



FARMERS SEE PERMANENT PASTURE TESTS

Mr. W. N. Black, agronomist, farmers the effect of fertilizer combinations on permanent pasture at the farm of W. E. Johnsons and Sons, Long River whose fine years of unbroken pasture land the forage on it was seen to be of excellent quality. (See story on Page 2).

HOWE HELPS IN DEAL

Poland Sells Canada One Million Barrels Of Cement

OTTAWA (CP) — Trade Minister Howe said Tuesday he helped agricultural committee his department would be willing to help another of the purchasers — the Soviet Union—transact business in Canada "if we can."

But Russia was in a "peculiar position." A state organization fixed prices and terms of exports. Under a two-year trade agreement with Canada, Russia agreed to buy a minimum of 14,800,000 bushels of Canadian wheat annually and to boost this to 18,500,000 if Russia was able to make any headway in selling goods to this country.

Mr. Howe said he did not know what sales Russia had made. But he was sure Canadian wheat sales to that country will rise to the maximum "anyway." Russia was paying for the wheat in dollars.

CASH WITH CCF
He touched on the Communist trade picture as he clashed with CCF members on federal wheat-selling policy. The CCF maintained Canada should embark on a program such as the United States so-called "giveaway" scheme to boost Canadian exports.

Both Mr. Howe and George McIvor, chairman of the Canadian wheat board, said such a scheme would lead to disaster for Canada.

The United States, under a government subsidy plan, gave some wheat away, sold portions for local currency under long-term loans and exchanged some wheat under barter deals.

The CCF plan would wreck the Canadian wheat marketing scheme in one year, Mr. Howe said. Barter meant the exchange of goods at unrealistic prices.

Mr. Howe predicted that even though Canada asks payment in dollars, she will sell almost as much wheat this year as the U.S. Mr. McIvor, whose board was under committee study, said Canada has pulled no punches in informing the U.S. what it thinks of the American program. American government officials were in sympathy with Canada but were under congressional instructions to sell more wheat.

Gov. - General Ends Tour Of Maritimes

MCADAM, N.B. (CP) — Governor-General Vincent Massey ended his eight-day Maritime tour Tuesday by paying an impromptu visit to this York County railway town on his way to Montreal.

Earlier in the day Mr. Massey inspected the Atlantic Biological Station and a lobster factory at St. Andrews, a seaside resort town about 60 miles south of here.

On Monday he officially opened the new Vincent Massey High School at St. Andrews in a light rain. A thunderstorm accompanied him Sunday while he inspected the 10,000 men of the 1st Canadian Infantry Division from Camp Gagetown at Blisville.

Bright skies favored him Saturday however, when he received the freedom of St. Andrews and visited Deer and Campobello Islands in Passamaquoddy Bay.

In Nova Scotia, Mr. Massey visited Halifax, Bridgewater, Liverpool, Lunenburg, Shelburne, Yarmouth and Digby. He also made brief stop-overs in Moncton and Saint John, N.B.

Mr. Massey inspected the cadet corps, girls guides and brownies here before rejoining his train which is scheduled to arrive in Montreal today.

RECOGNIZE RED CHINA

DAMASCUS, Syria (AP) — Syria Tuesday became the second Arab country to extend diplomatic recognition to Communist China.

Syria thus again followed the lead of its close ally Egypt, which on May 16 was the first Arab country to recognize formally the Peiping regime.

LIGHTNING KILLS COWS

MANFIELD, Ont. (CP) — A bolt of lightning wiped out one third of a herd of 60 cattle on the farm of Elmer Ward here during Sunday night's storm.

The loss, which included several valuable animals he had just bought, was set at \$3,500 by Ward.

THE "THIN EDGE"

Members of all three opposition parties criticized the fact that once a contract was transferred the new holder could have it renewed repeatedly without the mail-carrying job being once opened for competitive bids.

Gage W. Montgomery (PC-Vic-

RUSSIAN OUSTED

WASHINGTON (AP) — Col. Ivan A. Bubchikov, assistant military attaché at the Soviet Embassy, Tuesday was reported to have been thrown out of the United States on a charge of espionage.

State department press officer Joseph Reap said Bubchikov had been declared persona non grata.

ITALY TRIES YANKS

VICENZA, Italy (AP) — AVIATION court has handed out the first jail terms from an Italian tribunal to American soldiers serving with the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

The cases were handled under the "status of forces" agreement between Italy and the United States.

UNEMPLOYMENT SPREADS IN U.S.

Steel Shutdown Is Felt

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Effects of the country-wide steel strike, now in its third day, crept across the United States Tuesday. Unemployment in steel-related industries made idle nearly 40,000 in addition to 650,000 striking steelworkers.

A few small companies suspended production for the duration of the contract dispute between the United Steelworkers and 80 per cent of the basic steel industry. Other firms cut work schedules.

One small steel company, continuing to produce under an extended labor contract with retroactive provisions, jumped the price of steel \$3 a ton in anticipation of its additional labor costs.

There was no sign of an early settlement. Negotiators for the union and industry appeared to be

MARKING TIME UNTIL AFTER THE JULY 4 HOLIDAY

The federal mediation service has arranged separate meetings with union and industry negotiators for Thursday in an attempt to revive bargaining. Negotiations were broken off six hours before the strike started Saturday at midnight.

Economists said the Sunday effect of the strike and the mid-week holiday will dull the early impact of the steel industry shutdown on U.S. business in general.

The railroads took the first cuts. They already have posted layoff notices for nearly 30,000. Freight shipments of finished steel and its raw materials are a major portion of railroad business.

Laclede Christy Co., a producer of refractory materials for the steel industry, closed six plants in

POST OFFICE ACT AMENDMENT

Queen's Member Opposes Mail Contracts System

OTTAWA, (Special) — Mail delivery contracts and particularly those for rural routes should be awarded by tender and should not be permitted to become a part of the contract holder's assets, J. Angus MacLean, Conservative MP for Queens told the Commons Tuesday.

He was opposing an amendment to the Post Office Act introduced to legalize a process whereby a mail courier can recommend his successor when giving up the route.

It had become common practice for a holder of a mail contract to choose his successor, often a member of his own family.

Contract said Mr. MacLean, "may be handed down from generation to generation without ever being put up for a tender."

"It seems to me," he said, "that at the present time it may not be the practice that will apply generally. But nevertheless in passing this bill, we are making it legal for a practice to creep in whereby mail contracts are something to be inherited, not to be won by submitting the lowest tender."

The Queen's Member observed that the man to whom a mail delivery contract is transferred is not necessarily better than the original holder of the contract. The man who tendered for the contract ran some risk, whereas the transferee did not have to tender and ran virtually no risk of losing the award whatever.

Added to this, the person who took over a mail contract would shortly become eligible for a raise in pay.

Postmaster-General LaPointe said the man would have to wait two years for a pay increase.

Mr. MacLean made it clear he had no objection to mail delivery contracts being renewed, provided that the contractor was giving good service to the public. He was doubtful of the wisdom of permitting a contractor to recommend his own successor.

French Frigate Arrives In Charlottetown Today

At eight o'clock this morning the French frigate "L'Aventure" is scheduled to dock at the Railway Wharf for a five day courtesy visit which will end Monday morning.

The frigate is serving in the western Atlantic on fisheries protection and as the base for medical services for the French fishing fleet which is now on the Grand Banks.

Immediately after the ship is tied up Lieut. J. Clapton in his capacity of Guard Officer will proceed aboard to visit the Commanding Officer and extend the services of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Commander J. N. Kenly will make his official call upon the C. O. of the "L'Aventure". Shortly after the C. O. of the ship will make his official calls upon the Premier, Mayor and the Lieutenant Governor. These calls are scheduled to be returned at 11 a.m. This evening Cdr. Kenny and the officers of the local Naval Division will hold a reception for the Commanding Officer and Officers of the visiting ship. At the same time a dance will be given at the Railway Wharf.

On Friday evening the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. T. W. L. Provost are giving a ball in honour of the Commanding Officer and officers of "L'Aventure" at Government House. Saturday evening the Chief and Petty Officers and men of Queen Charlotte are entertaining their counterparts from the ship at smokers in their respective messes.

Dominion Day Death Toll Is Close To The All-Time Record

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
A record flow of pleasure-seekers during Canada's 86th birthday holiday set the stage for a near-record number of fatal accidents.

A Canadian Press survey shows that from 12 p.m. local time Friday to midnight Saturday, 95 persons died violently — only one less than on the blackest Dominion Day holiday last year.

This year 55 died on highways, 33 drowned and seven died in miscellaneous accidents.

Thirty were killed in 1955 highway accidents, 60 drowned and six died in other mishaps.

ONTARIO HARD HIT
Ontario led the grim toll this year with 48 deaths—24 highway deaths, 19 drownings and one miscellaneous. Seven persons died in one horrible moment Saturday when a storm-ripped elm tree weighing 30 tons, flattened their car.

Quebec had 19 holiday fatalities, 12 drownings, six drownings and one miscellaneous. British Columbia had the third-worst count—13 accidental deaths. There were

Maiden Voyage Of Carinthia Is Completed

MONTREAL (CP) — The 22,000-ton liner Carinthia, carrying more than 300 passengers, completed her maiden voyage Tuesday.

The black-hulled vessel, third of four Cunard Steamship Company additions to the North Atlantic run, swept upriver from Quebec under sunny skies. She is the third vessel to bear the name.

The first was a four-masted, twin-screw cargo liner of 5,500 tons, built in 1886. The second, launched in 1925, was sunk in 1940 by a German submarine as an armed merchant cruiser.

The third Carinthia, which arrived to the traditional tooting of harbor whistles, was launched at Clydebank last December by Princess Margaret. Throughout, it follows the general tenor of design on its earlier sister ships, the Sixtonia and Ivernia, with the emphasis on tourist accommodation in an age when air travel offers stiff competition.

Capt. A. A. MacLean brought the Carinthia to Fallow Point from Liverpool in five days, including a five-hour delay caused by fog off Newfoundland's Grand Banks.

The Carinthia, the 17th Canadian called at Quebec last night and departed early this morning for the final run.

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says fine weather will continue today, being mostly sunny with some cloudiness in the afternoon.

Regional forecasts:
Northern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick: Clear with a few cloudy intervals; little change in temperature; light winds becoming northwesterly in afternoon. Low-high at New Glasgow, Sydney and Charlottetown 53 and 75, Moncton and Fredericton 50 and 73, Saint John 52 and 73, Edmundston and Campbellton 50 and 70.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 5:31 a.m. and 7:38 p.m.; at Rustico at 1:56 a.m. and 1:44 p.m. Summerside lides eight-a-minute later than Charlottetown. Sea rises today at 4:32 a.m. and sets at 9:31 p.m.

Russia Rejects Western Appeal For Arms Plan

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Russia Tuesday rejected a Western appeal to join in a new start on disarmament. The Soviets proposed instead that the world agree on a treaty renouncing the use of nuclear weapons and any other force in settling disputes.

Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko put the Russian plan before the 12-member U.N. disarmament commission after blasting the Western position on disarmament and President Eisenhower's plan for aerial inspection.

Western sources indicated the Gromyko resolution had little prospect of getting anywhere.

Record High For Potato Futures

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York merchant exchange reported Tuesday that a price of \$2.99 for 100 pounds of potatoes for the November contract was the highest in history of Maine potato futures trading.

The trading unit is a carlot of 45,000 pounds. The last previous high was \$2.85 for 100 pounds set last June 25.

SINK DERELICT SHIPS

MOSCOW (Reuters) — Russia has sunk 56 American lend-lease submarine chasers and motor torpedo boats too derelict to be towed back to American naval yards, it was learned Sunday.

The ships were sunk off Murmansk in the presence of the United States naval attaché, Capt. Leonard Morse.



TEMPERATURES ISSUED BY THE TORONTO WEATHER OFFICE:

	Min	Max
Dawson	52	72
Vancouver	54	66
Victoria	50	62
Edmonton	52	70
Calgary	46	61
Regina	53	64
Winnipeg	57	64
Toronto	46	—
Ottawa	59	74
Montreal	63	75
Quebec	48	69
Fredricton	51	75
Saint John	57	71
Moncton	51	74
Charlottetown	54	—
Sydney	55	67
Yarmouth	52	72
S. John's	43	47

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Coming Events

- Bingo, Hope River tonight.
- Cardigan Tea Party, July 25.
- Kelly's Cross tea party, July 11.
- Reserve July 25th for Tighish Picnic.
- Brae Parish picnic, Tuesday, July 31.
- Dance Priest Pond School, Friday, July 6.
- Kinkora Picnic Saturday, July 28.
- Barn dance Garfield MacPhee's Thursday, Burns Orchestra.
- Regular Dance Bonshaw Inn, Tuesday night, Burns Orchestra.
- Corran Ban Picnic, Wednesday, August 1.
- Bingo and dance Kelly's Cross Hall, Wednesday, July 4.
- Dance Koy Hall, Georgetown, Wednesday, July 4, canteen.
- Dance in Dixon's Barn Friday night, July 6, canteen.
- Lobster supper, Stella Maria Hall, North Rustico, Wednesday, July 11.
- Dancing at South Rustico every Thursday night, Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra, canteen service.
- Fanningbrook Variety Concert in Lorne Valley Hall Friday, July 6, dance after.
- Ice cream festival, St. Mark's Anglican Church, Rustico, Thursday, July 5.
- Movie "Abies Irish Rose" Corran Ban Hall, Friday, July 6, 8:30.
- Movie "Abies Irish Rose" St. Teresa's Hall, Saturday, July 7, 8:30.
- Movie "Abies Irish Rose" Emerald Hall, Tuesday, July 10, 8:30.
- Picnic Immaculate Conception Church group 's, Wellington, July 4th.
- St. Mary's Parish Chicken Supper, Wednesday, July 4, at the Beaver Club Hall, Montague.
- Dancing at the White Spot every Friday night, canteen service Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- Weekly Dance, Fort Augustus Hall every Wednesday night, Burkes Orchestra.
- Dancing at South Rustico every Thursday night, Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra, canteen service, 9:30 to 12:30.
- Regular weekly dance, St. Mary's Hall, Souris, Wednesday, July 4, Cliff Peters Orchestra.
- North Wiltshire Hall, Wednesday, July 4, ice cream and cake, sandwiches and tea. In aid of W.A.
- Dance Cardigan Legion Hall Thursday night, Webster's Orchestra, P.A. system and canteen service.
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- Don't forget the Ice Cream Festival in Springvale School, Monday evening, July 9. Sponsored by Princeton Road Y.P.U.
- Reserve Friday, July 6, Lobster Supper in St. Peter's Holy Name Hall, Supper 5 to 9:30, Bingo after.
- We will be at Rustico Co-op Store, Rustico, Thursday, July 5, from 4 until 5 p.m. to engage help for strawberry factory at Mount Stewart, Mount Stewart Growers.
- Annual meeting of 4th Queens Progressive Conservative Association will be held in Belfast Hall, Saturday, July 7, at 8 p.m. Sinclair MacTavish, Secy., Frank MacDonald, Vice-Pres.

PEOPLE OF POZNAN TERRIFIED

Polish Reds Open Series Of Mass Revolt Trials

BERLIN (AP) — Red Poland Tuesday brought scores of rebel workers into court in the first of a series of mass purge trials in Poznan.

The courts were set up especially to handle participants in the three-day "bread and freedom" uprising in the industrial city of 365,000.

"The people of Poznan are so frightened about the massive retaliation measures of the Communists that they just don't even dare to speak," reported a West German businessman arriving by train from that city.

Poznan was swept with rumors that the Reds already have executed some of the revolt leaders.

WORLD WATCHING

But there was no confirmation and a Communist informant arriving in Berlin denied this was the case. He said already Tuesday the Polish government must be careful. They will observe all the laws and correct procedures because they know the "whole world is watching Poznan."

The Communist, who is not a Pole, asked that his name be withheld. He said he toured Poznan during the latter part of the revolt and spoke to senior Polish officials.

The trials which began Tuesday, the informant said, were for the "secondary violators among the hundreds of workers arrested."

He reported the Warsaw government is holding two workers—

Expect Pipeline Work On Schedule

OTTAWA (CP) — Unless the U.S. steel strike is prolonged, Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. will be able to build the western leg of its natural gas pipeline this year, acting prime minister Howe said Tuesday.

He was replying in the Commons to Hazen Argue (CCF—As-siniboia), who had asked whether Trans-Canada now has control of enough pipe to build the 575-mile prairie section this year, or whether construction would be halted by the steel strike.

Mr. Howe had informed the Commons Friday that Trans-Canada has enough pipe to build 100 miles of the pipeline section from Alberta to Winnipeg.

Mental Examination For Model In Shooting Death Of Husband

TORONTO (CP) — An attractive 20-year-old Toronto model who made a statement to police which led them to charge her Tuesday with murdering her husband, repudiated the statement three hours later and Tuesday was re-examined for mental examination.

Mrs. Lenore Bicknell, tall, willow, green-eyed redhead, called police Sunday and said she had "something to tell" about the rifle-shooting Jan. 25, last year, of her husband whose death then was ruled accidental.

After signing the statement in the early hours of Monday morning, she was charged with murder.

Bruce Bicknell, a 22-year-old auto mechanic and gun enthusiast, died after one of his collections of guns discharged in the couple's apartment as he lay on a chestfield.

RULED ACCIDENTAL
Mrs. Bicknell had told police afterwards she shot him in the face when the rifle accidentally discharged as her husband was showing her how to handle it. She said she had twice pointed

German news agency.

"Matiya and Wilgash"—as ring-leaders of the revolt and they will be among those persecuted in "political" trials.

He claimed that many of the workers arrested have been released after interrogation.

Meanwhile, the Red Polish regime threw the whole weight of their propaganda machine into whipping up popular feeling in the country against the Poznan insurgents.

"Workers in Polish factories held rallies to express their indignation at the Poznan provocation and demand severe punishment of the gang leaders," reported ADN, the Communist East

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Regional Defence Discussed At Prime Ministers' Meeting

LONDON (CP) — The Commonwealth prime ministers, past the mark in their London meetings, Tuesday discussed regional defence arrangements, India and Ceylon did not attend the sessions.

Canada took part as a member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Other pacts which came under review were the Southeast Asian Treaty Organization and the Baghdad pact for Middle East defence. India and Ceylon, espousing a policy of "non-involvement," are not members of any regional defence groups.

Today the prime ministers turn to discussions of the peaceful uses of atomic energy. They will also hold another session on Commonwealth strategy in view of Russia's changing policy. They expect to conclude their deliberations Friday.

DISCUSS RED CHINA

The most important work this week was the discussion Monday on the position of Communist China, in cool, dispassionate fashion, delegates agreed the present situation, in which such countries as Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa do not recognize the Communist regime, is incongruous and cannot continue indefinitely. But they decided to put the matter into cold storage until after the United States presidential elections in November.

Prime Minister St. Laurent spoke for Canada, and other premiers expressed interest in his views.

FAMILY TOUR

LONDON (CP) — Seventeen Calgaryans, all wearing wide-brimmed cowboy hats, flew into London airport Tuesday to begin a 74-day "family tour" of Britain and Europe. Arriving aboard a Trans-Canada Air Lines plane were the sons, daughters and grandchildren of Samuel Clarence Nickle, 67-year-old Calgary oil magnate. It is believed to be the largest family party ever to cross the Atlantic by air. The tour is expected to cost Nickle about \$20,000 (\$48,000).