



WRECKAGE
A man examines part of the wreckage of the DC-8F which crashed at St. Therese de Blainville, Que. The wreckage is being assembled in a hangar at Montreal International Airport where an attempt to reconstruct the plane is being made.

Bootlegging, Moonshining Said Flourishing In P.E.I.

By DON MACLEOD
Citing the fact that bootlegging and moonshining are flourishing in the province, a delegation from the P.E.I. Federation of Mayors and Municipalities is petitioning the provincial government seeking the enactment of a Liquor Act along the lines of other provinces in Canada.

This was one of a number of resolutions which were submitted and dealt with at the annual meeting of the federation in Kensington, Nov. 6, in favor of improvements to the Liquor Control Act.

Believed to be the first direct approach made to the government on the liquor question, Premier Walter R. Shaw had said earlier that as no representation asking for changes had been made by organized groups, his government had not contemplated making changes at the coming session of the Legislature.

TRADE STIMULATION
In its submission the federation noted that illegals are not lessened by the licensing of clubs; also the present laws hinder the operations of the tourist industry, and the hotel and restaurant business would be stimulated by a revision of the laws.

It was also suggested that consideration should be given to the sale of beer and ale through grocery outlets, and the licensing of open bars should be considered.

Another resolution asked the government to place the services of town planning officer, Walter de Silva, at the disposal of municipalities to assist with municipal planning.

Called for was a change in the Town Act, which would allow a municipality to bring in a qualified assessor for a general review of assessments.

EXPANSION SOUGHT
Pointing out that the government assists municipalities to the extent of 60 per cent of the cost of laying pavement, and maintenance is provided, and possibly expanded to cover other capital expenditures, and that the government guarantee bank loans for capital expenditures.

A number of towns belonging to the federation were represented at this morning's meeting. Charlottetown representatives were Councillors Arthur Wright and Mrs. Dorothy Corrigan.

Only four ministers were able to attend the meeting. Chairman was Attorney General A. I. B. A. Farmer; others in attendance were Hon. Philip Matheson, Hon. Henry Wedge, and Hon. Hubert MacNeill.

WEATHER

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

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	33	38
Victoria	37	38
Edmonton	-27	-6
Regina	-20	-7
Winnipeg	-15	-5
Toronto	15	27
Ottawa	-8	8
Montreal	-4	9
Quebec	6	2
Fredericton	2	11
Saint John	2	11
Moncton	2	11
Halifax	10	19
Charlottetown	6	13
Sydney	16	18
Yarmouth	14	21

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says a strong flow of frigid air from the northwest persisted over the Maritimes Tuesday. Most places reported clear skies, although snowflurries were still occurring in Cape Breton.

It should be mainly sunny today, although once again cold, and a few snowflurries should develop where the wind blows in across open water. In the evening, cloud followed by light snow is expected to spread across the western regions, as a weak disturbance moves eastward into Maine.

Regional forecasts:
Prince Edward Island, Eastern N.B. Counties, Upper St. John River Valley: Sunny with a few cloudy periods; extremely cold, northwest winds 25 with gusts to 40. Low-high at Charlottetown 5 and 18, Moncton zero and 11 above, Edmundston 5 below and 8 above.

High tide today at Charlottetown — 1:00 and 11:54 p.m. At Rustico at — and 6:50 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:16 and sets at 4:38.

'64 Centennial Organization Is Outlined To Agrologists

The December meeting of the Prince Edward Island Institute of Agrologists was held Monday evening at Birch Court Experimental Farm. The members' wives were present at this meeting and a buffet supper was served.

A toast to the ladies was proposed by George Ayers. Mrs. R.C. Parent responded on behalf of the ladies.

President L.C. Callbeck introduced the guest speaker, K. Birnie, while the Centennial office, who outlined the composition and operation of the centennial corporation and the committees within the corporation. Also announced were the provincial committees which are having their own centennial committees which are operating in the provincial corporation, he said.

A total of 108 conventions are to be held on the Island in 1964, which is more than twice as many as has ever been held in any other year here.

Feature attractions of the 1964 Centennial Year include the individual community programs throughout the province; the National Festival finale; visit from the Canadian Opera Company, the National Ballet of Canada, the Neptune Theatre and many other organizations.

Mr. Birnieville stressed that the success of the 1964 Centennial celebrations depends on the full participation of all communities and organizations in the province. The co-operation and effort put forth by everyone so far has been very encouraging, he stated.

It is hoped that the Centennial celebrations will make Canadians in general and Islanders in particular, more aware of their heritage. Many of the projects for the centennial year will result in permanent reminders and tributes to the founding fathers of our country and to the history of individual communities, Mr. Birnieville concluded.

Nobel Peace Prize Awarded To International Red Cross

J. Gordon MacDonald of Charlottetown was named as the recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize Tuesday, Dec. 10, jointly to the International Committee of the Red Cross and the League of Red Cross Societies.

This was carried out in the traditional ceremony at the University of Oslo, on the anniversary of the death of Alfred Nobel. The award was made by the committee appointed by the Norwegian "Storting" (Parliament) to give the prize.

"Whoever has made the greatest and best contribution to furthering brotherhood among the nations, for the abolition or reduction of standing armies, as well as holding or promoting of peace courses."

The presentation, in the presence of His Majesty King Olav of Norway, of the world's oldest and leading peace prize, marks the fourth time that the Nobel Peace Prize has been given in recognition of humanitarian Red Cross service. In 1901, the first Nobel Peace Prize was awarded, jointly, to Henri Dunant, founder of the Red Cross, and to the French pacifist, Frederic Passy. The ICRIC received the honor in 1917 and again in 1944 for its accomplishments in the two world wars.

The 1963 prize was accepted on behalf of the ICRIC by its president, Leopold Boissier, and the League by its chairman, John A. Macdonald of Winnipeg, Canada. The presentation was made by the chairman of the Nobel Peace Prize committee, Gunnar Jahn.

Proceeding the giving of the prize, a tribute was paid to the Red Cross by Dr. C. J. Hambro, wartime speaker of the Norwegian Parliament.

Small Oyster Possession Brings Fine

Charged with retaining possession of 294 undressed oysters, Fred James Vissey, West Road, was fined \$10 and costs or five days by Magistrate A.J. Haslam, QC, in city police court yesterday. He was charged under the P.E.I. Fisheries Act.

John Pater, Union Road, charged with drunken driving, had his case dismissed.

Raymond Bird, St. Stewart, was fined \$15 and costs or five days for speeding. He was clocked doing 35 m.p.h. on Weymouth St., a 20-mph zone.

R. Alexander Fritzell, Southport, was fined \$15 and costs or five days for operating a motor vehicle with insufficient equipment. There were several defects in the electrical system.

One man was fined \$30 and costs or 30 days for possession of intoxicating liquor in a place other than his residence.

Three men pleaded guilty to charges of being drunk and incapable. One was fined \$10 and costs or five days, another \$20 and costs or 20 days, and a third 20 days in jail.

John A. Macdonald was fined \$5 and costs or two days for failing to stop at a stop sign.



NEW FORESTRY CLUB

A birch tree laden with maple leaves? Provincial Forester J. Frank Gaudet found it amusing when it was explained that the leaves represented 379 favorite books.

placed there by students of Stella Maris Regional High and Elementary schools during Canada Book Week. Shown with the tree are Paul Blaquiere, president, and R. Shaw said yesterday, "The x-rays show no apparent breakage of bones but there may possibly be a bit of muscle separation."

"I think this is satisfactory and now it's a matter of resting up and getting the bruises healed," he said.

About two weeks ago Premier Shaw was involved in a motor vehicle accident, which has resulted in chest and side pains, which prompted the further taking of x-rays.

Teachers Discuss Mental Health

O'LEARY — A very interesting and informative workshop was held in O'Leary Regional High School Friday night.

The meeting was chaired by Mrs. Edith Palmer and directed by Urban McQuaid, of the mental health association. Dr. Malcolm Beck addressed the teachers on mental health in the classroom.

Discussion groups were formed under the direction of Miss Carrie Thompson, Miss E. F. Macdonald and Mrs. Adrian Smith. This gave the teachers opportunity to bring out their own problems and opinions concerning Dr. Beck's lecture.

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X-rays Show No Breakage

Receiving a report on x-rays taken Monday, Premier Walter

Berlin Wall To Open As Christmas Measure

BERLIN (AP) — The Communist wall will open for West Berliners Friday for the first time in more than two years. There began a flood of an estimated 300,000 people into the Communist zone to visit their relatives for Christmas.

The walls are made possible by an agreement signed Tuesday between representatives of the West Berlin city government and the Communist regime of East Germany.

While the politicians weighed the possible future implications of the first such deal over the wall, the Berliners in both parts of the city were jubilant.

For the last two Christmas seasons they have been kept apart. Families have been divided. While foreigners and West Germans could pass through the wall the Berliners could not.

ONE-WAY TRAFFIC
Now, for the limited period until Jan. 5, there is one-way traffic. The East Berliners have to content themselves with being the hosts to their relatives from the West.

Each permit will be valid only until midnight of a particular day, but many West Berliners are trying to get more than one permit.

"At last, at last," said blonde Liselotte Schütz, a typist, "I will see my mother, my sister and my aunt."

As people scrambled for newspaper extras, a fruit seller caught the spirit of the occasion. "Buy 'ba' n' n' a's," he shouted. "You can take them to your relatives in the East."

Fruit is scarce in East Germany.

An elderly man, Joachim Lindman, smiled and said: "There are grandchildren over there I haven't seen yet. This is going to be a very happy Christmas for me."

LIEUT. SCOTT Inspection Is Planned

Captain L.E. Prosser, VRD, Queen Charlotte yesterday announced that Lieut. O.L. Elizabeth Scott, RCN, staff officer (Wrens) of Hamilton, Ont., will arrive in Charlottetown today, to carry out an inspection of the local Wren unit this evening.

A member of the staff of Commanding Officer Naval Divisions since Aug. 1963, Lieut. Scott will transfer to the Naval Board, Military Agency for Standardization at NATO headquarters London, England.

During her local tour of inspection Lieut. Scott will be accompanied by Sub-Lieut. Irene MacLeod, divisional officer (Wrens) at Queen Charlotte. Current strength of the local unit is 17 Wrens.

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