



Maritime Postmasters Convene

The executive of the Maritime Branch of the Canadian Postmasters' Association met last night prior to a two-day convention which opens at the Charlottetown Hotel today.

Growing Fund Promises Heart Surgery For Wife Of Jobless Steelworker

By DON MACKENZIE Canadian Press Correspondent SYDNEY (CP) — The 90-pound wife of a jobless steelworker confessed cheerfully Wednesday that she's "just a bit jittery" over the prospect of delicate heart surgery needed to save her life.

Coming Events

- Your Saturday night Jamboree - Forum.
Regular Dance, Mt. Ryan Hall, every Thursday.
See Bedouin Players in Winsloe Road Hall, tonight.
Dance, St. Andrew's Hall, Mt. Stewart every Wednesday.
Dance, Mt. Stewart Memorial Hall Friday, Burns Orchestra.
Dance, Cardross School, Friday June 3rd, Turner's Orchestra.
Regular Dance, Crapaud Rink Wednesday night, Burns Orch.
Dance at Oyster Bed Bridge school tonight, Dolron's Orchestra.
Beachwood Garden, Cornwall, new open for the season. Tea served.
Dance, Beaver Hall, Monday, Friday, June 3rd, Don Messers orchestra.
St. Thomas Aquinas Caba Sale, Holmans, Friday, June 3rd, 6 o'clock.
Weekly dance Friday night, June 3, Winsloe Station Hall, Rolie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
Gala Opening Traveler's Rest Country Club, Thursday, Dancing to Jackie Doyle's Jamboree Band.
Dance, West Royalty Hall Wednesday, Rolie MacKenzie's Orchestra, Canteen Service, 9.30 to 12.30.
Dance in Emerald Hall Friday, June 3, Modern and old time dancing, Canteen service. Music by the Myers Brothers.
Buying good pigs over 36 lbs. Paying highest market prices. Wellington McNeill & Son, Buntain & Bell's Wharf.
Broadbands - Fredericton Young People's Variety Concert in Kingston Hall, Friday, June 3rd, in aid of Mission Band.
The Irish Millionaire, a 2-act comedy-drama by Cornwall Players, in Cherry Valley Hall, Friday, June 3rd. Sponsored by Cherry Valley Y. P. U.
Bonshaw United Church, Friday evening 8.30, June 3rd. Dramatic Films shown and Address by Dr. Ross C. Eaton on "Our Drink Problem." Public invited.
Just arrived last carload of Mixed Clover Seeds. Also in stock Red Clover Alsike, Timothy, Alfalfa, Ladino Rape Kale - Birdsport Trefoil - Corn, McGuigan & Boyle.
LONG Creek Baptist Church, Thursday evening 8.30, June 2nd. Dramatic Films shown and Address by Dr. Ross C. Eaton on "Our Drink Problem." Public invited.

BRITISH GROUP CONQUERS HIGHEST UNCLIMBED MOUNTAIN IN THE WORLD

Hospital Association Convention Activities

The Maritime Hospital Association, convening with the Maritime Hospital Aids Association and the Maritime Hospital Exhibitors Association and the Maritime Hospital Exhibitors Association went into their second day of activities yesterday morning, when called together in the auditorium of Prince of Wales College.

DARJEELING, India (Reuters) — A British expedition led by Dr. Charles Evans has conquered Mount Kanchenjunga, the highest unclimbed mountain in the world, it was reported here today.

The expedition stopped only a few feet from the summit of the 28,146-foot Himalayan peak in order to avoid offending the local Sikkimese people who believe their gods live there.

Kanchenjunga was believed to be far more difficult to climb than 29,002-foot Mount Everest, which was conquered by New Zealand's Sir Edmund Hillary and Sherpa guide Tenzing Norgay in 1953.

Home, School Federation Continue To Watch Printed Matter Sold To Children

FREDERICTON (CP) — Continuance of a sub-committee to investigate sex and crime comics was re-elected honorary president of the federation.

Scout Officers Named At Annual Meeting Last Night

Brigadier W. W. Reid, D.S.O., E.D., was re-elected president of the Provincial Council of the Boy Scouts Association at the annual meeting held in the City Hall last night.

Under a resolution submitted by Miss Dorothy Lampard of Edmonton, Alberta, chairman of the National Children's Reading Committee, the sub-committee will study the possibility of setting up a registry of all distributors of printed matter in Canada.

Other resolutions urged education of parents to guide the choice of children's reading matter; federal grants-in-aid for training and recruiting librarians and extending library services; and good reading standards by student councils.

An adopted resolution from the British Columbia federation asked that groups working on suggestions for revision of the federal juvenile delinquency act be permitted to submit their recommendations.

APPROVE RESOLUTION The meeting also approved a resolution from Nova Scotia and British Columbia federations that federal and provincial governments be urged to continue and

U.A.W. And Ford Extend Contract For Five Days

DETROIT (AP) — The United Auto Workers (UAW) and Ford motor company agreed Wednesday on a five-day extension of their contract, just 12 hours before 140,000 Ford workers were scheduled to go on strike.

Ford workers across the United States had been poised to leave their jobs at 12:01 a.m. local time Thursday on call from the union.

But the contract extension until Monday morning eased the pressure that had been building up steadily in the bargaining room since negotiations started seven weeks ago.

UAW president Walter P. Reuther said the union and company "are still far apart on many important issues, in addition to the question of the guaranteed annual wage."

the federal government should: 1. Establish a 40-hour week and a minimum wage act. 2. Launch a large-scale program of public works to produce jobs. 3. Authorize a housing program that would include "public housing and low-cost loans."

4. Control immigration on the basis of the ability of the Canadian economy to absorb new workers. The resolution also declared that the UAW's affiliated unions should try to negotiate substantial wage increases this year and in 1956 for their members.

On other business Wednesday a 12-point wage-reading through about 200 resolutions from its union, the congress: 1. Urged that there be regular radio or television broadcasts of the proceedings of Parliament and provincial legislatures. This was adopted against the wishes of the UAW's resolution committee, in close touch with its executive.

2. Refused to accept a resolutions committee proposal that the con-

15 Trapped In Building Collapse

DALLAS (AP) — A three-story building in downtown Dallas collapsed at 6:30 p.m. (CST) Wednesday night and a Dallas emergency corps lieutenant said he had been in the building and understood 15 persons were buried under fine rubble.

Lieut. J. C. Bishop of the Dallas emergency corps said four of the victims could be reached. Air was being pumped into the rubble in an effort to filter oxygen down to the victims.

The collapsed building housed a music store and a bar. A building next to the collapsed structure was a being torn down and firemen said that might have weakened the structure.

Probe Near-Collision Of Jet And Passenger Plane

QUEBEC (CP) — An official investigation has been launched in a reported near collision between a Sabre jet fighter and a passenger plane carrying the Milwaukee Braves of the National Baseball League.

The incident occurred Tuesday over the outskirts of Montreal while the Braves were flying from Cincinnati to Quebec City for an exhibition game with their farm club.

There were conflicting versions of what happened. Some of those aboard the passenger plane said the jet had "buzzed" their aircraft causing it to veer sharply to avoid a collision.

Ed Coe, 42, veteran test pilot of Canadair Ltd., where the jet fighters are built, said he was testing the fighter when the passenger plane suddenly came into the area. He said the Braves' plane was 15 miles off course and in a regular testing area.

Canadair officials said that at no time were the two planes closer than 1,000 feet. In Ottawa, officials of the transport department's air regulations branch said an investigation is underway.

Ch'town Lady Heads Maritime Hospital Aids

Mrs. Jennie M. Leitch of Charlottetown was elected president of the Maritime Hospital Aids Association at the annual meeting held yesterday at Prince of Wales College.

The meeting was held concurrently with the Maritime Hospital Association and presided over by Mrs. L. B. Moran, of Chatham, N. B., the retiring president.

Dr. W. Douglas Piercy, executive director, Canadian Hospital Association, Toronto, in addressing the meeting on public relations complimented the members on the splendid work they had done.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. P. J. Connolly, Sydney, N. S., 1st vice president, Mrs. A. M. Hunter, Halifax, 2nd vice president, Mrs. D. N. Eastham, Saint John, 3rd vice president, Mrs. Frank McCarron, Southport, P.E.I., 4th vice president, Mrs. Russell McPhee, Glace Bay, secretary, Miss Zita Garnier, North Sydney, treasurer, Mrs. Minnie MacQuarrie, Winnipeg, district officer, Miss Margaret McCormack, North Sydney, zone chairman, Mrs. T. J. Holland, Halifax, zone officer, Mrs. Roy Ellison, Millstream, N. B., zone officer, Mrs. Clifford Sherrin, Alexandria, P. M. I., zone officer.

No Sign of Settlement In Rail Strike

LONDON (AP) — Top British trade union officials failed Wednesday night to end a country-wide railway strike that is slowing the country's booming industrial machine and threatening millions with unemployment.

Freight deliveries by rail were running at an estimated one-fifth of normal in the Province. This situation was slowly dwindling and threatened to shut down some key industries such as the steel mills by the week's end.

The government authorized independent bus companies to operate in and out of London to help move workers from the congested capital. Scotland Yard appealed to motorists to stagger their journeys home after work in an effort to relieve traffic chaos.

Reports Scout Membership At Highest Level Locally

The Scouting population in Prince Edward Island rose to its highest level in history it was reported at the annual meeting of the Provincial Council of the Boy Scouts Association held last night in the City Chambers. The president, Brig. W. W. Reid, D.S.O., E.D., presided.

The total number of Scouts is 418, Cubs 717 and leaders 127, for a grand total of 1262. This is an increase of 178 over last year. New groups welcomed this year were 1st Central Royal Jubilee Scout Troop, 1st Morrell of Cub Pack and 1st Southport Wolf Cub Pack.

Prince Edward Island, the report noted, was honored by the appointment of Brigadier Reid to the position of Camp Chief of Sub-Camp Atlantic, 8th World Jamboree to be held at Niagara-on-the-Lake from the 18th to the 28th of August. R. C. Parent has been selected as Contingent Leader for the group of Island

Scouts. The contingent will include 49 Scouts and four leaders. Twelve more leaders will be helping on Sub-Camp and Jamboree Headquarters Staff.

The Lone Scout Branch under the direction of Harry Pincus reported another successful year. Two First Class Lone Scouts are among applicants for positions with the Jamboree Contingent. In spite of very poor weather for camping, a record number of Scouts and Cubs turned out last year, it was recorded. In all, 457 members attended 12 camps in the Province. This total represented 41% of the Scout population, an increase of 39 members compared with last year's total. The camper days numbers 3224.

Reports presented and covering in detail much of the year's work included, Charlottetown District by Winnie, W. C. Fisher and the Summerside District report by Eric Tanton.



Brig. W. W. Reid, D.S.O. President



Mr. R. C. Parent Provincial Commissioner

Pilots Resisted Brain Washing

HONOLULU (AP) — Four veteran Korean war jet pilots said Wednesday they resisted "brain washing" during more than two years in Red China prisons but pleaded "guilty" to "intruding" into China and "provocative attack."

Political Action Will Be Non-Partisan

TLC Rejects Tie-up With The CCF

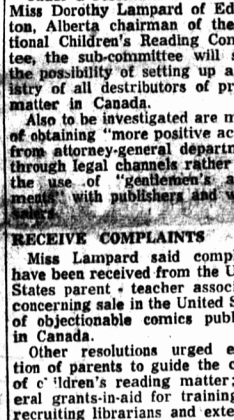
WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada Wednesday beat down attempts to have it abandon its traditional political neutrality and align itself with the CCF.

The annual convention of the 600,000-member body adopted a resolution directing its officers to continue activities in the legislative field but specifying that any political action will be non-partisan.

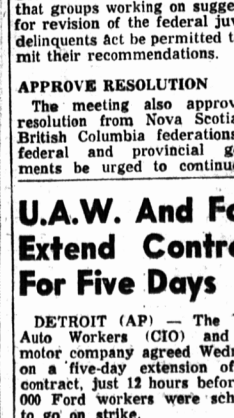
In a warm debate that started Tuesday and wound up Wednesday, CCF adherents had suggested the congress follow the Canadian Congress of Labor in associating itself with the socialist party. Some of these were convention delegates who are CCF candidates in the June 9 Ontario general election.

WORK OUT MERGER The TLC and the CCL now are working out a merger of their combined membership of about 1,000,000, and there is an understanding among their leaders that the problem of their differing political outlooks is to be shelved until they amalgamate. After that, tie-ups with political parties probably will be left to individual unions.

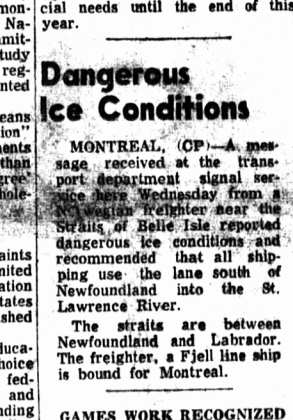
Wednesday's speakers closing out the political debate were against the TLC getting involved directly in politics. Frank H. Hall of Montreal, Canadian chief of the railway clerks' brotherhood and a powerful voice in TLC affairs, declared "there could be no more divisive action" than to have the congress support any political party. "This congress can't tell me or any other labor man how to vote," Hall said.



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Mrs. J. D. Stewart, wife of Charlottetown's Mayor is seen presenting a gift to Mrs. Gladys Porter, Mayor of Kentville, Secretary of the Maritime Hospital Association. The gift was a Queen Charlotte Doll and was given to Mayor Porter at a Centennial banquet held at the Charlottetown Hotel last night.

Barter's Film Lab.



Table with 2 columns: City, Minimum temperature, Maximum temperature. Includes cities like Dawson, Vancouver, Victoria, Edmonton, Calgary, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Fredericton, Saint John, Moncton, Halifax, Charlottetown, Sydney, Yarmouth, St. Johns.

HALIFAX (CP) — The Dominion weather office here says cloudy skies with showers in widely scattered regions today as moist air continues to flow over the district. Regional forecasts: Northern Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island: Cloudy with widely scattered showers; cooler; light winds, low-high at Charlottetown 45 and 60. New Brunswick: Cloudy with widely scattered showers; continuing cool; northerly winds 15. Low-high at Moncton and Fredericton 45 and 60. Saint John 50 and 60. Edmundston and Campbellton 45 and 55. High tide today at Charlottetown at 8.01 a. m. and 8.34 p. m.; at Rustico at 3.25 a. m. and 6.06 p. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises at 4.29 a. m. and sets at 7.54 p. m.