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CHARLOTTETOWN, CANADA, THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1956

Clear with a few cloudy intervals, a little warmer, light winds, low-high at Charlottetown 45 and 68.

U.S.-India Sign Big Food Deal

NEW DELHI (AP)—The United States and India signed a \$360,000,000 agreement here Wednesday for the transfer of U.S. surplus farm products.

The deal was the biggest ever concluded under the U.S. surplus disposal program. It brought to total U.S. aid to India above the \$1,000,000,000 mark.

New Ferry Arrives For Dartmouth Run

HALIFAX (CP)—The first of two new ferries for the cross-harbour run to Dartmouth arrived Wednesday from the builders' yards at Lunenburg, N.S.

A chorus of whistles and horns greeted the Dartmouth II as she sailed up the harbor to docks of the Dartmouth Ferry Commission.

Egyptians Claim British Spy Ring Aimed At Nasser Ouster

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British, French To Use Cyprus As Springboard In Suez Crisis

Police Chief Arrested In \$8,500 Theft

BELLEVILLE, Ont. (CP)—Police Chief Charles Lockwood of nearby Marmora was arrested Wednesday and charged with theft of the mails in connection with the disappearance of a parcel containing \$8,500.

The \$8,500 vanished last Aug. 15 while being shipped aboard a Canadian Pacific Railway train. It was en route from the Marmora branch of the Toronto-Dominion Bank to the Marine Trust Company of Western New York in Buffalo.

Island Minister Heads Maritime Baptist Institute

WOLFVILLE, N.S. (CP)—A Prince Edward Island minister, Rev. Donald McClare, Wednesday was elected president of the Maritime Baptist Institute.

Other officers are vice-presidents Rev. Donald Draper of Oak Bay, N.B., Rev. Willard Smith of Waterville, N.S., and J. Frank Jenkins of Summerside, P.E.I., secretary-treasurer, Rev. John Bartol, Liverpool, N.S., and Executive members Kenneth Spencer, Moncton, Rev. Willard Clayton, Five Mile Plains, N.S., and Rev. Raymond Warner, Harland, N.B.

The Maritime Baptist Laymen's Association also held annual election of officers Wednesday and Edwin O. Black of Norton, N.B., was named president. Other officers include vice-presidents E. J. Carroll of Moncton, Dr. J. A. Clark of Charlottetown and secretary-treasurer R. U. Day of Fredericton.

Record Crowd Yesterday At The Crapaud Exhibition

A record crowd and a large increase in the number of livestock exhibits highlighted the third annual Crapaud Exhibition yesterday, which was officially opened by His Honor, Lt. Governor T. W. L. Prose.

Mr. Max Thompson, president of the Crapaud Exhibition Association was chairman for the opening ceremonies and introduced the dignitaries present, including Premier A. W. Matheson, J. Watson MacNaught, Q.C., M.P., Hon. George MacKay, Minister of Highways and Hon. Eugene Cullen, Minister of Agriculture, all of whom spoke briefly and were highly complimentary of excellent work of the directors and the exhibitors in producing such a fine display of quality exhibits.

During his remarks Mr. Cullen stated that a meeting of the directors of the various exhibitions in the Province will be held in Charlottetown this fall to formulate plans for the future and he stated that his department is doing and will continue to do everything possible to assist in developing and improving the regional exhibitions.

The cattle and horse exhibits were extremely large this year and very high calibre with the stalls being filled to capacity as exhibitors from a large section of the Province were represented. Lank Bros. of West Royalty won top honors in the Red Poll class winning the male grand and senior championships as well as the female grand and reserve championships, the senior and reserve junior championships.

Eric Hurry won the male grand and senior championships and the female reserve grand and the reserve senior awards in the Guernsey classes while the female grand championship ribbon went to Owen Younker and Son who were also awarded the senior female championship ribbon. Alton Bell won the male reserve grand and junior championship in this class.

Fred Kitson had the award winning male grand champion in the Jersey section and Gordon Docherty the female grand champion. Both reserve championships were won by J. S. Vickerson. In the Grand championship, Honors in the Holstein class went to Hooper Bros. who captured the male grand championship and Alison and Lea the female grand



TO BELGIUM
Sqdn. Ldr. William F. Cameron, 43, of Vancouver has been appointed air attaché to Belgium with the acting rank of Wing Commander. A native of Victoria, he has been serving at the R.C.A.F. station in Moose Jaw, Sask. (CP National Defence)

Two Island Students Get \$500 Awards

SACKVILLE, N.B. (CP)—Ten Herbert S. Sharp scholarships of \$500 each have been awarded to students of Mount Allison University, President W. T. Ross Fleming, chairman of the scholarship selection committee, announced Wednesday.

Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic standing, character, leadership qualities and financial need.

Winners included Keir Adams, Conway, P.E.I.; Catherine Milligan, McNeill's Falls, P.E.I.; Eileen Stewart, North Bedouque, P.E.I.; Arthur Dixon, Woodstock, N.B.; Donald Hattie, Eureka, N.S.; Donald MacAulay, Sydney.

Parade For Swimmers

TORONTO (CP)—A parade honoring a group of swimmers Marilyn Bell, 18, Cliff Lumsdon, 25, and their coach, Gus Ryder, will be held at noon Friday, headed by city mounted police, it was announced Wednesday. Miss Bell and Lumsdon, back from successful swims across the Strait of Juan de Fuca, are to be driven in convertibles through downtown Toronto. Last year, after Marilyn's conquest of the English Channel, 250,000 cheered her on a celebration.

30 Convicts In Prison Break Are Recaptured, Two Killed

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Despite a heavy guard, 30 convicts fled from a Kibby prison gravel pit Wednesday in a bold dash that ended in their capture and death of two prisoners.

The two men died and seven others were injured when a prison truck which the fleeing prisoners had stolen was wrecked only a few miles from the prison.

Two others were wounded by pursuing guards who trailed the truck in an attempt to halt the flight. Prison director J. M. McCullough said the 30 white prisoners, all "maximum security" convicts were en route under armed guard to the prison gravel pit to load two trucks. The prisoners were in one truck while two guards trailed behind in another.

When they reached the gravel pit, McCullough said, two of the convicts jumped from the truck body and overpowered the driver, a prison trusty, and sped away. Firing at the tires and at the fleeing convict who had taken the steering wheel, the guards chased the prisoners three or four miles before the fleeing men wrecked their truck. The uninjured prisoners were quickly rounded up.

Tension Grows In Middle East

LONDON (AP)—Britain and France arranged today to use the troubled island of Cyprus as an Allied springboard military base in the Suez crisis. French troops are presumably en route to Cyprus by sea.

(A Reuters dispatch from Algiers said Wednesday night that French air units already had been moved to Cyprus from North Africa.)

The eastern Mediterranean British island colony is 50 miles from the north end of the Suez Canal and within easy parachute range of the 103-mile waterway and Egypt's big cities.

The French entry into the Cyprus scene was described as temporary and intended to protect French nationals in the Middle East.

France has a new fight on its hands on Cyprus itself. The EOKA underground, fighting for independence from the British and union with Greece, ended an 11-day truce early this week with a renewal of terror bombings. EOKA said there would be no peace on the island until they reopen negotiations with exiled Archbishop Makarios.

There was no immediate indication of the size or character of the contingent the French are posting on Cyprus with British command.

The action by the two Western powers came as Egyptian President Nasser's government fanned anti-British feeling by arresting three Britons on espionage charges and ordering two British diplomats out of the country.

Nasser himself finally fixed 1948 as the day to begin talks in Cairo with a five-power committee on the future of the Suez canal.

As tension mounted in the Suez dispute Cairo dispatches pictured Russia as the only non-Arab power now urging Nasser to spurn any compromise on the canal.

Britain and France obviously were clearing for action in case the negotiations on the canal fall through and their nationals are East coast.

The French, who are having their own troubles with Arab nationalists in North Africa, got prompt British agreement to their suggestion of putting troops on Cyprus. It was announced by the foreign office in Paris after Wednesday.

As the climate for settlement of the Suez crisis grew stormier, anti-British feeling in the Egyptian capital.

The Soviet Union appeared to be prodding Nasser to hold out without compromise.

Is Given Suspended Sentence For Forging 25-Cent Pieces

MONTREAL (CP)—Joseph Emile Payette, 66-year-old street car conductor scheduled to retire on pension Wednesday night, was given a suspended sentence Wednesday when he pleaded guilty to forging and uttering counterfeit 25-cent pieces.

Payette was placed on bond of \$500 to keep the peace until Dec. 28. Failing that, he will be "more severely dealt with," said Judge Irene Lagarde.

Payette has had 30 years' service with the Montreal Tramways Company and its successor, the Montreal Transportation Commission.

Frozen Fish Exporters Need To Smarten Up, Is Suggested

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Fisheries Minister John T. Cheeseman said Wednesday night he fears a depressed market will result unless fresh frozen fish exporters in the Atlantic provinces do more to develop the potential of the United States market.

He said Newfoundland merchandisers will have to "smarten up" on the merchandising and marketing of fresh frozen fish if they are to keep market demands ahead of production.

Last week federal Fisheries Minister James Sinclair, commenting on an earlier statement by Mr. Cheeseman, said "it is much easier to increase production than it is to increase distribution."

Mr. Cheeseman said "At this time production has got ahead of distribution. The job now is a merchandising job."

Mr. Cheeseman, who has said

GENERAL SYNOD MEETS
TORONTO (CP)—The General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada will hold the annual meetings of the executive council and of the departments at Kingston, Ont., Sept. 6-11. It was announced Wednesday. Both clerical and lay delegates from each of the church's 28 dioceses will attend—31 members of the upper house and 76 of the lower house. The upper house comprises bishops of the church while the lower is made up of clergy and lay members.



INDIANS BACK LABOR MINISTER INTO CORNER
Mallot petitioners from the New Brunswick representative in his wife, minus warpaint, sought, ment to improve the lot of the Malloisset, N.B. reservation min. the federal cabinet was opening. Mr. Gregg's support for a resolut. Inset tribe. Gregg into a corner while the fully-dressed Chief Ben Tomah and Hon. urging the federal govern. (CP Photo)

Muddy Shoes Saved His Life

MONTREAL (CP)—Marc Ranger, 7, credits a pair of muddy shoes with saving his life Tuesday when an explosion wrecked a four-family home in suburban Ville la Salle, killing seven persons and injuring 18.

Ranger was living with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lyons, Mrs. Lyons and her two children died in the blast.

The night before the explosion Ranger said he had been playing in some mud. When he returned home Mrs. Lyons made him leave his muddy shoes on the back porch.