

Italy Changes Law After Priest Gives Away Eyes

By DAVIS SELLS
ROME (Reuters) — Don Carlo Gnocchi, "the guardian angel" of war-maimed children, accomplished in death what influential doctors and lawyers could not do in five years of campaigning.

The first Italian "eye bank" has been formed here, though it is still illegal in Italy to remove the eyes of a dead person. A law is to be rushed through Parliament shortly to legalize surgical use of a dead person's eyes to give sight to the blind.

The law is being changed because Gnocchi, an Italian priest, bequeathed his eyes to two blind children shortly before he died two weeks ago.

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HARD COAL — A Pickard & Co. are unloading cars of "blue coal" today.

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OPENING OF Kiwanis White Elephant Sale in Old Guardian building postponed until Tuesday, March 13 at 1 p.m.

REMEMBER the Annual Spring Tea to be given by the Ladies Auxiliary at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday afternoon, March 13th, from 3.30 to 6.

RADIO-TELEVISION INSTITUTE, Y. M. C. A. Bldg., Thursday 9.30 a. m.—4 p. m. Registration \$2.00. All welcome. Charlottetown Ministerial Association.

CAKE WINNER — Mrs. J. E. Fleming, Hillsboro Street, was winner of the cake lotteried at the C. W. L. Cake Sale held recently at S. A. MacDonald's Dept. Store.

"LUCK O' THE IRISH" mystery packages \$1.00 each. One worth more than you pay. Come early and try your luck at Patterson's Jewellers and Gift Specialists.

M. Walter M. Beers, representative of Greenfield, Hodgson and Racine Company, is a patient in the P.E.I. Hospital where he recently underwent an operation. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

DRAMA GROUPS interested in the Prince Edward Island Drama Festival, wishing the booklet on the rules and regulations of the Festival kindly write to Mrs. Frank Blatch, Charlottetown, R. R. 6. Closing date for Festival Entries March 31st.

RESERVE Thursday and Friday evenings March 22nd, 23rd, for "The Upper Room", a drama of Christ's Passion by Robert Hugh Benson. Portrayed by a cast of experienced men and women at Notre Dame Auditorium.

RECEIVES WORD — Word has been received by Mrs. Frank Shea, Indian River, of the death of her sister, Sister Mary Firmina of the Congregation of St. Joseph in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Sister Mary Firmina was the former Frances Malone of Miscouche, P. E. I., and has been in the St. Joseph's order for approximately fifty-five years. She leaves to mourn besides Mrs. Frank Shea a sister, Mrs. Leo Praught now residing in Toronto, two brothers, Arnold of Boston, Mass., and Leonard of Connecticut, U. S. A.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS — Four collisions occurred within the city during the week-end, a car parked facing south on Queen Street was hit in the rear by a second car. The parked car received damage to the door and floor of the trunk. Another collision took place between a car proceeding north on Elm Avenue and a car going south, the first received considerable damage to the grill, left front fender, left parking light and engine bonnet; the second vehicle sustained damage to the left front fender and parking light. A third accident occurred near the intersection of Great George and Grafton Streets when a car going north on Great George was hit by a car going south, receiving damage to the left front fender. The driver of the car going south will appear in Police Court this morning. The fourth collision when a car moving south on Great George near Sidney Street was hit by a car which was backing up, minor damage resulted.

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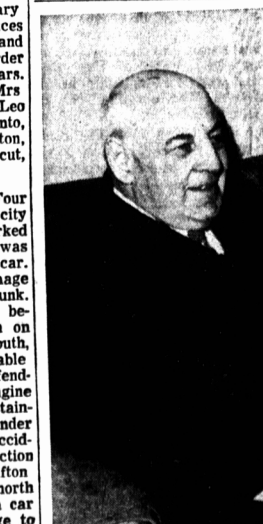
POLICE COURT — Three accused appeared before Magistrate Martin Saturday morning all charged with being drunk and incapable. One was sentenced to fifteen days in jail and the remaining two were each sentenced to twenty days.

4-H CHAIRMAN — Mrs. Maylea Manning has been appointed chairman of the committee on Home Economics at the 25th annual conference of the Canadian Council on 4-H Clubs, meeting in Saskatoon Sept. D. E. Foster, Manitoba Dept. of Agriculture, was elected president.

HOME FROM TRIP — Mr. N. S. Tawel, Queen Street, returned to Charlottetown last Friday evening after spending six weeks holiday in Miami, Mr. Tawel also spent some time visiting Cuba where he was a resident for two years prior to residing in Charlottetown. On the return trip he visited relatives in West Virginia and Toledo, Ohio.

DIES IN TRURO — The death occurred March 11 of Mrs. Josephine C. Harlow at her home, 17 Dominion Street, Truro, N. S., following a brief illness. She was 62 years of age. The deceased resided for some years at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Whitlock. During her stay in this city Mrs. Harlow was herself a wide circle of friends who will be greatly saddened at her passing. Her funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon from Kennedy's Funeral Home, Truro.

SUNDAY SING-SONG — Last evening at the Y.M.C.A. the regular weekly meeting of the Christian Youth Fellowship Sing-Song group was held. The evening began with an enjoyable sing-song led by David MacDonald. An inspiring devotional was then given by Carol Thompson. Refreshments were served and an offering was taken up. The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.



National President Jr. C. of C. Stops Over On Canadian Tour

M. Ross Smyth, National President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Canada was guest speaker at a dinner meeting at the Charlottetown Hotel on Friday evening. Mr. Smyth was in Charlottetown on a presidential visit to the Charlottetown Junior Board of Trade.

ABOVE Lieutenant Governor Prowse received Mr. Smyth and local J.C. president Henry MacWilliam at Government House on Saturday morning. Mr. Smyth also visited City Hall and the Confederation Chamber.

In his remarks, President Ross expressed appreciation for the Island hospitality he had received since his arrival in the City. He referred to his meeting last year with Mayor Stewart at the convention of the Federation of Mayors and Municipalities and congratulated the city on having their Mayor head this very influential organization.

The President spoke of the origin of Junior Chamber of Commerce which began in the U.S.A. in 1915 and the first Canadian chapter was formed in Winnipeg in 1923. The objectives of the Junior Chambers of Commerce and Junior Boards of Trade are in the main leadership training and civic betterment. They are not, in the accepted sense, service clubs. Although, on an average, 80 per cent

Amable could see the movement of a surgeon's hand. The doctors and lawyers who fought the law for so long organized the bank at Rome University on Saturday. A thousand Italians, including parliamentary deputies and film stars, have pledged their eyes to the bank after death.

The law that prevented the establishment of the bank made it illegal to disturb a body for at least 48 hours—too long for surgeons who need the precious eyes for operations within a few hours of death.

It was passed many years ago to protect someone pronounced but really in a trance.

WAIT AND HOPE The story is not yet over for the boy and girl who still lay in their darkened hospital rooms, their eyes bandaged, praying their shadowy glimpses of the world last week will strengthen into full sight.

Dr. Carlos Galeazzi, who performed the grafting operations, reserved his judgment. The surgery was successful, he said, but the transplanted corneas may not remain transparent.

Only time will tell.

I.O.O.F. Funeral At Mt. Stewart

The funeral of the late Harry W. MacKay was held from Mount Stewart United Church Saturday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. Dr. A. S. Weir. During the service Mrs. N. D. MacLean sang as a solo "No Night There". Interment was in Mt. Stewart Cemetery.

Members of the I.O.O.F. attended in a body and I.O.O.F. burial service was conducted by A.O.F. Gill, A. J. Jardine.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Roy Jay, Daniel MacDougall, Addison Coffin, Wendell Glover, William Power, Harold Affleck.

I. L. Tuplin Laid To Rest Friday

The funeral of the late Isaac L. Tuplin was held from the MacLean Funeral home to Trinity United Church on Friday afternoon where service was conducted by Rev. A. Frank MacLean, and Rev. G. Harvard Christie. During the service Mr. Stanley Lancaster sang as a solo "The Lord's Prayer".

Members of the Provincial Government of Agriculture and the executives of the Public servants Association attended in a body. Interment was in Kensington Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Winston Smith, Edward McGowan, Robert Pierce, James Murdy, Bruce MacLaren, W. S. MacMurtry.

Funeral Of Mrs. R. E. Mutch

The funeral of Mrs. R.E. Mutch was held from Trinity United Church yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. A. Frank MacLean and Rev. J. Howard Christie. Interment was in Sherwood Cemetery.

The honorary pall bearers were: Messrs. R.L. Cotton, W.A. Gaudet, D.H. MacLean, Dr. H.H. Shaw, Hon. Douglas MacKinnon, Dr. R. F. Seaman, J.M. Roop, Alfred Pickard, C.M. Cox, H. Reeves.

The active pall bearers were Messrs. Harper MacNeil Arthur Peake, Captain Claude Hunter, Dr. D.T. Wayne, W.T. MacLeod, W.L. Higgins.



Annual Communion Breakfast Of K. Of C.

An eloquent address on "The Infallibility and Authority of the Pope" was delivered to the members of the Charlottetown Council Knights of Columbus at their annual Communion Breakfast held at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday morning.

At the head table (above) were LEFT Eugene Kelly, John J. Butler, Benedict M. Callaghan, F. G. O'Neill, John T. Doyle, Rev. James Kelly, (speaking), Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, Lieut. Col. Leo F. MacDonald, E. D. M. W. Reardon, Not in picture, Urban McQuaid, Dr. J. A. MacMillan.

Prior to the Communion Breakfast the members attended 7.30 Mass. At the Church of the Most Redeemer and received Communion. Mass was celebrated by Rev. John Gallagher, C.S.R. Father Gallagher also preached the sermon.

About 100 members attended Mass and the Communion Breakfast which was presided over by Deputy Grand Knight Urban J. McQuaid.

Increase In Freight Moved Through Borden

Increases are shown for both inbound and outbound freight at Borden for February over a year ago in a statement of carloads ferried which has been prepared in the office of the Superintendent, Island Division, of the C. N. R.

The increase in inbound traffic to 1,096 carloads from 1,013 a year ago is accounted for almost entirely by building material and railway material.

The outward shipment increase, however, to 1,575 carloads from 1,228 in February 1955 represents increases in almost every classification, notably potatoes and turnips.

Detailed figures for shipments from the Island in February 1956 with 1955 figures in brackets are as follows: eggs 7 (6), fish 3 (1), H. H. goods 2 (nil), hides 4 (2), Livestock 83 (68), less carloads 65 (54), meats 25 (24), potatoes 1,239 (968), oats nil (2), machinery miscellaneous 14 (10), machinery way materials 8 (6), hay and straw 2 (4), roughwood 10 (1), moss 1 (2), lumber 5 (2), empty bottles nil (1), blueberries nil (3), scrap iron nil (1).

Of the inbound shipments 835 carloads were destined for points between Borden and Summerside, 77 east and south of Charlottetown and 84 west of Summerside.

Of outbound shipments 838 originated between Charlottetown, Borden and Summerside, 357 from east and south of Charlottetown and 360 from west of Summerside.

P.E.I. Cockshutt Dealers Meet In City Today

Cockshutt dealers from all parts of P.E.I. are meeting in the City today to officially open the Cockshutt '56 Tractor and Spring Tools Sales Campaign.

The highlight of this meeting will be the introduction of the great new fleet of Cockshutt Deluxe Tractors, especially the 35 Deluxe Tractor, new from the word go.

Other new machines are the new 624 manure spreader, (90 bushels) the 628 Lime Sower and others.

A number of new dealers have joined the Cockshutt organization and company officials predict a banner year for their company in '56 on P. E. I.

The following company personnel will be in attendance at today's meeting: H. L. Johnston, Branch Manager, Truro, N. S.; J. D. Geddes of the Sales Department, Truro, N. S.; B. K. Llewellyn,

(2) vegetables 3 (2), gravel nil (nil) fruit 1 (nil).

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Red Cross Special Names Canvass Opens

Headed by Mr. Gordon Milligan, manager of the Maritime Electric, and with Mr. Frank A. MacKenzie

last year's Special Names chairman as his assistant, the following teams will be canvassing in Charlottetown this week for the 1956 Red Cross campaign:

- Team No. 1 — Dr. Owen Curtis, Dr. Frank Jelks.
- Team No. 2 — Mr. A. B. Belcher, Mr. J. A. MacIsaac.
- Team No. 3 — Mr. Frank Curtis, Mr. Allan Holman.
- Team No. 4 — Mr. Frank MacDonald, Mr. W. J. Brown.
- Team No. 5 — Mr. Ralph Jones, Mr. Alistair MacLeod.
- Team No. 6 — Mr. Walthen Gaudet, Mr. Edwin Johnstone.
- Team No. 7 — Mr. Frank Storey, Mr. M. A. Farmer.
- Team No. 8 — Mr. J. C. Montgomery, Mr. D. M. Gass.
- Team No. 9 — Mr. Fulton Pierce, Mr. N. D. MacLean.
- Team No. 10 — Dr. Harold Shaw, Mr. W. M. Mellich.
- Team No. 11 — Mr. Ivan Harper, Mr. T. D. DeBlis.
- Team No. 12 — Mr. Gordon MacDonald, Lt. Col. L. F. Macdonald.
- Team No. 13 — Mr. Walter Hyndman, Mr. H. H. Simpson.
- Team No. 14 — Mr. Richard Dowd, Dr. J. H. O'Hanley.
- Team No. 15 — Mr. John Simmonds, Mr. Fred Cannon.
- Team No. 16 — Mr. James Burden, Mr. Arnold Calbeck.
- Team No. 17 — Mr. L. D. MacKay and Mr. William Hayward.

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Head of R.C.M.P. Detachment At Ft. Resolution Known Here

In the fourth of a series of on-the-spot articles dealing with the R.C.M.P., written for a Baltimore, Md. paper, the writer refers to a typical operation of the organization in the "North" as observed at Fort Resolution, on Great Slave Lake about 300 miles South of the Arctic Circle. The following extract is of particular local interest.

"Corporal Thomas Auchterlonie runs the Detachment with the assistance of Constable William Kuzmuk and Joe Fabien, an Indian Guide and interpreter, known as a 'special'. Tom Auchterlonie lives in a modern bungalow-type asbestos shingle house, with his wife Alberta, and two young daughters, Janet and Lorraine. They have a radio washing machine, running water, telephone (a battery set-up for Fort Resolution only), indoor plumbing and oil heat."

"Generally speaking, the white men, and particularly the mounties, are not popular with the Indians at Fort Resolution. Tom Auchterlonie knows this and is doing his best to rectify the situation, although he feels that it will take years and possibly generations to do it."

(Corporal Auchterlonie who has been stationed at Fort Resolution for the past six years, is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Albert MacLeod of Charlottetown. Previous to his present assignment, he was stationed here. With his wife and family he expects to visit here in July).

PLAN FOR SPACE TRAVEL

LONDON (AP)—Moscow radio carried a prediction Thursday night that unmanned rockets guided by radio might reach the moon within the next four or five years. The broadcast quoted a lecturer at Moscow Observatory as saying exploration of Mars and Venus might be expected to start between 1965 and 70.

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KIWANIS DEBUTANTES BALL

In conformity with the custom prevailing for the presentation of debutantes to the Governor General at Ottawa, the Kiwanis Club of Charlottetown hereby gives notice that it is sponsoring a Debutantes Ball to be held at the Charlottetown Hotel, Easter Monday, April 2nd.

The Ball will be under the distinguished patronage of His Honour, Lieutenant-Governor T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse, to whom the young ladies will be formally presented.

The following customs will be observed:

- (A) Eligibility—Young ladies, resident of P. E. I., age 17 to 19 inc.
- (B) Dress—Floor-length white evening gowns.
- (C) Debutantes to be accompanied by escorts.
- (D) Instruction in presentation etiquette will be given to all young ladies on several occasions prior to the Ball—applicants will be duly notified.
- (E) Parents or Guardians desirous of having their daughters presented are asked to apply not later than Wednesday, March 21st, giving name in full and age to:—

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E. G. MacLEOD, Chairman,
A. W. ROGERS, co-Chairman,
Debutantes Ball Committee.