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## B. Act On Liquor Proclaimed

By JOHN MOSHER  
FREDERICTON (CP) — Proclamation of the new Liquor Control Act in New Brunswick, making it effective Friday, was announced by Premier Robichaud immediately after the release of regulations under the legislation enacted last fall.

The act and regulations will be enforced "without fear or favor and to the letter," he said at a press conference. He said the new law has "tremendous advantages over the former act and that the majority of people will accept its provisions."

The legislation will permit sale of beer, wine and spirits—in some cases all three—in the glass or open bottle in taverns, restaurants, cocktail lounges, hotel dining rooms, private clubs, military canteens and fishing and hunting lodges. The old act limited sale to the bottle at government stores and private clubs have been allowed to serve liquor to their members since Premier Robichaud said the names of the three to seven members of the licensing board will be announced shortly. The new act will be administered by a chairman of the new three-member Liquor Control Commission, who was revealed as E. W. McTavish, H. H. Tait and Gerard LeBlanc received \$10,000 each. One commissioner will be chairman of the licensing board but will get no extra remuneration.

## Atlantic Airlines Fears New Drive Against Canada

LIVERPOOL, N.S. (CP)—(Company Limited estimated loss at \$350,000 to \$500,000 in a fire Friday which destroyed a wharf and two craft.

The fire was brought under control about an hour after breaking out, but company and town fires were to remain at the scene overnight, fighting flames licking over crooked timbers in the wharf.

The wharf was described as a total loss. The damage estimate does not include a pilot boat, a small general service vessel and a 10-ton mobile crane which also were destroyed, but a tractor and a three-ton dump truck were damaged.

Firemen from the nearby communities of Bridgewater, Mahon Bay and Newburn helped prevent the blaze from spreading to an adjacent wharf housing a storage shed about 20 feet wide and 20 feet high which was filled with newsprint. The wharves, each about 300 feet long, jut into the harbor in the shape of a V.

## COUPLE MAKES DAFFY JOURNEY

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (AP) — "It was just plain daffy," a man, fancy going to Texas by way of London, in a murred weary Charlie Moore, who made three Atlantic crossings do the work of one.

Worse than Columbus, by far.

However, Charlie, 65, a retired janitor who formerly worked the occupation of north-west Laos Friday in an advance that carried them more than 100 miles beyond the cease-fire line to the border of pro-Western Thailand.

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The defence ministry said that three to five Russian-made Ilyushin transports have been landing near and were material daily at two air bases in the north, newly won territory since the fall of Nam Thon five days ago.

Altogether the Woods had travelled about 400 miles since sailing aboard the Queen Mary from Southampton a week earlier.

## NATIVE OF ALBERTA

### Lt.-Col. Fielding Dies Unexpectedly

Lt.-Col. Philip Sidney Fielding, M.M., longtime deputy provincial secretary, died suddenly yesterday afternoon. Taken while at work, he died a short time after reaching the Charlottetown Hospital. How long he had been unwell for some time.

A native of Alberta, when he was born in 1888, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John P. Fielding. He received his education at Alberta schools and at the University of Alberta, where he was awarded the B.A. degree in 1913.

He was past master of Victoria Lodge Number 2 A.F. & M.

Surviving are his wife, the former Edna Mae Stern, one son, John, with the Bank of Montreal in Bathurst, N.B., and a daughter, Miss Bessie Fielding, Lawrence, Mass., and a brother, Ralph, of Santa Cruz, California.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon from the Colclough Funeral Home.

## Reeds Advance 100 Miles

VIENTIANE (AP) — Pro-Communist battalions in an advance that carried them more than 100 miles beyond the cease-fire line to the border of pro-Western Thailand.

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## Algerian Group Is Suspected In Quebec Theft

QUEBEC (CP)—Police said Friday they are investigating the possibility that sympathizers of French extremists in Algeria are responsible for the theft of 13 sub-machine guns and an M-1 rifle from the Citadel army garrison.

Police chief Almeida Guillemette said that about the time the weapons were taken last week, a mysterious, unlicensed woman bearing the inscription "Algerie Francaise Alger" (French Algeria) turned up during a ceremony on the Plains of Abraham outside the Citadel.

"We don't know but maybe something else happened about the same time," Chief Guillemette said in an interview. He did not elaborate.

## Dock Strike Slated For U.K. Sunday

LONDON (Reuters) — Delegates representing Britain's 75,000 longshoremen decided Friday a strike in their ultimatum to stage a national dock strike from midnight Sunday unless their wage demands are met.

Frank Cousins, general secretary of the Transport and General Workers Union in which most dockers belong, announced that the 90 delegates took two decisions.

1. They rejected a proposal that the strike ultimatum be suspended for one week to allow further negotiations to take place.

2. They voted by a majority to carry out their decision to withdraw labor from all ports from midnight Sunday.

Premier Robichaud said that if a strike occurs, setting of minimums and maximums could be necessary.

## 10 Families Homeless In Raging Boston Fire

BOSTON (AP) — More than \$1,000,000 worth of property lay in ruins Friday after a five-alarm fire raged through a half-mile of produce sheds in the Charlestown district, destroying or damaging 11 tenements and about 100 loaded railroad refrigerator cars.

Two firemen were hurt when they were struck by falling debris and knocked them down. Another man fell from a ladder and fractured his leg.

A thousand firefighters from a dozen communities fought the blaze for hours before bringing the blaze under control.

Cause of the blaze was not immediately known.

## CHILDREN'S WORK CONSULTANT ARRIVES

Miss Eleanor Rice, national consultant in children's work for the Anglican Church of Canada, arrived at the airport from Toronto yesterday and will be special guest at the Anglican Church's festival which opens at 5:30 p.m. today with a total of 70 girls attending. She was left to night at the airport after Mrs. Robert Currie, Mrs. Ernest Champion and Miss A. Rice.

## ASSERTIONS ARE CHALLENGED

Medical Eye Specialists  
Critical Of Optometrists

By JACK BEST  
TORONTO (CP) — Canada's nearly 1,500 optometrists could be driven out of business without any serious harm being done to the practice of eye care, the royal commission on health services was told Friday.

The statement was made by Dr. P. R. Marshall, of Edmonton, past president of the Canadian Ophthalmological Society, was later challenged by Harold Arnold of Saskatoon, spokesman for the Canadian Association of Optometrists. Mr. Arnold said Dr. Marshall was "blind to the facts."

## Orbital Flight Delayed 2 Days

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. — The orbital flight of astronaut Malcolm Scott Carpenter Friday was delayed two days to May 19 because of problems with the capsule's automatic control system.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration said it postponed the change in date after it had been reported unofficially earlier.

## Philip Is Due In Canada For Montreal Conference

By CAROL KENNEDY  
LONDON (CP)—Prince Philip is to Canada today, starting one of his most crowded engagements of a crowded week.

The occasion is the second Commonwealth youth conference, which he opens Monday at the University of Montreal.

The 35-day conference, governed by a council of 90 leading representatives of Canadian industry and labor, will bring together 200 men and women from more than 30 Commonwealth countries to study the effects of a changing industrial environment on the lives of ordinary citizens.

The first youth conference presided over by the Duke of Edinburgh was held among the dreaming spires of Oxford in 1958. The Canadian one will be equally as dynamic and program.

FAVORABLE SITE  
Addressing a dinner of the Canadian Youth Conference Association in London in May, 1960, Prince Philip said: "I am particularly delighted that the next conference is going to be in Canada, because Canada has a wonderful variety of industrial communities and each has some lessons to learn."

Delegates to the conference, mainly in their late 20s and early 40s, have been selected for their probable future potential in project covering development in transportation, urbanization and mechanized agriculture.

Then they will be a series of small group studies of different aspects of industrial change. These are designed to enable them to grasp the range of the rapidly changing industrial scene in Canada and also to discuss the problems such expansion raises with Canadians at home and at work.

## Prince Philip Will Spend Weekend With Gov.-General

MONTREAL (CP) — Prince Philip's second Commonwealth youth conference is to open in Montreal Monday.

Prince Philip will fly to Canada today aboard a regular British Overseas Airways flight reaching Montreal International Airport at 1:45 P.M. EDT.

He will make a non-stop appearance in Montreal today but will fly on to Ottawa almost immediately, arriving in the capital at 7:45 P.M.

He will return to Montreal Sunday and address the young session of the conference.

The prince will be welcomed by Gov.-General Vincent Massey at Governor-General's House.

On arrival in Ottawa word will be sent to U.S. airport of home at Upstate Georgia.

## DOCK STRIKE DELAYS MAIL

SOUTHAMPTON (Reuters) — Nearly 9,000 bags of mail sent from the United States to Britain sailed back to New York Friday because of a dock strike that prevented them being unloaded.

Only about 400 bags were taken off the liner United States before it sailed again because 200 crane drivers and electricians stopped work Thursday night to hold a protest meeting against a proposal to introduce new dockers' system at the docks here.

## STORM FIXES DRINK SIZE

WE'LL fix the size of drinks. We don't want to confine the licensee but do want him to improve his premises."

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## U.S. Entertains Tito During Unexplained Visit

By KEITH KINCAID  
HALIFAX (CP)—Soviet cosmologist Gherman Titov paid a surprise visit to Nova Scotia Friday but nobody, including the spokesman himself, seemed to know why.

However, despite the suddenness of the visit and the parent lack of purpose, Nova Scotia turned on the hospitality for the 27-year-old Russian pilot who spent more than 25 hours orbiting the earth last August.

He received an audience with Lieutenant Governor E. C. Plow, Premier Stanfield and Mayor John Love of Halifax, attended a tea party at Dalhousie University and was entertained in a formal mess dinner laid on by the air force.

The short visit by the Russian was a modest but scattered group of office workers and shoppers who watched as he came and went from his official car. Some women waved but most just stared at him.

"It was announced by the Russian embassy in Halifax for about 15 hours on his way here before a 12-day visit to the United States. Canadian officials had no previous word to expect him."

## Famous Walker Makes Thrip

LONDON (AP) — Long distance walker Dr. Barbara Moore threatened to give up Friday to kill her by holding her breath.

Russian-born Dr. Moore, 55, declared she would commit suicide this way if wardresses attempted to interrupt her prominent hunger strike to the death as a protest against being jailed for contempt of court.

The information was communicated by the home office of the sentencing judge, F. H. Lawson, who seemed unimpressed. He declined to free Dr. Moore from prison, but said he would be glad to hear next Wednesday how she is getting on.

Dr. Moore was sent to Holloway prison Tuesday for ignoring an injunction against molesting a neighbor, Maj. Gen. Sir Richard Buxton.

Maj. Gen. Buxton had brought into court for blocking the entrance to his stony with stones, flower pots and other impediments.

He said the book that she was reading was the second volume of the large book which they abuse.

## SHES A WREN, MEN!

Old woman not at the annual inspection of the reserve force in Vancouver recently was seen recruit.

Wren Patti Van Rumbold, 52, in a uniform, she turned up in civvies. Inspecting officer is Capt. J. C. Little.

## COULDN'T STOP BEFORE

Asked by reporters for the purpose of his visit, Moore replied that he was unable to stop and visit when he passed over Canada on his way here before a 12-day visit to the United States. Canadian officials had no previous word to expect him.