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CANADA TO HELP RELIEVE NATO MUNITIONS SHORTAGE

B.C. Gov't. Adopts New Doukhobor Policy

Prisoner Describes Forays Made From Summerside Jail

In the County Magistrate's court at Summerside, a prisoner who appeared as a witness in the preliminary hearing of Joseph Arthur Cannon, one of the five prisoners charged with escaping from the custody of the jail, described how he and three other prisoners walked out of their unlocked cell through unlocked doors to an evening of freedom, revelry and theft, in which they broke into a service station on the outskirts of Summerside, stole a car, drove to Summerside, stole merchandise and money, came back to Summerside, left the car a short distance from the jail, returned to their cell, divided the money, and hid the stolen merchandise in the jail.

These escapades were related in the evidence of Gerald McKenna, a prisoner in Prince County jail who appeared as the first witness in the preliminary hearing of Joseph Arthur Cannon, one of the five prisoners charged with escaping from the custody of the jail.

McKenna said that he had, together with Arthur Cannon, Enns Perry, Jackie (Slink) Gallant, and Claude McKenna, been sleeping in cells on the main floor of the building, and not in the basement cells with male prisoners as normally kept.

Cell Doors Unlocked

He had been moved up there about one month ago when he was ill, and all the time he was up there it had been the practice to

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Coming Events

- Rummage Sale, S. O. E. Hall today, 6 P. M.
- Rummage Sale, Pythians Hall, Saturday, May 23rd, at 2 o'clock.
- Crapaud Hall, Library Concert, Two nights, June 2nd and 3rd.
- Tracade presents "Room 13", Morell Hall, Thursday, May 28th.
- Dance, Orwell Hall, Monday, May 25th, MacDonald-Morrisley Orchestra.
- Dance at Hermitage School, Wednesday, May 27th, Fraser's Orchestra.
- Big rummage sale, Baptist Church Hall, Monday 25th, 4 o'clock.
- Weekly Dance, Fort Augustus Hall, Wednesday, Burke's Orchestra.
- Cake Sale, Moore & McLeod's, Saturday, May 23rd, 2:30 P. M. Alexandra W. I.
- Dance Mermaid School Monday, May 25, Buell and Burhoe Orchestra. Luncheon free.
- Dance every Tuesday night, Stanley Bridge Rink hall, Music by Munroe's Orchestra.
- For laughs galore, don't miss seeing "A Ready Made Family" on Friday, May 29th, at the Murray River Hall.
- Pownal Y. P. U. presents "Happy Valley", Georgetown Town Hall, Tuesday, May 26th, Augustics St. David's Y. P. U. Curtain 8:30.
- Montague Y. P. U. presents their play "Ready Made Family" in Belfast Hall, May 27th. Sponsored by the United Church Ladies' Aid.
- See "Room No. 13" by Tracade Dramatic Club, in St. Teresa's Hall, May 25th. Dance after. Burke's Orchestra.
- The Mount Ryan Dramatic Club presents a three-act play "Rose of My Heart" in Fort Augustus Hall, Monday, May 25th.
- Grass Seeds now in stock. Book your orders. Supply limited at present low price. Beaton & McRae, Winsloe. Phone 2214.
- See "A Ready Made Family" in Belfast Hall, Eldon, on Wednesday, May 27th, at 8:30. Don't miss this laugh-packed 3-act comedy.
- Laugh galore in the 3-act comedy "A Ready Made Family" to be sponsored by the Millview United Church on Tuesday, May 26th, at 8:30 in the Orange Hall.
- See Fort Augustus Players present "The Life of Riley" in Vernon Hall, Tuesday, May 26th, Curtain at 8:30.
- Farmers ask about the Shur-Gain Feed Contact Plan. For particular details write your local feed mill. Farmers who break records use Shur-Gain.

Fooling Over, Radical Sons of Freedom Told

VICTORIA, (CP)—British Columbia's stripping, home-burning radicals Sons of Freedom Doukhobors were told Friday that the "fooling around" is over.

Premier Bennett announced an eight-point policy to deal with the fanatical sect, whose antics have set the Kootenays agog at intervals since they came from Russia some 50 years ago.

Follows Recommendations

To a large extent, the Social Credit premier's policy follows the recommendations of the consultative committee on Doukhobors, which made a report a year ago after an 18-month study. The committee, drawn largely from the University of British Columbia advanced 40 recommendations designed to break down gently the hostility of the Doukhobor sect to Canadian life.

The committee's recommendation that the fanatical Sons be resettled in another country also found echoes in the premier's announcement. The sect numbers about 2,000 of some 10,000 Doukhobors who inhabit the Kootenay district some 250 miles east of here.

Mr. Bennett's new policy includes recognition of the Doukhobor form of marriage, which is merely a declaration before the elders of the community. The Doukhobors have no clergyman and children born of these marriages are illegitimate under B. C. law.

To Receive Franchise

The policy also includes extension of the franchise to Doukhobors, who now have no vote in provincial or federal elections. It provides for resale of land to orthodox and independent Doukhobors.

The original Doukhobor community owned its own lands but went bankrupt in 1938. The lands were taken over by the provincial government and now are held in trust by the land settlement board.

Other points included: Cancellation of drivers' licences of law-breaking Doukhobors; establishment of a continuing commission on Doukhobor affairs to work with the existing consultative committee; compulsory attendance at school for all Doukhobor children; compulsory registration of births, marriages and all vital statistics.

35 Degrees To Be Presented At St. Dunstan's Convocation

There will be 29 Prince Edward Islanders receiving degrees when Saint Dunstan's University holds its 99th Commencement Exercises next Monday. All but six of them will obtain the Bachelor of Arts degree; of the rest four students will be granted degrees as Bachelor of Science and two as Bachelor of Commerce.

Also receiving degrees in Arts will be three students from Quebec, one from New Brunswick, one from Massachusetts and one from Czechoslovakia.

Following are the graduates and the degrees they will receive:

Bachelor of Art

Jean - Leon Bourassa, Windsor East, P.Q.

Jean-Marc Bourassa, Windsor East, P.Q.

Bernadette Margaret Bugge, St. Peter's Bay.

Claire Catherine Burge, St. Peter's Bay.

St. Clair Louis Coyle, Montague.

Frederick Leo Driscoll, Mount Herbert.

Lawrence Charles Glover, Kensington.

James Michael MacDonald, Mount Stewart.

Joseph Floyd McLaugh, St. Margaret's.

Cyril Joseph MacIsaac Earncliffe.

Marian Teresa Annette MacPhee, Seikik, P.Q.

Pierrina Michaud, Rimouski, P.Q.

Kristina Morsiyakha, Prague, Czechoslovakia.

Joseph Alphonse Mullally, Souris West.

Maureen Paula Murphy, East Boston, Mass.

Bachelor of Science

John Joseph Peter Clarkin, New Wiltshire.

Richard Laughten Doyle, Charlottetown.

Earl Harry Arthur MacKinnon, Tracadie Cross.

Desmond Joseph MacNeill, Miscouche.

Bachelor of Commerce

John Cyril MacDonald, Souris.

John Angus Weir, Charlottetown.

John Joseph O'Brien, Morell.

Richard Alban Smith, Kinkora.

Reinold Lawrence Whelan, Charlottetown.

Cum Laude

Joseph Clair Callaghan, Ebbesfleet.

Mary Gertrude Creighan, Charlottetown.

James Regis Hugh Duffy, Kinkora.

Peter Gerard Dunphy, Peake's.

Robert Hugh Conrad Kennedy, Edmundston, N.B.

Clarence Joseph MacDonald, Blooming Point.

John Cooney Mullally, Souris West.

Magna Cum Laude

Joseph Charles William Cheverie, Charlottetown.

Summa Cum Laude

Robert Cornelius Croken, Emerald.

Mary Bernadette Johnson, Central Bedouque.

Emmett Francis Roche, Iona.

Leaves For India



—Mr. Gerald Steele (above), son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Steele of Miscouche leaves today for Quebec from where he will sail on the S.S. Atlantic at midnight Sunday, for England, thence to Paris and from there by plane to India where he will represent St. Dunstan's University at the International Students' Seminar to be held there from June 7th to July 15th.

His selection as representative of St. Dunstan's University was made on the basis of physical health, emotional maturity, scholarship, leadership, discipline and extra curricular activities.

On the tour there will be 32 Canadian students and 10 American students. Eight professors representing different fields will go from various Canadian universities. At the seminar the Canadian and American students along with those from India, Ceylon, Malaya and other countries will study the "Human implications of development planning". Lectures will be given twice daily by prominent Asian and non-Asian professors.

Later the students will form into groups and visit various parts of India, including universities and industrial developments. The study tour will last from July 15th until the end of August.

Ridgway Says Serious Deficiencies Of Fuel, Ammunition In Europe

By DOUGLAS HOW
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, (CP)—Canada will start this fiscal year to help meet a NATO ammunition shortage described here Friday by Gen. Matthew Ridgway as "very serious."

The retiring Supreme Allied Commander in Europe flew in from New York to "pay my respects" to the Canadian government, to talk with the cabinet and defence officials and to renew the pleasure of years of Canadian fishing.

Gathering Momentum

At a press conference, the man who soon will lead the United States army hammered again at the theme that NATO has gathered "very great momentum" now and it would be folly to slow it down. Russia's overtures, he said, remain mere words without deeds to back up their peaceful tenor.

He was asked about a recent report by a U.S. congressional subcommittee saying that the Western alliance has little ammunition of (Continued on page 15, Col 4)

Claxton Is Busy Man

OTTAWA, (CP)—The busiest man in town right now is Defence Minister Claxton.

He's acting for three other cabinet ministers, including Prime Minister St. Laurent, and every so often he takes over another portfolio or two when a minister or the minister acting for that minister leaves town.

This ministerial multiplicity is not unusual in summer when Parliament is in recess and this year it has been compounded by the Coronation and by the lures of an election campaign.

WEST HAM, England (CP)—Dorothy Allen, a mezzo-soprano from Moncton, N.B., gave a recital for senior girls of the Sarah Bonnell Grammar School here. Miss Allen, appointed a singing teacher at the school last September, has given recitals in London and Paris.

Kenya Hopes For Quick, Fatal Blow At Mau Mau

NAIROBI, (Reuters)—The government of Kenya, anxious to deal the anti-white Mau Mau a quick, fatal blow, announced Friday it has increased the list of terrorist offences calling for the death penalty.

It also announced that 39 Africans have been hanged, 26 new face trials for their lives, and 399 prosecutions are under consideration for offences involving the capital punishment.

In future, the death penalty will be imposed on anyone "demanding, collecting or receiving" supplies for terrorists. Penalties for "consorting" with terrorists have been raised from maximum 10-year sentences to life imprisonment.

The statement follows recent conferences with Colonial Secretary Oliver Lyttleton after which Lyttleton said justice in the colony would be "speeded up but not eroded."

The Criminal Code was amended Friday to permit blanket charges against persons belonging to outlawed societies in cases where several offences at different times are alleged.

"Consorting" has been defined to mean being with "an armed person in circumstances which raise a reasonable presumption"

(that the accused "knew the person was armed.")

To step up its expansion of armed forces, the colony will register all Asians and draft about one-third of them. Most will be used for behind-the-lines jobs.

Asians have previously been exempt from compulsory service, but the government said Friday's move followed a request from leaders of the Asian community.



Four New Outbreaks Of Hog Cholera Reported

OTTAWA, (CP)—Another four outbreaks of hog cholera were reported Friday in southwestern Ontario as the virus disease continues to spread. Almost 600 hogs have died or been destroyed so far.

Meanwhile, a corps of trained veterinarians, including private practitioners hired by the Federal Agriculture Department, were on the trail of 6,350 pigs, believed to have passed through the infected sales barn where the first diseased animals were purchased.

Traced To Sales Barn

All cases of infection had been traced to this barn in Wellington county. Federal veterinarians feel they would make a big gain in tracing the virus to this sales barn.

•••Charlottetown Farm Supplies, 203 Great George Street, sales and service. Complete line of DeLaval Milkers, Coolers, new and used Separators, Water Pressure Systems, etc.

•••Now in stock, woven wire, chicken wire, barb wire, cedar posts, cement, whitewash lime, asphalt products. Highest prices paid for eggs. Write or phone R. L. Dickieson, New Glasgow.

•••Buying pigs Tuesday at Railway stock pens, paying \$26.00 pair for thirty pounds and over. Also paying highest market price for good veal calves under two hundred and seventy-five pounds Monday at Bunain and Bell's Wharf. Willard Prowse.

•••Buying pigs Monday at Fredericton. Tuesday: Brookfield 9 a.m.; Milton 10; York 1 p.m.; Bedford 2; Tracadie 2:30; Mt. Stewart 3; Fort Augustus 3:30; Waterville 4; Vernon River 5; Pownal 5:30. Wednesday: New Glasgow 9 a.m.; Wheatley River 10; Holmes' Corners 11; New Haven 1 p.m.; Bonshaw 1:30; DeSable 2; Kelly's Cross 3; Kinkora 3:30; Emerald 4; Clifton 5; Kennington 5:30. Paying \$26 a pair for good pigs over 29 lbs. each; \$18 over 15 lbs. Plus \$1.00 extra for delivery of pigs at Fredericton on Monday. Will buy any size. Knud Jorgensen.

Sarnia Clears Up After Tornado; Four Deaths Are Reported In Storm Area

By R. J. ANDERSON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

SARNIA, Ont., (CP)—Tornado-stricken Sarnia pitched in with a will Friday and won the first battle.

It cleared much of the debris of Thursday's tornado that left a great part of the city in ruins. It attempted to assess the damage and made plans for reconstruction.

The business pulse of this southwestern Ontario city of 42,000 slowed but did not halt. There was only quiet determination to rebuild better than before.

In 30 unforgettable seconds Thursday afternoon a black "twister" swept over the city from the south, left devastated the two-block-wide, four-block-long business section and created havoc in a residential area 14 blocks in length and 14 blocks in width.

Four Deaths Listed

In other parts of southwestern Ontario, four dead, hundreds of injured and millions in destruction were left in the twister's wake.

But at Sarnia, the toll in human suffering was almost unbelievably light—perhaps 50 persons injured, two severely, none critically.

There was one Sarnia-area death. Mrs. Margaret Clarke, 72, bed-ridden for years, was sucked from (Continued on page 8, Col 4)

18 Hull Grocers On Margarine Charges

HULL, Que., (CP)—Eighteen Hull grocers appeared in court Friday charged with selling margarine, illegal in Quebec Province although it is legitimate just a few miles away in Ontario. Alexandre Tache, defence counsel for the grocers, entered no plea and at his request the cases were adjourned to June 19.

Island of Formosa Has Air Alarm

TAIPEH, Formosa, (Reuters)—Chinese Nationalist fighters took off Friday after radar detected an unknown number of unidentified planes in the Formosa Straits approaching the island. The air raid warning sounded at 1:25 p.m. local time. The alert was lifted 75 minutes later without any raiders being seen.

Living Costs In The U. S. Edge Upward

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Living costs in the United States edged up slightly between mid-March and mid-April, the Bureau of Labor Statistics has reported.

Living costs now are one half of one per cent below the peak set last November when the index was 114.3 per cent of the 1947-49 average.

Navigator Is Selected For Top Aviation Award

OTTAWA, (CP)—A 37-year-old R.C.A.F. navigator was announced Friday as Canadian aviator's No. 1 man of 1952.

Sqdn. Ldr. Keith Greenaway of Woodville, Ont., whose writings on arctic flight have become accepted as gospel by three air forces, was awarded the cherished McKee Trans-Canada Trophy "for meritorious service in the advancement of Canadian aviation."

Now detached to the defence research board for his specialty arctic research work, he is one of the world's leading authorities on arctic aerial navigation and perfected in 1952 a "twilight computer," a flying aid now adopted by both the R.C.A.F. and R.A.F. for crews engaged in northern flying.

The computer is a device for helping airmen determine the duration of twilight in high latitudes. It is of particular value in the arctic where the normal flying aids—compasses and celestial bodies—often lose their value.

He has written various papers on flying in the north, one of which won him a 1950 prize from the Royal Meteorological Society for the best scientific paper of that year. It was entitled "Experience With Arctic Flying Weather."

Sqdn. Ldr. Greenaway's book "Arctic Air Navigation" now is used by the R.C.A.F. as a text and by the R.A.F. and U.S.A.F. as a reference manual.

The McKee trophy is awarded on the basis of contributions to Canadian aviation, with emphasis placed on performance throughout the year rather than on a single exploit.

The trophy was donated by the late Dalzell McKee of Pittsburgh, a wealthy aviation enthusiast who made the first trans-Canada flight by seaplane in 1926.

Two Canadians Awarded Medals For Books In 1952

LONDON, Ont., (CP)—Award of medals to two Canadians for books published in 1952 was announced Friday night by the Governor General's Awards Board of the Canadian Authors' Association.

Lawrence Earl, former war correspondent and now a magazine writer in England, wins the Leacock medal for humor with "The Battle of Balinglass," a report on a fantastic light put up by a village in Eire to see justice done in its post office.

Mr. Earl is native of Saint John, N.B., and the author of a previous book "Yangtze Incident," a detailed account of HMS Amethyst's break for freedom from the Communists in 1949.

Bruce Hutchison, Victoria newspaper man, wins the University of British Columbia medal for popular biography with "The Incredible Canadian," his biography of Mackenzie King. He recently won a National Newspaper Award for a series of editorials in the Victoria Times.

The book awards were announced here by Dr. Frank Silling, chairman of the Governor-General's awards board. Judges for the Leacock medal were B. K. Sandwell, Louis Blake Duff and W. A. Deacon; for the UBC medal, John Yocom, Dr. J. J. Talman and Dr. Edgar McInnis.

Egypt Plans To Proclaim Full Scale Republic Soon

CAIRO, (Reuters)—Egypt soon will sweep away the last vestiges of monarchy and proclaim a republic "on the American model," Egyptian circles said Friday.

In the new republic, they said, the important ministries of the interior, war and marine and communications will be held by senior military men, to give the country the strength to achieve its "national aims."

The country has been moving towards a full republic since Gen. Mohammed Naguib, now prime minister, ousted King Farouk last July and set up a military administration.

As in the United States, the president of the republic will be both the formal head of state and the country's chief executive.

One important difference will be that the post of commander-in-chief of the armed forces, automatically held by the U.S. president, will be held in Egypt by the vice-president.

The country at present is ruled by a congress, with a 13-man military committee supported by civilian cabinet ministers. The cabinet is headed by Prime Minister Naguib.

The popularity of the present administration indicates that, in an election, Naguib probably would be chosen president, with Lt.-Col. Abdel Nasser, his top policy-maker, as vice-president.

MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	45	67
Victoria	44	57
Edmonton	38	65
Calgary	38	49
Regina	36	61
Winnipeg	37	66
Toronto	52	60
Ottawa	55	62
Montreal	56	61
Quebec	57	65
Saint John	51	56
Halifax	41	50
Charlottetown	40	56
Sydney	38	57
Yarmouth	48	59
St. John's Nfld.	34	60

HALIFAX, (CP)—The Dominion public weather office here saw a weak disturbance near the Great Lakes is moving eastward and rain is likely to reach the Maritimes Saturday evening. The outlook is for cloudy weather Sunday.

Regional forecasts:

Eastern N.B. counties, lower St. John river valley: Cloudy, rain beginning in afternoon; little change in temperature; light winds; low-high at Moncton 46 and 58, Fredericton 46 and 55, Saint John 46 and 52. Outlook for Sunday: Cloudy.

Prince Edward Island, upper St. John river valley, Bay of Chaleur: Cloudy, rain in the evening; little change in temperature with light winds; low-high at Charlottetown 43 and 55, Edmundston and Campbellton 42 and 55. Outlook for Sunday: Cloudy.

Bay of Fundy: Light winds becoming southeast 15 in evening; cloudy with fog patches; rain beginning in afternoon and visibility frequently less than one-half mile in fog increasing at times to 10 miles; temperature in the 40s.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 6:23 A.M. and 6:57 P.M.

High tide on the North Shore at 1:39 A.M. and 2:11 P.M.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Sun rises today at 4:38 A.M. and sets at 7:43 P.M.