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Hence the importance of the World Refugee Year which is being...
launched this month under the auspices of the United Nations.

One of the hopes of the World Refugee Year is that it will help lift the...
refugee problem out of the political arena, where too often it has been bogged down.

Of the 600,000 refugees living in Western Europe, 160,000 are still not settled. In Hong Kong, more than 260,000 of the 1,500,000 refugees who congregated there since the Communist conquest of the Chinese mainland a decade ago have been resettled by the Hong Kong Government.

A Bogy Disposed Of
Another strong case for water fluoridation has been made out on scientific grounds, this time on a point about which opponents of the measure have had much to say, and which has caused most general concern.

Nutrition Reviews, official journal of the Nutrition Foundation, New York, reviews in its current issue a number of recent pioneer studies. In these studies the general state of health of individuals whose bones (obtained through post-mortem and surgery) showed a high fluoride content was compared with the general health of those whose bones were very low in these chemicals.

These data, the authoritative journal concludes, "add to the increasing body of information which supports the wisdom and safety of fluoridation at 1 to 1.2 parts per million in cities in the northern United States, and at 0.7 to 0.8 parts per million in cities in the southern United States, where water consumption is greater because of a higher average temperature."

The findings showed no impairment of health, malformation or malfunction in the subject even where water consumption contained 8.0 parts per million fluoride. There was substantial evidence that different levels of fluoride may be present in the bones without producing any tissue damage, malignancy or kidney disease, while a careful review of the radiograms failed to reveal any relation between various forms of arthritis and the ingestion of fluoridated water.

These findings fully support the assurances given by leading dental, medical and public health authorities both in Canada and the United States, that water fluoridation is a safe as well as effective check on teeth decay in growing children.

World Refugee Year
The free world was shocked in 1956 by the tragic events in Hungary, which started an exodus of thousands of citizens seeking asylum in other lands.

EDITORIAL NOTES
A survey of more than 1,700 newspapers by the American Newspaper Publishers Association shows 483 now selling at seven cents and 170 at 10 cents.



WHEN THE CLERKS DISAGREE

OTTAWA REPORT

Mr. Fisher's Grievances

By Patrick Nicholson
Douglas Fisher, the C.C.F. Member of Parliament for Port Arthur, has given Ottawa the impression that he carries a chip on his shoulder.

As this great bulk of an Armoured Corps veteran is something of a perfectionist, one would expect this chip to be perfectly in proportion with his huge 250 pound 5 feet 5 inch frame. So accordingly it is one heck of a big chip—mainly genuine in my opinion.

Fisher is one of the most outstanding members of the more aggressive of the two Opposition Parties in the Commons. The 39 year old schoolteacher gives the impression of being more on his feet than on his seat while he is in the Chamber, an impression confirmed by his record of 21 major speeches and 173 lesser interventions during the first 90 days of this session of Parliament.

BETTER THAN C.D. HOWE
But the giant giant-killer, who defeated C.D. Howe in his first election battle, as yet displays a lack of balance which is inevitable in the immaturity of his second year in Parliament.

Adenauer At Eighty-Three
By Alan Harvey
Canadian Press Staff Writer
A question that occurs to everyone, but that nobody likes to ask outright, is one of the many imponderables in Germany's goldfish-bowl political crisis.

something approaching a normal family life. But I will not be a candidate again at present pay and cost levels.

PUBLIC FORUM

This column is open to the discussion by correspondents of questions of interest. The Guardian does not necessarily endorse the opinion of correspondents.

PRICE OF EGGS
Sir—People tell me that I am getting a good price for eggs because the Government provides a support price. It does not seem to work out that way.

EGG GRADES AND PRICES
Sir—While reading an item in The Guardian Friday, June 19th, where the Fourth District of Queens Liberal Convention was held, I was surprised to read the speech made by Agriculture Minister Eugene Cullen when he read a letter from a lady in Souris stating where she only received 7.4 cents per dozen of eggs on a 30 dozen crate, and accusing the Government of not supporting eggs in such a low grade.

THE HOLIDAY SEASON
Sweet summer's warmth is in the air
And smell of blossoms, everywhere.

Weekend Briefs
"CLIMBER" OR "DAISY-CUTTER"? Queen Elizabeth would know. Sports Editor Andy O'Brien of The Patriot's Weekend Magazine chatted with the Queen's race-horse trainer recently, and learned that Her Majesty's love of horses is based on a sound knowledge of training and breeding.

RATTLESNAKES! There are only four (maybe now only three) types of poisonous snakes in Canada, all of them varieties of rattlers. Weekend Staff Writer Jock Carroll says that Canadians are in more danger of being struck by lightning than of being bitten by a rattler, but that it's wise to know how to treat snakebite.

LES SOEURS GRISES, 200 years ago, could have been translated as "the drunken sisters." But the Grey Nuns are now known and respected for their widespread charity work.

A FINE FEAST of fun—good reading and good entertainment—is assured the whole family in tomorrow's Evening Patriot, complete with Weekend Magazine and 16 pages of color comics.

Good Advice On Skin Diving

By Herman N. Sundeen, M.D.
WITH SO many persons taking up skin diving these days, I think a few words of advice might be in order.

THE old hands, I'm sure, won't be much interested in what I have to say, but I strongly urge the novices who will begin diving this summer to read and heed.

NEVER DIVE ALONE. I have always urged that the buddy system be used by swimmers and Dr. Jung believes this is also appropriate for skin divers.

DO NOT USE EAR PLUGS. These plugs are for surface swimming, not for skin diving. At depths of ten feet or more, water may cause ear pain and possible injury.

MAKE SURE YOUR WEIGHT BELTS and other equipment have quick release buckles. Carry a knife when diving in open water.

ANOTHER OPEN WATER RULE: Always have a boat or float over you. Plan methods of communication between divers and watchers.

NO RISKS
Don't take unnecessary risks. Watch your depth carefully. And, when ascending, don't hold your breath. Permit a steady escape of air.

THESE ARE THE eight cardinal rules of skin diving as a physician sees them. Following them, I believe, may help keep you out of considerable trouble.

QUESTION AND ANSWER
Mr. A.T.: I have suffered severe liver damage as a result of infectious hepatitis and would like to know if the liver damage would have been less severe if I had had bed rest at the onset of the disease.

ANSWER: In the treatment of infectious hepatitis, bed rest for a minimum of three weeks is advisable. The patient should remain in bed until the acute symptoms have subsided.

THE Poet's Corner
Sweet summer's warmth is in the air
And smell of blossoms, everywhere.

The winter eye watched with awe
As magic of the spring's first thaw
Changed grey of sky and white of snow
To blue, and brown, a golden glow.

The glory of the flower and fern
Is equalled by the birds' return
With wondrous flight from southern clime
To lend their songs to leisure time.

But summer's loved most by a boy
With freckled face, as whistling joy.
He, barefoot, to the stream returns
With fishin' pole and can of worms.

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NOTES BY THE WAY

According to farm authorities testifying before Canada's Senate committee, inflation brings high wages and high prices.—Hamilton Spectator

Never judge the value of the contents of a girl's head by the number of locks on it.—London Free Press

A civic student wonders "Idly about a minor point of legislative procedure—do you start out with a law and add loopholes or do you take the loopholes and build a law around them?—Portland Oregonian

The clinging quality of plastic bags has been held responsible for a Sudbury child's death. It has caused several such fatalities in Canada during recent months, and 28 in the United States. If these bags cannot be made safe by perforation, the demand for their banning will become more insistent.—Ottawa Citizen

The government of the State of Michigan was unable to meet two recent payrolls and is still not discharging some of its other financial obligations. This seems to upset the common theory that governments have inexhaustible treasuries.—Branford Expositor

OUR YESTERDAYS

FRONT-FIVE YEARS AGO
(June 26, 1954)
Mr. A.R. Brennan was elected president of the Aero Club at the annual meeting held last evening in the Board Room at City Hall.

TEN YEARS AGO
(June 26, 1949)
Twenty-nine students were awarded certificates at the first closing exercises of the Vocational School held in the Prince of Wales College Auditorium yesterday morning.

THE AGE OLD STORY
He that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed.

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