



HIS HONOUR Lt. Governor T. W. L. Prowse at official opening of the 11th annual Festival of Music in the Auditorium of Prince of Wales College last night. Dr. G. D. Steel (left), Past President, Mrs. Preston Beck, President and Dr. Lloyd W. Shaw, Director of Education are also pictured. Lower picture - Adjudicators Dr. Leslie Bell, Mr. Kilburn, G. J. Mitchell and Boris Roubakin. Guardian Photo.

MEETING IN PARIS TODAY

Pearson Seen Likely Next NATO Secretary-General

PARIS (CP)—Lord Ismay, secretary-general of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, Thursday night warned against expecting any "spectacular or concrete results" from the meeting of NATO foreign ministers which opens today.

respondents at the Palais de Chaillot on the eve of the three-day meeting whose main emphasis will be on developing the economic and political aspects of the Western alliance.

Pearson arrived aboard an RCAF plane from London Thursday and Ismay quoted him as saying on arrival: "As the question of Lord Ismay's resignation has not arisen and I hope will not arise for a long time, there is no question of a successor. I hope this will dispose of any reports that link me with the position."

The outlines of a Western big power understanding on linking world disarmament moves with the reunification of Germany emerged Thursday night after a series of separate meetings among foreign ministers of the United States, Britain, France and West Germany.

Diplomatic officials said the powers are agreed that the West should stand ready to enter into an accord with Russia for partial disarmament. This would be acceptable before the reunification of Germany.

Big Catches Of Lobsters At Alberton

Catches of lobsters at Alberton, with only two days of the season gone, are exceptionally good and may reach an all time record.

SALE FOR SYMPHONY TORONTO (CP)—When the dust had died down Wednesday after a Toronto Symphony Orchestra rummage sale the women's organizing committee estimated it made a net \$15,000 from 12,000 customers.

Coming Events

- Dance in Mount Ryan Hall every Saturday. Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra. Dancing 9 to 12. Spring sale continues at Waddell Bros., Crapaud, today and Saturday. Regular Saturday night dance St. Peter's Bay Hall, Messer's orchestra. See "You Can't Beat The Irish" in Emerald Hall, Monday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. Good specialties. Unloading two cars choice wheat Friday, Saturday and Monday. Special price off car. Bring bags E. J. MacDougall, Vernon. Dancing at South Rustico every Friday night. Rollic MacKenzie's orchestra. Canteen service. Regular Saturday night dance, St. Peter's Bay Hall, Messer's Orchestra. Cleaning grain and timothy for rest of the season. Ira MacDonald, Covehead. Kingston Baptist W.M.S. pantry sale. Simpson and Sears, May 11th, 2:30 p.m. Wellington Players presenting "Maid of Money," Grand River Hall, Tuesday, May 8th. Farmers: — Cleaning timothy daily. MacGuigan & Boyle, Hunter River, P. E. I. Showing at Mt. Stewart Friday and Saturday nights at 8:30: "The Night My Number Came Up." Borden Legion Hall Friday, May 11, Indian River Drama Festival play, auspices C.W.L. Seven Mile Bay. Unloading car bulk oats No. 3 C.W., Thursday, May 3rd and Friday, May 4. Bring bags, P. L. Morris Feed Service, 12 Lower Queen Street. Hear Aaron Slick From Pumpkin Creek, 3-act comedy by Hunter River and Wheatley River Y. P.U., Stanley Bridge Hall, Friday May 4th. Sponsored by Stanley W.A. Hear Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Creek, 3 act comedy by Hunter River and Wheatley River Y. P.U. Stanley Bridge Hall, Friday May 4th. Sponsored by Stanley W.A.

Festival Achievements Are Praised By Governor

"This movement has had phenomenal growth, and its aims to improve the standard of living and the love of good music and to discover talent have all been realized, and are still being realized each year," said His Honour Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse in officially opening the eleventh annual Provincial Musical Festival last evening.

Addressing a large audience in Prince of Wales College hall, His Honour said the benefits of this specialized art are being felt in our island culture. "Our churches, our schools and our homes have all been brightened by the new stimulus to better music," he added. "Who knows but that a virtuoso may be discovered, who will be to music what Lucy Maude Montgomery has been to Island literature, as chosen by the adjudicators."

The immense amount of intricate detail necessary to a smooth running Festival is all handled by voluntary workers, and the people of P. E. I. are given this opportunity each year to participate and to enjoy this feast of music.

"As we see and hear the different performers in this festival, let us remember that their attainments are made possible by the guidance, instruction, and inspiration of our hard working music teachers, as well as to their own application."

"I wish to welcome to our shore the four distinguished musicians who are adjudicating this year's festival. With their knowledge, experience, and attainments in the field of music, they are able to give much helpful advice and criticism to the contestants as they strive toward perfection."

"Shakespeare said, 'He that has no music in his soul or is not stirred by concert of sweet sounds is fit for treason, stratagems, and spoils.'"

"I hereby declare this eleventh annual Festival officially open."

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS Mrs. Preston Beck extended a warm welcome to the contestants, adjudicators and spectators and thanked the Lieut. Governor for his remarks in officially opening the festival. She also expressed appreciation for the presence of the honorary president, Dr. L. Shaw and past-president Dr. G. D. Steel.

Mrs. Beck reported that the public interest was still growing and the entry lists becoming long-

HAMMARSKJOLD EN ROUTE HOME

3 More Cease-Fire Pacts

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP) Dag Hammarskjold came up Thursday with three more Palestine cease fire agreements. Aimed to muzzle the guns on both sides of the frontiers, they were reached by Israel and three of her Arab neighbors—Syria, Jordan and Lebanon.

The UN secretary-general, who broke the ice with an Egyptian-Israeli ceasefire pact in the Gaza area effective April 18, announced these results of his five-week-old Middle East peace mission in a preliminary report from Jerusalem to the Security Council.

Heading home now by way of Cairo and Rome, he said the agreements are unconditional, with reservations as to self-defence.

The new agreements are intended to reinforce ceasefire pledges made by Israel and her Arab neighbors in the armistice agreements that ended the Palestine war of 1948.

Provincial Conservative Ass'n Issues Statement Re Members' Pay Increase

Following the regular monthly meeting of the Executive of the Prince Edward Island Progressive Conservative Association, the following statement re the raise in pay to private members was issued by the President of the Association:

"At a meeting of the Executive of our Association, which was held on March 7th, 1956, while the Legislature was in Session, it was intimated to us that a movement was being sponsored to increase the emolument at that time being paid to the Members and we are firmly of the belief that neither the financial position of the Province at the present time nor the unfortunate economic position of our primary producers warrant the expenditure of any additional money from the public treasury to provide any increase in pay, either by way of travelling expenses or otherwise."

Famous Scottish Lord Will Visit Province On May 16

Alexander Frederick Douglas-Home, 14th Earl of Home, British Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations accompanied by Lady Home will visit Prince Edward Island on May 16. During their stay in Charlottetown, Lord and Lady Home will be guests at Government House of His Honor T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse.

Present plans call for the arrival of the distinguished couple on the morning of the 16th by air from Halifax. They will have lunch with Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Prowse. In the afternoon a reception will be held at Government House and a dinner at 8:00 p.m. in the Charlottetown Hotel will see Lord and Lady Home as guests of the Government of Prince Edward Island.

SCOTTISH ANCESTRY The Earl of Home was well known in the House of Commons for many years as Lord Dunsburgh, before he succeeded his father in 1951 to become the 14th holder of an Earldom created in 1604.

The records of his family go far back into Scottish history to the granting of lands and a castle by King William the Lion, before 1214. One of Lord Home's ancestors was Scottish Ambassador to England in the 15th century and another led the van at Flodden.

Born in 1903, the elected president of the Saskatoon city Liberal constituency.

Born in England but raised and educated in western Canada, she holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of Saskatchewan and is a normal school graduate.

She's also a member of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs, the University Women's Club and the National Council of Women.

Study Rock Fill, Currents For Causeway

OTTAWA (CP)—Availability of rock for fill and the problem of tidal currents are the chief factors of a study being made of a proposed causeway to connect Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick, across Northumberland Strait.

Maj.-Gen. H. A. Young, deputy minister of public works, Thursday told the senate banking committee the war he toured Argentina with the request of the P. E. I. government.

Gen. Young did not go into any details but said rock fill and tidal currents are main considerations. There was virtually no rock or gravel in P. E. I.

Under question by Senator George H. Barbour (L-P. E. I.), he said he does not know which department would handle the project if it were decided to build the causeway, which would be roughly 13 miles long, including approaches.

BROTHERHOOD OFFICER PHILADELPHIA (AP)—J. W. Lebeau of Montreal Thursday was elected fifth vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers (CIO-AFL).

Wants Rules Changed To Beat Island Hogs At Fair

OTTAWA, (Special)—Suggestion that the system of judging hogs at the Royal Winter Fair at Toronto be changed so that Prince Edward Island hogs will not carry off the lion's share of the prizes was made in the House of Commons Thursday afternoon by H. A. Hosking, Liberal MP for Wellington South and enthusiastic amateur agriculturist.

Mr. Hosking remarked that if more attention were paid to the judging of live hogs and less to judging of the carcasses, bacon and ham, P. E. I. hogs would not do nearly as well as they did last year. On this subject, he told the House:

"At the Toronto show we had some hogs exhibited from Prince Edward Island and in the Todd Trophy prize, Prince Edward Island had 16 exhibits and won 13 prizes. These prizes were judged on the carcasses, so that they saw the ham and bacon side. With regard to the Brethour Trophy, we have a similar situation where the hogs from Prince Edward Island entered in some 15 classes, and, I believe, won 12 prizes."

"Yet in the live classes, that Island did not get one first-class award. So I would suggest that the Minister ask the judges whether it would not be wise to give prizes to live hogs for the type of hog that when killed will give us good bacon."

Immediately prior to leaving Ottawa for Prince Edward Island, J. Angus MacLean, Conservative MP for Queens was told of Mr. Hosking's remarks about P. E. I. hogs.

It was too bad, he conceded, but apparently hog-raisers from Ontario and other Provinces of Canada realized that the only way they could possibly beat P. E. I. hogs in a national show, was to change the rules of judging.

MR. GARDINER'S FIGURES Earlier in the debate on agricultural estimates, Mr. MacLean intimated that Agriculture Minister Gardiner gave an inaccurate picture of Canada's farm situation by juggling with farm statistics. Mr. Gardiner, he contended, made

it was gratifying to find that old donors had persuaded new donors to come along with them, and the example set by Mr. Percy Gay, Manager of The Sunshine Island Dairy, is worthy of mention. He arrived at the afternoon clinic accompanied by his entire staff—a 100 per cent effort, and in the evening he brought five other donors whom he had convinced of the necessity of attending.

Mr. Edward MacPhail, Supervisor of the Vocational School, put on a special drive and as a result 12 donors from there attended and five employees at Maritime Motor Supply all came to the clinic together.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion headed by the president Mrs. Lily Corrigan, again took the lead in supplying workers for yesterday's clinics and were ably assisted by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Baptist Church, members of the Red Cross Corps and representatives of Rochford Square High School Red Cross. Members of the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Legion, in addition to providing The Clover Club free of any charge for the Clinics, lent every support to the all-out effort.

The mobile team is leaving early this morning on return to Halifax very much pleased with the results of the four days of clinics during which a total of 1,297 donors registered. This was made up of the 142 at Charlottetown, plus the 155 donors who attended the R.C.A.F. clinic held at the Station in Summerside last Monday morning.

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ORPHANAGE WELL REPRESENTED ML. Herbert Orphanage was at the Musical Festival session above all acquitted themselves well represented in the Boys' Club yesterday at Queen Charlotte High School. The boys pictured (Solo Class (12 years and under) High School. The boys pictured (Guardian Photo)



MONEY IS THE MOST IMPORTANT ROOT OF MOST FAMILY TROUBLES

TORONTO (CP)—Temperature bulletins issued by the public weather office:

Table with 2 columns: City and Temperature (Night/Day). Rows include Dawson, Vancouver, Victoria, Montreal, Quebec, Saint John, Moncton, Halifax, Charlottetown, Sydney, St. John's, Sarnia, and Yorkmouth.

HALIFAX (CP)—The weather office here says somewhat drier air will spread into the district and only widely scattered showers are expected today.

Forecast: Northern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island: Cloudy with widely scattered showers; little change in temperature; light winds becoming west 15 about noon. Low-high at New Glasgow 40 and 52, Charlottetown 40 and 50.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 5:19 a.m. and 4:51 p.m. at Rustico at 2:00 a.m. and 11:37 p.m. Summerside tides eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 4:58 a.m. and sets at 7:22 p.m.