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Group From 27th Brigade Leaves For Home

Judging Concluded At Successful Live Mink Show Here Yesterday

The Live Fox and Mink Show was concluded at the Exhibition Fox Show Pavilion shortly before noon yesterday. It was a marked success, particularly the mink display which was the largest and most varied ever seen in the Maritimes. It drew favorable comment from Judge John Maloney of Hudson's Bay Company, Montreal, who has judged mink shows at many places in Canada and the United States.

He said the improvement was very great over the previous year and he gave the breeders much encouragement, stating they were moving along the right lines and should build up some really good ranches here. The color was exceptionally good this year and the animals on display were well developed and in splendid fur condition.

Presentations Made
At the conclusion of his talk, Mr. Maloney presented a beautiful Hudson Bay Point Blanket to Ernest T. Mill of Kensington, winner of the Grand Aggregate for foxes and a similar blanket to B. B. Jones, winner of the Grand Aggregate for mink.

B. B. Jones continued his winning streak of the previous day with pastels, topping sections two, three and four, also championships for males and females and also grand championships.

Great interest was taken in the display of sapphires. The light was good, and these beautiful greyish blue mink showed up splendidly. All the prizes went to the Lowell Hancock ranch, Summerside, with a portion of these

winners owned by Hancock and Lecky. Lowell Hancock also took the grand championships for this type.

Only a few Aleutians were tabled but they were beautiful, with B. B. Jones winning first for adult male and the grand championship. L. W. Hancock winning first and second in the female section, and reserve championship.

The Platinums had a strong entry list, and here again Lowell Hancock was the winner in sections one, three and four with Leith Clark, Summerside, winning section two and taking a lot of places. Championships for males and reserve championships were won by Lowell Hancock, with Leith Clark winning championships for females and grand championship.

B. B. Jones scored again with Stewart Platinums, winning first and second in section one with Hancock and Lecky taking third, fourth and fifth placings, and Fred Robertson sixth.

The grand championship was awarded to Hancock and Lecky's adult female with reserve grand championship going to B. B. Jones' adult male.

The Breath of Spring display was a good one and Ernest T. Mill finished on top in section one with Clayton Mill two and three, Stewart and Roop four and five and Fred Robertson sixth. In the female section Ernest T. Mill was

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Have Spent Past Year On Duty In Germany

HANNOVER, Nov. 13 — (Reuters) — A total of 686 married officers and men of the Canadian 27th Infantry Brigade left for home today after a year's service in Germany as part of North Atlantic Treaty forces.

Many stands were on the station to see them off on a cold and foggy day. Two military bands played as the soldiers boarded the train.

Maj. G. J. Baird of Regina, commanding the first returning batch, explained: "We shall arrive at Rotterdam . . . tonight, and then we are going to board the troopship Neptunia for Quebec.

"In 10 days we shall be back in Canada."

The commander of the 27th Brigade, Brig. Geoffrey Walsh, who is returning home next month and is expected to become director-general of Canadian military training, saw the contingent off.

Capt. E. A. Shortt of Calgary, said he would reach home just in time for his daughter Caroline's ninth birthday. There was a top-secret bundle in his luggage for her.

Many of the Canadians carried Bavarian leather shorts for their children, folding umbrellas for their wives and souvenirs of all kinds.

Their replacements — 692 officers and men — arrived here within a few hours.

Among them were Brig. J. E. C. Paingman, 42, of Toronto, who will take over from Walsh in December.

There were no welcoming ceremonies, but on hand to greet the contingent were T. C. Davis, the Canadian Ambassador, and Col. James Houghton, the Canadian military attaché.

Most of the replacements are from Camp Petawawa and Borden, Ont., and Camp Shilo, Man.

Sgt. N. S. Rebillard of Petawawa, married and the father of three children, said: "It was a bit hard to leave so soon before Christmas, but we all have to face it."

Two more contingents of replacements are expected to arrive here Nov. 25 and Dec. 5 or 6.

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Can't Have Increased Services And Tax Cuts, Finance Minister Says

LONDON, Ont., Nov. 13 — (CP) — Finance Minister Abbott today told Canadians to halt demands for increased government services if they want tax cuts.

"They simply can't have both, he said in a speech prepared for delivery before the Women's Canadian Club of London. Taxes were the price consumers paid for government services, whether Federal, provincial or municipal.

"I agree with almost everybody," he said, "that tax rates are unacceptably high and that we ought to follow policies which will lead toward lower tax rates."

Lower Taxes Possible
"We can have lower tax rates on two conditions—that we increase our total efficiency and productivity and that we do not ask our government to embark on large, new and expensive projects."

In a democracy, citizens had to realize that when it came to government services, there was nothing "free." Yet the demand for

increased government services had grown tremendously through the years.

"It is a simple fact, but one that has to be constantly repeated," said Mr. Abbott, "that no government services are really free. They all have their price."

Suggests Caution
He suggested caution. "My view is that we should do well in the immediate future to digest our present gains and move very slowly in the direction of new government services."

"When we have got our productivity up and our tax rates down, it will be time enough to consider whether we should undertake large new services."

Yet Mr. Abbott said he realized that in a democracy, governments cannot persistently refuse to undertake projects which the people want and still stay in office.

The only thing he could do was to suggest that consumers—the taxpayers—think twice.

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Western 4-H Clubs Clean Up Prizes

TORONTO, Nov. 13 — (CP) — The 4-H teams from Western Canada won eight of the 20 prizes awarded each year by the Canadian Council on 4-H Clubs, it was announced tonight.

Alberta teams won first place in food, clothing and garden clubs; British Columbia won the potato title, Manitoba won the poultry and grain and beef cattle crowns.

The only Eastern team to place was the St. Hyacinthe, Que., club which won in dairy cattle.

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SMUGGLING MARGARINE

NEWPORT, Vt., Nov. 13 — (AP) — Police on the Canada-United States border reported today that smuggling of oleomargarine into Canada now is causing trouble. Heretofore margarine has been a principal contraband.

The C. M. P. reported a Drummondville, Que., man had been fined \$350 for smuggling margarine and 240 pounds of oleo into Quebec.

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Suggests Annual Fisheries Exhibition For P. E. Island



Mr. L. L. Noonan
Re-elected President of the P. E. I. Fisheries Federation.

A fisheries exhibition to be held in connection with one of the local regattas was suggested yesterday by Hon. Eugene Cullen, Minister of Industry and Resources, in addressing the annual meeting of the P. E. Island Fisheries Federation.

Mr. Cullen expressed the opinion that such an exhibition would prove successful and would receive some support from the Provincial Government.

The meeting went on record as seeking relief from the excise duties imposed on certain fishing equipment, and of urging that more care be taken in safeguarding cans leaving the factory to insure exterior cleanliness.

President L. L. Noonan, who presided at the meeting, was re-elected. Other officers elected were: President, G. Frank Cameron, vice-president and Walthen Gaudet, secretary. Directors are: King's County, Edward Gallant, Goursis, T. H. Fraser, Murray Harbour, Prince County, G. F. Cameron, Summerside; J. B. Myrick, Tignish. Queen's County, Emmett Gallant, North Rustico; S. H. Burhoe, Charlottetown. Directors at large: Messrs. J. E. Birde, Gordon Stewart, Wm. Martell, and ex-officio, L. L. Noonan.

The meeting which followed a luncheon session at the Queen Hotel, heard a detailed report from the president, who expressed regret that Mr. Ronald Smith, President of the National Federation, was unable to be present owing to a death in his firm at Halifax. President Noonan welcomed Hon. Eugene Cullen and Mr. J. J. Larabee, Federal Inspector of Fisheries.

Mr. Gordon O'Brien, manager of the Fisheries Council of Canada who came from Ottawa for the meeting, was the guest speaker. He referred to a Council meeting at Ottawa a few days ago, when among other things discussed was

Halifax Architect To Discuss High School Plans With Council

Mr. W. W. Downey, Halifax architect who has designed several high schools now in use in that province and elsewhere arrived in the City last evening and is scheduled to meet with the City Council in special session at 9:30 this morning. A model High School designed by Mr. Downey will be on display in Rogers Hardware window today and for some time in order that city residents may form an idea of what such a modern building looks like.

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Robert Morris, counsel for the McCarran congressional committee investigating subversion and Communism among American staff members of the United Nations, said he and Roy Cohn, special assistant to the U. S. Attorney-General, questioned Feller recently in connection with his official legal capacity with the U. N.

Morris said that Feller was not under subpoena to appear as a witness before the committee. Feller was an \$18,000-a-year executive. He had been general counsel and principal director of the U. N. legal department since 1946.

He did not report for work yesterday. His wife said he arose to bed, talked of killing himself,

Prince Charles Celebrates Fourth Birthday Today

To Charles, the excitement will be much the same as previous years. But to his parents, the celebration signals the first turning point in their son's life.

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By John Judman
LONDON, Nov. 13 — (Reuters) — The Duke of Cornwall, sturdy blue-eyed heir to the British throne better known to the world as Prince Charles, celebrates his fourth birthday tomorrow—still fourth in the line of succession.

Many restrictions on the royal upbringing have been waived for the celebration, but not the ban on nicknames imposed in his nursery days. The Queen, herself known as "Lilibet" to her family before she ascended to the throne, calls her son "Charles" and expects all others to do the same.

The court circular, official diary of royalty, refers to the youngster solemnly as the Duke of Cornwall, his accepted title until the Queen decides he is old enough to be proclaimed Prince of Wales.

In one department, Charles will be as free tomorrow as any birthday child in the world. The Queen has agreed to lift his rigid diet which forbids meat, rich pastries and more than two candies a day.

Outside of meat extracts in soup and cakes, the Prince has never eaten meat. The Queen wants him to stay away from meat until he is older.

Before receiving his birthday presents after rising at about 9 a. m. tomorrow, Charles will "receive" close members of the family.

At first sight of his mother, he will bow deeply as he has been taught to do. He must kiss his two-year-old sister Anne only on the hand—kisses on her cheek have been ruled out for some time.

The public is expected to get its usual daily glimpse of the young prince when his nurse and the inevitable bodyguards escort him from Buckingham Palace to St. James Park for a morning walk.

In the afternoon, he will have a birthday tea with a huge cake and normally-forbidden foods.

Father Charged With Murder In Son's Death

HULL, Que., Nov. 13 — (CP) — Roland Charbonneau, 24-year-old laborer whose wife said that their young son then told her to describe it as an accident, today was charged with murder.

Charbonneau, visibly nervous and dressed in a rumpled blue suit and dirty white shirt, was remanded without plea to Nov. 20.

He was held criminally responsible last night by a coroner's jury investigating the fatal shooting of his 15-month-old son, Michel, his 19-year-old wife, Lucille, testified at the inquest that her husband shot the child in a fit of rage at his crying.

Under British law, a wife or husband need not testify against one another. However, Crown Attorney Avila Labella said if Mrs. Charbonneau declines to testify at Charbonneau's trial, he will introduce the testimony she gave at the inquest at Buckingham, Que.

Mrs. Charbonneau said her husband came home late Saturday night "feeling his liquor." She said she forestalled his threat to commit suicide with a .22-calibre rifle.

The baby, Michel, awakened and started to cry. Mrs. Charbonneau said her husband went upstairs and slapped him. When the baby cried louder, she said her husband went upstairs again with the rifle.

Mrs. Charbonneau, married at 13 and mother of three girls, said she ran up after him but heard a shot as she reached the top of the stairs.

She said her husband told her: "If the police come around to ask questions, you tell them you saw something moving outside the downstairs window, and that the gun went off accidentally when I grabbed it off the wall."

The parents took the wounded baby from the Perkins Mills, Que., farm home 15 miles by taxi to hospital in Buckingham, where the child died Sunday night.

Dr. Rosario Fontaine, medicolegal expert, testified the child was shot from a distance of probably 10 inches.

Regional forecasts: Sunny. Prince Edward Island: Sunny. Gold with below freezing temperatures until late morning. Northwest winds, low becoming light in evening. Low and high Friday at Charlottetown 22 and 36.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 8:23 A. M. and 8:16 P. M. High tide on the North Shore at 8:29 A. M. and 8:28 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:09 A. M. and sets at 4:46 P. M.

Report Newfoundland Hard Hit By Winter Storm

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 13 — (CP) — Winter swung its first big punch at this island province today, snarling land communications and sending small vessels scurrying for cover along the coast.

At least one ship was missing. Capt. F. Vardy and his one-man crew fell to turn up at Hickman's Harbour after their tiny craft left Clarendville in east-coast Trinity Bay.

It was believed the boat may have sheltered at one of the strings of coves along the shore with engine trouble.

The 3,800-ton American freighter Short Splice gave up her attempt to battle heaving seas off the north coast. She hove to in 80-knot winds about 180 miles off the Straits of Belle Isle.

Tows Fuel-less Felghter
Four hundred miles off St. John's in the exposed Atlantic, the Halifax tug Foundation Lillian ploughed through foam-topped waves with the fuel-less Norwegian freighter Benca in tow. The Lillian, headed for St. John's, shot another cable aboard the freighter after gales parted the first towline early today.

The Air Force in Halifax called off a hunt for the rudderless coaster-Chicoutim. The trader she reported missing at Harbour in the Bay of Chaleur with the aid of a motor boat.

Winds later abated as the storm

News In Brief

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Local Soldier With Group En Route From Korea

OTTAWA, Nov. 13 — (CP) — An R. C. A. F. plane left McChord Field in Tacoma, Wash., today with 13 sick and wounded veterans of the Korean war, the Defence Department announced.

The plane carries two patients for London, Ont.; four for Montreal and seven for Halifax. The patients will arrive at Montreal Friday and Halifax Saturday.

Among those aboard are: Pte. J. E. Griffiths, Hudson Heights, Vaudeville Co., Que.; Pte. J. C. Turcotte, 1951 Laurier, MacKayville, Que.; Pte. A. J. Pare, 2831 Centre St., Montreal; Cpl. R. C. Ratcliffe, 557 St. Francis, N. B.; Sgt. J. J. Tremblay, 1000 St. Louis, Que.; and Pte. J. V. Young, Bathurst, N. B.; Pte. A. B. Gillis, R.R. No. 3 Moran, Antigonish, N. S.; Pte. J. G. Dolron, P.O. St. Simon, N. B.; Pte. J. F. O'Neill, 2 Brooke St., Sydney, N. S.; L. Cpl. A. Osborne, 178 Champlain St., Montreal; Pte. J. H. Miller, 49 Broad St., Saint John, N. B.; Spr. G. M. Walker, 15 Euston St., Charlottetown, all bound for Halifax.

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Explore Basis Of Rates Proposal

OTTAWA, Nov. 13 — (CP) — Provincial counsel fighting a railway plan for a new system of setting rail charges today engaged in preliminary explorations into the basis of the proposal.

Today the Provincial Government opponents sought to find out from H. G. Norman, retired partner in the accounting firm that audits the C. P. R.'s books, to what extent "donations and grants" received by the company in its early days were included in the company's proposed investment base figure of \$1,146,000,000.

Slight Increase Shown In Construction Of Homes

OTTAWA, Nov. 13 — (CP) — More new dwellings were started during the first eight months of this year than during a corresponding period a year ago, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation reported today.

However, fewer houses were completed and fewer were under construction during the first seven months of the year, the only period for which figures were available.

Completions totalled 44,056 compared with 44,598 in the corresponding period last year. A total of 54,275 houses were under construction compared with 59,796 last year.

In a review the government-owned company said a total of 53,501 new dwellings were started in the eight-month period compared with 52,049 last year.

The number of starts increased at a rate of almost 2,000-a-month during June, July and August to offset a slump in the first five months.

This increased activity was accompanied by a decline in the value of mortgage loans approved for all types of property. In the first six months of the year, the value dropped to \$282,891,000 from \$298,142,000 during the corresponding six-month period last year.

However, in the last two months of the second quarter, the value rose about 17 per cent to \$59,338,000 from \$51,495,000 in May and June last year.

Mortgage loans under the National Housing Act increased in value to \$173,000,000 in the eight-month period from \$126,000,000 last year.

Capital investment in new construction during the first six months of the year rose to a new peak without a corresponding rise in building costs. In terms of 1951 dollars, value of new construction from January to June totalled \$1,210,000,000 compared with \$1,180,000,000 for a corresponding period last year.

By the end of July the combined index of wholesale prices of residential building materials and hourly wage rates of construction workers rose to 260 from 256.6 a year ago and 221.6 at July 31, 1950.

