

French Explorer Uncovers Ancient Tombs On Island

PARIS (Reuters) — A young French explorer said Monday he has discovered tombs and statues built by a race from Peru some 2,000 years ago on Fatu-Hiva Island in the South Pacific.

The island, one of the French Marquesas group, is about 5,000 miles off the coast of Peru.

The explorer, Francis Maziere, 32, set out with the aim of substantiating the Norwegian Knut-Tiki theory that Easter Island natives, and those of other South Pacific islands, originated from the Tiki peoples of ancient Peru.

Maziere spent 18 months in the South Pacific.

He said his exploration in the forbidden region of the seven

sacred valleys of Fatu-Hiva revealed absolute proof for the first time of the existence of an ancient Peruvian civilization there.

"As the first white man to explore the valleys, regarded as forbidden territory to the natives, I found traces of statues, sepulchres and villages of the Tiki type like those discovered on Easter Island and in Peru," he said.

SAW 150 TOMBS

Maziere said he photographed about 150 tombs, some of them like pyramids built from blocks one to two tons.

The remains in the tombs were preserved in folds of bark. The skulls found were both of the or-

iginal islanders from Papua in New Guinea and of the ancient Peruvians, he said.

"According to their custom, the Peruvian attackers killed off the local men and married their womenfolk, hence we see the mixture of both races on Fatu-Hiva Island," he said.

He said the ancient Peruvians occupied also Easter Island in the same way—by drifting across the ocean on rafts to escape the Inca invasion of their own land.

"It can now be said that the ancient civilizations of the Polynesian Islands in the South Pacific were of South American origin and not of Asiatic origin as hitherto supposed," he said.



MODERN FRENCH-CANADIAN ART SHOWN

"Which end is up?" must have been asked a few times at least as the current exhibition of paintings at the Civic Centre was hung yesterday.

This selection of paintings by modern French-Canadian artists, loaned by the National Gallery in its policy to bring art to the Canadian people, leans heavily to the

abstract. It will be a new experience to islanders chiefly accustomed to seeing quiet pastoral scenes faithfully reproduced.

Whether or not "understood," the pictures provide an interesting study in mood, colour, design and texture.

Painters whose work appears are Edmund Alleyne, Leon Belle-

fleur, Suzanne Bergeron, P. E. Borduas, Jean Dallaire, Albert Dumouchel, Andre Jassin, Fernand Leduc, Jean Paul Lemieux, Jean-Paul Mousseau, Alfred Pelan, Claude Picher, Maurice Raymond, Jean-Paul Riopelle and Jacques de Tonnancour.

These artists represent a new vigorous movement appearing in

the province of Quebec in 1940. Some of the names above will be recognized as achieving national and international distinction. A number of the pictures are offered for sale, the prices of which may be learned on asking the attendant.

Guardian Photo.

Sales Methods Discussed At Rotary Club Luncheon

Island butter in Montreal and Island lobsters in Boston sold as "sales leaders" without profit were classed with chocolates available in Charlottetown on the same basis in a panel discussion held at the Charlottetown Hotel yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Lawson, representing the Canadian Association of Consumers, opened the discussion of referring to the "improved ingenious wrapping of bacon which gave the purchaser a better idea of what to buy," and the inclusion of weight information on detergents, soap flakes etc. She also referred to the alleged sale of "culls" on the local potato market as No. 1, until the Association prevailed upon the Federal authorities to inaugurate local inspection.

Russell Seller, referring to the trade-in allowance on washing machines, radios, etc. said that in many cases an offer of \$50 in part payment was offset by the sale of the item at considerably more after it had been re-conditioned.

"This type of advertising boosts sales and we must fall in line with competitors whether we like it or not," he said.

Frank Jelks referred to the manufacturers' price tag on electrical appliances and wondered if the retailer was denied the privilege of putting on his own fair price tag.

Mrs. Lawson said that the manufacturers' price tag was banned five years ago.

Commenting on advertising, E. D. Reid said it would be much better to "keep to the facts." Customers did not want dealers to give things away, but rather conduct their business on a fair basis.

Rotarian Dr. Giddings was delegated by the Club to extend greetings to a number of Rotary clubs in England and Scotland during the visit overseas with the Curriers who fly the Atlantic today. Fulton Pierce and John Simmonds were named as a committee to arrange for Laddie's Night.

Walter Hyndman was chairman during the business portion of the meeting and Ken Parker conducted the panel discussion period. The speakers were thanked by Lockery Mackay, co-chairman.



MR. ROLAND TAYLOR

Leaves Today For Europe

Mr. Roland G. Taylor of Taylor Jewellers Ltd., leaves today for England and the continent. While in England Mr. Taylor will visit the Royal Stafford factory, Stoke-on-Trent where Taylor's pattern of Lady's Slipper bone china is manufactured.

In Germany he will visit the makers of the world famous Rolleicord cameras in Braunschweig also the Carl Zeiss Camera works in Stuttgart. To complete his trip he will visit a number of the watch factories in Switzerland.

Husband Of Local Woman Dies At Sea

Chief Warrant Officer L.F. Blair of the United States Navy, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Hooper, Kent St., died on January 11 aboard an American transport en route from Japan to San Francisco, according to a message received by Mr. Hooper yesterday.

The message which had been radiated from the ship to San Francisco and telegraphed to destination gave no indication of the cause of death.

Crown Witness Heard In Supreme Court Case

The trial of Edward Matthews, charged with two counts of criminal negligence in connection with the death of Joseph Frederick Steele early on the morning of October 21, 1956, got under way in the Supreme Court in Charlottetown yesterday.

The complete evidence of seven Crown witnesses was presented before the presiding judge, Justice Mark R. MacGuigan, and the petit jury, J. P. Nicholson is representing the Crown and J. A. MacDonald Q. C. is appearing for the defendant.

The first Crown witness called was Dr. Frank MacMillan, who pronounced Mr. Steele dead on arrival at the Charlottetown Hospital at approximately 8:40 on the morning of October 21, 1956. In his testimony, Dr. MacMillan stated that he knew the late Mr. Steele and had treated him occasionally previous to his death. At the time the body arrived at the hospital, Dr. MacMillan said that he carried out no examination other than to verify the death. He said that he noticed abrasions on the face and a bruise on the left hand. When questioned by Mr. Nicholson as to the effect of multiple rib fractures and a possible brain concussion on a person, the doctor stated that it was grave.

During cross-examination by Mr. MacDonald, the physician further stated that in view of the age and physical condition of the victim, even with the best of care

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ALPHA Rebekah Lodge No. 10, I.O.O.F. regular meeting tonight 8 p.m. Installation of officers.

DROWNING—Word has been received by Mrs. David Axworthy, Violet Grove, Alberta, of the sudden death by drowning of little Brian Westlake of Oshawa, Ont., on January 3rd. Mrs. Westlake and her little grandson, Brian spent a month this past summer visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Axworthy at their former home in North Milton, P. E. I.

HEAR HARRY Mossfield, distinguished Canadian baritone, Prince of Wales College Series, Thursday, January 17th at 8.30.

THE ANNUAL Business meeting of the Charlottetown Baptist Church will be held Wed. Jan. 16 at 7:30 in the Church auditorium.

STOLEN TRUCK FOUND—The Charlottetown Detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police reported to the City Police late last night that they had located a half ton truck which was stolen from Dew Motors over the weekend. The missing truck was found on Palmer's Lane in a city suburb. Its condition at the time of finding as compared with that when it was taken was not known.

FUNERAL SERVICE—The funeral of the late Stewart Henry was held from the MacLean Funeral Home yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. G. Howard Christie and Rev. Bryer Jones. Interment was in Cross Roads Cemetery. Members of the A.F. and A.M. attended in a body. Masonic funeral service was conducted by Dr. W.R. Carson. The pall bearers were Messrs. Ernest Burke, J.L. Curran, Hope Mutch, Harold MacKie, Stanley Thompson, William Katzer.

BIRTHS

PETERS—At Toronto, Ontario on Jan. 3rd, 1957, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peters (nee Delma Matheson a son, Clarence Dale, 6 lbs 7 oz.

DE ROCHE—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Friday, Jan. 11th, 1957, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace DeRoche (nee Isabel Taylor a son, Garth Randall 6 lbs. 11 oz.

HOBBS—At Toronto General Hospital on January 11th, 1957 to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hobbs (nee Catherine MacCallum, Toronto) a son.

BELL—At the Charlottetown Hospital on Jan. 13, 1957 to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bell, (nee Nelda Herrell) a daughter Kathy Ann.

PHILLIPS—At the Western Hospital, Alberton, Friday January 11, 1957, to Dr. and Mrs. O.H. Phillips, Alberton, a son, Robert Mark, 8 lbs. 8 ozs.

ANDREWS—At the P.E.I. Hospital on Jan. 12, 1957, to Mr. and Mrs. David A. Andrews (nee Dulcinea Morrison, Brookfield a daughter, Elizabeth Charlene, Weight 8 lbs 7 oz.

CARD PARTY WINNERS—Winners at the Spring Park card party were: ladies' first, Mrs. Lyman Dunsford; second, Mrs. Victor Egan; consolation, Bernice Cudmore; Men's first Bill Dunsford; second, A. Arsenault and Adolph Gallant; consolation Stan McCabe. Freeze-out Mrs. Victor Egan and Joe O'Hanley.

FUNERAL HELD—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elsie May Dawson, of North Tryon and Charlottetown, was held on Wednesday, Jan. 9th, from the home of her son, Alex Dawson, North Tryon, to the North Tryon Presbyterian Church. Services at the home and church were conducted by Rev. J.H. Bishop. Interment was in the Church cemetery. Pall bearers were Erle Tompson, Max Lefurgey, Arthur Dawson, Roy Dawson, Frank Dawson and Russell Thompson.

Captain Carter At Trinity Mens Group

Captain John Carter of the Salvation Army the guest speaker at the regular dinner meeting of The Men of Trinity held last night, George Ayres presided.

The dinner was under the direction of the Ashford and Belvedere Groups of the Senior W.A. Mr. Earl Taylor expressed the thanks of the men to the ladies for their bountiful meal. The meeting opened with Grace by N.W. Lowther. A devotional period was led by Sydney Green and George Greenough. Rev. A. Frank MacLean closed the meeting with the benediction.

A short but inspiring hymn sing was led by Fulton Pierce with Capt. Carter at the piano.

Captain Carter took as his subject the question asked by God of Adam: "Where Art Thou?" The speaker said it was necessary in daily living to make a check-up. This, he said was true in a financial sense and in a matter of health but also said it was important from a spiritual angle.

He reminded his audience that they should take Jesus as their objective and set their course accordingly. He recalled that Adam when he was asked the question: "Where Art Thou?" he began to make excuses and put the blame on his wife. "This is perhaps one of the greatest temptations that we all have, that of passing the buck," said Captain Carter.

The speaker was thanked by Fulton Robertson who said it was always a pleasure to have a Salvation Army Officer speak to the men.

Administration Of Municipal Affairs Discussed By Mayor

The administration of Municipal Affairs, with particular reference to the Government of this City, was the theme of a very instructive address delivered by His Worship Lt. - Col. J.D. Stewart, D.S.O., Mayor of Charlottetown, to the ladies of the Business and Professional Women's Club, at their regular supper meeting held last evening in the main lounge of the Charlottetown Hotel.

Mayor Stewart was introduced by Mrs. Margaret Holmes, and thanked by Miss Ethel Taylor, Miss Bessie Frowse, President of the organization occupied the chair.

His Worship's speech covered many phases of civic affairs including financial voter's qualifications; sources of revenue; tax structure; and the manner in which the budget of civic expenditure is prepared.

Referring to the present indebtedness of the municipality, the Mayor stated that the per capita debt now stood at \$231.00. "This is comparable with other cities. In some the debt is larger, in others the debt is smaller."

Revenue for the city is derived from seven different "advanced demands," the Mayor explained. These seven sources of revenue are: taxation of real property-land and buildings; business tax or personal property levy on stock or merchandise; furniture, or automobile equipment; educational tax from grants; licenses; a net sewer and Water Supply; and fines collected in the city police court.

With the revenue made available to any Council," His Worship said, "naturally and would assume that the Council has full control over the spending of it, but such is not the case... Certain amounts of revenue are earmarked, over which there is no control. These are called fixed expenditures... which must be paid or else your city would default."

This means that, no matter who



MAYOR STEWART

your councillors are, previous Councils have made obligations, and they must be looked after. Fixed charges today amount to 84 cents out of every tax dollar. This means that 16 cents on the dollar, or 16 per cent of the total revenue, is all that is left - which has not already been spent in advance.

So far, I have spoken to you on the Act of Incorporation relating to women voters, and on revenue and expenditures, and while I have pointed out the very small portion of our disposal to carry on, nevertheless think that things look bright for the future, and I for one, take the optimistic view. I feel that there will be a different allocation of responsibilities among the three levels of government, and that a higher percentage of the Canadian tax dollar will be allotted the Municipality, than at the present time.

"Through the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities of which organization Charlottetown has been one of the first and sustaining members, large benefits have been derived. Through their efforts, we are able to tax Federal property within our limits.

Their property until a few years ago was exempt. As a result of our Federal meeting with the Dominion Cabinet, I believe that we are now able to tax them in their entirety. This would mean to this Municipality approximately seventy thousand dollars a year. We are pressing hard also for increases from our Provincial Government and hoping that we will receive favorable results from our demands."

and assisted the driver of the car in taking the victim to the side of the car opposite to the driver's. Arsenault opened the front door of the car and the victim, legs dragging and appearing helpless but conscious, was laid on the front seat of the vehicle.

Arsenault said that he knew neither the pedestrian nor the driver of the car and could not describe them very well. It was dark at the time and the lights were on. He noticed the driver pick up a red reflector and headlight rim at the front of the car. The car was black in color with a rounded or sloped back.

He returned to his car, thinking that the driver would take the victim to his home or to the hospital. The pedestrian proceeded towards the waterfront. Arsenault and his girl friend later went to the Capitol Theatre in time for the early show, at 7 o'clock.

In cross-examination, Arsenault stated he would not consider the car to be speeding at the time of the accident. He also said that he noticed a mark of some kind above the victim's right eye.

PERFORMED POST MORTEM

The third witness called was Dr. Neil Boyd, assistant provincial pathologist, who performed post mortem examinations on the late Mr. Steele on the evening of October 25, at which time the body had been prepared for burial. Examinations revealed residual signs of bruising to the left side of the face, the left eye and the center of the chest. Internally, the scalp tissues were injured and the ribs of the right side of the body were the site of multiple fractures. These were the only signs found indicating external forces of violence.

The brain showed no signs of bruising or haemorrhage and no apparent injury to the internal organs was caused by the superficial fractures. Dr. Boyd said that the body showed marked signs of age both externally and internally and that chances of survival, especially when these injuries were coupled with exposure and untreated shock, were very low and almost nil.

FOUND IN RY. YARD

Harry MacLeod, a machinist with the Canadian National Railway, testified that he, accompanied by three fellow workers found the late Mr. Steele between two railway cars in the railway yard at approximately 7:40 on the morning of October 21. Steele was alive at that time and reportedly breathing almost normally. The City Police were notified and the Constables Hillier and Archer investigated and had the victim removed by ambulance to the Hospital.

Neither Mr. MacLeod nor any of his fellow workers knew Mr. Steele.

Mrs. Hilda Marshall, a Charlottetown house-worker, testified that she has been a personal friend of the accused for the past three years and that on the day of October 20 he had been at her house all afternoon. He had supper with Mrs. Marshall after which he left for his home at the C.A.A. Grounds to pay his board. This was between 5:30 and 6 o'clock.

About five minutes after he left for home, he was back in a car, blowing the horn in front of Mrs. Marshall's house. She asked him to stop blowing the horn and he left a second time. At 7:30 he returned to the Marshall house, came in the back door and lay on a bed, crying. When questioned as to his troubles by Mrs. Marshall, he said

PERSONALS

The many Island friends of Miss Doreen Hughes, 509 Milverton Blvd., Toronto, will be sorry to learn that she is a patient in the Toronto General Hospital and recently underwent surgery. All wish her a speedy recovery.

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DEATHS

LAMONT—Suddenly at Churchhill on Monday Jan. 14, 1957, J. Gordon Lamont in his 42 year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home. Funeral from Churchhill

GORDON—At 22 Longworth Avenue Monday Jan. 14, 1957, J.P. Gordon in his 84th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home. Funeral from the Baptist Church tomorrow Wednesday service commencing at 2 o'clock Interment Peoples Cemetery.

BURROWS—At Wilmot Valley, Monday, Jan. 14, 1957, Mrs. Bessie Burrows in her 79th year. Remains were forwarded from Davison's Funeral Home to her late residence Monday evening where funeral service will be held on Wednesday at 2 p.m.

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MARRIAGES

BRUCE—HERMANS—At Malden, Mass., on January 12, 1957, Ellen (Nellie) Hermans to Lawrence Bruce, formerly of Charlottetown.

Sudden Death Of Mr. L. W. Robertson

The death of Leith W. Robertson, occurred suddenly Monday morning at the Marine Department office on the Marine Wharf. For the past twenty-two years was employed by the Department in the capacity of storekeeper.

Mr. Robertson was taken ill shortly after arriving for work, and died before medical help could arrive. He was pronounced dead by Dr. L.H. Killorn, the first of several physicians on the scene.

One of the original Island volunteers in World War I, Mr. Robertson joined an Artillery unit August 4th 1914. During the early days of the War he was stationed in Sydney, N.S. On the formation of the 105th he transferred to that unit, with which he proceeded overseas. He went to France with the 26th Battalion He was wounded severely in the Battle of Passchendaele.

He is survived by his wife, the former Bernice Carter; one sister, Louise, Mrs. Arthur J. Driscoll, of Boston, Mass.; two brothers, Frank and Fred, predeceased him. He was a son of the late Dr. H.W. Robertson of Craupaud.

His funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon from the MacLean Funeral Home, service commencing at 3.00 p.m. Interment will be in the People's Cemetery.

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	Min.	Max.
	(Night)	(Day)
Dawson	—	23b
Vancouver	19	32
Victoria	31	35
Edmonton	4	6
Calgary	15	7
Regina	13b	3
Winnipeg	13b	3
Toronto	2b	10
Ottawa	27b	4b
Montreal	18b	4b
Quebec	28b	7b
Fredericton	28b	7b
Saint John	21b	4b
Moncton	25b	14b
Halifax	7b	7
Charlottetown	17b	—
Sydney	—	10
Yarmouth	—	13
St. John's	—	36

HALIFAX (CP)—The weather office says with the exception of snowflurries in Nova Scotia, the weather will be mainly fine today. A high pressure area centred over Southern Quebec will move across the Maritimes and temperatures will continue extremely cold. The southerly flow after the passage of the high will bring somewhat milder temperatures Wednesday.

Forecast:

Northern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Eastern N. B. counties, lower St. John River Valley: Clear with a few cloudy intervals and widely scattered snowflurries; extremely cold; northwest winds 15 shifting to southeast 15 in the evening. Low light at New Glasgow 12 below and zero, Charlottetown 15 below and 5 below, Moncton 25 below and 5 below, Fredericton 25 below and 5 below, Saint John 25 below and 5 below.

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