



### SHOTGUN USED IN TRAIN HOLDUP

HALIFAX.—The shotgun used to holdup a railway mail car is examined by an RCMP fingerprint expert as the two mail clerks involved in the robbery watch in the background. Lester MacKay, left and Gordon Morash were forced into a tiny washroom while the bandit gathered up 35 pieces of registered mail and escaped. A suspect was arrested Friday, however, and is being held for trial. (AP Wirephoto)

## Fire On Sunday Destroys Dwelling At Bear River

Fire Sunday morning destroyed the home of Lennie Hennessey, Bear River, a small village located about six miles from Souris. Believed to have originated around the kitchen flue, the fire was discovered by Mr. Hennessey shortly before 8:00 a.m. A few items of first floor furnishings were all that neighbors were able to save from the two-storey farm home. In addition the fire consumed 3000 bags of potatoes ready for shipment, and a bulk of ungraded seconds, both stored in the cellar of the burned house. On arrival at the scene the Souris Fire Department concentrated their efforts on preventing the conflagration from spreading to the surrounding outbuildings. Only a small amount of insurance was carried, the owner stated. For the present Mr. Hennessey, his wife and nine children are being given accommodation by relatives and friends in the surrounding districts.

## Dams At Moore's Sanctuary Washed Out Early Saturday

The heavy rains and high winds of Friday night and early Saturday, wrought havoc at Harvey Moore's Sanctuary at Milltown Cross, which is well known far and near by tourists and sportsmen. Both the upper and lower dams went out, and at 5 a.m. the water was rushing over the flume and banks at such a rate that the road bridge was unable to handle the volume of water, thus causing it to flow across the road, washing away the opposite shoulder. Mr. Moore stated that the new dam above the first pond broke, causing the breakaway of the original dam. On being questioned, he said that the dams would be rebuilt at once. Several interested sportsmen have put forth the suggestion that the local and Federal Government equipment should be called in to re-erect these dams. For a number of years, Mr. Moore has been building, repairing and extending these dams as a wild life sanctuary, and is one of the few men known who can catch and band wild game birds without trapping.

## \$100 In Cash, Cigarettes And Groceries Taken In Break

Approximately \$100 in cash and an undetermined quantity of cigarettes and groceries was stolen last week from Cheverie Bros. general store, located on Main Street, Souris. The theft occurred sometime between 10:00 p.m. Friday, and 8:30 a.m. Saturday morning. Entrance to the building was made through a cellar window, the store proper being reached by forcing a door leading from the back shop. The present proprietor, Michael J. Cheverie and a brother, established the business in the Eastern Kings seaport town 10 years ago. Burnt out in December 1956, they re-established the business in an adjoining structure. Mr. Cheverie later purchased his brother's share, and is now sole owner.

### BRISTOL

Mrs. James A. O'Brien has received word from Boston that her only living brother, Fred L. O'Brien had suffered a severe stroke last week. His condition in hospital there was serious. Mr. O'Brien left here about sixty years ago. He visited here last summer with his wife and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Warren McManus.

The condition of Mr. Louis Drake who underwent a serious operation in the P.E. Island Hospital last week, is reported as very serious. Mrs. Mabel LeBlanc, the former Mabel O'Brien was here for some time during the illness and death of her father. She will leave for her home in Boston, this week after her sad mission. Her brother, Clarence O'Brien was here also from Boston, to be with his father during his fatal illness. Mr. O'Brien has returned to his duties in Boston.

### EASTERN GUARDIAN

DANCE IN CYC HALL, Cardigan, Monday, April 21st. Websters Orchestra. SHUR-GAIN AMATEUR Cavalcade stage show in Cardigan Legion Hall, Thursday, April 24th. Dance after.

### PERSONALS

Friends of Mr. P. J. McKenna, Montague, are pleased to learn he is convalescing at his home following a lengthy illness. Miss Betty Anne Miller, R. N., Moncton, N. B., spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, Montague. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, Montague, were Sunday visitors to Murray Harbor North.

## Southern Kings Fish, Game Ass'n Meets At Georgetown

The regular monthly meeting of the Southern Kings Fish and Game Association was held in the Canadian Legion hall in Georgetown on Friday night. President Louis Cantelo of Bridgetown occupied the chair. The minutes of the last regular and last executive meetings were read by the secretary treasurer, W. J. Fitzgerald of Georgetown. The question of the extension of the trout fishing season from September 15th to the 30th was discussed. The next meeting had at an executive meeting held in Pictou, went on record as favoring the extension. The president reported a reduction in the number of pheasants and huns in his district. Mr. Walter Conohan of Cardigan, reported considerable pheasants and huns in his area. The question of a fish ladder for Laird's dam was discussed. It was felt that it was highly questionable whether this dam was in the area covered by this branch. Furthermore, no residents from this area where this dam is located are members of this branch. Therefore, this branch felt that they could not see their way clear to make a cash donation towards the installation of this ladder. The president and the secretary reported on matters dealt with at a provincial executive meeting which they had attended. Various members reported an alarming increase in the quantity of wild foxes. It was decided that the May monthly meeting would be held in the Cardigan hall on Friday, May 2nd, and that the June meeting would be in Bridgetown. At the Cardigan meeting, the matter of the possibility of a causeway at Cardigan would be discussed. Also the matter of donating prizes for a young fox gill competition. The presentation of prizes for the winners in the raven kill competition, which was started last fall, will be made at the May meeting in Cardigan. As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

## Funeral Held Sunday Of Mr. W. W. Dewar

The largely attended funeral of the late W. W. Dewar of Brudenell was held on Sunday afternoon, April 20th, from the Church of Christ, Montague, following a short service at his late residence. The service was conducted by Mr. K. T. Norris, who chose as his text "The Christian's Assurance". Hymns sung were "Shall We Gather At The River," and "Safe In The Arms of Jesus", by the choir, and a solo, "The Lily Of The Valley", was beautifully rendered by Mrs. K. T. Norris. A Canadian Legion service, with full military honors, was conducted at the grave by Comrade Cyril Johnston, and the Last Post and Reveille were sounded by Comrade George Boudreau. The firing squad was under the command of Sgt. Miller Matheson. Pall bearers were Beecher Dewar, George MacDonald, Bill Anear, Russell MacGregor, Jack Campbell and Simon Nicholson. Interment was in the Community Cemetery.

## Freighter Sails From Souris With Pulpwood For Italy

The M-V Flottbek sailed from Souris Saturday bound for Italy with 2,200 cords of peeled pulpwood loaded by the P.E.I. Produce Company of Summerside under the supervision of their Souris agent, Mr. J. Arthur Peters. Registered in Hamburg, Germany, the 349-foot ship carried a complement of 31 officers and men and had a registered tonnage of 2,087 gross, and 1,011 net. Moving immediately into the berth vacated Friday by the Flottbek was the 550-ton steamer Maymeyer. Registered in Puerto de Costes, British Honduras, the ship is scheduled to load 100,000 bags of potatoes for Southern U.S.A. markets. Under Master, William Crosse, the ship carries a five man crew including a Canadian, an Italian, a Spaniard, and a Panamanian. Also docking Friday was the Bermuda Clipper, registered in Nassau. The 250-ton craft will also load potatoes for the Southern American market.

## John Wintermeyer Becomes Liberal Leader In Ontario

TORONTO (CP)—John Wintermeyer, 41-year-old Kitchener lawyer who has been in provincial politics three years, became Ontario Liberal leader Saturday with help from a "stop Walter Harris" campaign. Mr. Wintermeyer defeated the 54-year-old former federal finance minister in a third ballot with the support of eliminated candidates at the party's two-day leadership campaign. A graduate of Dalhousie University who practised law in Halifax before returning to Kitchener, Mr. Wintermeyer was carried to the convention platform by cheering supporters. He promised to "give my mind and heart to promote a winning cause" in the next provincial election, expected this fall. His first test will be four byelections May 12. Supporters of five other candidates switched their backing to Mr. Wintermeyer after Mr. Harris took a 40-vote lead on the first ballot but was 85 short of the necessary overall majority. The final ballot gave Mr. Wintermeyer 300 votes and Mr. Harris 349 votes—five less than his total on the second ballot. Mr. Wintermeyer left civic politics to capture Waterloo North for the Liberals in the 1955 provincial election. He was made opposition financial critic after a year in the legislature. He is believed to be the first Roman Catholic to become Ontario Liberal leader. Ontario Progressive Conservatives, led by the formidable premier Leslie Frost, have held office since 1943. The Liberals have had a new leader for each of the four elections held since then.

## Appointments By Navy Announced

OTTAWA (CP)—The Royal Canadian Navy Sunday announced the appointment of Capt. John S. Somers, 46, of Arichat, N.S., and Halifax as principal naval overseer for the Montreal area. He takes the post next Aug. 18, succeeding Capt. Sturton M. Davis, 39, of Montreal, whose new posting is to be announced later. Cmdr. Arthur G. Bridgman, 40 of Pelly, Sask., and Halifax, engineer officer of HMCS Bonaventure, will become assistant chief of naval technical services (air) at Ottawa headquarters Sept. 29. He succeeds Capt. Charles Daniel, 42, of Victoria and Ottawa, who Oct. 27 becomes Pacific Coast Command technical officer at Esquimalt, B.C. Capt. Daniel succeeds Capt. John S. Osborn, 51, of Toronto and Victoria who proceeds on retirement leave Nov. 3.

## U. S. Is Prepared To Deny Soviet Charges In UN Today

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—The United States will cite its disarmament record today in the United Nations Security Council when it denies Soviet charges of provocative American nuclear bomber flights across the Arctic. A spokesman said Sunday night U.S. delegate Henry Cabot Lodge will take this line in answering Soviet delegate Arkady A. Sobolev, who is expected to speak soon after the 11-nation council convenes (at 4 p.m. AST). "We consider it to be an important speech," the delegation spokesman said of Lodge's address. "It will rely heavily on our record of trying to reach an agreement with the Russians on mutual inspection and disarmament." While denying that U.S. Air Force operations threaten peace, Lodge is expected to stress the need for some international system to prevent surprise attack and mention President Eisenhower's 1955 open-skies plan of mutual U.S.-Soviet aerial inspection.

## Yank Immigration Officials Deport Man With A Rush

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—William Heikkila, a 52-year-old draftsman, was arrested at 5 p.m. Friday night on deportation charges, put on a 6 p.m. plane and was out of the United States early Saturday before U.S. immigration officials confirmed the arrest. A fellow worker said he saw two men take Heikkila away. Bruce Barber, local immigration official, said Heikkila was deported to his native Finland on grounds he was a Communist party member after entering the United States. Heikkila, not a U.S. citizen, entered this country at the age of 2½ months. Barber refused to say what plane Heikkila was aboard but said he definitely was "out of the country." Lloyd McMurray, Heikkila's attorney, said a motion on an 11-year legal battle against deportation was pending in a San Francisco federal district court and was scheduled to be heard May 2. Barber said the motion did not bar the deportation. "It's a frightful thing that they (immigration officials) can pick up a man and kidnap him like this," Mrs. Heikkila said. "There wasn't a chance for him to call me or to call his attorney or anything." "They took him off without any money or clothes. He was out on \$5,000 bail. There was no point in them doing this." Mrs. Heikkila said she wasn't told until nearly midnight what happened to her husband. Mrs. Heikkila, 38, is the former Phyllis Kay. Married five years ago, they have no children. Mrs. Heikkila said her husband's Communist affiliations were "almost 20 years ago." McMurray said Heikkila's Communist activity in the '30s in Minnesota consisted of fighting for unemployment compensation and against foreclosing farm mortgages during the depression.

valued at between \$359,000 and \$368,000. FENCED CHARGES Crosby was president of the Hull, Que., company in late 1956 and early 1957. He was arrested on charges laid by the Ontario Securities Commission. He was committed for trial in January on four charges of false pretences. Mica stock hit a high of \$4.50 a share in July in 1956, when slumped. In October, 1956, trading in Mica was suspended by the Montreal exchange. Judge Macdonnell quashed the indictment after Mr. Martin argued it was "a nullity because of vagueness" and referred to "valuable securities at over \$50." Mr. Martin said an indictment must define the transaction so an accused could be prepared to defend himself on a specific offence.

## Canadian Sea Law Scrapes Past First Test

GENEVA (CP)—A Canadian proposal that nations be given exclusive fishing rights up to 12 miles off their coasts has scraped through its initial test at the world conference on the law of the sea. George Drew, Canadian high commissioner in London and head of Canada's delegation here, expressed gratification at the success of the proposal in receiving narrow approval in committee Saturday 37 votes to 35. But he warned that it must still get over an important hurdle—the two-thirds majority required in this week's plenary session of the 96-nation conference. If the nations can agree on this matter, Mr. Drew said, it will not only provide substantial benefits to Canada's hard-working fishermen, but will be an important step forward for numerous smaller countries that rely on the sea's resources.

## Stock Promoter Acquitted, Then Arrested Again

TORONTO (CP)—New York stock promoter Peter Crosby, freed briefly Wednesday after an indictment of fraud, theft and false pretences against him was quashed, was rearrested shortly afterwards on theft charges. Judge Ian Macdonnell upheld the argument of defence counsel Arthur Martin that the charges of false pretences against Crosby were not valid because they lacked detail. Crosby broke into a broad grin and hurried out of the city hall courtroom when Judge Macdonnell said "the accused is free to go." He was rearrested soon afterwards, following a pursuit along downtown Bay St., on theft charges laid by crown counsel Stanton Hogg. Crosby, 34, was arrested last December on charges involving 314,000 shares of stock in Mica Company of Canada Limited, a Quebec firm. The shares were

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## ANNUAL MEETING

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