



Gagetown Exercises Are Planned

HALIFAX (CP) — This summer's Canadian army training manoeuvres at Camp Gagetown, N.B., will bring together the largest number of regular army troops ever concentrated in Canada, Eastern Command headquarters announced Friday.

More than 10,000 soldiers will carry out a series of exercises from June 18 to July 31 as the Ontario-based 2nd Canadian Infantry Brigade Group joins New Brunswick's third group in the most powerful force to train in Camp Gagetown's 427 square miles.

During the Second World War there was a larger divisional concentration of troops at Camp Gagetown, but only a portion of these came from the permanent force.

Advance parties of Ontario and Quebec units will arrive in Camp Gagetown early in June (Continued on page 5 col. 2)

Plans for Memorial Building Here Delayed By Queens

Project Now Assured, Is Belief Expressed

OTTAWA — Great pleasure at the announcement of two grants toward the cost of the centennial memorial buildings at Charlottetown was expressed here Friday by the members of parliament for Queens.

In the Commons, Prime Minister Diefenbaker announced an interim grant of \$250,000 to the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Citizens Foundation. In addition, he said the federal government will pay one-half the cost of the memorial centennial buildings, not to exceed a total grant of \$2.5 million.

He explained that all of the provinces of Canada have agreed in principle to make some financial contribution toward the construction of the Charlottetown memorial.

Representations for the federal aid had been made by the Fathers of Confederation Foundation, a national committee, headed by the Principal of Prince of Wales College, Dr. Frank MacKinnon.

Diefenbaker said that the memorial was planned to be a total of \$2,500,000. He said that the federal government would contribute half the construction cost up to a total of \$2,500,000. He said that the provincial governments would contribute the remainder of the cost.

FAMOUS PONY SAFE IN FLOOD

CHINCOTEAGUE, Va. (AP) — All is well with Misty, the famous Chincoteague pony.

Flood waters swept around the home of Ralph Beebe on this storm-devastated island off Virginia's eastern shore and Beebe said Misty will remain in the kitchen on the record tide subsidence.

Eastern shore officials report they have been hampered with calls from across the U.S., many of them from children, since the storm struck the island three days ago.

Misty was featured in a children's book and later starred in a movie based on the book.

Snow, Rain Forecast Fresh Storm Is Problem For N.S. Disaster Area

NEW YORK (AP) — A new storm moved on Friday as the devastated Eastern United States seaboard fought to clear a monumental mass of debris from the worst winter gale in its history. President Kennedy, meanwhile, was reported to have designated sections of five states as disaster areas.

The new storm dropped seven inches of snow on parts of Georgia. It moved on into Virginia and the ravaged state of Delaware and New Jersey lay in its path.

However, the U.S. weather bureau forecast that the snow would probably turn to rain and that winds would be modest by comparison to the 84-mile-an-hour gusts that marked the big storm earlier in the week.

Senator Clifford Case (Rep.-N.J.) announced in Washington that President Kennedy had designated disaster areas hard-hit sections in New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and West Virginia.

Seal Landings Are Slow For North Cape Hunters

ALBERTON BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

Seal post landings continued low at North Cape yesterday as several methods of speeding up the operation were experimented with.

Only one plane was working out of the ice as pilot Robert McVane was obliged to discontinue sealing for a time in order to make a scheduled mail trip to Pictou Island in Northumberland Strait. En route for the mail he landed a load of pellets in Charlottetown. On his return in the afternoon, loads of skins were flown to a point on the ice about 20 miles from North Cape from where an attempt will be made to fly them in at night using flares to light up the landing area.

At plywood portable building was flown out yesterday morning and set up on the sealing ground and the men were planning to remain overnight. A propane heater was installed in the "shack" and the hunters were anticipating a comfortable night, unlike Wednesday when they found they were unable to sleep owing to the cold. Their names could not be definitely learned last night but

DRILLING BEGINS AT ST. ELEANORS

Employees of the Summerston Plumbing and Heating Company are seen here as they start work on a 400-foot water well at St. Eleanors, which will form part of the new water system. The operation is expected to take two weeks, after which the big well will be moved to the North St. Eleanors road, where a second well will be drilled. Shown here are William Mackinnon and Harold Moore, setting up the drill as the first few feet are reamed out. Completion of the project will make St. Eleanors the only village in the province with both water and sewage systems.

Co-Op Union To Meet Here During 1964

It was learned yesterday that the Co-operative Union of Canada is joining the various other national organizations that propose to hold their annual meeting in Charlottetown during 1964.

Donald A. MacDonald, secretary-manager of the P.E.I. Co-operative Union states that this will be the first occasion this annual congress of several hundred delegates (representing one million members of Canadian co-operatives) will be held in the maritime area.

The annual meeting should be of great interest to all Islanders.

Brendan Behan Injured By Car

DUBLIN (AP) — Brendan Behan, the Irish playwright, was taken to hospital Friday after being knocked down by a car. Doctors later described his condition as comfortable.

Heavy Highways Program Revealed Major Cause For Deficit IN Nfld.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Premier Minister E. S. Spence of Newfoundland budgeted \$74.4 million for road recording spending of \$90,438,000 in 1962-63 and a current account surplus of \$122,100.

Delivering his annual estimates of spending of \$22,000,000 on highways, the largest road appropriation in Newfoundland history. He laid a capital budget of \$26,748,000, of which \$11,290,000 will be financed by new bonds.

For the current fiscal year ending March 31, Mr. Spence reported a current-account surplus of \$729,000 after spending \$88,483,000. He had estimated a surplus of \$1,591,000 for 1961-62. This year's capital spending is \$12,500,000.

Mr. Spence revealed that the Liberal government of Premier Smallwood will use \$1,000,000 left over from sale of the Newfoundland Savings Bank to bolster the province's fishing and farming industries.

Another \$270,000 will be spent on helping fishermen equip themselves with nets, trawls, and other types of fishing gear.

Mr. Spence emphasized that the government will make only cash contributions toward the cost of boats and gear. It would not go into boat-building, importing, or sale.

Ferry Service Resumes After 8-Hour Holdup

Ferry service between Prince Edward Island and the mainland resumed at 7:30 last evening when M.V. Abegweit pulled out of Cape Tormentine where she had been undergoing repairs since 11:23 a.m. when service between this province and the mainland was interrupted.

Three divers were sent down to tighten loosed nuts on the ship's propellers, and completed the job by 4:30 in the evening. It was the second time this week that the heavy ice in Northumberland Strait caused the Abegweit to be out of propeller repairs.

Meanwhile, SS Prince Edward Island, now on supplementary service could not make her runs as the other ferry was tied up at Tormentine where she had been undergoing repairs since 11:23 a.m. when service between this province and the mainland was interrupted.

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Geese Beginning Spring Migration

HOPKEDALE, Mass. (AP) — The Canada geese are back on Hopkedale Pond, despite a one-day ice and snow cover, and residents hope they are harbinger of spring. The geese have been arriving here just before spring for several years.

Michigan Deer Face Starvation

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Less some near miracle occurs, deer by the thousands will starve to death in Michigan's north woods this month say state game experts. They have completed a survey of the effects on the deer herd of one of the toughest, stormiest winters in years in most of the state.

Stock Promoter Given Six-Year Prison Term

VANCOUVER (CP) — George Caldwell, a roly-poly little man who liked bowler hats, gloves and a cane, was sentenced Thursday to six years in prison for his part in a stock-promotion fraud.

The sentence is concurrent with an earlier six-year term in connection with the same operation in which investors from Florida to California were bilked of about \$400,000.

A jury had found Caldwell, Harold Smith of Sheffield, England, Great Northwest Investments (Yukon) Limited, Eagle Plains Developments and Mount Baker Investments Limited guilty of making false statements.

Smith was sentenced to four years and the three firms were fined \$100,000 each. The firms have no assets.

"You have been found guilty of taking part in a gigantic swindle, of common cheating, which is one of the lowest forms of human behavior," Mr. Justice H. A. McLean said in sentencing the pair.

Caldwell, who conducted his own defence, did not say immediately whether he will appeal.

AMUSED BY QUOTATIONS

Caldwell's trial, although long and with little spectacular appeal, was brightened here by the accused or the evidence presented against him.

The case was amused by quotations from Shakespeare that appeared as come-ons for prospective investors.

Caldwell, 34, who didn't mind being called a "fly promoter," bounced into the headlines late in 1959 as a beaming "financier." With a \$70,000 home in Vancouver's plush British Properties, he was declaring that with the late Errol Flynn for the purchase of the actor's \$100,000 yacht Zaca.

Fly - loving Flynn died while in the city as Caldwell's guest — and soon after, RCMP seized the books of Caldwell's company.

Caldwell had meantwile crossed to England, was extradited to face trial on eight counts of conspiracy and fraud. In his first trial the jury deliberated for four hours — a record sitting in this province.

In the last trial, where he entered a plea of guilty, Caldwell spent two eloquent days summing his case.

He wanted to do it from the floor, closer to the jury, but the judge said no. Caldwell did it from the dock.

Sealing Ship Clears Port

CARBONARE, Nfld. (CP) — The sealing ship Kyle which had been jammed in ice here for a week cleared port Friday with the assistance of an ice-breaker and headed for the sealing front off the east coast of Labrador and northern Newfoundland.

The federal icebreaker Wolf managed to cut a channel through heavy ice to where the Kyle was stuck at the mouth of the harbor here in Conception Bay.

The only other Newfoundland sealer, the Algerine, cleared St. John's Wednesday, and was expected to reach the northern Funn Islands still headed north. The sealing season at the front opens today.

Gov't Needs Assurance Full Cost Is Available

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Diefenbaker announced today that the federal government will contribute half the construction cost of the memorial buildings at Charlottetown marking the centennial of Confederation.

He said in the Commons that subject to parliamentary approval an order-in-council will be passed early in the 1962-63 fiscal year to provide an interim grant of \$250,000. The Fathers of Confederation Memorial Citizens Foundation for architectural work on the Memorial buildings.

The federal government grant to the project will amount to a total construction cost up to a maximum of \$2,500,000 including the interim grant.

In addition, the government would provide \$25,000 to the Canadian Centennial Council which includes 160 national organizations, to assist in council activities related to observance of the centennial of Confederation in 1967.

Mr. Diefenbaker said participation by Canadians generally is essential if they are going to make the celebrations a truly significant contribution to the country's history.

He said the condition of the Memorial Buildings grant will be that the contract not be awarded until the federal government is satisfied the foundation has sufficient funds in hand to cover the full construction cost.

Both Opposition Leader Pearson and H. W. Hurdridge, House leader for the Progressive Democratic Party group, supported the government's centennial plans.

Liberal Wins By Acclamation

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Liberal candidate Gerald Hill, a 43-year-old St. John's insurance agent, was elected by acclamation Friday to represent Labrador South in the Newfoundland legislature.

N. Short, chief returning officer for the province, said other candidates were nominated at Mary's Harbour, near Battle Harbour, Labrador, Friday was nomination day.

The acclamation brought the Liberal government representation in the legislature to 31 seats. The PC has three and the UNP two.

CHANNEL OPENED AT MONTREAL

Two sturdy ice-breakers punched their way into Montreal harbor, clearing a path for the start of the 1962 navigation season. Approaching Jacques Cartier bridge are the Ernest Lapointe (foreground) and the N.R. McLean. (CP Wirephoto)

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CANADIAN BOMARC POISED

The first American-built Bomarc anti-aircraft missiles recently were delivered to the RCAP at North Bay. On this picture shows one of these missiles, capable of carrying a nuclear warhead, on a launching pad at North Bay being RCAP insignia.