

### Stage Set For Ending Fighting

GENEVA, (Reuters)—Top British, American and Russian delegates to the Indo-China peace talks left for their home capitals Sunday amid reports of a new Communist concession on Laos and Cambodia, the two smaller Indo-Chinese states.

On Saturday, the delegates, at their 16th private session since the talks began six weeks ago, agreed that cease-fire talks should begin at once between opposing high commands in Laos and Cambodia.

The decision left the stage set for decisive talks to end the shooting in Indo-China after 1 1/2 years of intermittent battle. Military talks are already in progress on a cease-fire in Vietnam, largest and most war-torn of the three states.

**ELECTED PRESIDENT**  
KINGSTON, Ont. (CP)—T. H. Jackson of Toronto was elected president of the Canadian Institute of Sanitary Inspectors Saturday. He succeeds S. W. George of Vancouver.

**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS**  
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**BIRTHS**  
BOULTER—At Cincinnati, Ohio, on June 16, 1954, to Dr. and Mrs. Cedric G. Boulter, a son, John Nells.

**ADAMS**—At the Prince County Hospital, on June 6th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Adams, Conway, a son Arthur Richard, weighing 8 lb. 7 1/2 oz.

**MARRIAGES**  
JENKINS—MacPHEE—At the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church, May 21st, 1954, by the Rev. O. G. Locke, Roma Alice MacPhee to Hudson George Jenkins, London, Ont., formerly of P. E. I.

**DEATHS**  
BOVVER—Suddenly at Montreal, June 20, 1954, Miss Virginia Bovver. Funeral private Wednesday afternoon from the home of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Bethune, 64 Kent St.

**HOLMES**—At Freetown, June 19, 1954, James A. Holmes in his 92nd year. Funeral from the home of his daughter Mrs. Colby Lewis on Tuesday at 2 p.m. Interment People's Cemetery, Freetown.

**PALMER**—At her residence, Connaught Apartments on Saturday, June 19, 1954, Miss Ethel M. Palmer. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home. Funeral private from St. Paul's Church. Please omit flowers.

**ARSENAL**—At the Prince County Hospital, June 18, 1954, Agnes Julie Arsenault, wife of the late Emmanuel Arsenault of 16 Duke St., Summerside. Resting at her late residence after 10 a.m. Monday from where the funeral will be held at 9 a.m. Tuesday, June 22. Interment in St. Paul's Cemetery.

**CRABBE**—At 223 King Street, on Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Simon W. Crabbe (nee Elizabeth Hughes) aged 51 years. Her remains are resting at the Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held this morning at 8:45 daylight saving time to St. Dunstan's Basilica for Requiem High Mass, interment in the Catholic Cemetery.

**MacDONALD**—In Miami, Florida, on Wednesday, June 16, 1954, Mrs. Florence MacDonald formerly of Fairfield, P.E.I., and Spring Park Road. Her remains will arrive in the city this evening by train and will be conveyed to the Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held on Tuesday morning leaving the funeral home in time for Requiem High Mass in St. Columba Church, East Point at 9:30. Interment in the church cemetery.

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**POLICE COURT** — There was a clear docket in City Police Court on Saturday morning.

**WEDDING GIFTS** — Attractive display of Boudoir and Pin-up Lamps. Brown Electric.

**READING BRIQUETTES**—Made with Hard Coal. Used in any heater. A. Pickard & Co., are unloading cars today.

**MEN'S MONDAY SPECIAL**. Chilled tomato juice, boiled corned spare ribs, rolls and butter, tea, coffee or milk, 55 cents.

**FIREMEN CALLED** — Firemen were called to control a fire, which caused slight damage, at 154 Hillsboro Street yesterday.

**INJURED AT CROSSING** — An accident at the corner of Euston and Queen streets Saturday night resulted in the death of a young boy being taken to hospital suffering from a broken leg.

**ELECTED DIRECTOR** — At the annual meeting of the Maritime Automobile Association which was held in Saint John recently, Earle C. Baker, Charlottetown, was elected to the staff of directors.

**CARS IN COLLISION** — A 52 Oldsmobile, travelling east on Euston Street, collided with a 51 Plymouth, going south on Upper Prince. Slight damage was caused to the left rear door of the Oldsmobile.

**WITH NAVAL CONTINGENT**— Petty Officer Derald F. MacKenzie of Charlottetown was among the men of the Royal Canadian Navy (Reserve) when Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth inspected a Commonwealth Division in London recently. Twenty-three men were in the Naval contingent which was made up of men from all across Canada. Petty Officer MacKenzie is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd MacKenzie, City.

**FUNERAL SATURDAY** — The funeral of Mrs. Charles MacEachern, whose death occurred in Rosindale, Mass., was held on Saturday morning from the Hennessey Funeral Home to St. Joachim's Church, Vernon River. Where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Urban Gillis, who also conducted the service at the grave. The pall bearers were Messrs. Patrick Volney, William Fraser, Frank J. Murphy, John Coady. Besides her husband there are left to mourn, Mrs. George Sullivan of Rosindale, Mass., who accompanied the remains of her mother to Charlottetown; also two sons, Ivan and Vernon. The latter resides at 192 Cumberland Street.

**ISLAND BRED JERSEY**—Kepoch Jester's Beatrice, the Jersey cow who was grand champion at the Ottawa Winter Fair for Mr. W. R. Aylesworth of Kingston, Ontario, and also grand champion at the Kingston Show, has completed a high record. Beatrice went on test at 7 years of age, and in 365 days produced 12,102 lbs. of milk, 677 lbs. of fat. She is a daughter of one of the great sires of the breed, Brampton Jester's Standard 2nd Superior, Gold and Silver Medal Jersey bull, grand champion at many fairs including the Canadian National Exhibition. He has sired many champion sons and daughters, not only in P.E.I. but in Ontario as well. Beatrice was bred by Dr. J. P. Lantz of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

### Personals

Miss Norah Holroyd of Twin Butte, Alberta, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Holroyd of the Grange, Winsloe.

Mr. Walter Cox of the Pure Milk Co. is a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital where he has been receiving treatment for the past week.

Mrs. Mary Donald Deans, Keene Teacher College, Keene, N. H., arrived in Charlottetown Saturday en route to her summer home in Little Sands where she will spend the summer months, leaving P. E. I. in September to take up work in Haiti.

### L. Y. C. Monthly Meeting Held

The regular monthly meeting of the Liguoriano Youth Club was held at the Community Centre yesterday.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Rev. G. Coyne, Moderator.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meetings, reports were heard from the chairmen of the various committees.

The treasurer's report was read and showed a substantial bank balance.

As this was the final indoors meeting until the fall, a lively discussion was held on the club's summer activities.

It was decided that outings be held bi-weekly with one Sunday

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## Lieut. Gen. Simonds Visits Officers Club



Pictured above is Lieut. Gen. G. G. Simonds, Chief of the General Staff, during a brief visit to the United Services Officers Club. From left to right are Maj. Gen. S. F. Clarke, CBE, CD, Quartermaster General; Brig. G. G. K. Peake, DSO, officer commanding Number 3 AGRA; Gen. Simonds; Mr. Stanley Bryant, president of the Officers Club; Brig. W. W. Reid, DSO; and Maj. Gen. E. C. Plow, CBE, DSO, CD, officer commanding Eastern Command. Canadian Army Photo.

### Cerebral Palsy Parents' Group Meeting Held

On Tuesday evening, June 15, members of the Cerebral Palsy Parents' Group motored to Summerside where they held their monthly meeting at the Health Centre there.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Dan Farquharson, the meeting was conducted by the vice president, Mrs. Lloyd MacCallum.

Several interested parents from Summerside and vicinity were present and the possibility of organizing a similar group in Summerside was discussed.

Miss Hazel Hunter gave a brief outline of the work which is being done for those children in Charlottetown.

It was felt that information regarding this work should be kept before the public by means of the press and radio, so that parents would become aware of what can be done and make an effort to have their children benefited.

Mention was made of the interest shown by different persons in this work, including the Lucy Maud Montgomery chapter of the I.O.D.E. who so generously donated a projector for the use of the group, also Mr. Fred Gamble of the Y.M.C.A., who has been most kind to the children attending nursery school.

Plans were made for a picnic which is to be held in July for cerebral palsied children and their families. It is hoped that as many as possible will be in attendance.

### McCarthy Fading Factor in Maine Nomination Today

PORTLAND, Maine (AP)—Senator Joseph McCarthy (Rep.-Wis.) is a fading factor in Sen. Margaret Chase Smith's bid for renomination in Maine's Republican senatorial primary today.

Maine political prophets regard the woman senator as an odds-on favorite over young Robert L. Jones, an apostle of McCarthy.

Whatever the outcome, it scarcely can be interpreted as any clear-cut victory or defeat for the controversial Wisconsin senator. For while McCarthy may be something of a dim and distant factor in the bout, he is not a definite, solid issue.

Even so, the Republican senatorial scrap has developed a measure of outside interest because Jones likes McCarthy and Mrs. Smith doesn't. Each made that abundantly evident long before the campaign began.

### Mendes-France Cuts Red Tape; Amazes Country

By HAROLD KING  
PARIS (Reuters)—A group of "young bloods" took over the French government Saturday and immediately tackled the No. 1 job: Ending the Indo-China war.

France was amazed at the deft manner in which Premier Pierre Mendes-France cut through the maze of post-war politics to constitute his cabinet and get down to work.

The dark-haired 47-year-old Radical Socialist skipped the usual formality of presenting his new cabinet to the National Assembly. Likewise, he ran roughshod over the idea that several days of political horse-trading are required to form a cabinet.

Instead, he plunged straight into the perilous international diplomatic arena. He gave himself the foreign minister's post and announced he will go to Geneva today for the nine-nation Indo-China negotiations.

### CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION LARGELY ATTENDED YESTERDAY

The solemn observance of Corpus Christi Day by Roman Catholic citizens yesterday was marked by one of the largest processions held for a number of years.

Members of both Saint Dunstan's and Holy Redeemer congregations took part.

The observance began with high mass at Saint Dunstan's Basilica at 10 a.m. The celebrant was Rev. James Kelly of Saint Dunstan's University with Rev. Clarence Roche as Deacon of the Mass and Rev. Reginald Phalen, Sub-Deacon.

The sermon was delivered by Monsignor P. McMahon.

Seated in the sanctuary were Rev. Terrence Campbell, Rev. Michael Francis, Rev. Dr. Bernard Gillis, Rev. Fr. Herrell, Rev. W. Pineau, Rev. Owen Sharkey, Rev. P. Corcoran, Rev. Justin MacDonald and Rev. P. E. MacDonald.

The Blessed Sacrament was borne by Rev. James Kelly and left the Basilica at approximately 11 a.m., accompanied by a guard of honor consisting of 4th degree Knights of Columbus. The altar boys of both parishes were next in

### British Columbia M. L. A. On Visit To Native Province

Mr. John MacInnis, M. L. A. for Prince George, British Columbia, is at present visiting his brother Mr. Donald MacInnis at his former home in Hartsville, P. E. I.

It is over twenty-five years since Mr. MacInnis visited his native province but for over forty years he has been very active in political business and community affairs in British Columbia and during that time has seen tremendous changes and developments in its adopted province.

Mr. MacInnis is an outstanding speaker and an authority on political economy. During his former visit he gave a lecture in Hartsville Hall. His audience was deeply impressed with his splendid personality and the effective manner in which he presented his subject.

Mr. MacInnis flew from Prince George by Trans Canada Airlines and is leaving on return next week by way of Boston and California.

### Parliament Expected To Prorogue This Week; Some Items Carried Over

OTTAWA (CP)—The first session of the 22nd Parliament is expected to prorogue late this week but work already is building up for the next meeting of Canada's lawmakers.

One of the first items of business at the new session, starting in November, will be a government bill expected to boost grants paid to municipalities in place of municipal taxes on federal property.

The government proposed the legislation for the present session but dropped it to permit the House to complete business this week.

Finance Minister Abbott told the Commons that the new grants would not begin until the start of next year and that municipalities would not be prejudiced by the delay.

During the last few months there has been considerable speculation that the government is planning to propose amendments to the Judges Act to increase salaries of judges. The rumored legislation was not proposed and observers now state that it may be introduced early in the next session.

### STREAMLINE RULES

Parliament also may be asked to adopt measures to streamline rules to speed up work. A special committee met this session but was unable to reach agreement on changes. It prepared a report but the government is not expected to place it before members for approval. Such action likely would extend the length of the session several weeks.

Other business at the next session is expected to include: Amendments to the Criminal Code based on an investigation by a special Commons-Senate committee on capital and corporal punishment and lotteries.

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### NO LICENCE SINCE 1943

TORONTO, (CP)—In court for driving without a license, Mrs. Eileen Minicola said Thursday she hasn't had an operator's permit since 1943, she said she had one from 1937 to 1943 but let it expire.

Magistrate O. S. Hollingrake, calling the case the "most brazen" of its kind he has ever seen, fined her the maximum \$50 and costs or 10 days.

### First Rector Of Holy Redeemer Conducts Services

The solemn close of the Novena in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help was held at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer last night. Services during the Novena were conducted by Rev. Joseph McGreel, who was the first rector of the parish and is at present stationed at St. Patrick's Rectory, Toronto.

Present in the sanctuary were Rt. Rev. Monsignor G. J. MacLellan, Vicar General of the Diocese, who spoke on the Blessed Virgin. Celebrant of Solemn Benediction was Very Rev. Gregory Murphy, C.S.S.R., rector of the Most Holy Redeemer Parish. The deacon was Rev. Edward Coyne, C.S.S.R., with Rev. Edward Doyle, C.S.S.R., as sub-deacon.

Those who marched in the procession were the altar boys, the first communicants, the junior girls choir, the Boy Scouts and Cubs. Music was rendered by the senior choir under the direction of Mr. Alex MacLean.

Following the church service, Father McGreel was the guest of honor at a brief reception held at the Community Centre, giving the priest an opportunity to renew a great many friendships of twenty years ago. Chairman for the occasion was Mr. Pius Callaghan. The programme was under the direction of Mr. Ivan Berrigan.

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### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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The provincial examinations for Grades X, XI and XII will be conducted on Standard Time.

L. W. SHAW,  
Deputy Minister and  
Director of Education.

## Huge Increase In Defence Spending Revealed In Glance At Old Figures

By DAVE McINTOSH  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
OTTAWA (CP)—Defence estimates of \$2,000,000,000, now before the Commons, would have staggered legislators of 76 years ago when there was another Russian threat to Canada.

In 1878, a Russian ship crammed with guns and men cruised off the Canadian east coast with the intention, according to reports of that time, of bombarding Halifax and other ports.

Not only that, but a squadron of Russian warships dropped anchor in San Francisco bay. No hydrogen bombs then, though.

There was a feverish defence expansion. First steps were taken to establish batteries at Esquimalt, B.C., and the defence budget was increased to almost \$1,000,000, one two-thousandth of this year's budget.

### 6,000 PERMANENT FORCE

Even in the late 1930s, the total defence outlay was less than \$200,000,000. The permanent force then numbered about 6,000 for all three services. Today the figure is about 113,000.

At confederation in 1867, Canada, in theory at least, assumed sole control over "military and naval services and defence" though the last British troops did not leave until 1906.

In 1868, a \$1,100,000 loan was floated for Canadian defence. But the money went instead into railway construction. The following year, the active militia numbered 43,541. Canada's population was 3,719,000 and the defence budget amounted to \$1,245,972. Today, the army has 50,000 regulars, the population is 15,000,000 and the army appropriation is about \$507,000,000.

Five years after the 1870 Fenian raids, the defence budget was cut to \$550,451, the lowest figure since confederation. No summer training camps could function because of lack of funds.

In 1881, three years after the Russian threat, deterioration of equipment resulted in all gun platforms giving way in succession during practice by the Pictou, N.S., garrison artillery battery. Britain loaned the wooden steam corvette Charybdis to Canada but it was returned as unseaworthy.

### PICK PERMANENT CAMPS

It was not until 1893 that permanent camp sites were selected. Previously, they were picked on political groups and changed from year to year.

In 1896, war threatened with the United States over the Venezuelan boundary dispute and defence spending was "greatly increased" to \$2,136,000. Two years later, it was back to \$1,642,000.

In 1910, two cruisers were bought from Britain for \$1,289,666. Three years later, Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposed that Canada spend \$35,000,000—cost of a small aircraft carrier today—to buy two naval fleets, one for the Atlantic and one for the Pacific. He was turned

## Former Governor Of Wyoming Takes Own Life

By GARDNER L. BRIDGE  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Lester Callaway Hunt, 61, former governor of Wyoming and a member of the Kefauver crime investigating committee of 1951-52, committed suicide Saturday.

Worried about a kidney ailment, he shot himself in the head with a .22-calibre rifle in his Senate office and died 3 1/2 hours later. The coroner pronounced the case a suicide.

The Wyoming Democrat announced a week ago Tuesday that because of his health he would not seek re-election and planned to retire after completing his first Senate term next January.

**THREE NOTES**  
Senator Earle Clements (Dem.-Ky.), a close friend of Hunt's, said Hunt left three notes, two to members of the Senator's staff and a third that was "in the staff" during practice by the Pictou, N.S., garrison artillery battery. Britain loaned the wooden steam corvette Charybdis to Canada but it was returned as unseaworthy.

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In a statement, Clements said: "Sen. Hunt's close associates have recognized some indications of his being depressed over his state of health."

**SENATE STANDING**  
Hunt's death makes the Senate lineup 47 Democrats, 47 Republicans and one Independent.

Appointment of a successor to serve the remaining months of Hunt's unexpired term may give the Republicans a numerical majority for the first time since the death last summer of Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio. Taft was succeeded by a Democrat, Senator Thomas Burke, but the Republicans retained nominal control.

Hunt's successor will be named by acting governor C. J. Rogers, a Republican.

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