Mixed Marriage Dangers Attributed To Ping Pong

By ROD CURRIE

BELFAST (CP)—A Presbyterian minister, decrying the danger of mixed marriages, blames in part the practice of Roman Catholic and Protestant teen-agers playing ping-pong together in church halls.

Another minister criticizes Prime Minister Capt. Terence O'Neill for visiting a Catholic school, says the Unionist leader "isn't even an Orangeman" and declares "it's time the Orange people called for his resignation."

In a local election, the main issue is whether a candidate did or did not agree with the lord mayor of Belfast in flying the city hall flag at half staff in mourning for the death of Pope John.

And on the front pages recently, the big story concerned controversy over an article in the Irish Times of Dublin quoting Patrick Gormley, Nationalist MP in the Northern Ireland Parliament, as saying he was "not unduly troubled" about standing for the British national anthem or drinking the royal toast.

Eddie McAteer, who since then won the leadership of the opposition party that still strives for a reunited Ireland independent of the United Kingdom, said Gormley's views were "strictly his own."

"I trust they are not shared by many others describing themselves as Nationalists—I cannot understand why we must surrender any ground."

ENDLESS SNIPING

And so it goes, the seemingly endless sniping and back-biting from both sides that help fill the newspapers and make the letters - to - the - editor columns lively and contentious, almost daily airing charges of bigotry and real or imagined insults.

"We never tire of the old arguments," says a veteran Belfast correspondent for a Dublin newspaper who, however, gives the impression that he personally is well and truly tired of the old arguments.

Still the bloodless bickering is a far cry from the painful old wars that set Unionist against Nationalist, Protestant against Catholic, the Orange against the Green. Memories of the fighting and persecution that led eventually to creation of the Republic of Ireland die hard in a land divided or, as the republicans say, "partitioned"—the 26 counties of the republic with a population of 2,818,341, about 90 per cent Catholic, and the six Ulster counties with 1,425,462 people, more than 65 per cent Protestant.

Nevertheless, there is a movement towards a happier coexistence abroad in the land, with politicians now less sensitive to the feelings of old-fashioned extremists on both sides, diminishing groups whose influence is gradually being diluted by a more modern-minded younger generation eager to get on with the job.

TALK OF COMMON MARKET

In this their greatest ally is the economic expediency seen in wider co-operation, a theory that already is drawing together in consultations such bodies as the Chambers of Commerce in both countries. There even is rather tentative talk of a sort of "Irish common market" with mutual cuts in tariff barriers, but so far each side has hinted that the initiative should come from the other.

In recent years business back and forth over the border has been increasing, helped recently by a cut in the republic's tariff on Irish linen, 90 per cent of which is produced in the north.

And of course there already is a wide basis of agreement within institutions established before "the troubles" of the early 1920s—the banking system, churches, sports, many professional bodies and trade unions. There remain, however, many sewer fields in which the two could profitably co-operate, such as the fishing industry, the tourist trade and electrification.

To the outsider, there is much here that seems rather inconsistent. For instance, all so-called "voluntary" schools, including those run by the Catholic church, receive government assistance of 100-per-cent recoupment of teachers' salaries and 65 per cent of approved building and running costs.

And many seemingly minor events take on a sort of larger-than - life aspect against the background of Irish political affairs. Recently Premier Sean Lemass of the republic adopted the use of Ulster's official title —Northern Ireland.

This is a departure from the habit of his predecessor, who insisted on the offensive "six counties."

ON THE AIR

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

CFCY TV

3.30 p.m.—Musical's
3.58 p.m.—Sign On
4.00 p.m.—Mlle. de Paris
4.31 p.m.—Vacation Time
5.30 p.m.—Forest Rangers
6.00 p.m.—Nation's Business
6.15—Live Longer
6.31 p.m.—Gazette
7.01 p.m.—CFCY TV News
7.15 p.m.—Going My Way
8.15 p.m.—Pride of the Family
8.45 p.m.—TBA
9.00 p.m.—Camera West.
9.30 p.m.—Perry Mason
10.30 p.m.—Suspense Theatre
11.30 p.m.—Newsmagazine
12.00 p.m.—CBC TV News
12.18 a.m.—Local Weather
12.14 a.m.—Sign Off

CKCW TV

5.45 p.m.—Station Sign On
News, Weather, Sports
Cartoons
4.00 p.m.—Mlle. de Paris
4.30 p.m.—Vacation Time
5.30 p.m.—Forest Rangers
6.00 p.m.—Nation's Business
6.15 p.m.—Emmett Kelly
6.30 p.m.—Television News
6.45 p.m.—Weather
6.50 p.m.—Sports
7.00 p.m.—Lionel Playhouse
8.30 p.m.—Three's Music
9.00 p.m.—Camera West
9.30 p.m.—Perry Mason
10.30 p.m.—Suspense Theatre
11.30 p.m.—News Magazine
12.00 p.m.—CBC-TV News
12.15 a.m.—Viewpoint
12.20 a.m.—Lionel Network News
12.25 a.m.—Sign Off

CFCY

WEDNESDAY

6.28—Sign On
6.30—News and Weather
6.35—Country & Western Roundup
6.55—News and Weather
7.00—Hebrew Christian Hour
7.15—Country & Western Roundup
7.30—News and Weather
7.35—Farm Report
7.41—Country & Western Roundup
8.00—News
8.11—Weather
8.16—Country & Western Roundup
8.45—Weather
8.50—Atlantic News Roundup
8.57—Thought For Today
9.00—News & Voice Reports CBC
9.10—Preview Commentary CBC
9.15—Notes and Music
9.27—Matinee Musical Charades
9.30—Notes and Music
9.35—Notes and Music
9.55—What's The Song
10.00—News and Weather
10.05—Notes and Music
10.00—News and Weather
11.05—Notes and Music
11.27—Matinee Musical Charades
11.30—Notes and Music
11.45—Bulletin Board
11.50—Notes and Music
11.55—Atlantic News Roundup
12.00—Weather
12.05—Towns and Country Time
12.30—News and Weather
12.15—Don Messer CBC
12.30—News and Weather
12.43—P.E.I. Road Report
12.45—Town and Country
1.00—News Headlines & Weather
1.02—Town and Country Time
1.15—Tommy Hunter-CBC
1.45—Town and Country Time
2.00—News and Weather
2.05—Tops In Country and Pops
2.27—Matinee Musical Charades
2.30—Tops In Country and Pops
3.00—News Headlines & Weather
3.05—Trans-Canada Matinee CBC
3.30—Tops In Country and Pops
4.00—News Headlines and Weather
4.03—Canada Roundup CBC
4.10—Tops In Country and Pops
4.30—The Outports
5.00—News and Weather
5.05—Matinee Musical Charades
5.28—The Outports
5.25 20—Marine Weather
5.28—The Outports
6.00—News and Weather
6.15—On Parliament Hill CBC
6.20—Sports Parade
6.30—Tonight's Music
7.00—Back to the Bible
7.30—News and Weather
7.45—Program Schedule
7.46—Tonight's Music
8.58—Headlines and Weather
9.00—University of The Air-CBC
9.30—Winnipeg Pops Orchestra
10.00—CBC —National News, CBC
10.30—Music Canada CBC
11.00—News and Reg. Weather
11.05—Starlight Serenade
11.30—New and Maritime Weather
11.35—Starlight Serenade
12.00—News, Regional Weather and Sports Scores
12.05—Sign off

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WEDNESDAY

6.00—The Gerry Fogarty Show, (Part 1
8.00—News and Inland Weather
8.15—Maritime Sportscast
8.21—The Gerry Fogarty Show Part 2
8.25—The Bob Goulet Show
8.35—Max Ferguson
9.00—CBC News & Direct Reports
9.10—Preview Commentary
9.16—A.M. Chronicle
9.15—Hawaiian Holidays
10.30—Music Diary
11.00—CBC News
11.05—Joan Marshall
11.10—Epsom Derby
11.40—Musical Pgm.
11.45—Music on the Heather
12.00—Jamboree Junction
12.15—The Music of Don Messer
12.30—Maritime Farm B'Cast
1.00—CBC News and Weather
1.15—Tommy Hunter Show
1.45—The Open Road Show
1.59—D.O. Time Signal
2.00—The Open Road Show
2.45—John Dranine talks a story
3.00—CBC News
3.03—Trans-Canada Matinee
4.00—CBC News
4.03—Cdn. Roundup
4.10—Music in the Air
4.30—Tempo
5.00—Mar. Fish B'Cast
5.20—Tempo
5.30—CBC Notebook
6.00 CBC News & Weather
6.15—On Parliament Hill
6.20—Today's Editorial
6.25—Inland Weather
6.30—Music In The Evening
7.30—Entertainers
8.00—Assignment
8.30—Dixieland Downbeat
9.00—University of the Air
9.30—Strings
10.00—CBC Nat'l News, On Parliament Hill and In The Province.
10.30—Serenade
11.00—Allan Sangster The Music of Handel
12.00—CBC News
12.03—Sport Scores Inland & Marine Weather
12.15—Sing Something Simple
12.45—Music in the Night

Support Lack Is Complaint

CAIRO (AP)—The leaders of nationalists fighting in Portugal's African colonies charged Monday their war effort has been hampered by lack of support from the continent's independent nations.

The charges were made by Holden Roberto, head of the Angolan government in exile, and Amilcar Cabral, leader of the guerillas trying to gain control of Portuguese Guinea.

The cause of liberation movements and South African apartheid (racial separation) are the two biggest issues at the second African summit meeting. Cabral and Roberto are attending as observers, trying to muster more active financial and military aid.

Roberto admitted at a press conference that the nationalist military situation in Angola is "not very brilliant because aid received from independent African countries has not permitted us to face the war as necessary."

Roberto said the territory controlled by his guerillas had diminished to 200,000 square kilometers from 800,000 as a result of Portuguese attacks backed by planes and armored

Bitterly Roberto also attacked Western powers he said are aiding Portugal "with the United States at the head as bank leader."

"We are at war," he said. "We need arms and money."

Earlier, Cabral charged African assistance to his movement had been weak and inefficient. He said nothing had been done to properly carry out last year's decision to establish training camps for Negro warriors.

VISITING BLOOD

MONTREAL (CP)—The U.S. Navy's Atlantic anti-submarine task force gave this city a valuable gift during a recent visit—225 men from four destroyers and a submarine gave blood at Red Cross headquarters. . .

RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Yank Planes Sale Is Lost

LONDON (Reuters) — British Overseas Airways Corporation was ordered Monday to buy 17 British Super VC-10 airliners instead of the six American Boeing 707s it preferred.

The financially-troubled state-owned airline ordered 30 of the Super VC-10s before Sir Giles Guthrie was appointed chairman of BOAC last January, with instructions to get the airline out of the red.

British Aviation Minister Julian Amery said in Parliament Monday if the British order was cancelled it would severely hurt the nation's aircraft industry and damage the prospects of a "fine and promising aircraft."

Guthrie agreed, according to Amery, to take 17 of the new jets.

He had said earlier the original order for 30 was 25 too many, and then said even seven would be too costly, compared with buying a Boeing 707 fleet.

Opposition Labor party members accused the government of vacillation and muddle and called for Amery's resignation.

Amery said the BOAC fleet as now planned would consist of 17 Super VC-10s, 12 standard VC-10s, and between 18 and 20 Boeing 707s.

Referring to the airline s £80,000,000 (240,000,000) deficit, Amery said the government would do whatever is necessary to reorganize the corporation's capital and financial structure to enable it to operate as a fully commercial undertaking.

TEST SPACE ENGINES

WALLOPS ISLAND, Va. (AP) Two small electric engines, designed for interplanetary flights of the future, soared more than 2,000 miles into space Monday in their first flight test. The engines, capable of developing speeds of 200,000 miles an hour for the unmanned space craft they may power in the future, appeared to have operated successfully.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Obese
4. Polish brandy
7. A fibber
8. Metal
10. Small pulpy fruit
11. Female fox
13. Half ems
14. A precious stone
15. Compass point
16. Large parcels of land
19. Devoured
20. Slice
21. Merge
22. Franco's country
25. Firetruck equipment
26. Breeze
27. The sun
28. Part. to malt drink
29. Horses who run well on wet tracks
32. Whether
34. Kettle
35. A swab
36. Stairway post
38. Silly: sl.
40. Pause
41. Poker stake
42. Plaything
43. A fellow: colloq.

DOWN

1. Foremost
2. Swiss river
3. Attempt
4. Tears apart
5. Breastplate
6. Container
7. Part of a camera
9. Cuddle up
10. A pollen carrier
12. Requirements
14. Obtain
17. Tart
18. Cask
19. Roman money
21. Form
22. Beau
23. Steal
24. Some
25. Coal scuttle
27. Source of light
29. Malt-like in flavor
30. Not full
31. Thick cord
32. Enemy scout
34. Mexican dollar
37. Moist
38. Droop
39. Babyl. god

Yesterday's Answer

7-22

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

M YUAES GSOYMIGS TCEB MI NYUTTE AN MC OCGSOYMIGS YUAES.—NMGIMBMCM

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: WE SHAPE OUR DWELLINGS AND AFTERWARDS OUR DWELLINGS SHAPE US.—WINSTON CHURCHILL

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

NORTH
♠ 532
♥ A 8 2
♦ A K 10 8 2
♣ A K

WEST
♠ T 6 4
♥ J 7 5 3
♦ 9 5 4 3
♣ 6 4

EAST
♠ K J 10 8
♥ 9
♦ 7 6
♣ J 10 8 7 5

SOUTH
♠ A Q 9
♥ K Q 10 6
♦ Q J
♣ Q 9 3 2

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1♠	Pass	1♥	Pass
2♦	Pass	2♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4♣	Pass
4♥	Pass	4 NT	Pass
5♦	Pass	5 NT	Pass
6♠	Dble	7 NT	

Opening lead — seven of spades.

Canada came on strong late in the qualifying rounds of the Olympiad, scoring a phenomenal 60 victory points out of a possible 63 in their last nine sessions to qualify as one of the four teams eligible for the semi-final round.

Their sensational splurge was finally stopped when they clashed with the United States in a 60- board semifinal match and lost 133 to 117.

The U.S. team built up a lead of 54 international match points in the first 20 hands played. Though the Canadians kept whittling away at this lead in the remaining 40 hands, they never threatened seriously and the U.S. finally won by 16 IMPs.

The biggest disaster suffered by the Canadians occurred in this hand early in the match. When Victor Mitchell and Samuel Stayman held the North-South cards for the U.S., they arrived at a sound contract of seven notrump, which was easily made after a spade lead.

But when Dr. Ron Forbes and Jack Howell, the Canadian North- South pair, played the hand, the bidding went:

North	East	South	West
1♠	Pass	1♥	Pass
2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♣	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5♦	Pass
5♠	Pass	6 NT	Pass
7♥			

Seven hearts went down one when declarer lost a trump trick. Apparently something went wrong with the bidding, since the better contract of seven notrump played by South was not reached.

The U.S. team scored 1,520 points with the North - South cards at the first table, and then scored 30 points with the East - West cards at the second table. The 1,570-point swing cost the Canadian team 17 IMPs.

Had Canada avoided this disaster and also gotten the same results as they did on the easier deals, they would have defeated the United States by one IMP!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE

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