

### "Covers Prince Edward Island Like The Dew"

# Mine Workers Fearing Infection Where Miners Trapped

## RED SCIENTISTS GIVEN CRITICISM

MOSCOW (Reuters) — The Communist party newspaper Pravda attacked some Soviet scientists Wednesday for "living at science's expense" and producing nothing useful.

The paper criticized the case of Kazakhstani scientist S. I. Sokolov, who had been studying the soils of the Ural River valley for 17 years.

It said "the end of his work is not in sight and there are also no concrete recommendations."

A check of Kazakhstani scientific institutes showed that 1,065,000 rubles (about \$1,172,000) had been spent investigating 65 subjects later dropped because they were not important.

Pravda crowned its list of "useless" scientists by telling the story of M. Kabanov, "who pretended to be working hard on three projects, but in fact was getting ready for local theatre, while not forgetting to collect his salary at the Institute on the button."

In 12 years the institute paid the "dramatist" \$7,000 rubles (about \$7,700) "just for being on the staff."

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## Hero's Death Said Accident

TIMAGAMI, Ont. (CP) — An inquest jury has ruled accidental the death of Diemie here George Legros, 38, a Timagami prospector who died in a pool of blood Nov. 25 in a wooded near his home.

Legros was awarded the British Empire Medal for saving a Canadian machine gun from capture by the Germans in the Diemie raid of 1942.

The jury ruled Wednesday that Legros died from blood after severance of an artery following a fall on glass. Timagami is about 275 miles north of Toronto.

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## Dragger Off Souris Asks Immediate Aid

SOURIS — A fishing dragger was reported shipping water in wild seas off this port early today and asked for immediate assistance.

The dragger Gloria Max, eight miles off here with three or four men aboard, radioed for immediate assistance. A severe storm was raging in the Maritimes, with winds up to 35 miles an hour.

The U.S. National Association for Retarded Children received \$50,000 for promoting national interest in helping abnormal children.

Sergeant Scherpa, foundation director and the president's brother-in-law, said these are the first such awards and the foundation hopes to make them an annual event. The non-Communist world was embroiled for nominees scrutinized by a distinguished panel of university and other authorities.

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## Canadian With Scientists Cited By U.S. President

By HAROLD MORRISON  
WASHINGTON (CP) — Four foreign scientists, including a Canadian, received cash awards and trophies Thursday night for their work in unlocking some of the mysteries of mental deficiency and mongolism in children.

President Kennedy turned over two checks totalling \$33,333 to Dr. Murray L. Barr, 34, of Belmont, Ont., as part of \$225,000 in awards provided to foreign and American recipients by the Joseph P. Kennedy Jr. foundation in the field of mental retardation.

The foundation, in memory of the president's brother, who was killed during the Second World War, was established by the president's father. A sister, Rosemary, is in a home for the mentally retarded.

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## ISLAND BRANCH UN ASSOCIATION MEETS

Display literature attracted attention at a general meeting of the Prince Edward Island Branch of the United Nations Association of Canada last night at Monimney.

Hall, Looking at a Red Cross poster, are, from left, Mrs. Gordon Holmes, Mrs. E. R. Hurst, and Mrs. Ian MacLeod. Dr. K. A. Parker presided and various speakers discussed "Know Your United Nations." They included: Rev. Francis Bolger, SDU; Mrs. Ian MacLeod, Diane Thompson, president of the Prince of Wales College Unit of Nations Club; Iphigene Arsenault and Douglas Boyan, president of the P.E.I. Branch.

## PROPOSAL ALTERNATELY PRAISED, PANNED

Douglas Joins Criticism  
Of Development Board

OTTAWA (CP) — T. C. Douglas described the proposed Atlantic Development Board Thursday as another "feeble how" by the Conservative party toward the idea of economic planning.

The New Democratic Party leader told the Commons that the bow is too feeble.

He noted that the board would not have a single full-time member. "No one in his right senses could believe that a part-time board meeting periodically could produce the kind of programs needed for a massive assault on the Atlantic area's economic ills."

The board, as proposed by the government, would not put a single man to work or start a single industry.

From his reading of the bill, he said, it also appeared the board would not even assess the economics or feasibility of a single project without having that project referred to it by the government.

He suggested the board be tied more closely to the federal government by having a minister, or at least a parliamentary secretary to a minister, as its chairman.

CAPITAL NEEDED  
Mr. Douglas stressed the need to back up the board with substantial amounts of capital, available in the form of loans either to an industry or one of the four Atlantic provincial governments, or supplied directly by Ottawa in partnership with the provinces.

He said the three main problems are an unfair tariff policy, high transportation costs and a lack of capital for industrial growth.

## Contract Let For Fisheries Building Here

CAPITOL BUREAU  
OF THE GUARDIAN  
OTTAWA — Contract for a new federal fisheries building in Charlottetown has been awarded, Fisheries Minister J. Angus Maclean announced here Thursday.

The contract is for the construction of a two-story workshop-warehouse, which will stand on property used as a haul-out area by the protection branch of the department.

Robert Petrie of Charlottetown submitted the lowest bid of \$2,579,200, and has started work on the building.

The structure will contain the facilities needed for repair and storage of craft and gear operated by the department in its protection work in the P.E.I. area. Of brick and frame construction on a concrete foundation, the building will measure 40 by 30 feet. The contract calls for the completion of the work within three months.

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope John XXIII Thursday authorized new regulations designed to speed the work of the Roman Catholic Ecumenical Council by using its nine-month recess to re-draft all proposals before it.

The rules for the procedure during the recess—starting Saturday and ending Sept. 8—were announced to the 2,200 council fathers at their session in St. Peter's Basilica.

Pope John, confined to his apartment with a stomach disorder and anemia, did not attend the session. However, he is well thought to celebrate mass in his chapel, the Vatican reared.

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## Parliament At A Glance

THURSDAY, Dec. 6, 1962  
Prime Minister's speechmaker announced Parliament will recess from Dec. 20 to Jan. 21 for the Christmas and New Year holidays.

He also said the government hopes the area's Fort-our provinces on adoption of a national flag will be called the "Atlantic Development Board" as a "feeble how" toward a depressed area of the Atlantic region.

Legislation establishing the board was given second reading—approved in principle—without a vote.

Revenue Minister Hugh John Flinn did not reply when Frank Howard (NDP—Skenna) asked whether Sir Michael Wardell of Fredericton will be appointed chairman of the board.

The Commons meets at 11 a.m. to debate government proposal for a committee study of the drug industry. The Senate is adjourned until 8 p.m. Tuesday.

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## 15 Communities To Participate In Senior Citizens Housing Plan

At least 15 communities will participate in the province's program to provide housing for senior citizens. Hon. Henry Wedge, chairman of the P.E.I. Senior Citizens Housing Corporation, said yesterday.

He said the aim of the corporation is to provide 200 housing units throughout the province at a cost of \$2,000,000.

In addition to the construction of four self-contained units under way in Souris, 15 other units have been received by the corporation for the building of four units in Tignish. At soon as the Tignish site is approved by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, construction will begin.

Mr. Wedge said that at a recent meeting of the corporation the following locales were approved for the construction of self-contained housing units for the aged: St. Albert's, Kensington, O'Leary, Peterborough, Wellington, St. Fleamington, St. Lawrence, Montserrat, Charlottetown, St. Ann's, Vernon River, Eldon and Pownall.

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## THE CORNERSTONE

laying ceremony for Prince County's vocational school in Summerside was held yesterday afternoon as the sparkling new building was officially opened. Premier Walter R. Shaw laid the cornerstone, Principal of the school is Cameron MacDonald with John Paynter as vice-principal.

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