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NEW SPEED, ALTITUDE RECORD MADE BY U. S. PLANE

Reds Ignore Preliminary Cease - Fire Meeting

Zoot-Suiter Fighting In Alberta Spreads To Lake Resorts Over Holiday

EDMONTON, July 3—(CP)—The zoot-suiter fighting front moved to Alberta lake resorts during the holiday week-end. Outbreaks between the draped youths and district farm boys were reported at Seba Beach 50 miles west of Edmonton. A cafe was wrecked at Sylvan Lake, 115 miles southwest of Edmonton. There, juveniles started a fight and smashed tables, chairs and dishes. In Edmonton, where hundreds of service men on leave spent the holiday week-end, a new tactic was employed against zoot-suiters. In two incidents groups of soldiers cornered juveniles in freak clothing and stripped them of their pants. Trouble at Seba Beach started Sunday when a farm youth was beaten up by juveniles said to be from Edmonton. The farm boys organized themselves into a group of about 70, accounts from the resort said, and invaded a dance-hall shortly after midnight.

Coming Events

- *Dance, Iona Hall, Wednesday, July 4th.
- *Rollo Bay Picnic, Wednesday, July 18th.
- *Lot 65 picnic Wednesday, July 11th.
- *Dance, St. Teresa's Hall, Friday, July 5th.
- *Dance, Byrnes Road School, Wednesday, July 4th, Ice cream.
- *Dance in Kelly's Cross Hall Wednesday, July 4. Sale of lunches.
- *C. Y. O. Dance in Morell Hall every Wednesday night. Chatsworth's Orchestra.
- *Dance at Morell East School, Thursday night, July 5th. Good music.
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- *Clyde River Presbyterian Sunday School picnic at Keppoch Beach, Wednesday, July 4
- *Ice Cream Social, North Granville Hall, Friday evening, July 6th. Sponsored by Y. P. U.
- *Now in stock, Herbat 2-4-0 for killing mustard in grain. Dillon & Spillet.
- *Dance, Baldwin's Road School Wednesday, July 4th Refreshments.
- *Cousins Store, Rose Valley, will be closed Wednesday afternoon for next three months.
- *Collecting Hogs for Swift Canadian Co. Contact K. Macdonald, Brookfield.
- *New Haven Outdoor show tonight at 9.00. "Courage of Lassie" in technicolor.
- *Ice Cream and Dance at Dromore School, Thursday, July 5th. Good music.
- *For Snapshots that will not fade mail your films and Negatives to Garnham Photo Studios, Charlottetown.
- *Show, Morell Community Hall, every Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, 8.30 P. M. Coming Friday and Saturday.
- *Come and see Mrs. MacKinnon's Highland Dancers and variety concert Wednesday, July 4th in Kingston Hall. Sale of cakes.
- *Wheat. Unloading car choice Wheat at our warehouse, Summerside, Wednesday and Thursday, 4th-6th. Good Wheat scarce. Stock up now. Bring bags. P. L. Morris, Feed Service Mills.
- *Will be loading hogs at the following points each Thursday: Elmer Wigmore, Bradabane, until 11.30 A. M. Borden Bagnall, Hunt's River, until noon. Summerside until 1.30 P. M. and Kensington until 1.30 P. M. MacEwen and Casway
- *Annual Memorial Service. The Annual Memorial Service will be held at the Soldiers' Monument, Geddie Memorial Church, Sunday, July 8th, at 2.30 P. M. Rev. D. A. Campbell will be the speaker, with Kensington Presbyterian Church choir in charge of music.

One group of Edmonton youths was chased out of the village. Others were cornered in a car. Police said the farm group was preparing to overturn the car with the trapped juveniles in it when officers intervened. Police Chief Hurlburt Sayer said trouble at Sylvan Lake is believed to have started when one of a party of youths fell against a table, smashing dishes on it and at an adjoining table. When the cook protested he was set upon and a fight developed between the youths and the cafe staff. Four juveniles were taken to Sylvan Lake jail but were later released. In Edmonton, four juveniles were stripped of their pants in front of a theatre on Jasper Avenue, the city's main thoroughfare. The service men burned part of the clothing. The pantsless juveniles were taken home in police cruiser cars. Two soldiers, John Tait and Richard Diamond, were arrested and charged with disturbing the peace. A civilian, William McNally, 16, suffered a severely cut eye when he was beaten by service men.

Government House Dance Last Night

The black and white of formal dress mingled with the colorful uniforms of the various armed services and the evening dresses of the ladies as His Honor Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse held their first formal entertainment and dance at Government House. Among the distinguished guests were His Excellency, the Right Honourable Victor Nes, the Swiss Ambassador and Canada, and Major General F. C. Plow and Mrs. Plow. Lieutenant Governor Prowse was attended by his aides, Captain J. J. Connolly, Lt. Col. A. W. Rogers and Sqdn. Leader Alan Macmillan. Pouring tea in the main dining room were Mrs. G. G. K. Peake, Mrs. G. S. Hibbard, Mrs. W. W. Reid and Mrs. H. L. Shaw while serving the guests were Mrs. W. L. MacKinnon, Mrs. K. M. Johnston, Mrs. J. K. L. Irwin, Mrs. J. D. Stewart, Mrs. W. H. Soper, Mrs. F. S. Jenkins, Mrs. R. H. Kennedy, Mrs. R. J. Mahar, Mrs. H. B. Chandler, Mrs. D. R. Ross, Mrs. R. A. Pitt, Mrs. W. K. Sharpe, Mrs. A. H. Pears, Mrs. J. T. Davies, Mrs. O. R. Simons, Mrs. L. E. Wellner, Jr., Mrs. R. D. MacNeill, Mrs. I. Harper, Mrs. J. R. Rogers and Mrs. R. R. Smith.

U. S. State Dept. Calls Trial Of Newsmen Hoax

FRANKFURT, Germany, July 3—(AP)—The trial of William N. Oatis ended in his Prague prison tonight with the newspaper man testifying that his "espionage activities" grew out of his efforts to check and gather news for the western press. The five-man Communist court announced it would hand down its "sentence" tomorrow at 8 a. m. (3 a. m. EDT). The use of the word "sentence" indicated the court considered him a criminal. *Reserve July 9th, Ice Cream Festival in Afon Hall. Sponsored by New Dominion United Church Ladies Aid. *Dance in Emerald Hall, Thursday, July 5th, sponsored by the B.I.S. Blue Haven Rambler's Orchestra. Dancing 9.30 till 1. *South Rustico Hall, Wednesday night, "Green Grass of Wyoming" also 1st chapter of Serial "The Wolf Dog." *Dance, Mt. Stewart Legion Hall every Thursday. George Chappell and his Merry Islanders. Canteen service. Admission 50c. *Enjoy the fine turkey supper at Marshfield Presbyterian Church, Thursday, July 5th in Mr. Stetson's field. If not fine will be served in hall. *Don't miss "Descon Dubbs", presented by Corran Barrn Players, Fort Augustus Hall, Wednesday, July 4, at 8.30. Dance afterwards. *Owing to Festive Week, the weekly dance to be held in Stella Maris Hall, North Rustico, on Wednesday, July 4, will be cancelled.

Meanwhile Fighting Goes On In Korea

TOKYO, July 4—(Wednesday)—(AP)—The Allied command today hoped for a possible preliminary cease-fire meeting Thursday but as the hours ticked away the Communists in Korea remained silent. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway proposed the preliminary conference when he informed the Communists Tuesday that he agreed with their plan to hold an armistice conference at Kaesong, near the 38th parallel, July 10. He suggested both sides send liaison officers Thursday to Kaesong, 30 miles northwest of Seoul, to lay plans for the major conference. The United Nations commander-in-chief emphasized in his message that delay in starting the negotiations meant more bloodshed. Meanwhile, blood was being shed. Allied forces lashed out at scattered points along the front. U. N. warplanes pounded Red installations. The Allied forces were alert for any Red surprise attack. The Peiping radio said the Communist forces also were warned against possible Allied attacks. The radio quoted an editorial in the Peiping People's Daily as saying the cease-fire line would be on the 38th parallel. The editorial said that a cease-fire would be only the first step toward settling the Korean question. And it added that the Chinese must continue to build up their defences even after an armistice. At Pusan, President Syngman Rhee said South Korea could not accept an armistice at the parallel. "We want a cease-fire as soon as possible," he said, "but the 38th parallel is something we cannot accept."

Rev. M. K. Charman Accepts Call

AMHERST, N. S., July 3—(CP)—Rev. Millard K. Charman, Cornwall, P. E. I., has accepted a call to Immanuel United Church here, it was announced today. He will take over his new duties Aug. 1, succeeding Rev. C. Windsor, who has been transferred to Doaktown, N. B.

Many Visitors From Mainland

Quite a number of visitors from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick took advantage of the long weekend to visit the Province for the opening of Festive Week according to indications received from the Tourist Registrar of the Provincial Tourist Bureau. The Bureau was open on Sunday, for the first Sunday this year, and of the 73 tourists who signed the book 60 were from the two neighboring Provinces, with the biggest number being from Nova Scotia. Many of the visitors apparently returned home as the number of Mainlanders who signed on Monday was down to 29 and the number yesterday was 13. A total of 323 tourists signed the book in the last four days. Monday was the busiest day of the 1951 season as an even 100 signed their names. 68 visitors signed on Saturday, 73 on Sunday and 82 yesterday. 84 of the 234 signatories were from Americans. Most of them were from the Eastern States. 50 were from Quebec and Ontario. The Bureau has been working overtime these past few days. It was open until midnight Saturday night, all day Sunday and last night until after 10 o'clock. It will also be open this Saturday night until midnight.

Decision Due Today On Freight Rates Application

OTTAWA, July 3—(CP)—Decision will be given tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. EDT on the railways' application for freight-rate increases aggregating \$89,000,000 a year. The Board of Transport Commissioners announced today it will hand down its interim judgment then on railway requests for increases of five and 15 per cent. The judgment will deal with the question of the railways' immediate need for revenue. Hearings on an increase of a more permanent nature will be held starting next Nov. 12. The increases were asked by the railways chiefly to meet higher labor costs resulting from last August's general rail strike and its subsequent settlement involving a wage increase and a shortened work week for employees. They were opposed before the board by the Governments of eight Provinces—all except Ontario and Quebec—which argued that the railways had failed to show they needed extra money now.

Float Parade Eclipses All Past Spectacles In Ch'town

The Island Furriers float was announced winner of the mammoth float parade yesterday afternoon which covered its complete route in the city under adverse weather conditions. Thousands of people lined the streets of Charlottetown to see the combined efforts of some thirty-five business houses and organizations which contributed towards making yesterday's float parade the most elaborate ever seen in the Province. Interposed among the floats were six bands from the various services and cadet units, cars bearing Miss P. E. I. contestants, fifteen clowns, and decorated bicycles. Following the floats were a number of mechanized units from the local Army depot. The program for the day started at 9:00 a. m. when the various services met for their Inter-Service Rifle Match at Squaw Point Range. At 9 o'clock firemen from all over the Maritimes gathered to register for their big time which is scheduled for today and tomorrow, and at 11 A. M. contestants for the crown of beauty of this Province appeared before the public and judges at the Prince Edward Theatre. In the afternoon, the parade was the thing, followed in the evening by the Firemen's Ball at the Rollaway. Mr. P. A. Creelman and Messrs. Frank Curtis and Frank MacKenzie undertook the difficult task of judging the floats, and met with a much more difficult job than they had expected as they watched the many beautiful and elaborately decorated floats go by. Chosen for its originality and beauty, "Spirit of the Arctic," by The Island Furriers, was met with rounds of applause from crowds gathered all along the way. Covered with simulated snow, the float held five beautiful white dogs pulling a fanciful sleigh on which Miss Joan Bulmer was seated, dressed in a white Arctic Fox cape. Posed beside the sleigh were Miss Jean Tweedy and Miss Betty Horne, completing a picture of arctic life. (Continued on page 15 col. 5)

News In Brief

OTTAWA, July 3—(CP)—An application of the British Columbia Telephone Company for an immediate "interim" rate increase of about 10 per cent was taken under advisement today by the Board of Transport Commissioners. OTTAWA, July 3—(CP)—A government scientific party is to leave here tomorrow to investigate the possible existence of a sizeable meteor crater in Ontario's Algonquin Park. Mines Minister Prudham announced. OTTAWA, July 3—(CP)—United States contribution toward radar installations in Canada may exceed \$100,000,000, it was learned unofficially today. No formal statement was available, and all radar installations are on the secret list. OHATHAM, N. B., July 3—(CP)—A new jet training plane, the T-33, was demonstrated over the Chatham R. C. A. F. station today. It reached an altitude of 37,000 feet and a top speed of 650 miles an hour. The aircraft is a twin-seat version of the United States F-80 Shooting Star. TOKYO, July 4—(Wednesday)—(CP)—The Canadian destroyer Huron scored seven direct hits on a railroad bridge and three on a highway span in the Songjin area of Northern Korea, the United Nations naval summary said today. The Huron has been operating off the east coast near the Korea-Manchuria border.

Will Address Meeting Of Halifax Kiwanis



Mr. Heath Macquarrie has accepted an invitation to address a meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Halifax. He will speak on the international situation with particular reference to Canadian Foreign Policy. Mr. Macquarrie, a popular speaker and lecturer is a member of the Economics and Political Science department of McGill University where he is completing his studies for the Ph. D. degree in Political Science. He was previously assistant professor of Economics and Political Science at the University of New Brunswick, and spent seven years as a teacher in the public schools of Prince Edward Island. He is at present vacationing with his wife at Victoria.

Declaration Day Results

Mr. J. Angus MacLean, Progressive Conservative candidate in the June 24th by-election in Queens County, was officially declared elected yesterday when the final Declaration Day returns were announced by Returning Officer Gilbert A. Gaudet. The voting count was announced as 9,540 for Mr. MacLean and 9,091 for his Liberal opponent Cecil A. Miller, giving the successful candidate a majority of 469. Following are the results by polls throughout the county: (Continued on page 5 col. 1)

Windsor Motor Plants Cutting Down Production

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Huge Vancouver Island Forest Fire Under Control

CAMPBELL RIVER, B. C., July 3—(CP)—Natural or man-made fire breaks today corralled the Campbell River forest fire, and rain clouds mingled with a veil of smoke over central Vancouver Island. An almost invisible rain started shortly before noon. Fire fighters hope for a heavy rainfall later in the day. The situation was thought to be on hand, barring dangerous winds. Forestry officials said there would be no reduction in the fire fighting force, estimated at 700 men. When firebreaks are made secure, fire fighters will move into the heart of the burned region for make weeks. While the 20,000-acre fire was

Details Are Kept Secret; Speed May Have Been Close To 1,300 M. P. H.

LOS ANGELES, July 3—(AP)—The Douglas Skyrocket, a supersonic research plane, has flown "faster and higher" than any other known aircraft, the navy announced today. The accepted speed record is 670.981 miles an hour, established Sept. 18, 1948, by a North American F-86. The Bell X-1 in 1949 was reported to have reached about 1,000 miles an hour for brief periods in its excursion into the range beyond the speed of sound. It travelled at altitudes more than 10 miles high. The navy said exact speed and height at which the sweep-wing Skyrocket has operated are being withheld for security reasons. Marvin Miles, aviation editor of the Los Angeles Times, estimated the plane's actual speed was just short of 1,300 miles an hour. He said his information was that the craft was shooting for twice the speed of sound—1,320 miles an hour at high altitudes—and barely missed. He put the altitude around 70,000 feet, pointing out that the navy specified the mark was for a piloted plane. The altitude record for a piloted balloon is 72,394 feet. The flights were made under conditions in the mother ship in excess of the speed of sound. The air force has disclosed that the F-86 has topped the world record, exceeding 700 miles an hour. But the exact speed has not been announced. Navy commander R. M. Gibbons, Bureau of Air representative at Douglas, told a press conference the records were set June 11 at Murco. The flights were made under rocket power after the aircraft was launched from a B-29 mother ship at 35,000 feet. At the controls was Bill Bridgeman, Douglas test pilot. He described the flight during the June 11 tests as follows: "Six seconds after being dropped from the mother ship the Skyrocket went into a 45-degree angle climb. Its best climbing angle. "I hung on until I reached the altitude at which I wanted to push over and level off. The speed record was made in level flight."

Firemen Rally From All Over Maritimes

Firemen from all over the Maritimes have been gathering in this city for the past few days for their big parade which is scheduled for 10:30 this morning as a feature of Charlottetown's Festive Week. Registrations were well under way yesterday evening and many more are expected to arrive today, bringing the total well over 175. To date firefighters have registered from Dartmouth, Dalhousie, Moncton, Springfield, Oxford, Amherst, Sackville and Summerside. The parade this morning will assemble at the City Hall on Queen Street, and then move up Queen to Richmond, then to Prince and up to Kent. Moving along Kent to Queen, it will pass up Queen to Euston then to Cumberland on its way back to the Forum where a civic reception will be held. Local Fire Chief H. H. Jewell will preside at the reception, and welcomes will be extended by Mayor B. Earle MacDonald, Councillor L. P. O'Donnell, Fire Committee Chairman, and Fire Marshall Campbell. Firemen and their friends gathered at the gaily decorated Rollaway Ballroom last evening where a most enjoyable evening of dance music was provided by the Waldo Munroe Band of Pictou, N. S. Among those present were the contestants in the Miss P. E. I. contest, now being staged as a feature of Festive Week.



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Regional Forecasts

Prince Edward Island—Sunny with little change in temperature. Light winds. Low and high Wednesday at Charlottetown 54 and 78. High tide today at 9.54 A. M. Sun rises at 4.31 A. M. and sets at 8.03 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. MCA AIR SERVICE Lv. Charlottetown for Moncton 5.30 A.M.—11.20 A.M.—4.40 P.M. Ar. Charlottetown from Moncton 7.25 A.M.—1.25 P.M.—6.55 P.M. Lv. Charlottetown for New Glasgow—Halifax 7.40 A.M. New Glasgow only: 1.40 P.M. New Glasgow & Halifax Ar. Charlottetown from New Glasgow and Halifax 11.00 A.M. from New Glasgow only 4.20 P.M. from New Glasgow and Halifax. Charlottetown—Sydney flights every Monday, Wednesday, Friday. BORDEN—CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE Daily Leave Borden Leave C. T. 8.10 A.M. 9.10 A.M. 10.55 A.M. 10.55 A.M. 1.00 P.M. 1.00 P.M. 2.40 P.M. 2.40 P.M. 4.30 P.M. 4.30 P.M. 7.50 P.M. 7.30 P.M. 9.00 P.M. 9.00 P.M. 10.30 P.M. 10.30 P.M. WOOD ISLANDS—CARIBOU FERRY SERVICE (Standard Time) Leave Wood Islands— Prince Nova—7 A.M., 11 A.M., 3 P.M. Chas. A. Dunning—9 A.M., 1 P.M., 5 P.M. Leave Caribou— Chas. A. Dunning—7 A.M., 11 A.M., 3 P.M. Prince Nova—9 A.M., 1 P.M., 5 P.M.