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ACUTE OVERCROWDING

Spring Park Makes Plans For Fifteen-Room School

Spring Park is to have a new 15-room school if plans discussed at a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees materialize. The trustees hope to have some of the rooms in the new school available to relieve a serious congestion problem which has existed for some years.

The location of the new building, which will take care of the school population from grades one to ten, has not as yet been decided but an area of land several hundred yards west of the present school will likely be chosen. Spring Park has suffered more from overcrowding than any of the districts in the now extinct, School Unit No. 1. Classes have had to be staggered between the forenoon and afternoon for some time and accommodation in two different places outside the school proper has been in use for the past few years. It has been felt also by the majority of parents that the location of the present building is anything but desirable. It is on a low lying area and the school grounds becomes a quagmire in the spring

and fall. Spring Park at the present time has a staff of ten teachers but an additional teacher will be hired for the coming term. The Board of Trustees at Ernest Matheson, Tom White and George Cairns. The secretary is Mrs. Earle Norrie.

NATIVE OF P.E.I.

CCF House Dean Plans To Retire

OTTAWA (CP)—Angus MacInnis, dean of the CCF members in the House of Commons is retiring after 26 years in parliamentary life.

The 70-year-old member for Vancouver Kingsway, known as the elder statesman of his party, told a reporter Thursday he will not run again at the next general election because of poor health.

He was amplifying on a statement he made in the House earlier: "If there is an election before there is another session I will not be here and I may not be here at the next session even if there is no election."

Mr. MacInnis, a native of Glen William, P.E.I., has represented Vancouver ridings in the Commons continuously since 1930. He was first elected as an Independent-Labor member and ran under the CCF banner starting in 1935. He said he plans to live quietly at his Vancouver home and work in his garden.



MR. MACINNIS

some ways, an irreplaceable loss to Parliament.

"I, who know him so intimately, can say that Angus MacInnis would never condone anything that seemed unjust or unfair." He hoped Mr. MacInnis' health would permit him to take his seat in the House until dissolution.

Mr. MacInnis married the daughter of J. S. Woodsworth, late founder of the CCF, in 1932. He was vice-chairman of the national council of the CCF for eight years.

IN INDIFFERENT HEALTH
Mr. MacInnis has been in indifferent health for about two years, missing long stretches in Parliament.

A tall, slightly stooping man with grey hair and a gravelly voice that sometimes booms when he speaks with passion, he is the desk-mate of his leader, M. J. Coldwell.

Mr. Coldwell said "his decision foreshadows a great, indeed in

Islanders Stop At Ottawa En Route To West

OTTAWA, (Special) — Miss Helen Lockhart of Charlottetown, Mrs. Ray MacLeod, Graham's Bay, Mrs. Stirling MacKay, New London and Mr. Walter MacKenzie, Charlottetown, who are motoring from the Maritimes to Western Canada, were visitors to Ottawa this week. During their stay in the Capital, The Prince Edward Island visitors were guests of Miss Lockhart's sister, Mrs. G. M. Ingersoll, private secretary to Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M. P. and Mr. Ingersoll.

New Moderator Of Presbyterians Was Chaplain

TORONTO (CP) — Rev. Finlay Gordon Stewart, new moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada at the Second World War and was mentioned in dispatches.

Chosen Wednesday night from among four other nominees, his election marked the opening session of the Church's 82nd general assembly here.

He succeeds Rt. Rev. Dr. Walter McCree of Toronto. Dr. Stewart served at St. Andrew's church in Kitchener, Canada's second largest Presbyterian church, for the last 20 years. He is chairman of the Kitchener board of education and also heads the Church's national committee for recruitment of the ministry.

Born on a farm at Dutton, Ont., Dr. Stewart graduated from Knox college at the University of Toronto with a doctor of divinity degree.

His first charge was at Drummond Hill near Niagara Falls, Ont.

Ayles Sent To Supreme Court

SAINT JOHN, N. B. (CP)—Chief Justice Ayles, 25, of Atholville, N. B., was committed to stand trial on a charge of murder following preliminary hearing in Simonds police court Thursday.

Ayles is charged in the slaying of Allison Graves, Saint John tuberculosis hospital chauffeur during an armed holdup Oct. 20. The case is expected to be listed for the next sittings of the Saint John circuit court, scheduled to open June 26.

Before committing Ayles for trial, Simonds parish magistrate W. R. Tippett and his court visited the bedside of pathologist Dr. H. A. Bird to hear final prosecution testimony.

Dr. Bird, who is confined to his home with illness, said Graves had died as a result of multiple lacerations "which must have been caused by a stout, sharp instrument, such as a knife."

Identity Of Body Remains Mystery

FREDERICTON (CP)—The identity of a man whose body was found on the main highway near Burton Wednesday night remained unknown Thursday. Police discounted the possibility of foul play and said the apparent hitch-hiker was probably hit by a vehicle.

The victim, aged about 35 and five feet six inches tall, wore a dark blue denim jacket and trousers. There were only a few cents in his pocket. An inquest will be held, when the results of an autopsy will be revealed.

Raft Unable To Give Position

DARTMOUTH, N.S. (CP)—The raft 'Egare' Thursday was unable to give its position to ham operators for the amateur radio speakers, however, they were able to give the four-man crew the weather forecast. The French-born frontiersman acknowledged reception of the forecasts but their replies were garbled.

Sunday's report put the adventurers, who hope to float to Europe, 250 miles off the Nova Scotia coast. They left Halifax May 24.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y. IN DARKNESS

Rockfalls Tumble Power Plant Into River Gorge

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. (AP)—A series of giant rockfalls late Thursday sent two-thirds of a huge power plant tumbling into the foaming Niagara gorge half a mile below the falls and swept one power company employee to his death.

Three earth-jarring slides left more of the Schoellkopf station, largest hydroelectric plant in the world, in complete ruin.

The company said the damage would run well into the millions. Richard Draper, 39, of nearby Lewiston, a machinist, disappeared in the cascading debris before the eyes of two fellow-employees. He was one of a 47-man crew

at work sandbagging a leak discovered at the base of the station only hours earlier. The others cracked noises in the building warned them that its collapse was imminent.

FOUR TO HOSPITAL
One man was assisted to the top of the 220-foot-deep gorge by firemen. He and three others received hospital treatment but none was believed injured seriously.

A company official said the apparent cause of the spectacular collapse was seepage of water into rock crevices between the lip of the gorge and the hydraulic canal feeding into the station from above

the falls. He said there had apparently been an "earth movement" in the area.

All power was knocked out in this industrial city of 100,000 people.

FIVE MINUTES APART
The first roaring slide came just before 6:30 p.m. A.D.T. The others followed about five minutes apart. A fire broke out in the wreckage, but it was quickly put out.

A pall of smoke and dust hung over the area for an hour. Spectacle, second major rock collapse in the yawning gorge in less than two years. Thousands more people quickly gathered, but power

was blocked off the area. Those across the gorge in Canada or on the Rainbow bridge, which spans the gorge between the power station and the falls themselves, had the best views.

The power station is a half-mile from Prospect Point, where a tremendous rockfall destroyed that favorite tourist attraction two years ago and radically changed the face of the American falls.

SAME ROCK TYPE
The scene of Thursday's collapse probably is in the same stratum of rock as Prospect Point. But the erosion of a softer rock formation under the lip of the gorge.

There could be no erosion at the power station, since the masonry work of the station and its facilities covers the entire face of the gorge.

The power station, one of the oldest here, lies light against the side of the gorge. Between the station and the American falls, a half-mile upstream, is at the U.S. end of the Rainbow bridge to Canada.

The water used to generate power in the Schoellkopf station, and in other power stations on the Canadian side, comes through canals or tunnels from above the falls. The hydraulic canal serving the Schoellkopf station cuts through the business section of the city.

Troops Begin Trek To Camp Gagetown

OTTAWA (CP)—Ten special and two regular trains will move 2,800 troops from home stations in Ontario and Quebec to their summer training area at Camp Gagetown, N.B., starting Sunday.

Army headquarters said Thursday another 4,000 troops already are moving in 1,400 vehicles in highway convoys. Others will travel by aircraft.

Coming Events

No dance Fortune Hall this week.

Dance Fortune Hall every Friday night.

Opening dance at Gordon Lodge Friday night.

Dance Grandview Hall, Friday, June 8th.

Horse races at Hazelbrook, Saturday, June 9th, at 2:00 p.m.

Hampton stores closed Wednesday afternoon until further notice.

Show, "Song of Bernadette," St. Peter's Bay Hall, Wednesday, June 13th, at 8:30.

Wiltshire Hall June 8th: "Here Comes Charlie," by Wheatley River players.

Show, "Song of Bernadette," St. Theresa's Hall, Tuesday, June 12th, at 8:30.

Dance at the White Spot, Dunstaffnage, Friday, June 8. Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra.

Indian River Dramatic Club present their play in Kinkora Hall, Friday, June 8th.

Dancing at South Rustico every Friday night. Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra. Canteen service.

Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra playing at the White Spot, Dunstaffnage, every Friday night.

Dance in Mount Ryan Hall every Saturday. Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra. Dancing 9 to 12.

"Smiling Bill MacCormack" will be at Belfast Hall June 9th, sponsored by Belfast Y. P. S. Starts 8 p.m.

Hampton Women's Association Food Sale at Holman's Store, Charlottetown on Friday, June 8th, at 2:30.

St. Peter's players present "Aunt Susie Shoots The Works" in Little Pond Hall, Monday, June 11th. Dance after.

County Line No. 1 W.I. District Convention, New London Hall, Tuesday, June 12th. Meetings at 2 p.m. 8 p.m.

All taxes in Kelly's Cross School District not paid by June 15, will be passed in for collection. J. P. Carragher, Secretary.

The Brooklyn Cemetery annual meeting will be held Wednesday, June 14th, at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Nathan Beers.

All taxes due Martinvale School District not paid before June 30th, 1956, will be handed in for collection. By order of Trustees.

"See Take Three Girls," presented by the Charlottetown B. Y. P. U. players, at Central Bedeque Hall, June 9th, at 8:30 p.m.

P. E. I. Drama Festival Association annual meeting, June 11th, at Prince of Wales College, 8:30 p.m. Members, Delegates please attend.

Borden Players present "Aunt Minnie From Minnesota," Hunter River Masonic Hall, Friday, June 8th. Sponsored by Hazelgrove Women's Institute.

Notice—To the ratemakers of Park Corner School District. All taxes that are due and not paid before June 30th, will be passed in for collection. By Order of Trustees.

Buying pigs today at Fredericton. Paving \$24 a pair for good pigs over 40 lbs. each. Will also buy smaller ones. \$100 extra a pair for delivery of pigs today only. Knud Jorgensen.

Pipeline Given Royal Assent

OTTAWA (CP)—The Liberal government's pipeline bill, subject of three weeks of parliamentary storm and strife, became law Thursday with the simple nod of a head in the Senate chamber.

Chief Justice Patrick Kerwin, acting for the governor-general, gave royal assent to Bill 298 while senators and commoners looked on. Thus he ended in calm decorum the stormy career of the legislation and set the stage for construction of what will be the longest natural gas pipeline in the world.

When completed and linked up it will stretch some 2,200 miles from the gas fields of Alberta to Montreal.

Progressive Conservative and CCF members staged an almost complete boycott of the final step in enactment of the pipeline bill.

ONE CONSERVATIVE
Only John Diefenbaker (PC—Prince Albert) attended the Senate ceremony.

Twenty Conservatives and seven CCF members were in the Commons when the House received the traditional summons to attend the royal assent ceremony.

Liberal and Social Credit members, who backed the bill, filed out, followed by Mr. Diefenbaker. CCF members stayed in their seats. Other Conservatives, including Opposition leader Drew, stood up and walked about but made no move toward the Upper Chamber.

It was their last-ditch stand, using every procedural rule in the book, that at one point produced scenes of wild disorder in the Commons and rebellion against the chair which refused to hear them further.

AGREEMENT SIGNED
An hour after the bill was nodded into law, officials of Trans-

Canada Pipe Lines Ltd., signed its agreement with the government for a crown corporation to administer the \$80,000,000 treasury loan the company will get to build the western leg of the line.

The company said construction of the 575-mile Alberta-Winnipeg section will begin early next month. Under the agreement it undertakes to complete this section by Dec. 31, and estimates 120 construction days will be necessary to meet the deadline.

It was on that basis that the government put a June 7 deadline on parliamentary approval of the bill. Otherwise Trans-Canada was released from its obligation to build this year. The bill just got under the parliamentary wire.

The legislation came from its hot, three-week Commons battle into the Senate only Wednesday. The Upper Chamber took six hours and nine speeches to approve it in principle. Another hour was enough for approval of the bill's seven clauses. One more hour of debate Thursday morning put it through third and final reading by a vote of 50 to 6.

ONLY ONE VOTE
That was the only Senate vote on the bill, compared with the 70 divisions it provoked in the Commons.

Trans-Canada has until April 2, 1957, to repay the \$80,000,000 treasury loan plus interest at five per cent. If it defaults the government can seize all the company's assets, including the gas line itself.

In the Commons, the CCF demanded public ownership. The Progressive Conservatives wanted alternative plans considered. But in the Senate, Senator Ralph Horner, Saskatchewan Conservative, said the line should be built as a public utility in co-operation with all the provinces it would cross.

EISENHOWER STUDIES MESSAGE

Bulganin Writes Again

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower received a thick new letter from Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin Thursday, reported to contain fresh proposals on disarmament.

The letter was delivered to State Secretary Dulles by ambassador Georgi N. Zarubin.

Zarubin declined to say anything about the nature of the message. He recalled to reporters that there had been a series of exchanges between Eisenhower and Bulganin since they met at the Geneva summit conference last July.

He said he thought the contents of the new message would be made public "very soon."

At the White House, press secretary James Hagerty said the document will be released by the White House, probably in the next day or so.

Dulles described the document to reporters as "a letter and an enclosure, altogether about 15 pages."

LONG EXCHANGE
The exchange of letters began last Sept. 19 when Bulganin sent a long message to Eisenhower giving a series of arguments against the president's proposal for an exchange of military blueprints and aerial inspection as a first, practical step toward permanent disarmament control.

In subsequent letters the two de-

bated the "open skies" proposition and also a Soviet proposal for ground inspection teams to be established at key points to prevent preparations for surprise attack.

Into this exchange Bulganin introduced last January a proposal for a 20-year U.S.-Soviet friendship treaty. Eisenhower turned it down as likely to create the illusion but not the reality of security.

The last previous letter was sent by Eisenhower to Bulganin on March 1, proposing that Russia, the United States and other nations work out a plan to freeze the atomic weapons supply at present levels in each country and divert funds to nuclear production to peaceful purposes.

Form New Group To Battle Heart Disease

MONTREAL (CP)—A new medical lay body was formed at an organizational meeting here Thursday to battle heart disease in Canada.

Delegates from seven provinces named the new organization the National Heart Foundation of Canada, and appointed Mr. George Strong of Vancouver as president.

Other officers include Dr. Lee Steeves, Halifax. Attending the meeting were delegates from every province except New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland.

EMPLOYMENT AT PEAK

WASHINGTON (AP) — Commerce Secretary Sinclair Weeks said Thursday that employment in May rose to 65,000,000, a record for the month and 500,000 short of the all-time high set last August.

Four Top Performers In Safe Driving Road-go Receive Prizes

The four top performers in the Teen Age Safe Driving Road-go conducted by the Charlottetown Junior Board of Trade, were presented with their prizes at a special dinner meeting of the Board, held at the Rendezvous Restaurant last evening.

The highest award went to Robert Hyndman, who will retain for one year the beautiful trophy presented by the Junior Board of Trade for annual competition and also a gold wrist watch which he retains. A merchants credit memo for \$5.00 was also presented along with a nicely worded and framed Certificate of Merit.

Second on the list of winners was Donald Lord of North Tryon who was presented with a beautiful silver cup and a set of seal beam headlights, along with a Certificate of Merit.

Garth MacLellan of Alexandria was presented with an appropriate trophy and a baseball fielders mitt. A fishing rod went to Cyril Wheatley who finished fourth in the contest, which took place at the Charlotte town Airport on May 9th, with 32 contestants in the field.

The presentations were made by Vice President George Scantlebury who presided in the absence of the President, Elmer Blanchard. Mr. Scantlebury was also chairman of the Road-go committee responsible for the interesting and instructive meet. Bob Hyndman and Donald Lord, having qualified for the semi-finals in the Atlantic Region, held at Amherst, N. S. were in attendance there. Both were presented with leather jackets with crests indicating their efficiency. Bob Hyndman finished third in the Amherst meet.

Labor Income For March Shows Boost

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian labor income in March totalled \$1,093,000,000, an increase of \$3,000,000 from February and \$101,000,000 from the corresponding month last year.

The January-March aggregate was \$3,260,000,000 about 10 per cent more than last year's first quarter total of \$2,969,000,000, the bureau of statistics reported Thursday.

TWO HUNDRED LOST

DACCA, Pakistan (Reuters) — Close to 200 persons aboard a mail steamer lost during a monsoon storm in the Bay of Bengal were given up for dead Thursday. The ship's owners announced. They said a search for survivors of the 279 ton steamer Bedora, lost on Saturday, has been called off. It was believed there were six survivors.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 9:20 a.m. and 7:16 p.m. Summerside tides eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 4:27 a.m. and sets at 7:58 p.m.

25 Stations To Observe 10th Air Force Day

OTTAWA (CP) — Twenty-five RCAF stations across Canada will throw open their gates to the public Saturday for the 10th annual Air Force Day.

Flying displays of jet fighters, transport planes, new anti-submarine aircraft and trainers will be held at most stations, weather permitting.

RCAF headquarters said it expects hundreds of thousands of Canadians to visit these stations including these:

Maritimes — Greenwood, N.S., Summerside, P. E. I., Chatham, N.B., No. 5 supply depot, Moncton, N.B.

MANILA, P.I. (Reuters)—Three treasure hunters were buried alive Wednesday in Cataquilan, a village in northern Luzon, when a tunnel they were digging for Japanese soldiers during the Second World War.

Dutch Exporters Seeking Canadian Potato Supplies

OTTAWA (Special) — The Netherlands, traditional competitors of Canada's Maritime Provinces in overseas potato markets, currently find themselves with potatoes in short supply, according to Thursday's issue of the Trade and Commerce department magazine "Foreign Trade."

Heavy frosts early this year which affected all crops in Holland and other European countries, damaged stored potatoes in that country and now an embargo has been placed on potato exports in order that sufficient supplies may be available for domestic consumption. Dutch exporters have

expressed interest in securing Canadian supplies of tub potatoes to meet their export commitments and it is possible that this will mean additional markets and new sales for Canadian dealers. Holland for years has exported both table stock and seed potatoes to Central and South America and to Africa.

North said the Speaker's position was jeopardized during the pipeline debate when the prime minister and Mr. Harris, government House leader, declined to argue points of order raised by Opposition members.

"You were being used by the silence of the government," he said to Mr. Beaudoin, "and now you are being sacrificed through the silence of the prime minister."

ONE PREVIOUS APPEAL
Until the present session there had been only one appeal against a ruling by Mr. Beaudoin since he took over the Speaker's chair in 1953. But before the censure motion debate there "seemed to be growing up" some dissatisfaction with the Speaker's rulings.

This was an apparent reference to the bitter pipeline debate during which either Progressive Conservatives or CCF members appealed a total of 24 rulings by the chair.

Mr. Drew's censure motion came out of the pipeline debate. It says Mr. Beaudoin took unprecedented action in reversing one of his decisions without notice, in repeatedly refusing to allow members to state points of order and in subordinating Parliament's rights to the government's will.

Mr. Diefenbaker said changing the present method of choosing a Speaker might be difficult because of the traditional alteration between members speaking either of the two official languages.

Mr. MacInnis said a committee should be set up as soon as feasible to suggest rules changes "in regard to these matters which have brought the Canadian Parliament to the position it is in today, with the hope that it will never happen again."

Alistair Stewart (CCF—Winnipeg) said that criticism of Mr. Beaudoin appeared in newspapers before it resulted in the censure motion in the House.

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SILENCE IS GOLDEN BUT WOMEN AS A RULE ARE OF THE GOLD STANDARD!

TORONTO (CP)—Temperatures issued by the Toronto public weather office:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	50	5
Victoria	48	—
Edmonton	41	68
Calgary	36	67
Saskatoon	34	75
Regina	44	77
Toronto	55	79
Ottawa	51	82
Montreal	59	79
Quebec	52	74
Fredericton	51	81
Saint John	46	69
Moncton	52	72
Halifax	44	70
Charlottetown	44	62
Sydney	35	69
Yarmouth	48	60
St. John's	34	47

HALIFAX (CP)—The weather office here says scattered showers are expected in most regions today.

Regional forecasts: Northern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick: Cloudy with intermittent showers; cool; northeast winds 15. Low-high at New Glasgow, Charlottetown and Moncton 40 and 65, Fredericton and Saint John 45 and 65, Edmundston 40 and 60, Campbellton 35 and 60.

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