MAYOR STARTS "MILE OF MONEY"

Mayor Edwin C. Johnstone got proceedings underway yesterday afternoon as members of the Theta Rho Hi-Y sponsored a "Mile of Money" project with the proceeds to go forwarded to CARE. The mayor is placing a silver dollar as the initial contribution to the drive as a group of Hi-Y members look on.

Mayors of Ch'town, S'side Offer Sympathy And Aid

Mayor Edwin C. Johnstone of Charlottetown and Mayor W.A. Currie of Summerside wasted no time in offering aid and sympathy of the people of the Island's two largest centres to the people of disaster-torn Springhill.

In a telegram Mayor Johnstone said:

'On behalf of all our citizens I wish to express our regrets on last night's mine disaster and join in the hope that entombed men will be found alive and well. Red Cross disaster team from here, including Councillor H.E. Hyndman, is now with you If we can help in any possible way will feel privileged to hear from you."

Mayor Currie wired:

"The people of Summerside are shocked at the magnitude of last night's disaster as loss of life in Colliery Number 2 increases with each report. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved families and entire citizenry of Springhill.

"We pray that more of the entombed men may yet be brought out alive. Can we be of help in any manner."

TIMELY NOTES ON FUR FARMING

An Action Committee has been set up by the fur industry of Montreal in a renewed effort to stamp out unethical retail advertising. Representing the entire industry, from auction houses through skin dealers, processers and manufacturers, retailers and labor unions, the committee will be called "Committee on Action of the Fur Division of the Better Business Bureau."

Under provisionary chairmanship of Arthur C. Prentice of Canadian Fur Auction Sales Company (Quebec, Ltd.), its main purpose will be to end irresponsible practices in advertising, and to develop a code of ethics to which all retailers are to adhere on a voluntary basis.

This committee will have the strong support of the fur acution houses, the Fur Manufacturers Guild, the skin dealers, and leading retailers.

SALUTE THE FOX

Fromm Brothers continue their large and very expensive advertising of silver fox in "Womer's Wear Daily", and the attractive appearance of a young lady decorated with a double skin boa lends to the ad.

On another page of the same issue, Gruskin and Feldman, Inc., have a half-page ad headed: "Salute to first in fox fashion — Norweigian blue fox. We invite you to our glamorous new designs in our showrooms."

In another issue of the same paper, Fromm has a half-page ad, and we quote:"Silver fox is stirring up a world of fashion excitement. Fromm 'bright-with-silver fox is bewitchingly beautiful, radiantly flattering to every woman in new design concepts by Reynard."'

And here is some news from Hudson's Bay Company auction, held in London on October 14. "Standard mink was 70 percent sold and brought prices unchanged from July levels here today. Pastel was firm, silver blue and sapphire slightly easier. Top prices of interest at H.B.S. sales were: Standard mink males, dark, —120 shillings; extra dark and dark —126 shillings; extra-extra dark and extra dark —140. Mutation mink males, pastels —178; silver blue —162; breath of spring, silber blue 28 104; sapphire —158; palomino — 125. Females , sapphire —84; females, palomino —78; top prices for white fox at Annings sale was 140 shillings.

BOOMING

Fur sales were booming at Dever, Colorado, last week. Jones Brothers began their 50th Anniversary sale on October 1st, and several other firms advertised special fur sales the same week. Mink dominated all the sales, selling to as high as 80 percent in most stores.

Small wraps are most in demand, followed by jackets and some coats, Pastel, remained the most popular color. Jonas Furs, Inc., featured mink stoles from $495, jackets from $875, coats from $2,995. The Denver Dry Goods store began its mink stoles at $199. Neustetters sold jackets from $688 and let-out mink stoles from $488.

SMUGGLED

A despatch from Johnannesburg, South Africa, states that South Africa's million-pound- a-year fur industry is in the doldrums, and the reason is that more than $700,000 worth of furs is being "smuggled" in the Union annually.

The claim is that people go overseas and bring back mink, sable and other expensive fur coats, and they don't have to pay a cent of duty on the garment if they tell the customs it is for their own use. The position is serious, and local furriers have dractically reduced their fur staffs — in many cases by half.

At the Seattle Fur Exchange Sale, held at Seattle, Washington, on October 16, autumn haze was the best seller in mink. Males brought from $25 to $38, and females $12 to $17. Desert Golds sold at $22 to $33; ceruleans (males) at $25 to $48 and females $13 ro $17.

SPEARHEAD APPEAL

These are some of the men who are leading in the Protestant Family Service Bureau's appeal for funds which begin Monday, October 27th.

The objective is $12,000, which is required to continue and maintain the Bureau's service of "helping those in need to help themselves."

Included in the group is Field Secretary Walter Baker, who is doing admirable work in assisting, counselling and rehabilitating hundreds of local families with pressing social problems.

FRONT ROW A.B. Bagnall; A. J. Haslam, co-chairman special names; A.S. Tait chairman; N. W. Lowther, co-chairman special names; E.A. Cudmore.

BACK V.S. Ling, S.T. Green, W.O. Baker, executive director F.R. Gosbee, F.A. Large, Q.C. P.G. Gay. Not included in the picture are Bill Robinson, George Greenough and J.C. Montgomery.

Chrysler Has 9-Month Loss

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp. Thursday reported a loss of $45,200,000 for the first nine months of 1958.

Despite the loss, the corporation declared a dividend of 25 cents a share on common stock payable Dec. 12 to stockholders of record Nov. 20. The dividend was the same as for the second quarter of this year.

The nine-month loss is equal to $5.18 a share. The loss for the third quarter was $20,000,000.

Eight Provinces Join In Telephone Rates Appeal

OTTAWA (CP) — Eight provincial governments Wednesday appealed to the cabinet against a new $17,000,000-a-year telephone rate increase for Ontario and Quebec.

The Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities announced Wednesday it also is appealing the increase—which would average about five per cent—but it has not yet petitioned the cabinet.

The appealing provinces are all those except Ontario and Quebec, the two directly affected.

The eight fought the case because of a tax angle involved in the application, which they felt could have an effect on future decisions by the board of transport commissioners involving freight rates.

BOARD'S JURISDICTION

The board has jurisdiction over Bell Telphone Company's rates within Ontario and Quebec, as well as over rail freight rates. Earlier this month, it granted Bell the increase, effective Nov. 1.

There was no immediate indication as to whether the cabinet would act swiftly on the appeal, which it would have to do in order to prevent it going into effect Nov. 1.

Prime Minister Diefenbaker is leaving the capital Tuesday—four days before the effective date of the authorized increase—on a world tour. It would be problematical whether the remainder of the cabinet would take abrupt action on an issue of this importance in his absence.

The last previous rate increase authorized by the transport board for Bell in Ontario and Quebec—one averaging around seven per cent—was thrown out by the cabinet April 29 because the ministers did not like the income tax setup on which the application was based, and which was approved by the transport board.

NEW APPROACH

This time, Bell tried a new taxation approach, coupling it with an expenditure of an additional $2,000,000 a year in labor costs which it said should be covered by a rate increase. The board approved it.

In the current case, the claim of the provinces and of the opposing municipalities was that Bell's proposed new tax setup fails to take full legal advantage of tax regulations which could save the company millions a year that could be passed on in savings to phone users.

Instead, the appealing groups claim money is being paid unnecessarily to the federal government as a hedge against possible tax liabilities in the future.

Wanderer Found Haven Here, To Be Deported

OTTAWA (CP) — A slight, swarthy laborer who found a haven in Canada for 18½ months after more than a year of lonely exile on the high seas is to be deported.

Immigration Minister Fairclough announced Wednesday that 24-year - old Christian George Hanna will be deported Saturday to Lebanon because he failed to demonstrate that he wanted to become a good Canadian.

The stateless Hanna stowed away on a ship at Beirut, Lebanon, and arrived in Canada after spending 15 months at sea. Lebanon has agreed—orally—to accept him.

Hanna, granted permission to enter Canada although inadmissible under immigration regulations, has been the centre of a storm of controversy since his unscheduled arrival in Canada in December, 1956.

LOTS OF SUPPORT

His bid to enter Canada was supported by thousands of Canadians after they heard his story of world wandering.

His case was debated before boards of immigration, the British Columbia courts and in the House of Commons. In the end he was allowed to stay in Canada and prove that he wanted to work and live in this country.

But Hanna, who arrived at Port Alberni, B.C., as a stowaway aboard the Norwegian freighter Gudveig, did not satisfy immigration authorities that he should be allowed to remain in this country.

Since he was granted permission in March, 1957, to remain, he has had several brushes with the law.

FAIRCLOUGH STATEMENT

Mrs. Fairclough said:

"Although inadmissible within a strict interpretation of the immigration regulations, Mr. Hanna has been shown every consideration by the federal government and by a number of persons in becoming established in Canada. As he has been clearly unable to da so his deportation has been ordered.

Hanna was judged inadmissible because he had no passport, no identification and no nationality or known place of birth. He told Canadian authorities that he was born at sea of a French Somali mother, who died when he was 6, and a Liberian father whom he had never seen.

FINDS HE'S IN 'UPPER CRUST'

VANCOUVER (CP) — Bakery delivery man Donald M. Clark is wondering if it is his job that has put him in Canada's upper crust.

He received a letter Tuesday telling him he is listed in the Social Register of Canada.

Clark's route is in the Shaughnessy Heights district, which includes the homes of the city's most prominent citizens.

But Mr. Clark thinks it must be a mistake. He said: "There was a Brig. Donald M. Clark in the Canadian Army. Maybe they got us confused."

Brig. Clark, a Vancouver barrister and police commission member, declined to say whether he had received a similar letter.

FINAL CONCERT

LONDON (Reuters) — Soprano Louis Marshall of Toronto gave her final concert in the Soviet Union Thursday night in the Great Hall of the Moscow Conservatory, the Soviet news agency Tass reported. She was enthusiastically encored.

Ontario Apple Crop Is Heavy

TORONTO (CP) — Arthur Oughtred of Clarkson, Ont., chairman of the Ontario Apple Growers' Association, says this year's apple crop is one of the biggest in the province's history.

He said Thursday more than 5,000,00 bushels will be picked in Ontario and the total crop for Canada will total about 15,000,000.

The huge crop has meant low prices for the growers, who are getting as low as 75 cents a bushel for McIntosh reds. Snow apples are selling "at any price the grower can get," Mr. Oughtred said.

Budapest Quiet On Anniversary

BUDAPEST (Reuters) — Budapest was a quiet city under cold and clear skies Thursday—the anniversary of the start of the Hungarian revolt which rocked the world two years ago.

There was no special show of force on the streets although—as normal — the city was strongly policed. The Hungarian press and Communist leaders avoided any direct reference to the occasion and the general atmosphere in this city of nearly 2,000,000 persons seemed to be "business as usual."

Last year, citizens were warned that any show of defiance would be immediately stamped out."

Two years ago Thursday, a large crowd signalled the start of the bloody revolt by tearing down a huge statue of Stalin in the centre of the city. But the freedom fighters and Premier Imre Nagy's government were crushed two weeks later by Russian tanks and troops.

DEEP WATER

Parts of the Saguenay River, one of the largest tributaries of the St. Lawrence, are more than 1,000 feet deep.

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Dry Cleaners NOTEBOOK

As I walked down the street the other day, I heard two ladies talking about dresses they had bought . . . One said, "You know it really was a bargain!" Every time I hear that word "bargain" I wonder what people really mean by it. One thing I can tell you, though, is that the first time you bring it in for cleaning, you'll find out whether you got your money's worth or whether you were taken in.

When you buy a new dress . . . or any garment, you should be sure that it is either washable or dry cleanable. Either way, it should be dye fast . . . it shou'd be pre-shrunk . . . and it should be heat resistant. The label should tell you . . . and if you have any doubt call us, we'll tell you .

Of course, if you are content to just let things get dirty . . . or throw them away when they do . . . it doesn't really matter. But when you think that dress is a bargain . . . and want to keep it looking just right . . . then better safe than sorry.

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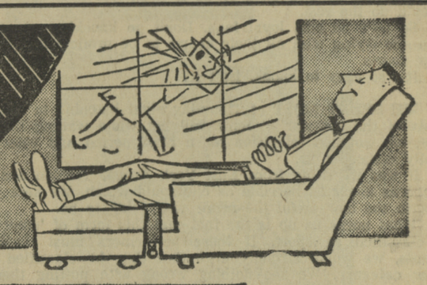

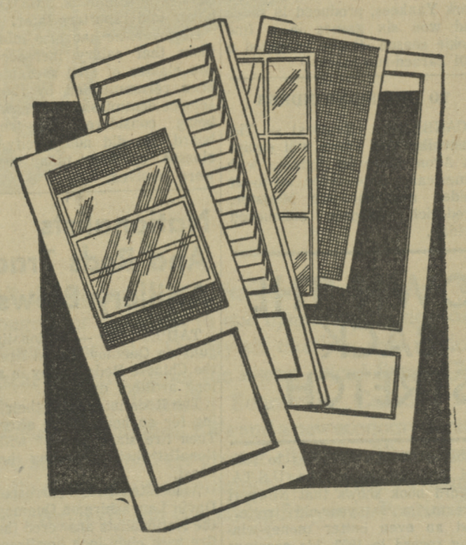

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