

## Now We Are Four



Taken especially for her fourth birthday, Aug. 15, this picture shows Princess Anne wearing a pink coral and pearl necklace, a present from her mother. The necklace was worn by the Queen when she was a child. The United Kingdom Information Office, which provided the picture, says the princess is following her mother's footsteps as a horsewoman and can be seen almost every morning riding her favorite pony at the great park at Windsor Castle, (CP Photo).

# Riot Quelled As Firemen Battle Second Blaze At Kingston Prison

## U. S. Announces Plans To Station Fighter Squadron In The Netherlands

WASHINGTON (AP) — In what was hailed as a major move to strengthen anti-Communist defenses in Europe, the United States disclosed Sunday it plans to station an air force fighter squadron in The Netherlands.

It will be the first time since the Second World War that American military personnel and planes have taken up posts on Dutch soil. The state department announced that an agreement with The Netherlands to station the squadron at the Dutch base at Soesterberg was signed Saturday at The Hague. It will take effect as soon as The Netherlands Parliament approves.

## Helicopter Rescues Chimney Inspector After 6-Hour Ordeal At Saint John

SAINT JOHN, N. B. (CP) — "What I need in my business is a helicopter," F. J. Esson said with a tired grin Saturday afternoon when assisted from a helicopter basket after an ordeal of six hours and 16 minutes atop a 150-foot chimney here.

The 41-year-old chimney inspector from Toronto had been marooned on the lofty perch from 10:30 a. m. when a ladder broke, until 4:36 p. m., when the RCAF "flying egg-beater" from Greenwood, N. S., took him off. He left hospital at noon Sunday after admission for examination and rest.

Inside the chimney and Esson hauled up a heavy rope. It went over the rim and down the outside of the stack and was tied to the top of the aerial ladder but the stranded man found the chimney top's condition too hazardous for him to attempt shinning down.

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KINGSTON, Ont., (CP) — Soldiers, police and prison guards quelled a riot by some 750 inmates at Kingston penitentiary Sunday while firemen battled a major fire in the penitentiary's trade shop.

Prison officials said the blaze, which burned out of control for 3 1/2 hours, was deliberately set.

Only one person was injured—guard Ray Cole of Kingston, taken to hospital for treatment of eye burns.

Penitentiary officials said the fire—second in three days at the penitentiary—broke out shortly after 11 a. m. Almost immediately most of the 1,000 prisoners started rioting. Guards left the prison yard and manned the walls and watch towers to prevent any attempt at a mass escape.

## Double Murder And Suicide In Quebec Field

NORANDA, Que. (CP) — The body of a 24-year-old Canadian army paratrooper was found shot to death in a field near here Sunday about 400 yards from the spot where two women were shot Saturday afternoon. Police described the deaths as a double murder and suicide.

Police said the paratrooper, Jean-Claude Levesque, 24, of Noranda, who recently returned from Korea with the Royal 22nd Regiment, was shot through the mouth with a .22 calibre rifle.

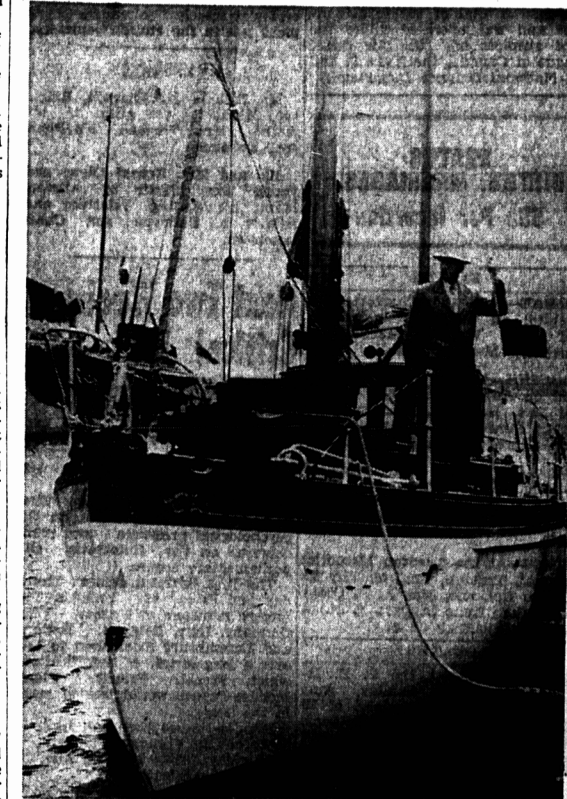
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Police said Mrs. Edwards' daughter, 12-year-old Janice, told them she and her mother were picking blueberries with two other sisters when a man came up to them and demanded some money. Mrs. Edwards said she had no money.

She said she commented there were not many blueberries and then said "If you move, I'll shoot."

Then, she said, he ordered her mother to take off her clothes so he could make sure she had no money. Mrs. Edwards refused.

## Visiting Ch'town In Cabin Cruiser



Mr. J. H. Winfield, who retired from active business twelve years ago when he relinquished his position as president of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company, is a long way from lacking interest in his hobby of a life time, boats and the sea.

The "B. G. Too," which tied up at the Buntain and Bell wharf on Friday after a run through Baddeck, St. Peter's and the beautiful lake country of Cape Breton, is a trim cabin cruiser built and outfitted to the specifications of Mr. Winfield, and gives indication of lacking in nothing for comfort and enjoyable coastal cruising.

## Coming Events

- \*\*Dance, Cardigan Head School, August 16.
- \*\*Supper at Elliott hall on Wednesday, August 18, postponed.
- \*\*Dance Morell Hall tonight, Burns Orchestra.
- \*\*Dance Vernon River hall, Tuesday, August 17.
- \*\*St. Peter's Bay annual Bazaar, August 24th and 25th.
- \*\*Dance Grandview hall Thursday, Burns Orchestra.
- \*\*Reserve Wednesday, Aug. 18th for Lot 8 parish picnic.
- \*\*Dance, Fort Augustus Hall, Wednesday, Burns Orchestra.
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## Mother, Three Children Drowned

SUBURRY, (CP) — A mother and three children were drowned Saturday when the outboard motor of their boat exploded, setting fire to their boat on White Water lake, seven miles north of here. The father was seriously burned.

Dead are Mrs. Rita Laurin, 30, of Assila, Ont.; and her sons Roger, nine, Gilles, 10, and Roland, 11. Rene Laurin, 38, was taken to hospital where his condition was described as fair Sunday.

Police said the motor explosion ignited a can of gasoline in the boat.

The four drowned trying to reach shore. The bodies were recovered.

## News Briefs From Home And Abroad

MACERATA, Italy (AP) — A sharp earth shock alarmed residents of a nearby village of Mucella late Saturday. Many fled to the nearby hills to spend the night in the open. Damage to buildings was slight and no one was reported injured.

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TOKYO, Monday (AP) — The Yangtze river Sunday reached a new flood height of 97.18 feet at the tri-city area of Wahan, Peiping radio reported. Despite the rising water, the broadcast said, "the city . . . is holding firm."

Reports last week said water was two feet deep in the streets of Hankow.

TRURO, (CP) — Traffic over the landing bridge over the Salmon river on the Truro-Amherst, N. S. highway was resumed at noon Sunday as department of highway crews finished repairs. The span collapsed Tuesday when a bulldozer fell off the tractor-trailer that carried it.

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ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., (CP) — Peter Gluckman, San Francisco's flying watchmaker, attempting to fly the Atlantic in his four-cylinder single engine plane, arrived at nearby Torbay airport late Sunday.

TRURO, (CP) — Guy Mason, 59, retired English professor at the French Normal College here, died Saturday at Halifax.

PIERRE ST. MARTIN, France (AP) — The body of French explorer, Marcel Louhens, who died in a fall two years ago was pulled up to the surface Sunday by steel cables from a grave 2,263 feet deep.

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An announcement to the CBRE membership by W. J. Smith of Montreal, secretary of the union's joint protective board, said the 35,000-member union will seek a 15 per cent general wage increase and the same fringe benefits that the larger group want from the railways.

These consist of eight paid statutory holidays a year, 18 days annual sick leave with pay, longer holidays and higher overtime pay for Sunday work.

Up to now, the railways have rejected these proposals outright. The hotel workers had their last general pay increase in 1950, when they joined the railmen in the general strike of August of that year. They got a four-cent-an-hour boost against seven for the rail workers. Since then, there

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By FRESTON GROVER  
PARIS (AP) — Despite in Indo-Chinese armistice agreements, all of Viet Nam seems to be slipping into control of the Communists.

The Viet Nam army, organized by the French during the last two or three years, is slowly melting away. Communist-led Vietminh civil committees are active in the South as well as the North, propagandizing the Red cause.

This type of information has come to Paris through diplomatic channels and through letters from correspondents on the spot which seem to escape censorship. News cables, both from Hanoi in the North and Saigon in the South, are either stopped or so badly censored that correspondents find it almost useless to file stories.

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to organize the scores of thousands of refugees who want to escape.

CHEER FRENCH  
The Vietminh, in placards and broadcasts, are trying to persuade French trained Viet Nam soldiers to come over to the Communist armies.

Frenchmen were surprised to find themselves cheered by the Vietminh soldiers. "Vive Ho Chi Minh," they shouted, and immediately after cheering the Communist leader cried: "Vive in France."

The Vietminh are trying to convince all Indo-Chinese that they will work amiably with the French. That would undercut the government the French themselves are trying to popularize in Southern Viet Nam. The main strength of this southern government is its as-

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urance of Western aid.

In the southern sections of Viet Nam, which under the armistice terms remain under French-Viet Nam control, the Vietminh are almost as active as in the North.

Correspondents told stories of Vietminh governments moving into southern towns and villages right alongside the old established one. They issue decrees, try offenders and carry out their sentences without reference to the added existing governments.

The "loyalist" governments in turn are made nervous by repeated warnings from Vietminh leaders that "we will be in Saigon in six months."

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FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany (AP) — Dr. Hugo Eckener, whose dream of popularizing lighter-than-air craft for global travel vanished in the flaming explosion of the Zeppelin Hindenburg at Lakehurst, N. J., in 1937, died Saturday at his lakeside village here. He was 86.

The famed German scientist who in 1929, had piloted the Graf Zeppelin in three weeks died of a heart ailment after a lingering illness. His wife was at his bedside.

Eckener, whose greatest successes were achieved in the 1920s and early '30s, had lived in comparative obscurity since the end of the Second World War.

On his 85th birthday last August, he told reporters: "It would be foolish to build new dirigibles—because it would be very much like a covered wagon trying to compete with a truck."

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## Even a Whale of an Excuse Can Sound Fishy?



TORONTO (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures

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Dawson	50	61
Vancouver	57	58
Victoria	52	59
Edmonton	49	64
Calgary	52	62
Saskatoon	47	67
Regina	49	66
Winnipeg	56	72
Toronto	63	76
Ottawa	56	77
Montreal	62	78
Quebec City	58	68
Saint John	56	73
Moncton	50	76
Halifax	56	78
Fredericton	50	80
Charlottetown	51	74
Sydney	51	72
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St. John's Nfld.	52	57

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High tide today at Charlottetown at 12:00 noon and 11:51 p. m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. High tide today at the North Shore at 7 a. m. and 7:32 p. m. Sun rises today at 5:15 a. m. and sets at 7:18 p. m. (The time is Atlantic Standard).