

Covers Prince Edward Island Like The Dew
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Fishery Prospects

Our fisheries industry was in the doldrums a few years ago. Today it is forging steadily ahead. Latest evidence of this is in a report just received...

Our vast sea resources are only now beginning to be exploited along scientific lines, and no part of the continent stands to gain more by their development than our Atlantic Provinces area...

Getting back to the federal report of last year's fishery exports, we note that there was an exceptionally strong demand for fresh and frozen fish...

However, sales to Britain, where the convenient packs of fish sticks or fingers are proving popular with the British housewife, were also larger...

The report notes the new interest given to modernizing the Canadian fishing industry as a result of the federal-provincial conference on fisheries development held in January 1964...

We look forward to a revolution in the industry within the next few years, which will make last year's export record look small by comparison...

Canada's Aid Program

"Perhaps it should be regretted that the term 'foreign aid' was ever coined," writes Professor Peter Briant of McGill University in a study of Canada's external aid program...

Canada's assistance to developing countries in 1964 amounted to approximately \$180 million up from \$113 million the previous year. By far the largest part of this program involves grant aid dispersed under the Colombo Plan...

Other bilateral economic assistance has been given under the Canada-West Indies Aid Program (\$9 million), the Special Commonwealth

Africa Aid Program (\$7 million) and several arrangements for technical and educational assistance to Commonwealth countries and to areas in French-speaking Africa...

Further special aid has gone to refugee organizations (\$37 million), in the provision of wheat and flour to India, Pakistan and Ceylon (\$35 million), and for various reconstruction schemes in Korea, the Congo, and elsewhere...

Can we afford foreign aid on this scale? The report suggests that Canadian efforts and success in this field can be even greater, especially in connection with underdeveloped countries which need to improve their agricultural efficiency...

This study is the twelfth report to be published by the Canadian Trade Committee of the Private Planning Association of Canada, composed of business, labor, farm and educational leaders...

Of Course It Pays

For those who are but casually acquainted with our modern agricultural industry, says the Montreal Star, there may be some lifted eyebrows over the \$100 million expansion plans announced for Guelph University...

Secondly, the demand for qualified professional agriculturalists and veterinarians is increasing far more rapidly than supply, especially in the related industries which service farmers and which market and process their produce...

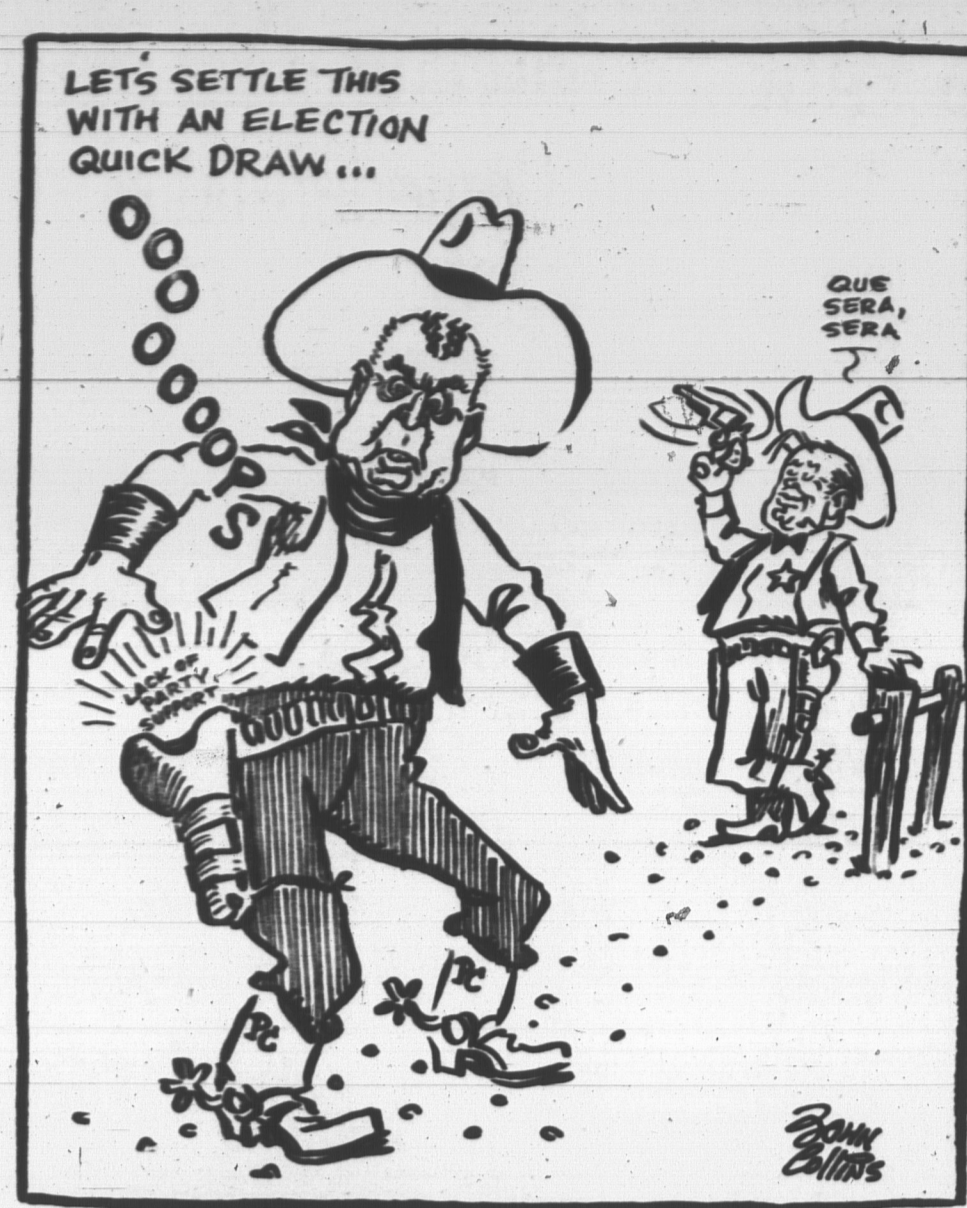
The Star quotes in this connection the reply given by Dr. A. E. Hannah, director of the federal government's research station at Winnipeg, to a query whether agricultural research was a good investment...

We look forward to a revolution in the industry within the next few years, which will make last year's export record look small by comparison. We in this province will be taking a very active part in it, which is the most encouraging news of all.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Monday's holiday, Victoria Day, was instituted in celebration of "the Queen's birthday." Too often in late years, with the increase in motor traffic, it has become a "death-day" on our highways...

In 1958-59 in Canada there were 2,500 confirmed cases of rabies in animals, a record. The total is down now—1,413 cases in 1964-65, an increase of 265 over the previous year—but federal officials remain anxious...



FASTEST GUN IN THE WEST

RHODESIA'S COURSE

British Hopes Of Averting Grave Crisis

British Information Services

Another phase in the negotiations between the British and the Rhodesian Governments on the independence issue may be expected to begin now that the Rhodesian election is over...

Not too long perhaps, but the British Government is not unhelpful of working towards that objective in talks with the Rhodesian Government on the present standing between Rhodesia and its independence...

There are several reasons now for discounting at least the fears of rapid deterioration and crisis in the situation, which were aroused by the decision of Hon. Ian Smith, the Rhodesian Prime Minister, to hold elections...

ECONOMIC DANGERS

The whole of Rhodesia is well aware of the serious economic consequences that would stem from an unconstitutional declaration of independence...

Indeed, the Rhodesian branch of the Institute of Directors defined the probable results as "disastrous."

It would, perhaps, not be too much to read into his attitude that he does not intend to use his sweeping victory at the election as a licence to force the whole issue...

PUBLIC FORUM

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SHOCKING ACCIDENTS

"In 'Across the Island' in the May 20 edition of The Guardian, a graphic picture of horrible mutilation was given by the farm editor. The increasing traffic on Island roads and the shocking headlines in our newspapers of motor accidents with so many fatalities are enough to make anyone shudder..."

Recognition of this fact was obvious at work in the recent debate on Rhodesia in the Security Council of the United Nations, where the grave anxieties, which this problem aroused in the wider world, found expression in a resolution moved by the Afro-Asian members...

They called on Britain to take all necessary action to prevent a unilateral declaration of independence and to enter into consultations with all concerned, with a view to making new arrangements acceptable to the majority of the people of Rhodesia...

Lord Caradon, Britain's Permanent Delegate at the United Nations, while emphasizing once more that bringing Rhodesia to independence was solely Britain's responsibility, was quick to underline again that the British Government's purpose had always been to reach a solution through "consultation and negotiation..."

WOULD REMOVE LIABILITY

London Free Press

Farm products marketing has been mentioned individually as well as for joint action as directors. Certainly some guarantee must be provided to these marketing salesmen if each branch of agriculture is to get the best men as their representatives...

When they face complaints they are expected to explain their decisions. But if lawsuits are launched that require individual members to hire legal counsel to defend them through litigations that may be lengthy, the cost and the annoyance is too great...

Such a suit was entered recently against members of the Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board for their refusal to accept crops from certain growers. They were mentioned individually as well as for joint action as directors...

After Six Centuries

National Geographic Society

After six centuries of devoted labor, the great Cathedral of Milan has been completed. At the final touch, the Most Reverend Giovanni Colombo, Arch-bishop of Milan, recently unveiled the last of five massive bronze doors, blessed it, and prayed: "May this door be one to hope and salvation..."

The Milan Cathedral was begun in 1386. It is the third largest in Europe, after St. Peter's Basilica in Rome and Spain's Seville Cathedral. The interior can accommodate 40,000 worshippers at a single service...

Built of white marble in the shape of a Latin cross, the Duomo, as the Milanese call it, dominates the great square in the center of town. The Gothic spires rise to a 350-foot pinnacle topped by a gold-covered statue of the Madonna. On clear days, strollers on the roof terrace below the pinnacle can see the snow-capped Alps more than 50 miles away...

Despite its hugeness, the Cathedral of Milan gives the appearance of shimmering, delicate lace. Its 135 stone spires push skyward like a forest of marble trees. Some 4,000 marble statues decorate the edifice; they are perched on spires, turrets, stone supports, and eaves. The statues depict such varied beings as Adam and Eve, warriors, farmers, architects who designed the Cathedral, and a host of dragons, serpents, and gargoyles...

Young Marriages

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen
Approximately 40 per cent of all brides are teen-agers. Their average age is between 15 and 18, in contrast to that of the bridegroom, 19 and 21 years. Most of these girls are juniors and seniors in high school...

Early marriage and early parenthood tend to go together. Many are pregnant by the time they marry. The incidence of divorce is higher than average among this group—50 per cent break up within five years. Possible reasons include the large number of unplanned pregnancies and that many of them are not ready to care for a family...

The problem is not of age but of readiness. They are not able to assume the responsibility for others and are not capable of being economically independent. Teen-agers often live under the illusion that to fall in love implies readiness for marriage and that it is easier for a man to maintain a wife because women are able to get a good job. They also have the notion that modern birth control methods are infallible...

Are early marriages desirable? No, considering the high divorce rate and other hardships that develop. This is true when one or both partners show evidence of social immaturity and personal maladjustment. According to Dr. Mary's S. Calderone, parents of teenagers should be on the alert for signs of these traits. An example is the high schooler who shows evidence of lack of stability and becomes a problem at home...

What is the answer? Young people must be prepared for marriage, regardless of when they marry. In addition, it takes more than apathy to condone this practice. Take a positive stand, depending upon the child. Ask yourself: "Are they ready?" The boy often is forgotten and no one helps him continue his development into manhood...

RESUSCITATION

T. G. writes: In mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, should the victim's head be turned to one side?

OVERWORKED HEART

C. E. writes: How does a toxic goiter affect the heart?

POOR CIRCULATION

Mrs. J.B.F. writes: Is it possible to have neuralgia in the feet?

REPLY

Yes, Morton's disease is a neuralgia in which pain on the bottom of the foot stems from pressure on the nerves between the metatarsal bones.

TODAY'S HEALTH HINT—

Fishing is a healthful, relaxing sport.

NOTES BY THE WAY

How many children would starve to death if there was no peanut butter?—Door County Advocate.

A riot in a ballroom these days would pose an interesting challenge to the police. How could they decide which ones were fighting and which were dancing?—Calgary Herald.

A beatnik lived in a room with just a bed and chair. One night a friend happened to drop in and, seeing two magazines lying on the floor, asked: "What did you do, man, hire a decorator?"—Toronto Star.

"What do you think of Red China," the matronly lady asked another during a luncheon discussion of world affairs. "Oh, I don't know," replied the other lady. "I guess it would be all right if you used it on a yellow tablecloth."—Milwaukee Journal.

A man owes it to himself to become successful. Once successful, he owes it to the income tax department. — Wall Street Journal.

A young lady entered a crowded car with a pair of skates slung over her arm. An elderly gentleman arose to give her his seat. "Thank you very much, sir," she said. "but I've been skating all afternoon and I'm tired of sitting down."—Guelph Mercury.

The new minister drew one of his parishioners aside. "I sincerely trust," he said, "that a nothing in the sermon offended your husband. I noticed he waked out right in the middle of my speech." "Oh, my," laughed the woman. "you mustn't pay any attention to George. He's been walking in his sleep since he was a baby!"—Galt Reporter.

Arms Control And China

By Joseph MacSweeney
Canadian Press Staff Writer

China's explosion of a second nuclear device is the most spectacular of a number of developments leading to a new attention to disarmament and arms control. The developments are being discussed in Britain and elsewhere amid suggestions that the 114-nation United Nations disarmament commission take a first step toward getting China into arms negotiations...

North Atlantic alliance ministers meeting in London that the great powers have only three years at the most to check a runaway spread of nuclear weapons. After 1968 some 20 countries—including such rivals as India and Pakistan, Israel and the United Arab Republic—would be able to manufacture "cheap but deadly atomic bombs."

China has so far shown no desire for arms negotiations except on terms unacceptable to the West but some London observers believe this situation may well change. China, in this view, is being no tougher toward the West now than the Soviet Union was only a few years ago at the height of the cold war. Yet the Kremlin and the West have made progress on nuclear control.

Our Yesterdays

(From The Guardian Files)

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(May 22, 1940)

Prime Minister Churchill wielded more power than any other British statesman in history as the nation entrusted to him all its life, wealth and property to be thrown into the fight against Hitler's advancing columns.

TEN YEARS AGO

(May 22, 1955)

Dr. J. Henry Blanchard of Charlottetown is being honored tomorrow evening at the convocation of the Moncton Department of St. Joseph's University. The honorary degree of Doctor of Education or Pedagogy will be conferred on him at that time. He already has the degree of B.S. M.A., and honorary Doctor of Literature from Laval University.

Clive Stanley MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacDonald, Summerside, received his Bachelor of Science degree at Acadia University recently. He has applied for entrance to the dentistry class at Dalhousie.

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