

Liberal Candidate Wins In Prince By-election

Mr. J. Augustin Gallant retained the Legislature seat of 3rd Prince for the Liberals yesterday, by edging out Mr. Cyrus Gallant, Progressive Conservative 1,061 to 947.

The by-election was called to name a successor to J. Wilfrid Arsenault, Minister without Portfolio in the Liberal cabinet of Premier A. W. Matheson, who resigned recently for personal reasons.

The two candidates in Monday's by-election were not related. Cyrus Gallant is a Wellington farmer. The winning Liberal, a Summer-side barrister, ran in the 1951 provincial general election as a Progressive Conservative against Mr. Arsenault.

The outcome left the Liberals strongly entrenched in the Legislature with 24 of its 30 seats. The Progressive Conservatives hold the remaining six.



Mr. J. Augustin Gallant

Pope Placed On Strict Diet

VATICAN CITY (AP)—The Pope has been confined to his bed and placed on a strict diet. This precaution was taken in the hope of quickly restoring the strength of the fatigued and ailing 78-year-old head of the Roman Catholic church.

While Vatican sources emphasized there was no cause for undue alarm, the attitude of the Vatican secretary of state's office was described as "neither too pessimistic nor too optimistic."

J. A. Gallant (Lib.)	Cyrus F. Gallant (P.C.)	
St. Gilbert	73	114
Arlington	36	56
Wellington	125	140
Central Lot 16	142	61
Emmett Bay	108	75
Abeon's Village	92	75
Cape Egmont	67	67
Indian River	79	68
Princeton & Royalty	127	75
Spring Valley	67	39
Cross Rivers	54	61
Mr. Carmel & Point	91	107
Totals	1061	947

50 Naval Men For Sub Training School

MONTREAL, (CP)—Some 50 Canadian naval men left Montreal by plane Sunday for training at a British navy submarine school in Portsmouth, England.

Foreign Minister Molotov Opens Russia's European Security Talks

MOSCOW (AP)—Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov opened Russia's European collective security conference, strictly a Communist family affair, here today. It was boycotted by the West.

His official entertaining, Molotov received rejections from the Western big three—Britain, France and the United States—of his invitations, Kremlin-courted Yugoslavia and all other Western countries also said "no thanks."

Coming Events

- **Married couples dance, Fortune Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 30.
- **Rummage Sale today, Kirk Lower Hall, 2.30 p. m.
- **Opening dance Mount Stewart Memorial Hall, Wednesday.
- **Christmas Concert, Grandview Hall, December 23rd.
- **Come to Clyde River school Christmas concert Dec. 22nd.
- **Dance at Gordon Lodge every Friday night.
- **K. C. play "Busy Honeymoon" St. Mary's Hall, Souris, postponed until further notice.
- **Bingo and Cards, Vernon River Hall, Tuesday, November 30th, at 8 p. m.
- **Hockey meeting Crapaud rink Wednesday, Dec. 1 to finalize plans for a league.
- **Shur-Gain Amateur Cavalcade, Millview Hall, tonight, 8.15. Sandwiches and drinks.
- **Unloading car of coal Tuesday and Wednesday, Milton Station, Norris Kitson.
- **Your Saturday night Jamboree, North Wiltshire, Thursday, December 2nd.
- **Regular Dance, Stanley Bridge Rink Hall, every Tuesday night. Music, Rollie MacKenzie's Orchestra.
- **Reserve Tuesday, Nov. 30 for hot chicken supper at Augustine Cove school, serving from 5 o'clock.
- **Dance in Affon Hall Tuesday night, sponsored by Kingston Branch Canadian Legion. Sale of lunches.
- **Come one, come all to Covehead Community Hall, Wednesday, December 1st, 8.30 p. m. Film by National Film Board. Sale of home made candy and pantry sale. Sponsored by Covehead Young Adult Group.

Britons Planning Big Display Of Affection For Sir Winston Today

(By Stanley Godfrey)

LONDON, (AP)—Britons are planning one of the biggest displays of public affection ever seen in these islands for Sir Winston Churchill on his 80th birthday Tuesday.

His health will be drunk in pubs and clubs throughout Britain. The two houses of Parliament will join in a session of tribute.

There will be gifts for the prime minister ranging from a few ten leaves to a check for something like £1,000,000, which represents a worldwide shower of donations to the Sir Winston Churchill Birth-day Presentation Fund. One guess is that Sir Winston will use the money to set up an international humanitarian fund.

OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

The prime minister must sandwich the festivities into a busy round of affairs of state. The birthday coincides with a formal opening of Parliament.

The usually late-to-bed prime minister will start his birthday celebration with a special cup of tea. The tea—two spoonfuls in an envelope with a little sugar—was sent to Churchill as "the only present I can afford" by someone signing himself "an old age pensioner."

Organizers of the birthday fund said the prime minister, touched by the gift, was reserving it to be drunk in bed as an eye opener. After breakfast he will dress in a morning coat with tails, striped pants and a silk topper for the opening of parliament.

QUEEN READS PROGRAM

The Queen will make a ceremonial drive from Buckingham Palace to Whitehall and pomp and pageantry which will set the pace for the rest of the day.

After the Queen has read out the Conservative government's legislative program for the coming year from her gilded throne in the House of Lords, the peers and members of the Commons will

McCarthy Moves For Quick Windup of Senate Debate On Censure Motion

By ED CREAUGH

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Joseph McCarthy (Rep. - Wis.) moved for a quick windup Wednesday of the senate debate on the question of censuring him.

He offered Monday to withdraw any "discourteous and offensive" language he may have used, but said he was making no apology for the views and actions on which the censure charges are based.

His right arm is a sling, McCarthy asked and seemed likely to get unanimous agreement to end the general debate at 3 p.m. EST Wednesday, with voting to start shortly after that.

MCCARTHY PLANS CENSURE

McCarthy served notice, too, that he and his supporters planned to file censure charges of their own against one or more other senators. Their most obvious target was Senator Ralph Flanders (Rep.-Vt.), who started the move to get an official Senate rebuke for McCarthy.

Developments came thick and fast when the senate reconvened after an 11-day recess caused by McCarthy's confinement to hospital for an elbow injury.

McCarthy declared in a voice high with emotion that "while the attention of the Senate has been largely concentrated on McCarthy, the world communist conspiracy has made dangerous and costly gains."

SAID INCONSEQUENTIAL

McCarthy said it's time to wind up this debate. Compared with the imprisonment of 12 American airmen by the Chinese Communists "the merits or demerits of the language of the junior senator from Wisconsin are inconsequential in the extreme."

"I am prepared," McCarthy said "for whatever action the Senate may take on this resolution of censure."

McCarthy said he wanted it understood as he has "no apologies" for his past disagreements with and criticisms of other senators or senate committees.

Senator Herbert Lehman (Dem.-N. Y.), took issue with McCarthy on his interpretation of the censure charges, saying they go far beyond any mere language used—that McCarthy has reflected on "the loyalty and the good faith of every member of this body."

WANTS TIME

Lehman declared he wanted to be sure there was "reasonable time" for debate before agreeing to McCarthy's proposed Wednesday deadline.

Senator Wallace Bennett (Rep.-Utah) proposed that in addition McCarthy be censured for calling the committee which drew up the censure resolution the "unwitting handmaidens of the Communist party" and for making other uncomplimentary remarks about Senator Arthur Watkins (Rep.-Utah), chairman of the committee.

Senator Everett Dirksen (Rep.-Ill.) said he will offer a substitute for the censure resolution soon after the general debate ends. This will praise McCarthy's Red-hunting activities and may contain an expression of regret at some language McCarthy has used.

Snow Interferes With Island Communications

Heavy wet snow yesterday afternoon and last night interfered with wire communications throughout Prince Edward Island. Out of Charlottetown most long distance circuits were not operating late at night. Summerside went out fairly early in the night and others followed.

Communication was continued with the mainland via Nova Scotia but regular channels were out of order to New Brunswick.

There was also some interruption on the mainland. The Canadian Press circuit to the Atlantic Provinces from Toronto was broken for an hour.

Trouble in this Province was believed to be caused principally by wet tree branches loaded with snow and down on the wires. There was no thought to be much serious damage.

Canadian National Telegraphs were also without their service the mainland late in the night and early today.

The several inches of snow made travelling treacherous and difficult in rural areas particularly. Some cars ended up in the ditch but there were no reports of serious injuries.

Woman Sailor Missing On Coastal Voyage

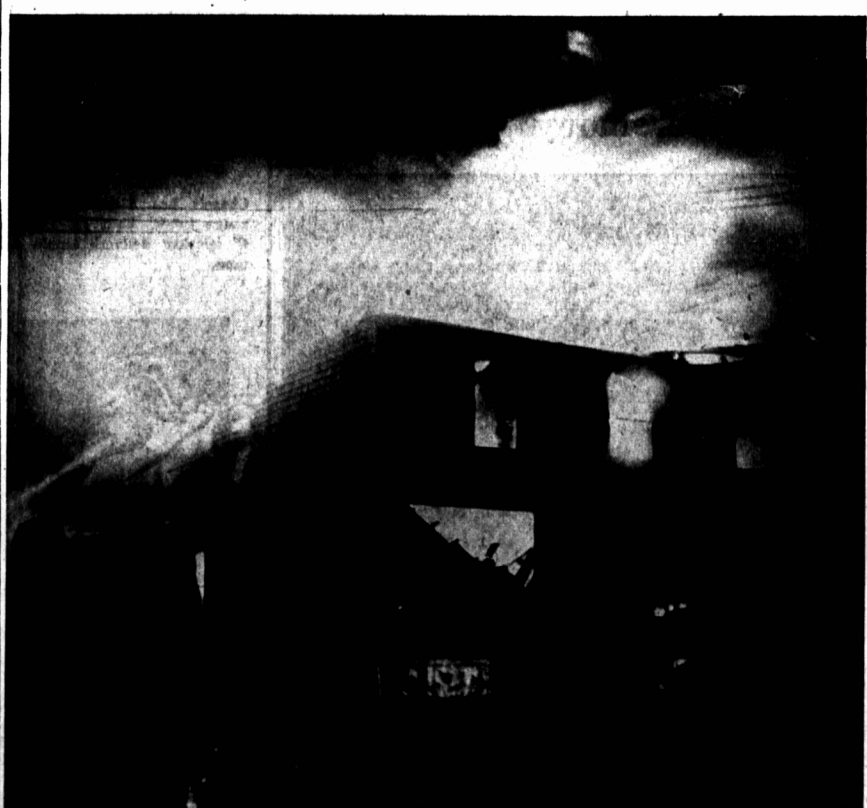
NORFOLK, Va., (AP)—Mrs. Ann Davison, Englishwoman who last year sailed alone from England to Florida in a 23-foot sloop, was reported by the coast guard Sunday to be nearly two days overdue at Norfolk on a sea trip from New York. Mrs. Davison was travelling alone in her tiny, steel-hulled Felicity Ann, which has no radio but has a five-horsepower auxiliary motor.

Death Claims Tiny Berger Siamese Twins

MONTREAL (CP)—Death has claimed the tiny Berger-Siamese twins who put up a 38-day fight for life against overwhelming odds. Hospital authorities disclosed Monday that the twins died Sunday, one of them from the shock of an emergency operation. The operation was performed after the weaker of the twins died suddenly.

The twin girls, joined at the upper abdomen, were born Oct. 19 from New York. Mrs. Davison was travelling alone in her tiny, steel-hulled Felicity Ann, which has no radio but has a five-horsepower auxiliary motor.

During Peak Of Fire In City Last Night



Pictured above is the disastrous fire in the City last night which caused an estimated damage of over \$55,000 to Cockshutt machinery building owned by the estate of H. H. Horne and operated by Turner Farm Equipment. The blaze took the combined efforts of the Charlottetown and Parkdale Fire Departments to prevent it from spreading to an adjoining building and developing into a major conflagration.

Photo by Donnelly.

COCKSHUTT MACHINERY BUILDING DESTROYED BY FIRE ON KENT ST.

For over two hours firemen battled a stubborn blaze which started shortly after 7.30 last evening and completely destroyed the Cockshutt machinery building, Kent Street, operated by the Turner Farm Equipment and managed by Mr. Ivan Turner. Damage which could not be accurately estimated will run into thousands of dollars. Mr. Turner estimates that the machinery, parts, tires etc., lost in the blaze will be about \$37,000. The building, which is owned by the estate of H. H. Horne, is estimated to be worth \$10,000.

The fire is reported to have started in the middle of the 175-foot structure while no one was present in the building. Its origin is unknown.

Large volumes of smoke considerably hampered the firemen in getting at the centre of the fire and it was not until the roof and walls had collapsed that there was any assurance that it

U. S. President Salutes Churchill On 80th Birthday

AUGUSTA, Ga., (AP)—President Eisenhower Monday saluted in glowing terms the 80th birthday of Prime Minister Churchill.

In a personal letter to Churchill, Eisenhower said he spoke for all Americans in hailing the Prime Minister "as world statesman, an unconquerable warrior in the cause of freedom, as our proven friend of many valiant years."

Eisenhower also sent a more private letter which was not released.

Says Counterfeit Money In Desk of Late Husband

MONTREAL (CP)—A one-time Hungarian baroness said Monday she found \$1,700 in counterfeit United States currency in the desk of her late husband. The money landed her in jail here last month.

Mrs. Harry Pursey, 41, now wife of the Labor member of the British House of Commons for East Hull, testified in court she had no knowledge the money was phony when she tried to buy a fur coat during a honeymoon trip here Sept. 21.

The petite, dark-haired woman told Mr. Justice Wilfred Lazare and an all-male jury that her first husband, Baron Hussar of Hungary, died in 1953 and she subsequently married a Greek lawyer in London. The man also died and while sorting his effects she discovered a plain envelope containing the money, which she assumed to be genuine.

Mrs. Pursey was arrested at a downtown furrier's here when the proprietor became "suspicious" during an attempted sale that was to be completed after normal closing hours.

The prosecution called 10 witnesses before resting its case, including Corporal Maurice J. Naddon of the RCMP, chief investigator in the case, who said he found more than \$1,700 in counterfeit and \$25,000 worth of jewelry in Mrs. Pursey's bag. She also carried more than \$700 in genuine American money, he said.

The defence Monday completed its questioning of Mrs. Pursey—the only defence witness—and the trial likely will end today.

Give Industrial Employment Figures

OTTAWA (CP)—Industrial employment and payrolls increased during September but remained below last year's levels, the bureau of statistics reported Monday.

The industrial employment index stood at 113.3 at the beginning of October, as against 112.9 a month earlier and 116.9 at Oct. 1, 1953. The index is based on 1949 figures equalling 100.

The index of total payrolls was 157, compared with 155.6 a month earlier and 157.7 a year earlier. Average weekly wages and salaries reached a record high of \$59.27, as against the average of \$58.93 at Sept. 1 and \$58.11 on Oct. 1, 1953.

Employment increases during September were reported in Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario. Payrolls were higher in all provinces except Saskatchewan and British Columbia.

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The federation said that a sample survey at the University of Toronto indicated that about 200 students may have dropped out for financial reasons after the last academic year. Many more, forced to take part-time jobs, could not give proper attention to their studies.

The Toronto survey had shown that men students, by summer work, could save only half of the minimum cost of \$1,200 required to attend university for a year.

Federal Government Urged To Provide Bursaries And Scholarships For 10,000

OTTAWA (CP)—University student representatives petitioned the federal government Monday to take the initiative in a \$5,500,000-a-year program to provide bursaries and scholarships to 10,000 students.

In a brief presented to Prime Minister St. Laurent, the National Federation of Canadian University Students said such a program would help valuable good students as well as brilliant ones.

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would not break into a major conflagration which might threaten the large wooden structure on the corner of Kent and Great George Streets. Only unremitting efforts of the fire department plus a drizzling rain prevented the fire from becoming of more serious consequence.

A large crowd gathered to witness the fire which has been Charlottetown's biggest since that which destroyed Horne, Motors and the F. R. MacLaine garages in 1951.

Queen To Open Parliament In Ceremony Today

By Ernest H. Marsh

LONDON, (Reuters)—The Queen will drive through London's streets today in a procession of regal splendor, led by her prancing, plumed household cavalry, to open a new session of Parliament.

The monarch, accompanied by the Duke of Edinburgh, will ride from Buckingham Palace to the Parliament Buildings at Westminster in her golden Irish state coach drawn by four Windsor grey horses. Crowds will line the route to watch the pageantry. Parliament opening is the year's top royal event.

Forty-one guns will boom in royal salute and the bells of nearby St. Margaret's church will ring out as the Queen's coach stops outside the Parliament door. There, she and the duke will be greeted by high state officials led by the Duke of Norfolk, earl marshal and master of all royal ceremonies.

Then the earl marshal in an ancient custom will walk backward, facing the Queen and lead the procession to the royal robing room. There Elizabeth monarch will don her royal robes and imperial crown of state.

Elizabeth then enters the House of Lords, hand-in-hand with her husband. The chamber will be crowded with peers, foreign ambassadors and members of the House of Commons.

With the duke sitting on her left, the Queen will receive her speech, written by the cabinet, from the new lord chancellor, Lord Kilmer, who will be on her right.

Before the Queen arrives, a detachment of yeomen of the Guard, carrying lanterns and halberds, will search the vaults of the House of Lords. This ritual dates from 1605, when Guy Hawkes, soldier of fortune, tried to blow up the house with gunpowder in a plot to kill James I. The plot was discovered and Hawkes and his other conspirators were hanged, drawn and quartered.



HALIFAX—A severe storm centred over Nova Scotia caused three to six inches of snowfall over the central Maritimes on Monday while over southern Nova Scotia there was generally rain. Near the centre the winds have so far been fairly light but further away gusts as high as 55 miles per hour are being reported. Winds will increase in many regions during the night as the storm centre moves east of Nova Scotia. In the wake of the storm on Tuesday the weather will be generally cloudy with a few snow flurries.

Regional forecasts:
Prince Edward Island: Eastern New Brunswick counties: Cloudy with snow flurries. Mild. Northwest 35, gusts to 50 tonight. Tuesday, northwest 30, diminishing in the afternoon to northwest 20. Low high at Charlottetown, 33 and 38.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 12.38 a. m. and 2.10 p. m.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

Sun rises today at 7.20 a. m. and sets at 4.34 p. m.