

Two Communities In Arctic To Be Moved

OTTAWA, (CP)—Canada's biggest Arctic settlement may sink through melting ice and mud, so a moving lock, stock and barrel is being made for Aklavik, the Arctic Circle trading post of Coppermine on the shores of the Arctic ocean is being shifted.

The government announced the move Monday, without announcing the new sites or the cost to the treasury.

The announcement said that Aklavik might sink through melting permafrost and become engulfed by the Mackenzie river. The settlement, on the delta of the Mackenzie river 70 miles south of the Arctic ocean, was seriously flooded in 1938.

Both communities also must be moved to eliminate the danger of epidemic due to unsatisfactory sanitation and to permit them to expand. Better water supply and sewage disposal facilities were an immediate necessity.

For most of the year, Aklavik, settled in 1912, has about 400 inhabitants, the bulk of them Indians and Eskimos. The population almost doubles in July and August when natives from the surrounding area visit the community to trade. Coppermine, established in 1925, has a population of 12 whites and some 200 Eskimos living in the community and in native settlements within a few miles.

Peakes And Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacDonald, visited Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon, Forest Hill on November 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curran and family, were recent visitors to Tignish.

Rev. Father Pineau was a visitor to St. Teresa on the week-end of November 21.

Messrs. Gerald Clarkin and James O'Brien, were recent visitors to N. S.

Mr. Earl MacDonald visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kelly, Partagustus, November 29.

Messrs. Adrian Bradley and Joseph Kelly visited Montague, November 30.

Miss Eleanor McInnis, Elliotville has accepted the position in Devine's general store as clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. William Connelly, Charlottetown, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Trainor, St. Patrick's Road, on Nov. 22.

Mrs. Whalen, Bear River, spent the week-end of Nov. 21, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mooney.

Mr. Allan MacDonald returned to his home from Baffin Island, Nov. 19, where he has been employed for the last six months.

Mr. Joseph Mooney returned to his home recently from Newfoundland, where he has spent the summer months.

The annual meeting of St. Patrick's Road Women's Institute was held recently at the home of Mrs. Leth Stewart.

Mr. Cecil McInnis, left for Roxbury, Mass., November 26, where he plans to spend a short vacation with his aunts.

Pte. James Bradley returned from Germany to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bradley, St. Teresa, Nov. 25.

Miss Ida McKay, R. N., conducted the first of the nine meetings in first aid in Peakes School, November 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Power, Avondale, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Donnelly, St. Patrick's Road, November 29.

The many friends of Mr. Urban Bradley, are pleased to see him around again after being a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital.

Miss Ida McKay, R. N., Mount Stewart, visited Byrne's Road school, November 30, for public health inspection.

She was accompanied by Miss Viola Gillis of Charlottetown.

Friends of Mrs. Thomas Dunphy regret to learn that she is a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital. All join in wishing her an early return to good health.

Rev. Father Simpson from St. Dunstan's College visited St. Teresa on the week-end of November 29, due to the absence of Rev. Father Croken who is a patient in The

Forecasts Montreal, Boston Superhighway

PUTNEY, Vt. (AP)—A Boston to Montreal superhighway is not only necessary but it is inevitable, Senator George Aiken (Rep., Vt.) said Wednesday.

He suggested Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont and Quebec Province officials get together as soon as possible to confer on laying out a toll road between the two cities.

The principal benefit of the superhighway, he said, would be permanent development of the area for industrial, farming and residential purposes.

Aiken estimated the road would serve 2,000,000 persons in the Montreal area and about 5,000,000 in Greater Boston. It is approximately 300 miles from Boston to Montreal.

Cabinet Decision

Decision to move the communities was taken by the cabinet after recommendations by the Health and Resources Departments and the National Research Council.

Aklavik, an Eskimo word meaning place of the black bear, is 170 miles inside the Arctic Circle, 3,500 miles northwest of Edmonton, and is the centre for fur trading, administration and missionary activities for the Mackenzie delta area. Coppermine is 500 miles southeast of Aklavik.

The decision to move the communities was announced by R. Gordon Robertson, 36, commissioner of the Northwest Territories.

Aklavik's present site, surrounded by swampy ground and small lakes, also prevents construction of an air strip. As a result Aklavik now is virtually cut off from the outside world during break-up and freeze-up, a period of three months

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visited at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James MacDonald Charlottetown, November 24.

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Mr. Ernest Grant, returned to his home on St. Patrick's Road, recently having been employed on the Abegweit for the past six months.

Mrs. Jane Grant, accompanied by her daughter, Lucille left for Boston, Mass., November 22, where they plan to spend the winter months.

Mr. George Anstie returned to Montague, November 23, after having spent a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. James McCullough, Byrne's Road.

Mrs. Urban Bradley St. Teresa

DAILY CROSSWORD

1. Dressed	17. Greek letter
2. Cicatrix	18. Strip
3. Capital (It.)	19. Black, viscous substance
4. A bulging jar (Sp.)	20. An annual book
5. Cavities in teeth	21. A sheep-like antelope
6. Gifts for the poor	22. Yellowish-red dyestuff
7. Freely	23. Enemy
8. Tavern	24. Blue grass
9. Member of Parliament (abbr.)	25. Location
10. God of pleasure (Egypt.)	26. Sign of the infinitive
11. Swagger	27. City (It.)
12. Wild ox (Tibet)	28. 33-River (Fr.)
13. Female horse	29. Permit
14. More secure	30. S-shaped molding
15. Analyze grammatically	31. Extinct bird (N. Z.)
16. Celebes ox	32. Sum up (abbr.)
17. Male descendant	33. Manuscript (abbr.)
18. Inactivity	
19. Wire measure	
20. Georgia (abbr.)	
21. Larva of the botfly	
22. River (Fr.)	
23. Steam (combining form)	
24. Young eagle	
25. Empty (Scot.)	
26. Costly	
27. Trees	
28. Sand dune (Eng.)	

Answers

- 1. Dress
- 2. Scar
- 3. Cap
- 4. Jar
- 5. Cavity
- 6. Gift
- 7. Free
- 8. Tavern
- 9. Member of Parliament (abbr.)
- 10. God of pleasure (Egypt.)
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DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:
 A X Y D L E A X R
 is L O N G F E L L O W

One letter simply stands for another. In this example, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation
 O R B O J P H H J F J V W R F F M J D
 F O P W R F L O R S W M D R - K P W E M T.

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