

### "Covers Prince Edward Island Like The Dew"

## Woman Completes Fight

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Joan Merriam Tuesday completed her knuckle-scourged 72,000-mile solo flight around the world in a six-year-old light airplane.

She was escorted the last 100 miles by two U.S. Coast Guard aircraft because of roughening and overheating right engine. She had to shut it down briefly as she approached the California coast.

Both engines were operating when she reached Oakland International Airport at 9:12 a.m. for a welcome by about 400 people.

"This is a helluva way to lose weight," the 27-year-old blonde exclaimed as she opened the cockpit of her weathered twin-engine Piper Apache.

At an airport press conference, the obviously exhausted woman from Long Beach, Calif., took time to dedicate her flight to the memory of the famed U.S. aviator, Amelia Earhart, who died in 1937 in a similar attempt.

# E.C. Committee to Study Impact of Separation

## Ch'town Taxpayers To Organize Ass'n

Some 40 persons, representing a number of city business houses and private householders, met in the city police court along with the nine-member committee, previously named at a similar meeting held April 28 at the Clover Club.

The only action to be taken last evening was to appoint a nominating committee charged with bringing in a slate of officers for an executive body of the proposed formation of a Charlottetown Taxpayers Association.

This slate is to be presented at a public meeting scheduled to be held on the evening of June 9 in the city court room.

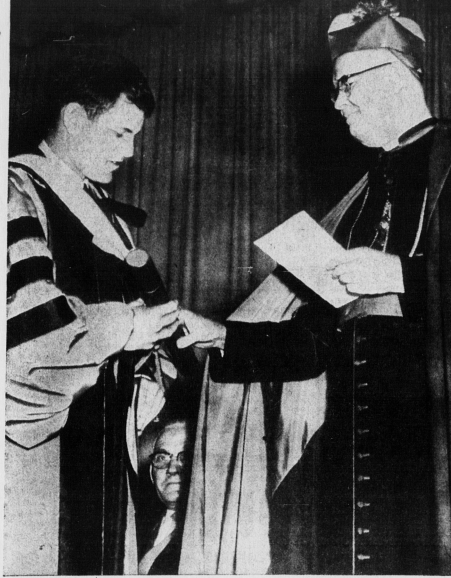
A list of names and the decision to form an association arose out of the city's new assessment formula which, as it is claimed to have created many cases of unwarranted tax increases.

## Russia Expects To Win Word War

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Communist party expressed confidence Tuesday that it will win the word war with Communist China because of prosperity achieved by the Soviet Union among other reasons.

An "upsurge of well-being of the working people" move Moscow has the right line, the Communist party newspaper Pravda claimed.

Pravda said the Chinese hope to achieve "the unconditional surrender of those who do not share their views, that by means of blackmail, slander and threats they will succeed in imposing their line on other parties."



MOST REV. Malcolm A. MacEachern, D.D., Ph.D., Chancellor, St. Dunstan's University, presents Senator Edward M. Kennedy with an honorary Doctorate of Laws decree from the university during the commencement exercises yesterday afternoon. Senator Kennedy gave the address to the graduates.

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On earth is to do the work of God."

Senator Kennedy who received an honorary Doctorate of Laws degree from St. Dunstan's arrived here at 3 p.m. to speak to the graduates and left again just before 6 p.m. He travelled by private plane.

## More Van Boos Move To Krenia Pass Area

By GERARD ALARIE — NICOSIA (CP) — The 1st Battalion of Quebec's Royal 22nd Regiment pulled up stakes Tuesday and moved its headquarters from a suburb of Nicosia into the strategic Krenia Pass area, 12 miles north of Nicosia.

The 130 officers and men attached to battalion headquarters are the first to move northwards in a transfer of Canadian troops that will eventually increase the strength of the United Nations peace-keeping force around the pass by nearly 300 men and 40 vehicles.

Another company of the Royal 22nd is still to be moved into the mountains from Nicosia.

Battalion headquarters tents were pitched on the slopes of the Krenia range in a site formerly occupied by C Company of the Royal 22nd, commanded by Maj. Patrick Tremblay of Chicoutimi, Que.

Company moved its tents to a new position little more than a mile away. The entire transfer was carried out smoothly and was completed by noon.

**MAINTAIN CEASE-FIRE**

While the moving operation went on, fighting Greek and Turkish-Cypriot peaks maintained their cease-fire.

The main object of moving more Canadians into the area is to prevent the warring factions from resuming hostilities around the Krenia Pass, through which runs the main road between Nicosia and the northern separatist of Krenia.

## Unification Bill Given House Okay

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons gave second reading approval in principle Tuesday night to a government bill implementing the first step of unification of the armed forces.

Conservative MP's who led the opposition to the measure, without forcing a roll-call vote.

Spokesmen for the New Democrats, Creditistes and Social Credit MPs indicated earlier in the three-day debate that they support the measure in principle.

The bill, which would replace the chiefs of staff committee with a single chief of the defence staff, now goes to the speaker's throne on page 2, col. 21.

## PC Members Annoyed By Creditistes Flag

OTTAWA (CP) — The Creditistes touched off a minor uproar along the Conservative benches Tuesday by displaying on their desks small silk flags of red and white, diagonally and superimposed by a green maple leaf.

"Monstrous!" cried one Conservative MP.

The little flags drew no official notice for the first 40 minutes of the sitting until Nicholas Mandziuk (PC—Marquette) suggested to Premier Allan Rock that it was "contrary to House rules to display symbols on MPs' desks."

After the call of "monstrous," Creditiste Leader, Jean Charest complained that an MP has the right to insult an other.

Robert C. Coates (PC—Cumbria), who has launched his own "crusade" to officially designate the Red Ensign as Canada's official flag, rose and said angrily that it was proclaimed as such by order-in-council in 1945 and there is no reason or justification for displaying another symbol.

Mr. Macnaughton, interceding, said it was general practice in the Commons not to display flags, apples or tins of honey" in the chamber.

## Parliament At A Glance

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Prime Minister Pearson said the government will not stand or fall on the flag issue.

Creditiste MPs displayed at least one small silk flag with the design of their preference.

Conservative backbencher suggested that Associate Defence Minister Carlin replace Defence Minister Healy.

The Commons approved in principle bill establishing a single defence staff chief.

Defence Minister Healy said the Liberal government is increasing Canada's defence capability.

The Commons also agreed Tuesday to debate a bill making the divorce commissioner an Exchequer Court judge. The Senate meets at 3 p.m.

## New Service To Mainland Will Be On Seven-Day Basis

The Canadian National Railways will begin a new seven-day service between Charlottetown and Amherst, scheduled to start June 15, will operate seven days a week, as learned yesterday. The special summer service will end Sept. 20.

Two return trips will be operated daily. The buses will leave Charlottetown at 6:45 a.m. and Amherst at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The agreement between the railways and SMT Limited will provide for much needed service to and from Montreal.

In regard to travellers with tickets to intermediate points between Charlottetown and Summerside, the railways pointed out that the bus and train schedules closely coincide and passengers are advised to switch to reach their destination.

Local railway officials last night stated that the present rail service between Charlottetown and Moncton will remain in effect. The new CNR-SMT service is designed to augment the normal train schedule.

Details have not been worked out as yet, particularly with regard to which terminal the bus and train schedule in town, the SMT terminal at the CNR station. But there is a strong possibility that it will be the latter.

## Panama Sees Upset Win

PANAMA CITY (AP) — Government candidate Marco A. Robles scored an upset victory in Panama's presidential election on the basis of nearly complete returns announced Tuesday night.

The national electoral tribunal figures gave Robles an unsurmountable 11,000-vote margin over international candidate, former President Arnulfo Arias. The tribunal gave Robles 124,839 votes to 115,760 for Arias on the basis of results from 1,039 of 1,144 voting stations.

Robles, 58, a banker, had been and was born during a war."

He told the graduates, "we have seen changes in the world, new industries, new housing, new techniques in farming, affecting your life and affecting the U.S. — controlled canal zone."

## Instructor, Student Die

RIVERS, Man. (CP) — An instructor and a student were killed Tuesday when an RCMP expeditor aircraft crashed while practising landings and takeoffs at the Canadian joint air training centre here.

Killed when the aircraft plunged into the ground and burned seconds after lifting off.

Mr. Coates asked Prime Minister Pearson earlier whether he could give an assurance that when the design for the proposed new national flag is presented to Parliament, MPs would have a "free vote" and that the defeat of the design would not be considered a vote of non-confidence in the government.

Mr. Pearson replied: "When the time comes to

## Forestry Minister Sauve Explains Quebec's Views

TORONTO (CP) — French Canada has a passionate feeling for the preservation of its language but it is not trying to force the rest of Canada to speak French, federal Forestry Minister Sauve said Tuesday.

He said Quebec's fight against assimilation by English Canada has become one of the most serious but at last understood problems of national unity. English television pushed out of the major clubs of Toronto, Mr. Sauve said English-speaking Canadians do not realize the massive onslaught by the English-speaking world on French language traditions.

"I suppose most of you must imagine that recent events, such as the creation of a royal commission on bilingualism and bilingualism and the greater interest of English-Canadians in learning French, have lented to the Church and army, like the French language and culture."

The oppose was the case, English television, for example, makes it more difficult upon young people in Quebec than

## MPs May Get Monday Off

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons, holidays over a Easter weekend, may get a day off Monday to celebrate Victoria Day.

Prime Minister Pearson said Monday would be a "day in a row" to Social Credit Leader Thompson that after discussion with the House, he expects to propose a motion for a Monday holiday.

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## Rusk Reiterates U.S. View Cuban Surveillance Vital

THE HAGUE (Reuters) — U.S. State Secretary Rusk Tuesday reiterated United States intention to continue air surveillance of Cuba and warned NATO ministers that interference could present serious problems both to the U.S. and the other.

Rusk made the statement to the 15-nation NATO ministerial council opening a three-day session here behind closed doors.

Informed sources said Rusk also urged more moral and material support from the free world for the U.S.-backed anti-Communist war in South Vietnam.

He said the West must assist the South Vietnamese in their struggle because of the consequences of any failure would be serious.

Rusk said it was vital for the U.S. to maintain air surveillance of Cuba since it was on the basis of this reconnaissance that the U.S. was able to assure to itself and allies that there were no strategic missiles in Cuba, he said was exporting subversives, money, arms,

subversion the Organization of American States pursued the Cuban case.

The secretary said Russian troops were leaving Cuba but there still no more there to suit the U.S.

**CUBANS BEING TRAINED**

He said there was reason to believe that Cuban exiles were being trained to operate some of the equipment they were leaving Cuba but might be less restrained than the Russians.

Rusk told the ministers South Vietnam needed elements of industrial plants, commodities, military personnel, vaccines and aid.

Above all, however, it needed psychological support, vaccines and aid.

On East-West relations, Rusk said the Soviet Premier Khrushchev had considered difficulties with the Chinese.

He said Khrushchev's position as world leader was being put in jeopardy but said this was not necessarily in the best interests of the free world.

## Premier Shaw Opens New Bank Building

Premier Walter R. Shaw cut a length of ribbon Tuesday to officially open the new building of the Charlottetown Branch of the Bank of Montreal, manager of the Charlottetown branch, C. F. Boyd, and chief executive officer of the Bank of Montreal, Mayor A. Walton Gaudet, and R. D. Mulholland, vice president and chief manager, Bank of Montreal.

## Citizenship Day Stressed By P.M.

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Pearson said Tuesday that Citizenship Day is an opportunity to realize the goals of the country's Canadians an opportunity to work toward making the country "even stronger and more united in the years that lie ahead."

Being a prepared statement in the Commons, Mr. Pearson said that Canadians have their traditions and culture. "To create a nation broad in outlook, strong in unity and purpose, all of our citizens will be able to say with joy and pride, 'I am a Canadian citizen.'

Opposition Leader Diefenbaker, who with other party leaders endorsed the remarks of the prime minister, said that what Canadians need today is a message of unity and independence. The concept of a united Canada from sea to sea was more necessary today than ever before. Mr. Diefenbaker said Canadians need to be made more Canadian-conscious and Canadian-proud.

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