



THE ORDER OF GOOD CHEER

Members of Canada's oldest social club, the Order of Good Cheer, don the dress of French

noblemen 350 years ago to re-enact their order's founding at Royal, N.S., near Annapolis

Royal, in 1606. The club, organized by Frenchmen who accompanied Champlain to found the

first permanent white settlement in America north of the Gulf of Mexico, plans a 350th anniversary

banquet August 15. Most of today's members are local businessmen. (CP Photo)

## U.S. Marine Tells Of His Squad's Fatal Night March

By ARTHUR EVERETT  
PARRIS ISLAND, S.C. (AP)—Weeping and a-tremble with nervous tension, Staff Sgt. Matthew C. McKeon Tuesday graphically re-enacted the April 8 death march that cost the lives of six of his recruits in the United States Marines.

He finally choked with emotion, tears clogged his vision, and he could not go on. He had just finished telling how one victim, a Negro boy, lost a grip on him and slid silently to death in the dark waters of Ribbon Creek.

McKeon used a pointer to trace the route of the death march on an eight-by-eight-foot replica of the death march area. Every word he spoke, every move he made with the pointer took him steadily closer to the point where he dissolved soundlessly into tears.

The 27-year-old defendant said he never was in water above his chest during what he called a disciplinary night march. But he testified that the drowned recruits had floundered some 30 feet further into the creek when they went under "in a big, mad commotion."

"GOOD LADS"  
Earlier, McKeon choked up momentarily as he assured his court martial that he has slapped his five-year-old daughter harder than he ever slapped any member of recruit platoon 71.

McKeon called the death march similar to one he underwent as a fledgling marine "on several occasions."

In discussing the breaches of discipline of platoon 71, defence counsel Emi' Zola Berman asked

McKeon at one point: "Fundamentally, they were not bad boys, were they?" Without pause, McKeon levelled a gaze over the crowded courtroom and said in soft tones that encompassed both the living and the dead: "They were good lads."

McKeon is accused of manslaughter, oppression of recruits and drinking on duty in connection with the death march. He can be dishonorably discharged and imprisoned if convicted.

## Strike Is Illegal

TORONTO (CP)—The Ontario Labor Relations board Tuesday declared illegal a strike against two Canadian subsidiaries of United States steel companies.

Affected are employees of the Marmaraton Mining Company of Marmora, a subsidiary of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation and the Union Drawn Steel Company of Hamilton, a subsidiary of Republic Steel Company, who struck July 3.

All are members of the United Steelworkers of America, and union spokesmen argued that the employees are directly affected by any agreement reached in U.S. Steel negotiations.

## The Case Of The Missing Begonias

OTTAWA (CP)—The Mounties, storiied for their prowess in getting their man, now are out to get their begonias, or rather the Federal District Commission's begonias.

In recent weeks, 75 Begonia plants have been dug up, the FDC says, in the dead of night from their beds along a section of the capital's scenic Rideau Canal driveway. The FDC says 36 plants were stolen one night last week alone. Since the begonias are missing from federal property, the RCMP has been called into the case.

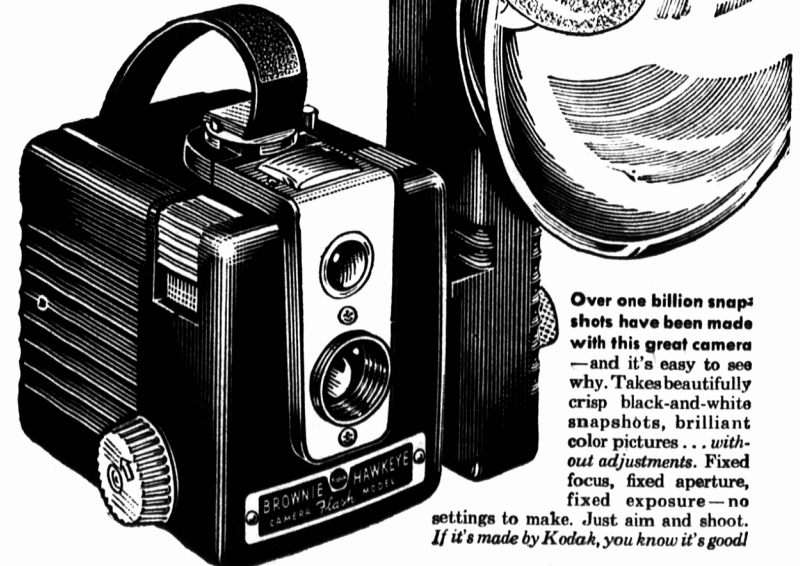
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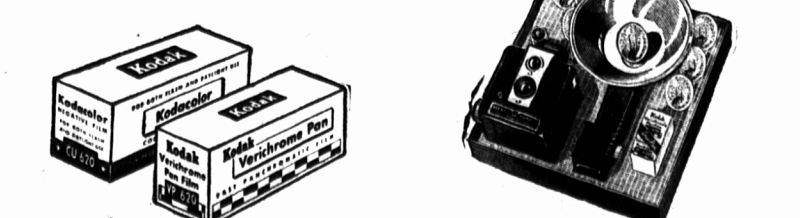
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## WELLINGTON

The funeral of the late Miss Agnes MacDonald took place at 9:15 a.m. Saturday morning from Compton Funeral Home to Wellington Chapel, where Requiem Mass was celebrated at 10:00 a.m. by Rev. Joseph LeClair, assisted by Parish Priest Rev. Leonard MacDonald. Pall bearers were: Lorne Driscoll, Eddie Gilis, Joe MacDonald, Roland Philipson, William Smith and Howard Barlow.

Mr. Lester McAusland left recently for a brief visit with his sister in Halifax, N.S.

The funeral of the late Arthur Shreenan was held on Monday from the home of his daughter, Mrs. John E. Cameron, Wellington Center, to St. Malachy's Church, Kinkora, at 10:00 a.m. Rev. Harold Croken celebrated Requiem Mass and also performed last rites at the grave. Pall bearers were: Emmett and Ambrose MacNeil, Phillip Cameron, Damien Shreenan, Fred McCurd, Clair Greenan. Interment was in the Church Cemetery.

Miss Frances Barlow recently visited her sisters and brothers-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacEachern, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Ward, Summerside.

Miss Beverly Barlow spent a few days visiting Miss Sandra Gallant, Duke St., Summerside.

Miss Cleone Arsenault, Borden, recently spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Arsenault before leaving for Toronto, Ontario.

Master Terrence Woodman of Borden is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Arsenault.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arsenault of Bridgeport, Conn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Arsenault.

Mr. Alyre Gallant, Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting his brother Mr. Curney Gallant and Mrs. Gallant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alyre LeClair and son Paul, Chelsea, Mass., recently visited Mrs. LeClair's brother, Mr. Archie Arsenault, Mrs. Arsenault and family.

Messrs Alfred and Able LeClair of Massachusetts, are visiting relatives and friends on the Island. This is their first trip in 30 years to the Island.

Messrs Pius and Merrill Cameron, attended the altar boys camp held in Rustico under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus.

Miss Lorraine Arsenault, teacher of the French School of this district has left for St. Joseph, N.B., where she will take a refresher course.

Miss Emily Thibodeau recently visited with friends in Moncton, N.B.

Mrs. Eva Oliver, Stoneham, Mass., is spending a lengthy vacation with her brothers Eddie and Lloyd Ferguson and Mrs. Ferguson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Gallant had as their guest their daughter, Miss Mary, R.N. Indiana, U.S.A.

Misses Dianne and Cheryl Reid and Misses Joan and Gloria Gallant spent five days at the Lone Guide Merry-Go-Round-Up, Central Royalty. One of the highlights of the Round-Up was a scheduled bus trip to Moncton. Later they met some New Brunswick Lone Guides at Magne-

## TIGNISH

Mr. Francis Doucette, Summerside, was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel P. Doucette, Tignish.

Mr. Earl Handrahan, B.A., of Christopher Cross, left for Montreal, P.Q., on Monday to take up his duties as manager in a branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in that city. Earl received his college degree from St. Dunstan's University with the class of 1956 and his many friends wish him success in his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Arsenault, Moncton, N.B., visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubin Arsenault and Mr. Phillip B. Gallant over the week end.

Mr. Edward Maddix employed in Toronto, is spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Maddix and sister Annie.

Mr. Alyre Gallant, Bridgeport, Conn., is visiting his brother Cornelius of Urbanville; also two sisters, Mrs. Anthony Maddix, St. Gilbert's, and Mrs. Edmund C. Arsenault, Wellington. This is Mr. Gallant's first visit to the Island in 19 years.

The Annual meeting of the Ladies of St. Gilbert Altar Society, was at the home of Mrs. Ralph Arsenault, July 12. Roll call was answered by eight members. The meeting opened with prayer and various reports were given by committees. Following election of new officers it was decided to hold bingo at the home of Mrs. Amand Gallant. Next meetir to be held at the home of Mrs. Helene Arsenault.

Miss Ruby Ryder, Wellington Center, was a recent patient in P.C. Hospital.

Her many friends wish Mrs. Elmer Ramsay success in her new position as teacher in St. Eleanor's School, Mrs. Ramsay was the teacher at South West Lot 16 School, where she was highly regarded as a splendid teacher by both parents and pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gamble and daughter Carol, have taken up residence in Summerside.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Birch are sorry to learn their infant daughter is a patient in P.C. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Adams, Arlington, Lot 14, and Miss Ella May Cameron, Riverside, were recent visitors to Sackville, N.B. Sympathy is being extended to bereaved family of the late Mrs. Inez MacLaurin, Central Lot 16, whose death occurred recently in P.C. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel J. Gallant, Abram's Village, have announced the engagement of their daughter Marie Lorraine to Clifford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Arsenault, Howlan. BM

Members of St. Thomas Aquinas Society held their meeting at St. Chrysostom School recently. Twenty-nine members answered roll call. In absence of President, Mr. Victorin Arsenault acted as man. A Chinese Auction will be means of raising funds at next meeting. A sketch put on by Mrs. Donat H. Arsenault and Mrs. Joseph D. Arsenault was enjoyed by all. This was followed by bingo and sale of lunches.

Mr. Claire Brooks, accompanied by his sister Joan of Toronto moved to their former home in Union Corner to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brooks.

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## Seaway Contract

OTTAWA (CP)—Awarding of a \$2,289,460 contract to Maritime Steel and Foundries Ltd. of New Glasgow, N.S., for supply and erection of wire rope fenders at five locks was announced Tuesday by the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority.

The fenders are designed to protect lock gates and bridges at locks from any ship which may strike them. Each fender will be capable of stopping a 48,000-ton ship moving at three miles an hour.

Mr. Earl Grandin, has returned to Montreal after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel P. Doucette, Tignish.

Mrs. Earl Grandin, has returned to Montreal after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Gaudet and her sister Miss Susan, Tignish.

An auction sale of farm machinery was held at the home of Mrs. Loretta O'Connor, Tignish on Friday afternoon. Mr. E. Myers was the auctioneer. A good crowd was in attendance and satisfactory prices received. All articles were disposed of.

Mr. Frank D. Gaudet has the exterior of his home completed and work finishing the inside has begun. He plans to have it ready for occupancy within the next few weeks.

Mr. Joseph Arsenault, disposed of his farm and farm equipment, Palmers Road, and is having a house built on a lot of land he purchased from Mr. Fred F. Gaudet at Tignish Corner. Mr. and Mrs. Arsenault are being welcomed to Tignish by the residents of this community.

Mr. Stephen Kenny, Ottawa, Canada, arrived home to visit his mother, Mrs. James Kenny, Waterford, who is quite ill at her home. Another son, Mr. A.L. Kenny of Medford, Mass., spent several days of last week with her and her sister, Mrs. Robert Kenny, Charlotteown, has come to help nurse Mrs. Henry back to health. Her many friends wish her a speedy and complete return to health.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bennett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellsworth and family, all of Bridgeport, Conn., recently returned to their homes after a two weeks visit with their mother, Mrs. Edward Ellsworth, Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Dawson and family, South Boston, Mass., spent two weeks vacation, Mr. Dawson's mother, Mrs. Harry Dawson, Seacow Pond and his uncle, Mr. Wilfred Phee, Norway.

Mr. Ralph Harper, Cambridge, Mass., spent his annual vacation with his mother, Mrs. John C. Harper, Christopher Cross.

Mrs. James Roach and granddaughter, Judy Shea, Boston, Mass., are spending the summer with Mrs. Roach's brother, Messrs. James and William O'Brien and her sister, Miss Mildred O'Brien.

Mrs. Myrtle Keough, a salesclerk for the past two years with the Tignish Co-operative, Ltd. is undered a party on Saturday evening in the office of the store after working hours were over. The party was in honour of her approaching marriage. Mr. Leo Arsenault of the office staff spoke words of congratulations and hoped she would be happy through life. On behalf of all the staff he presented her with a beautiful table lamp and an electric hot plate. Miss Keough expressed her gratitude to her fellow workers for their kindness and thoughtfulness. Refreshments were served.

Mr. Roland Shea and son Mr. Bernard Shea have returned to their home in Brighton, Mass., after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in this community. While on the Island they were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Shea. This was Mr. Roland Shea's first visit to his native province in twenty-eight years and the first time his son ever came to visit the birthplace of his dad. Both men expressed their pleasure at having such a pleasant happy time, and Mr. Shea, Sr., saw so many changes in the whole countryside since his last visit, he promised to return again next year and hoped he might be able to remain longer.

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## Admits Telling A-Bomb Missed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The air force Tuesday announced the arrest of an airman who allegedly "leaked" information that the May 21 hydrogen bomb missed its test target in the Pacific.

A spokesman said Airman Jackson H. Kilgore, 21, of Meadowview, Va., was arrested at Eniwetok, centre of the atomic proving ground, after he admitted giving the information in violation of air force regulations regarding confidential information.

Air Force Secretary Donald Quarles later made it official when he said that "due to human error" the bomb burst "somewhat less than four miles short of the planned position."

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