal and majority Progressive Conservative committee members over committee procedure. The scrap has been going on for about a week.

Tuesday, the opponents battled around miscellaneous charges against each other including "obstructionist" and "incompetence."

Finally, when the committee decided to sit well beyond the normal adjournment time of 1 p.m., Alexis Caron (Hull), Dr. W. H. McMillan (Windsor) and Charles Granger (Grand Falls-White Bay - Labrador) walked out.

Oysters Job Ends In June

HALIFAX (CP) — Transplanting of 10,000 barrels of disease-resistant oysters to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick waters from Prince Edward Island will be completed in June, the fisheries department said here Tuesday.

Operation Oyster began three years ago. The shell fish were transplanted in the Northumberland Strait area from Pictou County in Nova Scotia to the northern New Brunswick.

The oysters came from the fisheries oyster culture station at Elnorville, P.E.I.

PROVING SUCCESSFUL

Dr. A. L. Pritchard of Ottawa, head of the department's conservation and development service, said the project was proving successful.

He said the Prince Edward Island oyster beds were hit by the disease about 1915. Those that survived are immune.

Prince Edward Island's production last year brought fishermen \$263,000.

Secret Talks Recorded At Big Four Meeting

GENEVA (AP) — The Big Four foreign ministers agreed Tuesday to plunge into secret bargaining on Berlin and a summit meeting when they resume their conference here Friday. Then they flew off to Washington for the funeral of John Foster Dulles.

Christian A. Herter of the United States, Britain's Selwyn Lloyd and France's Maurice Couve de Murville thundered out of Geneva in the Constellation of Gen. Lauris Norstad, NATO commander in Europe.

Andre A. Gromyko, the Soviet Union's top diplomat, left two hours earlier in a tourist class flight via London for the Washington rites. The Soviet foreign minister and one aide will return Thursday in the same plane with Herter, Lloyd and Couve de Murville.

DUE TODAY

Herter and the other two Western ministers are due in Washington about 9 a.m. today.

Gromyko left white-haired Deputy Foreign Minister Valerian Zorin to represent him at Tuesday's 90-minute session of the conference.

After that session, the negotiations on Europe's most crucial questions were suspended for two days to permit the diplomats to pay last respects to the former American secretary of state.

Before the ministers convened around the doughnut-shaped table in the Palace of Nations, Gromyko and Lloyd hammered out an East-West agreement for negotiations to begin in secret next Friday.

The decision to resort to secret diplomacy came after 12 sessions of stalemated debate on the big issues.

BOTH SIDES EVASIVE

Both sides were somewhat evasive as to who initiated the off-the-record sessions. Soviet and American sources said the initiative came from Lloyd. A British spokesman said the agreement arose spontaneously.

The secret talks will pivot around more limited objectives—an interim stopgap agreement in the explosive Berlin crisis and an agreement for a parity at the summit.