

### Takes Senior Maritime Horse Championship

AMHERST, N.S. (Special) — Lorne Ferguson's pure bred Percheron stallion, Wednesday was declared Grand Champion of the Maritime Winter Fair at Amherst. "Major Label" took first in his senior male championship and subsequently the Grand Championship.

Mr. Ferguson's pure bred Percheron mare, "Lillie Belle" was the senior champion remale of the show and was given the nod for the Reserve Championship.

Mr. Ferguson took first in the pure bred progeny of dame entry and first for the grade Percheron over 1500 lbs. He captured second in the get of sire entry. Stanley Mayhew of Kinkora took first and fourth for Percheron grade, 1350-1500 lbs. Mayhew also took first in the get of sire entry for grade and won a first and second for three year old filly or gelding.

Ivan Turner, Winslow, took first prize for the two year old grade Percheron mare or filly.

The Percheron show was strongly contested by the finest heavy horses in the Maritimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Verno Gallant and Mr. Eddie Ferguson returned home last week from a visit in U. S. A. They were accompanied here by Mr. Billy McGee, who is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verno Gallant.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family of the late Mrs. Laura Bigelow, who passed away at the home of her son, John, in Southwest on Thursday, Oct. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laudy and 4 children of Summerside, recently visited in St. Philip over the weekend.

Mr. Rene Gallant recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholore Gallant, also Mr. and Mrs. Hector Gallant, Esmont Bay.

Miss Yvonne Cormier, student nurse in Moncton, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glorice Cormier.

Mr. and Mrs. Josie Gallant and family, also Mrs. Prospero Gallant, have moved to Summerside for winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gallant and daughter Marcia of Montreal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hector Gallant, also Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Arsenault.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Martin of Montague, recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Gallant.

Mr. Ceverin Gallant, Montreal, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Nicéphore Gallant. Mr. N. Gallant is ill at home.

Mr. Cyrus Gallant has returned to his home after attending an agriculture course in Shediac, N. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boudreau of Moncton, N. B. visited Mrs. C. D. Gallant also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallant over the weekend. They were accompanied by Mr. Edgar Gallant, Miss Julia Gallant and Miss Jeannette LeBlanc.

Mr. and Mrs. Joachim Gallant of Adamsville, N. B. visited Mrs. Azare Arsenault recently.

Mr. Edmund Arsenault and two sons of Charlottetown recently visited in St. Chrysostom.

Friends of Mrs. Mary Arsenault are pleased to see her home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Andre Arsenault of Montreal are visiting Mrs. Philimon Arsenault, also brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Arsenault and family of St. John, N. B. paid a short visit at the home of Mrs. Emanuel Arsenault and Mrs. Philimon Arsenault.

The meeting of St. Chrysostom Altar Society was held at the home of Mrs. Arsene Gallant with 12 members answering roll call. Sum of \$10.00 was voted to pay on loan to Credit Union. Next meeting to be held at home of Mrs. Belonie Gallant. Roll call was discussed by giving article for pantry sale.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gussie McNeill of Richmond on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. John K. Day was a recent visitor of her daughter Mrs. Edmund McNeill, Richmond.

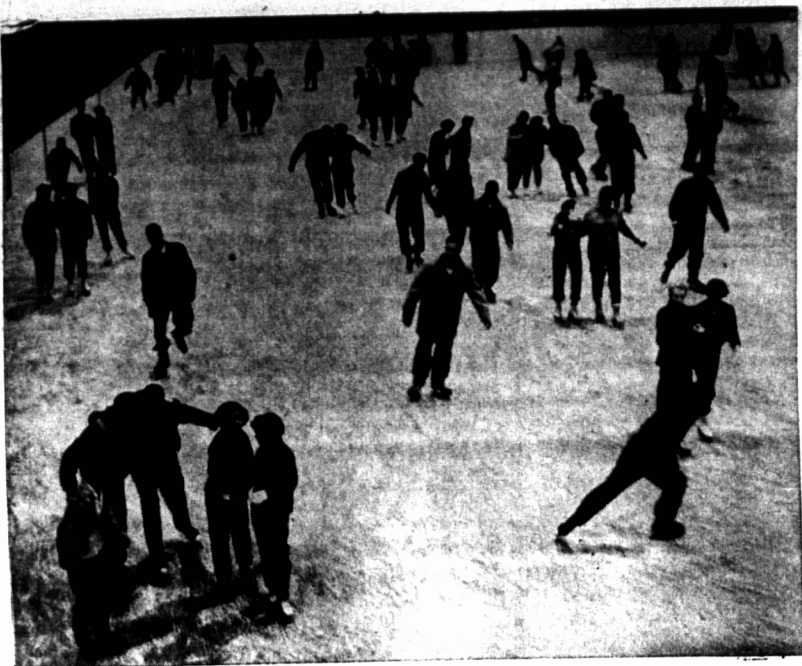
Mr. and Mrs. Aubin Arsenault are visiting relatives in Moncton, N. B.

Mrs. Wendell Ward, spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ira Barlow.

Mrs. Sophie Gaudet left recently for Cambridge, Mass., to visit her daughter Mrs. Donald Chisholm and Mr. Chisholm, also with Miss Annie Gaudet of same place. Mrs. Gaudet expects to remain for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Gallant have returned to Rumford, Maine, after visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fede Arsenault, St. Gilbert, over the weekend. —BM.



ENJOY FIRST SKATE OF SEASON

Enjoying the first skate of the year more than 400 skaters in seen first hockey practice this year. season at the opening of the Sum- above just before the program and skating will resume again to- merside Stadium on Tuesday eve- ended. The Summerside Aces will tomorrow evening. ning a small part of the crowd take to the ice tonight for their Photo by Wotton

### U. S. ELECTION ISSUE

## Radioactive Fall-Out Is Dangerous, But How Much?

Editors note: Continued tests of the H-bomb have become a critical issue in the U.S. presidential campaign. Should the United States take the lead to abandon further tests in the interest of humanity's survival? Or is survival possibly dependent upon continued experiments which may prove the most powerful instrument for peace? This article explores the problem.

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE, AP Science Reporter

NEW YORK (AP)—Fall-out—scary stepchild of our new atomic age—has become a hotly radioactive election issue in the United States.

Human dangers from fall-out underlie proposals to end H-bomb tests, and the differences of view on how and when to do it. In this debate voters must decide concerning scientific matters, on some of which prominent scientists are divided. Fall-out and H-bombs also involve, of course, moral, political, diplomatic and military security questions.

Here are some of the main scientific facts and points of view:

Q. What is fall-out?  
A. Radioactive atoms created from pieces of the exploding nuclear weapon itself, and from dirt, debris or water sucked up by the blasts.

Q. How can fall-out harm humans?  
A. In three ways: (1) a huge amount, as from a war, can cause generalized radiation sickness and-or death. (2) even very tiny amounts might affect human heredity. (3) even very small amounts might damage human living now if they were hit by or ate or breathed enough of certain kinds of these atoms.

Q. How can a single H-bomb or somewhere else equally remote, affect me in North America?  
A. In time, a tiny sprinkle of its fall-out spreads on your city, adding a bit to the radiation in which you live. How much is added depends on the number, type and timing of the tests. A slow-enough rate of tests conceivably would add no more radiation than was disappearing by decay.

### GUARDIANSCOPE

#### CREE BIBLE

Concerning the learned editorial (Guardian Oct. 18th) "The Bible Today"—chords of memory were sounded regarding the "Life and Times" of Rev. George Anthony Belcourt by James Michael Reardon, a native son of Charlottetown, who is now located in Kansas City. The book was published in St. Paul, Minn., in 1955.

The editorial gives precise dates and statistics—the year 1859 for the translation of the Bible into the Cree language. That would presumably be by some great Anglican authority. It must have been a monumental task. The Anglicans evangelized the natives adjacent to Hudson Bay, and those located in the river systems of the Bay.

Father Belcourt's Mission territory extended from Pembina, N. D., to Fort Garry (Winnipeg), in the Red River Valley and West and the tributaries of the Red and Missouri.

The Anglican and Roman Catholic missionaries had an unwritten code of ethics. If either was established on a river system the other would not encroach. The missionaries on the Pacific coast adopted the same code. It was in conformity with the Indian code regarding trap lines—the same as a farmer's right to his farm.

#### INDIAN DICTIONARY

Father Belcourt soon solved the intricacies of the Saulteur (Chippewa) language, and wrote a book in it in 1839—also compiled a French and Indian dictionary in 1844, which was attested by competent authorities.

He was urged by Professor Turner of the Smithsonian Institute of Washington to have it published. Lack of adequate finances frustrated his dearest ambition in his lifetime, but his first assistant, the now famous Fr. Lacombe, succeeded in realizing Fr. Belcourt's dying hope by getting it through the

of an earlier fall-out. The more test in the Pacific, or in Siberia. Q. Are we exposed now to dangerous amounts from A-bomb and H-bomb tests conducted so far by all nations?  
A. The U.S. Atomic Energy Commission says no. It says fall-out has exposed us to only about 1-100th of the amount of radiation to which we are inevitably exposed by natural radiation which has always surrounded us. It says fall-out exposure so far is about equal to having one chest X-ray.

Other scientists aren't so sure it's all been safe so far, or are worried about certain types of fall-out, especially strontium-90 which Adlai Stevenson called "the worst poison."

Q. What is strontium-90 and why is it especially dangerous?  
A. Strontium-90 is a radioactive element, an alkaline earth metal, which is chemically identical to calcium. It is dangerous because it can go to the bones. And it stays active for an average of 40 years. If animals are given big enough doses, it produces cancers of the bone.

Q. Have dangerous amounts of years, emitting rays of declining strontium been created and distributed so far?  
A. The AEC says the amount falling from all tests to date would have to be increased "many thousand times" before any effect on humans would be noticeable.

Press — with the help of Bishop Tache of St. Boniface. Fr. Belcourt was one of those rare individuals who achieved greatness by virtue of his strong will and natural resourcefulness. He was often frustrated to some extent by his superiors in the hierarchy, and by the Governors of the Hudson Bay Co., who were then overlords of all the territory west of Ontario — "Sweet are the uses of adversity." He emerged triumphant in all his disputes, and will have a more resplendent "tablet in the Hall of Fame than the high and mighty who tried to trample him down.

He was the ideal pioneer — one of those who could adapt himself to almost any circumstance. He could "live off the land."

Being of an extremely mechanical turn of mind, he could by his own handicraft, make the tools and appurtenances for his every day requirements. He once made a cart entirely of wood, with wheels and all parts dovetailed, and thrummed — not using a metallic nail.

Another example of his mechanical skill is the iron cemetery gate at St. Augustines Church, Rustico, P.E.I. He had been sent east to P. E. Island in 1859, and had charge of Rustico parish for ten years — during which time he introduced many innovations for the spiritual and material benefit of all countryside, regardless of religious affiliations.

FARMER'S BANK  
The principal one was "The Farmer's Bank of Rustico." Father Reardon's biography gives detailed description of those advancements. It was the persecutor of Credit Unions.

His most precocious experiment in mechanics was the famous "Steam Wagon" which was demonstrated in the summer of 1857 before a crowd of 90 people — designated as a "tea party". It was one of the first, if not the first of its kind in the province — and became the vogue for about 80 years.

When the "Tea" was ready to be served, a big bell was rung and a grand seigneur stood up and announced in stentorian tones, "tea is now ready — stranger and people from distance come first, thereby exemplifying the innate hospitality and regard for the social amenities of the early Acadians.

Naturally the big attraction was the "steam Wagon." The word "automobile" would not be in use at that time. It was perhaps the first successful demonstration in all America. There are some still living who witnessed this performance and many others who have had vis-a-vis descriptions. The life and works of George An-

The National Academy of Sciences, an independent scientific agency, says some children now have detectable amounts in their bones but that it is only 1-1,000th of what is considered a permissible or very safe dose.

Other scientists say there is no question but that strontium is dangerous, and that the critical question is exactly how much is bad, and how close we are now to that point, or will be in the future.

Q. Can strontium-90 be absorbed by plants and animals and thus enter human bodies through vegetables, meats and milk?  
A. Yes.

A. How are nuclear tests in an overseas country detected?  
A. By air-sampling at government stations and other means, not described for security reasons. Fall-out gives clues to the type and strength of the weapon tested.

CAN WE KNOW?  
Q. Can an overseas nation's tests be detected accurately enough to learn whether it is violating an agreement not to test?  
A. Many atomic scientists say yes, at least for all but the smallest-power ones, and that the advantages gained by a single test cannot be very great.

The AEC says detection systems cannot ensure pickup up every test, and that learning the size and nature of the test takes time, particularly with the larger, more complicated weapons.

### WELLINGTON

Mr. Lowell Barlow returned from a visit to various points of U. S. A.

Members of the United Church choir met at the home of Mrs. John Graham, Tuesday, for practice. There was a good attendance. Her many friends regret to learn that Mrs. Mach Goodwin of Wellington Centre, is a patient in Prince County Hospital.

On Tuesday evening members of the Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. John Graham. Roll call was answered with a good attendance and minutes were read. After a brief business discussion, meeting adjourned and collection taken.

Mr. Burfield McAusland, Charlottetown, was a recent visitor in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Conrad and thony Belcourt is a gripping story of pioneer life and high adventure and must have entailed a great amount of research of archives through the Red River Valley, Quebec, P.E.I. Island and Magdalen Islands. — L. P.

## Here's the bread even homemade can't beat

for FLAVOR! TEXTURE! FRESHNESS!

TRY THIS RECIPE YOURSELF  
Then compare your homemade loaf with Butternut for taste, texture, freshness.

THE FINEST LOAF OF BREAD WE'VE EVER BAKED

It's at your grocer's now! So look for the loaf with the homemade recipe on the wrapper. Then prove to yourself that no one bakes better bread than Butternut... the bread that even homemade can't beat... for taste! ... for texture! ... for freshness!

Baked in the clean, white ovens of EASTERN BAKERIES

# BONANZA DAYS

## SALE ENDS SAT!

REG. 59.50 MEN'S SUITS! FAMOUS BRAND SUITS IN ALL SIZES, WIDE SELECTION OF MATERIALS, MANY STYLES! 38.

WE CAN NOT POSSIBLY HOPE TO PRESENT HERE MORE THAN A FEW OF THE MANY THOUSANDS OF CLOTHING BARGAINS AVAILABLE FOR YOUR ENTIRE FAMILY AT SMALLMAN'S FOR 3 DAYS ONLY!

Reg. 39.95 LADIES' COATS! 26.88

- Imported Italian fabrics, tweeds, velours, fibrilla, fibre!
- Sizes 10 to 18!
- Many styles!

Reg. to 9.95 LADIES' MILLINERY! 2.88

- Hats of Felt, Velour and Velvet!
- Cloche, Bumper Brim, and Pill Box styles!

Reg. 17.95 to 25. LADIES' BETTER DRESSES! 9.00

- Fall and winter; size 10 to 18 incl.; party, street and tailored styles!

Reg. To 12.95 MEN'S ASSORTED DRESS PANTS! 6.88

- Many styles, all colors, sizes 28 to 44 inclusive.

Reg. To 12.95 BOYS' CAMPUS AND SUBURBAN COATS! 8.88

- All sizes 6 to 16 years!
- Many styles! Famous makes!

Reg. 3.97 MISSES' LAMB'S WOOL CARDIGANS! 2.88

- Sizes 10, 12, 14!
- Coffee, pink, etc.

Reg. 49c Pair MEN'S WORK SOCKS! 75c

- All sizes! Rare Bargain!

Reg. 3.98 BOYS' HEAVYWEIGHT LONGS! 2.44

- Sizes 26 to 32!

USE . . . CASH . . . CHARGE . . . BUDGET . . . LAYWAY . . .

DON'T FORGET OUR BARGAIN BASEMENT!

# SMALLMAN'S

P.E.I.'s LARGEST FAMILY CLOTHING STORE!

### CONWAY

Mrs. Donna Palmer, Summerside, spent the weekend holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Palmer, Freeland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson left recently for a three week trip to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Boyle, Madison, Maine and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Boyle, Berlin, New Hampshire.

Mr. William Morrison returned to her home at Saint John, New Brunswick after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kilbride and family have returned to their home at McAdam, New Brunswick, after spending a pleasant vacation with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Paugh, East Biddeford have moved into their new home at Freeland. A large number of men, women, boys and girls are employed at various farms in Prince County picking potatoes.

—P

DISCUSS TOURISTS OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's tourist problems, including the factors which led to a drop in the mid-summer flow of travellers from the United States this year, will be discussed at the 11th federal provincial tourist conference here Nov. 26-27.