

### Iron Lung Flown To Jamaica

MONTREAL (CP)—An iron lung left Montreal by Trans-Canada Air Lines today to help combat the poliomyelitis epidemic in Jamaica. The lung, owned by Robert Hylme, former distributor of iron lungs here, was sent following a request from Jamaica that it was "urgently needed."

### "CLEARED" LAND

PENANG, Malaya (Reuters)—The Malayan government has declared two more areas of the country "white" free from anti-terrorist restrictions. More than a quarter of Malaya's population of 6,000,000 now live in territory cleared of Communist guerrillas by British security forces.



Apple pie... coming up

A KING-SIZE apple pie weighing over a hundred pounds was recently baked for the Washington State Apple Blossom Festival. The specially built aluminum pie pan—the largest ever made—measured eight feet across.

Made us wonder how big a pie you'd get if all the apple pies baked in one day on regular-size aluminum pans were put together. And that brings to mind all the different aluminum cooking utensils used today in homes and hospitals and restaurants... No wonder Canada is stepping up her production of this light, bright metal to one and a quarter billion pounds a year! Aluminum Company of Canada, Ltd. (Alcan).

### Northam

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Grigg and family, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLennan, Port Hill, on Sunday.

Congratulations are extended to the students of Northam School on successfully passing the entrance examinations held recently in Summerside.

Many friends of Mr. Stanley Paugh regret to learn that he is a patient in the Prince County Hospital. All join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Gordon Campbell, Arlington, is at present painting the interior of Northam School.

Mrs. Harold Dymont and family, spent a few days in Victoria West, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith.

Miss Claudia Ramsay of Massachusetts, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ramsay.

Mrs. Arthur Ramsay left August 6th for Bradford, Ont., to visit her son Spurgeon and other relatives.

Miss Jeanette Millar, Bideford, spent the week-end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Horace MacArthur.

Miss Joan MacArthur, Charlottetown, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace MacArthur.

Mrs. J. E. Stewart, Halifax, and daughter, Mrs. Wilfred MacNeil, spent August 7th visiting friends in Northam.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Colwill and son Gary, Moncton, spent the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Athol Colwill.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Halifax, N. S., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Colwill.

The many friends of Mr. Arthur Ramsay regret to learn that he is confined to his home, having been kicked by a horse. All join in hoping to see him out and about soon.

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(Continued from yesterday) A few minutes of smooth riding brought us to a junction and a sign that informed me that Summerside was to the left and Charlottetown, the capital of the "Million Acre Farm", was to the right. I turned left but my thoughts bore right for a few moments as I thought back over the years, and what the name Charlottetown meant to me. It meant the Charlottetown Abbeys and their exploits in the "Big Four Hockey League," the Moncton Hawks, St. John Beavers and the Halifax Wolverines. The players on those teams who, of course, were my heroes—Bill Gill, defenseman of the Hawks, Daddy Bubar and Jackie Kane of the Abbeys, Ferguson of Halifax. How my youthful eyes would gleam as they scanned the sports section of The Guardian and read the account of the big game held only a few nights before. It meant W. J. P. McMillan, the leading light of the Conservative Party and his wonderful pre-election debates with a rising young orator of the Liberal Party, Thane Campbell. It meant St. Dunstan's College and the Charlottetown Exhibition where such great thoroughbreds as Lucky Lundy and Billy Cope battled neck and neck to the finish wire.

Yes, to a young fellow living in the small towns and farms throughout the Island, the name Charlottetown meant new magical wonders such as electric lights, paved streets, big stores and lots and lots of people where a young fellow from the country could get lost if he wandered too far from his folks. . . . A bump on the road bounced me back from the past and a couple of miles ahead the lights of a large town pierced the sky like low flying stars. Another junction and a brightly lit sign bid me welcome to Summerside. As I drove through the centre of the busy little metropolis, I wondered if Holman's store was still doing business at the same old stand and if Chick Gallant and the Summerside Crystals, a hockey combination that placed fear in the hearts of their opponents in the gay old yesteryear, still are remembered in the town they helped gain a place in the Island's hockey "Hall of Fame". The first taxi system I had ever heard of operating in Summerside, "Tessie's Taxi" with trips as far away as Boston. . . . Soon Summerside was behind me and little towns with old familiar names caught my eye as I scooted through the cold, foggy night. Wellington, Grand River . . . my school teacher, John Gillis, came from Grand River, a wonderful man. I hear that he is a successful dentist in the States now. No wonder he quit the teaching profession. Two years exposed to my stupidity and he probably decided drilling holes in teeth was better than drilling kids with holes in their heads. . . . Other small towns fell prey to the "Gooses" spinning wheels—Portage, O'Leary, Elmadaie, Alberton. Good old Alberton, the home of Harry O'Brien and his famous racing sons, Claud, Lloyd, and Joe, who last year won fifth place as the top ranking sulky rider in the United States and Canada. Mr. McQuaid, the stationmaster, and his family have moved away. I think the Ahearns must have moved too. What a popular addition this fun-loving family were to any social event. They tell me that the Albion Terrace Hotel is no more; the building is presently being used as a hospital. Riverside, the mecca for the social set, is now just a memory. . . . Yes, there are a few changes in Alberton. Some families have moved away; others have moved in. A filling station and a couple of more stores have been added to the business section. But all in all, Alberton still looks like the same old town to me. Wonder if the Alberton Regals still operate as a hockey team? What a blood-curdling thrill it was when, as a youthful and awkward player, I played in the Alberton rink, the first time that I had ever skated in a closed-in arena. It turned out that the magnificent surroundings were so much for me because, with my proud mother watching my every move, I grabbed the puck, dashed down the length of the ice, blasted a sizzling shot at the net and scored! Or at least I thought I had scored, then I found out that

### WESTERN GUARDIAN

—ICE CREAM social, Darnley hall, Thursday, Aug. 19th.

—COME TO BARN DANCE in Cousins new barn at Belle, Wednesday, August 18th. Refreshments will be served.

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