

Roads Begin To Block With Continuing Storm



MOUNTIE'S BODY FLOWN HOME

Snow driven by winds up to 50 miles per hour combined with icy road surfaces made travelling last night hazardous throughout the province. Charlottetown RCMP detachment said highways were extremely icy, and in addition, snow which began falling yesterday morning brought visibility down to almost zero. However, they had no reports of traffic accidents late last night. City police also reported slippery street conditions. Charlottetown radio recorder a three-inch snowfall at 8 p.m., whipped into drifts by the winds of 30 miles per hour, gusting to 50. A few snowflakes were sent out early in the evening, but were called back because of poor visibility, and because drifting and continuously falling snow made clearance a losing battle. Most roads in the Souris area were still open at 11 p.m., in spite of considerable drifting. The Island Motor Transport bus from Charlottetown was a half-hour behind schedule, reaching Souris at 7:15 p.m. Travellers from the late ferry crossing said the Borden to Charlottetown highway was passable, although driving conditions were sluggish. It was thought the highway would become blocked within a few hours if the storm continued. The radio range forecast snow to continue throughout the night, easing off to snowflurries by morning. Drifting is expected to continue, with northwest winds of 25, gusting to 45, forecast for today, diminishing to northwest 20 by evening. Temperatures last night dipped down to 10 degrees; high today will be 15 degrees.

Placing guilty to a charge of arson, the charge arising out of the two fires that occurred at the Queen's County Jail Dec. 11. Ralph Everett Arsenault of 218 King Street, Charlottetown, was remanded without bail until Dec. 23 for sentencing. The two fires, occurring at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., were investigated by the RCMP and the provincial fire marshal. The investigation was ordered by Attorney-General Alban Barnes. At the time of the first Arsenault was serving a short jail term for vagrancy. He appeared yesterday afternoon before Magistrate James B. Johnson in Queen's County Magistrate's Court. He elected trial by magistrate and pleaded guilty. Lester O'Donnell acted as legal counsel for the accused.

WEATHER
TORONTO (CP) — Temperatures: Min. Max.
Dawson -45 -44
Prince George -11 -5
Vancouver 19 26
Victoria 22 31
Edmonton -15 -6
Calgary -4 8
Regina -9 0
Winnipeg -16 -5
Toronto 11 20
Ottawa 1 9
Montreal 5 14
Quebec 0 11
Fredericton 29 29
St. John 30 31
Moncton 32 32
Halifax 41 42
Charlottetown 34 45
Sydney 33 43
Yarmouth 35 36

City Resident Pleads Guilty To Setting Two Jail Fires

Percy Ham of Bunsbury charged under the migratory bird regulations, had his case adjourned until Jan. 8. Cpl. Calvin B. Johnson of the Charlottetown detachment of the RCMP handled the case for the prosecution and he called Sgt. Ian Oland as the only Crown witness. Acing for Mr. Ham was K.M. Martin. Mr. Martin called Vernon Gay, Southport, and Mr. Ham.

Island Indians Get Assistance

OTTAWA (Special) — Indians living on and off the reserve at Lennox Island are to receive assistance through the supplementary winter construction program. The assistance includes construction of dories, improvement of blueberry lands, reforestation for black ash for the basket industry, house repairs, repairs to a community hall, and the band's barn, road improvements, and other items. A project will be undertaken to train Indians in carpentry. Blueberry lands at Scotchfort will also be improved and a sum was voted for improvements to a woodlot at Morell. Mr. MacNaught has been working on a program for some time to better the lot of P.E.I. Indians and his first step was to enter for the Mic Macs in this connection. The minister said he was pleased to have received the operation of the immigration and citizenship department and other department on behalf of the Indians.

LBJ SAYS
(Continued from page 1) tations with the United States, said of the proposal for a new treaty. "This is exactly what we had been hoping for." **PREDICTION MADE** — Calamari predicted Johnson's proposal would lead to improved relations between the two countries. American government officials said disposition of the physical assets of the Panama Canal, once a replacement is in operation, once present is a real problem. They said U.S. interest in the old canal, dating back to 1903, would then "be reduced to a negligible point." Johnson's two-part announcement. **FUR PIONEERS** — Two men, Charles Dalton and Robert Dalton, in 1906 successfully raised silver foxes in captivity on Prince Edward Island and began the province's important fur industry.

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(Continued from page 1) Mr. Gordon said the federal government has an open mind about federal - provincial programs. He could not discuss the long-range future of these programs at this stage. Two non-controversial bills were given royal assent after being passed quickly by both the Commons and Senate. The bills provide for three additional

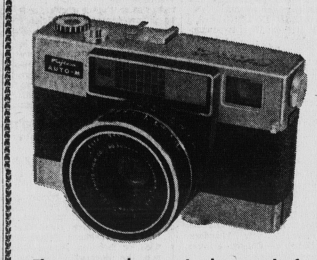
four escapes from the provincial penitentiary in St. John's, is located aboard a plane to be flown to his home at Pondville, N.S. The coffin is loaded aboard the plane by several RCMP officers. (CP Wirephoto)

WESTERN BRIEFS

WILLIAMS FUNERAL — The funeral of Frederick Wallace Williams was held Friday afternoon from the Compton Funeral Home to Trinity United Church. Summer services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Cecil R. Webber assisted by Rev. L.P. Archibald. Hymns were "Unto The Hills and Abide With Me." Organist was Mrs. Eric Stoen. Pallbearers were Marvin Wiley, Alan Crue, Orville and Henry Reeves. Harold and Fred MacLeod. Dr. Webber officiated at the interment in People's cemetery.

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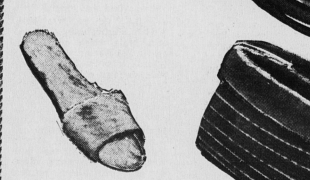
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Earlier Friday, the Senate passed a resolution declaring the Union Jack is the Symbol of Canada's ties with the British Crown and Common weal. Late Thursday night the upper chamber approved the new single red maple leaf flag. Prime Minister Pearson told the Commons it will take "some weeks" before the queen officially proclaims the new flag.

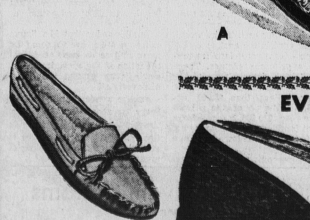
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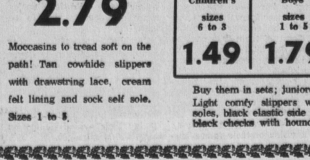
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