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Answers To Questions Tabled In Legislature

The answers to the following questions on the order paper were tabled in the House last week:

REVENUE, PLANTS, LIQUOR
Mr. Frank Myers asked the Premier:

(1.) Table all 1958 and 59 correspondence between this province and the Federal Finance Minister, relating to the holding of a Dominion Provincial Conference on fiscal matters.

(2.) Give the amount of revenues received to date, from Ottawa on the special grant of \$10,000,000 allocated to this province from Ottawa, stating date when such cheques were received.

(3.) Table all correspondence in connection with the four processing plants, which were announced during the last Provincial Election campaign that were interested in establishing branch plants in this province.

(4.) Give the name of the Company who indicated, according to the Premier's statement they would not need Provincial Government support in establishing a plant here.

(5.) (a) What control is exercised over bottles utilized in the sale of liquor and beer in this province?

(b) Is this control exercised through the Temperance Commission or through some local agent or agents? If the latter, who are the agents?

(c) Who takes care of any bottling required in the sale and disposal of liquors through vendors shops in the province?

(6.) What system is employed in the purchasing of liquor supplies? Is the price negotiated, by tender, or open?

(7.) Who are the local agents representing liquor and beer, or are purchases made direct through a purchasing officer of the Commission with the various liquor or beer companies?

(8.) Does the Provincial Government, or the Liberal Party in P. E. Island, or any agent for it, receive any Commission or other allowance on the purchase of beer and or liquor from the sellers?

ANSWERS
(1.) Nil.
(2.) April 15/58 — \$206,333.37; May 17/58 — \$206,333.33; June 17/58 — \$206,333.33; July 15/58 — \$206,333.33; August 18/58 — \$206,333.33; September 16/58 — \$206,333.33; October 14/58 — \$206,333.33; November 19/58 — \$206,333.33; December 18/58 — \$206,333.33; January 20/59 — \$206,333.33.

KIEL CANAL CLOSED
RENDSBURG, Germany (AP) — The Kiel Canal was closed to shipping for 24 hours Tuesday as a great highway tunnel was laid across it. The two-lane tunnel is part of European highway No. 2, to be the main road link between central Europe and Scandinavia by 1961. Pulleys inched the banana-shaped double tube of concrete to the canal bottom.

FERTILE ISLAND
The Mediterranean island of Sardinia, still growing crops, was a major food supply source in the old Roman Empire.

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President Of Iron Company Launches Big Damages Suit

CLEVELAND (AP)—A retired senior vice-president of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron Company Monday filed a \$6,785,000 damage suit in common pleas court. He alleged his contract to promote an iron ore deposit in Labrador was not honored.

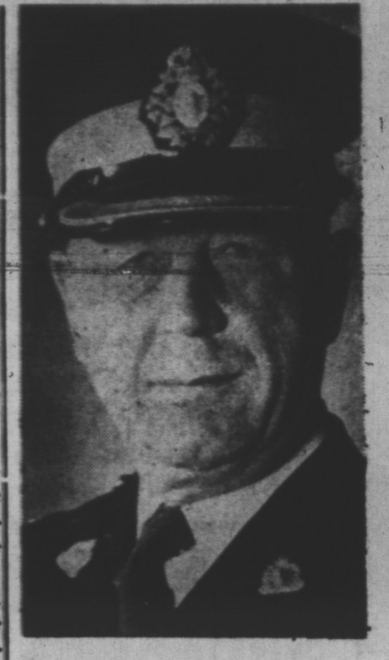
The suit was filed on behalf of Victor F. Goffine. Involved in the action are the Government of Newfoundland and Premier Smallwood and Pickands Mather and Company of Cleveland, named a defendant along with the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, the Interlake Iron Company and the Mather Iron Company.

Last month, Premier Smallwood reported his province had concluded a deal with Pickands Mather by which the Cleveland firm would build a 40-mile railway to extract iron ore from the Wabush Lake deposit in Labrador.

A lawyer for Pickands Mather, Edward Crocker, said: "From what I know of the law action, there is no foundation for the suit against Pickands Mather and Company."

MISS VERSHIN
In the suit, Goffine gave this version of the deal:
In 1952, he entered into an agreement with John C. Doyle of Canadian Javelin Limited. Goffine was to "lend his experience and connections in the field of mining and mining development" in return for a share in the sales of any such ore deals. After he became a director and vice-president in Javelin, Goffine contended, he "aided substantially" in bringing about a stock agreement between the New foundland government and Doyle.

FAMOUS MUSEUM
The British Museum in London was first opened to the public by invitation—in 1759.



GETS MEDAL

Sup. H. A. Larsen, of the RCMP, a conqueror of the north-west passage, has been awarded the Massey Gold Medal by the Royal Canadian Geographical Society. The medal will be presented by Governor-General Massey at a ceremony later.

Sup. Larsen is the first winner of the medal, awarded in recognition of outstanding personal achievement in exploring, development or describing the "geography of Canada."

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Reds Said Behind Uprising

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CAIRO (AP) — Vice-President Abdel Hakim Amer declared Monday that Communist agents deliberately provoked the Mosul garrison uprising in Iraq as an excuse to crush Iraqi nationalism.

"This is the secret of the revolution against injustice and dictatorship," Amer said at a Cairo memorial service for the dead of Col. Abdel Wahab Shawaf's rebel command. "It was a reaction against the terrorism of Red agents."

Amer spoke at the climax of a demonstration by tens of thousands of students and workers for President Nasser and against the regime of Iraq's Premier Abdel Karim Kassem.

Jury Returns Guilty Verdict In Bride Death

VENTURA, Calif. (AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Duncan was convicted of first-degree murder Monday in the hired killing of her son's Canadian-born pregnant bride.

The jury of eight women and four men reached its verdict after deliberating four hours and 51 minutes.

Mrs. Duncan sat calmly and looked straight at the jury as the verdict was read.

She faces a penalty of death in the gas chamber or life imprisonment. The punishment will be determined later by the same jury. It will then hear her plea of innocent by reason of insanity.

Superior Judge Charles F. Blackstock, in his instructions, limited the jurors' consideration to guilty or innocent of first degree murder.

The prosecution charged that Mrs. Duncan was so incensed over the marriage of her 30-year-old attorney son, Frank, and Olga Kupczyk, a pretty nurse from Dauphin, Man., and Vancouver, last June 20, that she offered two men \$8,000 to do away with the bride.

Two smalltime criminals, Augustine Baldonado, 26, and Luis Moya, 20, confessed that they kidnaped Olga from her Santa Barbara apartment last Nov. 17 and took her on a ghastly death ride. Testifying against Mrs. Duncan, they said she hired them to kill Olga.

HEADS BRITISH ALUMINIUM
LONDON (Reuters) — Lord Plowden, chairman of the British Atomic Energy Authority since 1954, will become chairman of the British Aluminium Company and vice-chairman of Tube Investments early next year, it was announced Tuesday.

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