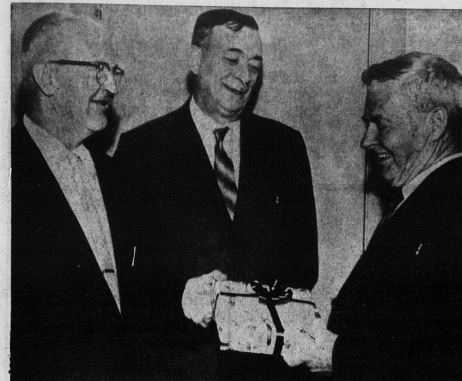


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International Potato Show

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TAXATION DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL RETIRES

After 17 years of service with the taxation department of the provincial government, Alexander Martin of McGill Avenue, Charlottetown, formerly of grand view, retired yesterday. Making a presentation to

Conservatives Charge PM Yielding Too Much Power

OTTAWA (CP)—Conservative MPs kept the interim supply debate going for the sixth straight day in the Commons Friday, accusing the government of yielding too much power to the provinces and undermining national unity. The "assassin of Canada," commented Eldon Woolliams (PC—Bow River).

GEMS STOLEN IN NEW YORK

Gems worth some \$200,000, including the world's largest sapphire, the Star of India, were stolen Thursday night from Manhattan's famed Museum of Natural History, New York police reported Friday.

Que. roquois Protest Jurisdiction Transfer

OTTAWA (CP)—Five Quebec roquois chiefs are protesting the transfer of jurisdiction from federal to provincial jurisdiction, saying they don't want to be left to the tender mercies of their own ancient, traditional enemy, the French Canadians.

Mr. McRath Appointed Go't House Leader

OTTAWA (CP)—A veteran parliamentarian has taken over the job as government House leader in the Commons. Prime Minister Pearson announced Friday Privy Council President George McRath would assume the duties shouldered so far this session by Justice Minister Faureau.

St. John's Rifle Fire Boosts Strike Tensions

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Six rifle bullets were fired through the windows of the Clarke-Canada Steamships Limited office here early Friday only seconds after a night watchman had left the room. Jack Evans, about 40, told police he had been sitting in an office chair listening to his radio about 4 a.m. NST and decided to leave the room, only to find a bullet had just gone through the door when he heard a number of loud noises which he thought were "backfires."

Home-Builders Are Impressed

OTTAWA (CP)—A group of British home builders' leaders from a two-week tour of Canada, is going home impressed with Canadian materials and building know-how.

Couple Found Dead In Car

FREDERICTON (CP)—RCMP Friday identified two persons found dead in a car near here earlier in the day at Camp Gagetown station, Scotia Guard Camp, 23, and Eileen Arbo, 21. Both are natives of Upper Blackville, N.B. There was no decision on an inquest.

Island Beef Breeders Meet At Halifax

HALIFAX (Special)—Prince Edward Island beef cattle breeders took their annual meeting here last night, when veteran auctioneer Bill Fulton of St. John's, N.S., sold the Reserve Grand for \$1,900 and the next best for \$1,820 and \$1,100 respectively.

20,000 From West Berlin Visit Relatives Behind Wall

BERLIN (AP)—West Berliners surged into East Berlin Friday for happy reunions with relatives. It was only the second time the Communists permitted such crossings since they built the wall dividing this city three years ago.

RECORD PRICES SEEN AT SALE

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Island Ladies Score Well In Homecraft Competition

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PENNIES FOR UNICEF IS AIM TONIGHT

Tonight is "allowen" for the happy group seen here, with others, will be busy ringing doorbells tonight looking for treats — and pennies for UNICEF. Those who say "A penny isn't worth much anymore," could never have heard of UNICEF.

Excitement was tense and a high pitch of interest was maintained throughout the competition.

When it was all over, the rest of the exhibitors bemoaned Roy Lamond's show. He showed the Oland grand champion, and they also championed Mac Dixon, who had the reserve.

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