

### Child Saved From Drowning At Waterfront

Three-year-old John McGee was saved from drowning yesterday morning by department of transport employee Paul McGonnell, 67 Bayfield St.

The child, the son of Mr. and Mrs. David McGee of King St., toppled off a Charlottetown wharf into about six feet of water and had disappeared beneath the surface when McGonnell, answering the verbal alarm of a workman on a nearby roof, came to his rescue.

McGonnell, a strong swimmer, entered the water fully clothed and pulled the tot to safety. He recovered without artificial respiration.

The department of transport is urging parents to keep their children away from the waterfront, pointing out that within the past few weeks there have been several potential tragedies on wharfs involving children.

### CARC Holds Meeting Directors Meet

A social worker, Frank Sampson, spoke on the P.E.I. division of the Canadian Association for Retarded Children's Centennial project, "comprehensive community service for the retarded," at the association's board of directors meeting at the Royal Canadian Legion Home in Charlottetown recently.

CARC divisions in every province in Canada are involved in similar projects.

The summer camp at Oyster Bed Bridge will open on July 4, it was announced at the meeting.

Dr. M. Beck of the department of health told the board that day training classes will be in operation this fall in the Kensington, and Miscouche areas.

Delegates chosen to attend the national convention of CARC in Toronto are: Mrs. Dorothy Arnfast, Charlottetown, Bruce Stewart, Souris, and Mrs. Earl Conroy, Summerside. Mrs. Lloyd Mathews will be the alternate delegate.

### New Parking Area Set In City's Center

Arrangements for a new parking area for the centre of Charlottetown have been completed today, it was announced by Dr. Frank MacKinnon, president of the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Citizens Foundation. This parking area will be immediately landscaped and prepared for the use of all citizens who wish to park downtown.

The parking area is made up of three properties on Grafton Street just west of Queen Street. The first to be purchased was the old Prince Edward Theatre property which was secured by the foundation two years ago. The second was the Canadian Legion property which was purchased on behalf of the foundation at the time the Legion built a new Legion Hall. Arrangements have just been completed with respect to the third property with the F. G. Spencer Company in Saint John.

In cooperation with the merchants in the area, the foundation is planning to have the area paved, landscaped front and back, and marked off for parking. It is hoped that the whole property can be so planned that it will look attractive.

### NAME MAKES A DIFFERENCE

OTTAWA (CP) — What's in a name, particularly when it's painted on a bag? Well, when the name is Gordon R. McGregor and it's on luggage that is carried on the airline he bosses — Air Canada — the chances are it will be handled with kid gloves.

He told the Commons railway committee his bag has travelled more than 20,000 miles — and still looks good.

But Gilles Gregoire (Credit — Lapointe) said he has had a new bag only two or three months, and already it looks as if it's gone through a war.

He admitted he didn't have his name on it — nor the fact that he is an M.P. But he promised to haul his battered bag before the committee to show Mr. McGregor what happens — sometimes — to the luggage of air travellers.

### TRAINING GROUND BUILT

BONN (Reuters) — Portugal is building facilities for the West German armed forces at an air base near Beja, Southern Portugal, the Portuguese embassy said here Thursday. This is one of the facilities for training and logistics for the West German army, agreed on last Friday after two days of talks in Bonn.

### SQUAD EXECUTES THREE

TEHRAN (AP) — Three Iranian agitators convicted of treason were executed by firing squad Sunday. They were Mohi Al-Sayid, Dahir Bani and Isha Bani, members of a 16-man gang that attempted a revolt last March. The rest of the gang got prison terms.

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