

Avoid shame, but do not seek glory—nothing is so expensive as glory.

Fervor is no disgrace to a man, but it is confidently inconvenient.

BEVAN MAKES ALL-OUT ATTACK ON CHURCHILL GOV'T

Pressure On Prices In Canada Reported Easing

Princess Elizabeth Helps Shy Boy Over Rough Spot

NAIROBI, Kenya, Feb. 1—(CP)—Princess Elizabeth helped a shy young African boy over a rough spot in Kenya Colony's welcome to her and her husband today. Protocol was preserved.

70th Birthday



OTTAWA, Feb. 1—(CP)—Prime Minister St. Laurent is 70 years old today. It is a "work-as-usual" birthday.

Coming Events

- \*\*Seeds! Send for free catalogue. Arthur Vesey, York.
\*\*Races at Vernon, Saturday, February 2nd, 2 P. M.
\*\*Skating tonight at Hunter River rink.
\*\*Card Party at Clinton Hall, Monday, February 4th.
\*\*Reserve Wednesday, Feb. 13, for dress carnival at North River Rink.
\*\*Hockey match, Long River tonight, Graham's Road vs. Long River.
\*\*Marshfield Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Cake Sale at Holman's Feb. 8th.
\*\*Farmers, ask about the Shur-Gain Feed Finance Plan. For particulars contact your local feed mill.
\*\*Valentine Social, North Grandville Hall, February 12th. Sponsored by Y. P. U.
\*\*Horse racing at Stanley tonight, Saturday, Feb. 2nd at 2 p.m. If not fine Tuesday 5th.
\*\*Hockey at Sandy's Saturday afternoon, school teams. Skate at night.
\*\*Milton Hockey Club bus leaving bus stop for Stouffville this evening at 7 sharp. Few seats remaining. \$1.00 return.
\*\*Por Snapshots that will not fade mail your films and Negatives to Garnum Photo Studios Charlottetown.
\*\*Now in stock, God Liver Oil, Fishmeal Purina Steer Fattener, Purina Drenna, Dillon and Spillert.
\*\*Queens County L. O. L. meets in Barton Lodge Room, North Milton, Tuesday, February 5th, at 2 P. M.
\*\*Get your beef cattle ready for the Fat Stock Show. Use your own grain. See Gill Henry, Purina Feed Store.
\*\*Come in and talk over our Purina Finance Plan, for your Hogs and Poultry. Dillon and Spillert.
\*\*National Film Board presents "Silks and Sukes" and other interesting films in Emerald Hall, Feb. 4th, sponsored by Emerald Farm Forum.
\*\*Buying pigs and feeder cattle Monday at Fredericton, paying \$20.00 per pair for good pigs over 40 lbs. each. Will also buy smaller ones. Knud Jorgensen.
\*\*Shur Gain Amateur Cavalade, Morell Hall, February 8th, 8 P. M. Sponsored by Morell Women's Institute. Entries to be sent to Mrs. Freeman Jay, Morell.
\*\*Shur Gain Amateur Cavalade, Millville Hall, Wednesday, February 20th. Entries to be sent to Mrs. Gordon Sheldov, Secretary Millville Women's Institute.
\*\*The Annual Meeting of the Wiltshire Dairyming Co., Ltd., will be held in North Wiltshire Hall, on Monday, February 11th, 1952, at 2 P. M. Nelson Hatherley, Secretary.
\*\*In the South Queens Hockey League, the New Haven "Royals" are scheduled to meet the Applin Road "Bulldogs" on Monday night in Victoria Rink. Skate after for pep and pleasure.

See Indications Inflation Peak Already Past

By The Canadian Press
Pressure on prices is easing and you can take it from Trade Minister Howe—there's an even chance of prices going lower instead of higher.
However, Robert McCubbin, parliamentary assistant to Agriculture Minister Gardner, asks why the consumer isn't already getting the benefit of lower prices for beef and pork.
At his cattle farm at Springbrook, Ont., Mr. McCubbin said Friday that farmers are getting lower prices for beef and hogs and these are not being passed to consumers.
It "didn't add up," he said, speaking as a cattle farmer, that farmers should be receiving less for their products and no corresponding reduction seen "as yet" in consumer prices.
He didn't know whether the packers or retail outlets are responsible for not reducing prices, but he did know that in the last five or six months hog prices paid the farmer declined 12 cents a pound dressed. In the last two months beef prices to the farmer dropped five or six cents a pound on hoof, or 10 or 12 cents dressed.
The farmer's market would be strengthened, he added. If retail meat prices could be dropped and increased consumption encouraged.
In Montreal a Canadian meat packers convention was told to prepare for a sharp, but not disastrous lowering of cattle prices.
A. G. Hall of Toronto, a delegate, believed, however, that a drop in beef prices would be healthy for the industry. It would stimulate

Peron Threatens Boost In Meat Prices To The U. K.

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 1—(Reuters)—President Juan Peron today threatened to nearly double the price Britain pays for Argentine meat after the current contract expires April 22.
The new price, he said, would be £250 a ton.
The statement was Peron's opening gun prior to Anglo-Argentine talks later this month on terms of the next contract.
"When the British came to buy meat," he said, "they did not want to pay our price. The negotiator who came here said we could not go on much longer without selling.
'"We will see!' I replied. 'You have hunger and we have meat and we will see who can last the longer.'
'"We did not want to pay £90 per ton but they ended up paying £150 and next time they will have to pay £250," he added.

Death Yesterday Of Rev. Mother Paula



The Late Mother Paula

Rev. Mother Paula, C.S.M., one of the most widely known members of religious Orders in this Province, died yesterday at the Mother House at Mount St. Mary's after an illness of several months.
She was born Eileen McPhee, daughter of the late Captain Hugh McPhee and Mrs. McPhee, Georgetown, where she received her early education before coming to this city where she studied at Notre Dame Academy and Prince of Wales College.
Her wife, Lillian, 52, also has been charged with murder. She is in a psychopathic ward where she refuses to eat. She was remanded to Feb. 7.

Committed On Murder Charge

WINNIPEG, Feb. 1—(CP)—Gavin McCullough, 51-year-old accountant, today was committed for trial on a charge of murder in the slaying of his seven-year-old foster child, Martha Louise, last Friday.
At a preliminary hearing in police court, police quoted McCullough as saying he and his wife clubbed and strangled the child "because she had the devil in her and would not kneel with her parents in prayer."
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Police Arrest 29 At St. Michel Civic Election; Gestapo Tactics Charged

MONTREAL, Feb. 1—(CP)—Suburban elections in the tiny town of Ville St. Michel today erupted into a bitter controversy over the seizure by police of Pacific Plante, a former top Montreal police officer, and at least 28 others.
Shortly after polls opened, the suburban police seized Mr. Plante, dismissed assistant police director of Montreal, Guy Desjardins, and his lawyer, outside a polling station. His lawyer refused to let him see his client or make known the charge against him.
Mayor Charles Lafontaine, a Montreal city councillor seeking re-election as mayor of the suburb of 3,000 voters, said the arrest was a case of the police "cleaning up the city to allow honest men to exercise freely their right to vote."
Long Time Storm Centre
Mr. Plante has been a storm centre from the time he was named head of the morality squad and then assistant police director in 1947. The Canadian Brotherhood of Policemen protested the appointment because Mr. Plante was a police legal advisor, not a policeman.
As head of the morality squad, Mr. Plante earned the enmity of the gamblers by a campaign to close down their houses which had operated more or less openly for years.
After police director Albert Langlois fired him for insubordination, Mr. Plante joined a group of citizens who promoted a judicial inquiry into conduct of the police department. The inquiry now is stalled by legal proceedings and a counter petition to investigate Mr. Plante's direction of the morality squad has been made.
Three Names Revealed
Mr. Plante was taken in custody about an hour after the polling stations opened with three other men, A. DuGarr, Mike Chaffey and J. Duhamel. Those were the only names made public by Mayor Lafontaine.
Mr. Desjardins sought a writ of Habeas Corpus to have Mr. Plante released and said he would take the matter to the Attorney-General of Quebec, Premier Duplessis.
Mayor Lafontaine's opponent in the election, Adelard Boisvert, said the arrests were "Gestapo tactics."
Observers here speculate that the job of collecting items for quotation is done largely by Russian and other Soviet-bloc embassies in the countries where the newspapers originate.
Most of the papers quoted have been condemned individually, and all have been "lynched collectively" and "controlled." But that does not stop Soviet-bloc delegates from quoting them for their own purposes.
Once a Polish delegate quoted a story in the Toronto Daily Star about war refugees in Canada in an attempt to prove that refugees in Canada were living under bad conditions.

Convicted Of Manslaughter

HULL, Que., Feb. 1—(CP)—Gerald Ryan, 22-year-old Timiskaming, Que., lumber-camp chieftain, was convicted of manslaughter by an Assize Court jury.
Mr. Justice Valmore Bienvenue remanded Ryan to the end of the assizes for sentence.

Charges Move Underway To End Health Plan

LONDON, Feb. 1—(AP)—Aneurin Bevan charged tonight that Prime Minister Churchill's Conservative Government is using Britain's financial crisis as an excuse to destroy socialized medicine.
In what many politicians regard as his all-out bid to seize control of the Labor Party from former Prime Minister Aneurin, the fiery left-winger attacked a government bill which called for sharp cuts in "free" parts of Britain's tax-supported medical set-up.
Labor wants to try to unseat the Churchill Government on the health scheme issue, and Bevan's left-wing followers are booming him as prime ministerial timber.
Passage of the bill, Bevan told the House of Commons, would "mean the free health service is dead."
The bill cutting the health service introduced by Health Minister Harry Crookshank, comes up next week for second reading. The Conservatives, with a majority of 14, are expected to push the bill through.
Attlee himself earlier assailed the bill, a part of sweeping economies aimed at preventing national bankruptcy, but political observers feel that Bevan stole the show with his more vitriolic attack.
Bevan, 53-year-old former Welsh coal miner, master-minded the health plan adopted when the Labor Government came to power after the war.
The new legislation would slash the cost of Britain's socialized medicine by £21,000,000 a year. By sharply modifying the "free" provisions of the service, that amount now will be paid by patients.
Without these reductions, cost of the program would amount to within £2,000,000 of the £400,000,000 ceiling which both the old Labor Government and the new Conservative cabinet have agreed must be kept.
The Health Service cuts form part of the sweeping government economies and restrictions on imports and consumption which Chancellor of the Exchequer R. A. Butler has outlined to parliament. But his aim is to prevent national bankruptcy and put the pound back on its feet in relation to the dollar.
The bill seeks to impose a charge
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Dominion - Wide Reaction To P.E.I. Supreme Court Judgment Affecting Farm Marketing Act

OTTAWA, Feb. 1—(CP)—A Prince Edward Island Supreme Court ruling has cast doubt over the powers of 10 Provincial Marketing Boards to deal in interprovincial and export trade.
It also has thrown doubt on the constitutional rights of Parliament to delegate powers to organizations directly responsible to it, but which are organized and constituted by provincial governments.
These powers and rights are open to question as a result of yesterday's ruling by the P.E.I. Court that the 1949 Federal Agricultural Products Marketing Act is ultra vires—outside the jurisdiction—of Parliament.
However, the issues are not finally resolved by the Provincial Court ruling. The decision likely will be appealed to the Supreme Court of Canada either by the Federal Government, which may ask to intervene, or by the P.E.I. Potato Marketing Board, which brought the test case before the Court.
The Board sought to test the validity of the Federal legislation by bringing action against the Charlottetown firm of H.B. Willis, Inc., which opposed the Board's policy to license dealers, make levies, and regulate consignment sales.
The Federal Government obtained Parliament's approval to the legislation as a means to stabilize markets and give the producer as much freedom as possible in marketing his produce. The 400,000-member Canadian Federation of Agriculture for years has spearheaded the drive to have this power granted to Provincial Boards and
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One Killed, 20 Hurt In Accident

CHAMBLY, Que., Feb. 1—(CP)—One person was killed and 20 others severely injured tonight when a bus collided with a truck between nearby Chamby and St. Hubert.
Provincial police sent five ambulances to the scene to pick up the injured.
Incubation conditions forced the ambulances to move at a slow pace along the treacherous highway. Two priests from nearby parishes also rushed to the scene to help the injured.
Only sketchy details were available but a taxi driver who passed the spot said the injured were lying on the road and those not hurt were trying to make them comfortable.
"Many were praying and crying," he said. "I'm sure there will be more of them dead before they can be treated."

Three Small Girls Burned In N. B. Village

ST. LEONARD, N. B., Feb. 1—(CP)—The remains of three young girls, who died early today when fire swept through their home in this Northern New Brunswick community, were buried in a single coffin this afternoon.
Flames prevented the horrified parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Beupre, from rescuing their three small daughters—Cecile, 5, Therese, 4 and Jeanne, 2—trapped upstairs in the two-storey frame building.
T. D. Herbert, coroner, ruled the fatalities accidental and said no inquest would be held.
Five sons, aged seven to 14, were away at the time, having left early to attend church.
The fire started after the father lit a stove fire in the front part of the house. He was building another fire in the kitchen stove when he noticed smoke and found the upstairs section in flames.
Beupre suffered hand and face burns in trying to reach the trapped children. Fire drove him from the stairs and then from a ladder outside.
Firemen were unable to save the house, owned by the town of Edmundston. The financial loss was estimated at \$3,500.

Mrs. Lawson Named P.E.I. Representative

TORONTO, Feb. 1—(CP)—Mrs. D. L. Whitby of Truro, N. S., has been appointed Nova Scotia representative of the Canadian Association of Consumers, the C.A.C. announced today.
Mrs. J. A. Lawson of Charlottetown has been appointed representative in Prince Edward Island.

Egyptian Premier Favors Negotiations With British

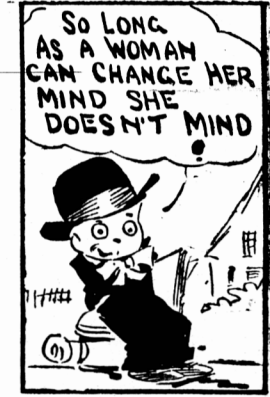
CAIRO, Feb. 1—(CP)—Egypt's new Premier has indicated he believes negotiations with Britain is the "only normal" way to attain his people's aims.
Mohyie El Din Fahmy, secretary-general in Aly Maher Pasha's cabinet and chief of the Premier's personal staff, disclosed the Premier's views in a statement today.
"The question now is not whether to enter or not to enter negotiations, but on what basis," the secretary-general said.
Maher Pasha was named Premier by King Farouk after last Saturday's rioting in Cairo claimed at least 67 lives. The rioting stemmed from Egyptian demands that Britain leave the Suez Canal zone.
Since Maher Pasha took over there has been no violence in Cairo or in the Canal Zone. In addition, there has been a suggestion that Egypt might be more receptive to Western proposals for a Middle East defence command under which Egypt, Turkey, France, Britain and the United States would protect the Suez.
Another indication that the new Premier wants to negotiate with Britain is his order to his officials to draw up a comprehensive note in past negotiations. If Egypt and Britain get together again it will be the first time since Egypt cancelled the mutual friendship treaty in a one-sided act several months ago.
While the situation remained calm, steps were being taken by the British forces to add strength to the Suez garrison.
At Ismailia, the arrival of bombers, fighters and infantry reinforcements was reported.

British Non-Committal On Austerity Program

announced are not so serious as the tidings John Bull may get in the March 4 budget, moved up to the earliest date since 1900 because the financial situation is so serious.
In the budget, Britons expect a whopping new tax on gasoline—something that affects nearly everybody—and possibly a cut in the food subsidies which now make things like butter and milk cheaper than they are in Canada.
Actually life in Britain is probably brighter now than three years ago, or six years ago. There are more good things to eat and drink, more clothes to buy, a better standard of service in such places as laundries.
Except for the lack of fresh meat, London offers the amenities of any big capital. Visiting Canadians say the city looks brighter than it has at any time since the war.
It is the realization that this improving situation is due for a setback, rather than the specific news this week, which now gives Britons that glum feeling.

Reds Condemn Western Press But Quote Freely

BY NORMAN ALDSTEDTER
PARIS, Feb. 1—(CP)—Soviet-bloc delegates at the United Nations condemn the Western press but quote Western newspapers continuously in attempts to prove their arguments.
Few Soviet-bloc speeches go by without a reference to the "bourgeois press" or "the imperialist press."
Wiltshire rink tonight, Hampshire Ramblers vs. Wiltshire Jets, Canteen service. Skate after.
\*\*Attention. Due to mild weather no hockey or skating for school children in North River rink today.
\*\*Hockey North River rink tonight, Saturday, Feb. 2nd. Nine Mile Creek Bulldogs vs. Covehead Red Wings. Game time 8 o'clock. Skate after.
\*\*Collecting Hogs for Canada Packers Ltd., each Tuesday at Craupaud and Carleton. When roads are impassable farmers are asked to deliver hogs to our trucks at Craupaud and Carleton, up until 11 A. M. each Tuesday, under the same arrangement as last year. R. N. Dawson, Phone No. 12-11 or 17.
\*\*Booking orders for car of asphalt shingles and siding delivery in spring. Call now and get our prices. We have in stock a limited supply of register Laurontian Turpin Seed. This seed originated from Macdonald College. There will be shortage of register seed. You are well advised to get yours now. Consult us about your feeding problem. All poultry feeds in new jute bags. E. J. MacDougall, Vernon Junction.



MCA AIR SERVICE DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

Table with flight schedules: Leave Charlottetown for Moncton 5:30 A.M.; 11:20 A.M.; 4:50 P.M. Ar. Charlottetown from Moncton 7:25 A.M.; 1:35 P.M.; 6:55 P.M. Leave Charlottetown for New Glasgow - Halifax 7:40 A.M. New Glasgow - Halifax 1:50 P.M. Arrive Charlottetown from New Glasgow and Halifax 11:00 A.M. from New Glasgow 4:55 P.M. from New Glasgow and Halifax. MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY ONLY 9:10 A.M. Arrive Sydney from New Glasgow. 10:25 A.M. Arrive New Glasgow from Sydney. SUNDAY ONLY Leave Charlottetown for Moncton 11:20 A.M. Arrive Charlottetown from Moncton 5:55 P.M. BORDEN - CAPE TORMENTINE Daily Ferry Service (Sunday) Leave Borden 9:10 A.M. 1:00 P.M. 4:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M. Leave C. T. 10:35 A.M. 2:40 P.M. 6:00 P.M. 9:00 P.M.