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FEDERAL TENDERS CALLED FOR PROJECTS IN THIS PROVINCE

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departmental estimates at \$56,000. The other two are in Prince County being breakerwater repairs and improvements at Tignish at an estimated cost of \$25,000, and repairs to the breaker at Miminegash. Total planned outlay for the Miminegash project is \$125,000, of which \$25,000 was spent in the last year. All three jobs are slated for completion this season.

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GENEVA (Reuters)—An Indo-China peace appeared near Monday night as Western and Communist political leaders whittled down their differences in the fact of French Premier Pierre Mendes-France's approaching "peace or resign" deadline.

A wave of optimism swept conference circles during the day's round of behind-the-scenes negotiations. Efforts to solve two of the major problems holding up a settlement of the war were reported on the verge of success.

Drew Prefers Not To Comment

MADRID (CP)—George Drew, Canadian Progressive-Conservative leader, said Monday night he preferred not to comment on the vote of non-confidence in his national leadership registered Saturday by the British Columbia Party Association.

Drew now is in Madrid on final stages of a fact-finding tour of Europe. Informed of Saurday's non-confidence and of a charge by provincial leader Deane Finlayson that the Conservatives had decided to leave provincial affairs in British Columbia to the Social Credit party, Drew said:

"I have no comment to make on that. There are three extremely capable federal members from British Columbia and they are quite able to deal with the situation here."

The opposition leader said he plans to return to Canada early in August. He has already visited Britain, France, Switzerland, Portugal and Spain, and plans also to go to Germany. He said his tour is "to see what has taken place in the different European countries" particularly regarding trade, reconstruction and defence matters.

Two Flyers Die In Jet Crash

MONTREAL (CP)—A T-33 Silver Star jet trainer on a routine flight from its base at nearby St. Hubert crashed in flames Monday in a field at Lachenaie, Que., killing its two air force occupants.

The pilot of the craft, from 104 communication flight, was identified as Flt. Lt. J. A. H. de Niverville, of Ottawa, 32-year-old son of Air Vice-Marshal de Niverville, of the federal transport department.

The second victim was identified as Flt. Lt. G. J. Helmer, 30, also of Ottawa, whose wife and four children live at St. Hubert.

An air force official at St. Hubert who was on the scene shortly after the crash said one witness told him one of the two men jumped from the plane shortly before it crashed.

He quoted the witness as saying the plane was "too close to the ground for the parachute to open."

Body of one of the men was found some 200 feet from the wreckage. The body of Flt. Lt. de Niverville was found in the burnt wreckage.

Witnesses said the engine of the jet apparently failed while some 4,000 feet in the air.

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Death Ends Long Marriage

WHITNEY, Tex. (AP)—"Uncle Tom" Rose, 101, is dead, just a little more than a year after his wife's death ended what was believed to be the longest marriage in the United States.

Uncle Tom died Sunday in the same little house near Whitney where he and Aunt Easter had lived 58 years.

When she died on June 9, 1953, the couple had been married 80 years. They were believed then to have been married longer than any living couple in the United States.

Canada Considers Request To Serve On Indo-China Armistice Commission

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada is willing in principle, at least, to serve on an Indo-China armistice commission, informants said Monday.

But until there is a formal request from Geneva, outlining the status of such a commission and what exactly it would be expected to do, no decision can be taken.

"We want to be helpful," one authority said. "But we're waiting for information from Geneva. We can't agree to something before we know what we're agreeing to."

Press dispatches from Geneva said Canada, India and Poland are being asked to serve on an armistice commission, but at a late hour Monday, no request had been received here from the Geneva conference.

Canada withdrew from the Geneva conference some two weeks ago after collapse of the Korean phase of the talks and after maintaining a watching brief on the Indo-China part of the conference for some time, Canada is not a party to the Indo-China talks.

MARIE DIONE HOME FROM CONVENT TO SPEND SUMMER WITH FAMILY

CALLANDER, Ont. (CP)—A thin but smiling Marie Dionne has come home from a Quebec City convent to spend the summer with her four quintuplet sisters.

Marie, who joined the strictly cloistered Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament Nov. 3 and took temporary vows as a novice May 24, said poor health, loss of appetite and homesickness forced her to leave. She left the east end Quebec City convent last Thursday and arrived home Sunday night after spending two days in Montreal.

"My health has been poorly recently and my appetite has also suffered," she said Monday. "I was very lonely too."

"I intend to stay home for the rest of the summer, anyway. After I have regained my health I will decide whether or not to return to the sisters."

Oliva Dionne, father of the quintuplets, said he received a letter Monday from the mother superior at the convent in which she said she thought Marie "a little too delicate to endure the vigorous requirements of the order." She added everyone was sorry to see her go.

Mr. Dionne said he expected Marie might leave after receiving a letter from her last week in which she said she was homesick.

There was no mystery about Marie leaving the convent," he said. "Arrangements for her to depart were made in advance after she talked it over with the priest who was her spiritual adviser."

Mr. Dionne said Marie had planned to meet her sister Emile in Montreal and journey to Callander 10 miles southeast of North Bay, to join the other quintuplets Annette, Cecile and Yvonne. They had some trouble locating each other when Emile became lost.

Emile had spent two weeks after college examinations visiting at the convent of the oblate sisters in St. Agathe, Que., north of Montreal. She became lost in Montreal and joined her sister after Montreal police sent her to the archbishop's palace for directions.

HALIFAX (CP)—The Dominion weather office here says the poor weather is moving slowly eastward. Drier air will bring improving weather to the western regions by dawn and the eastern regions late Tuesday.

Regional forecasts: Prince Edward Island: Little change in temperature; west winds 15; low-high at Charlottetown 85 and 78.

Saint John river valley, Bay of Chaleur, eastern N.B. coasts: Sunny and warmer; west winds 15; low-high at Edmundston 58 and 76, Campbellton 58 and 75; Moncton 58 and 78, Fredericton 58 and 80, Saint John 55 and 78.

Bay of Fundy: West winds 15; clearing in the morning; visibility, one to four miles in mist and rain, improving to 10 miles; temperatures near 60.

Ontario (CP)—Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: Location, Min. Max. Dawson 53 80, Vancouver 56 66, Victoria 52 69, Edmonton 54 81, Calgary 47 77, Saskatoon 52 87, Regina 52 86, Winnipeg 62 78, Toronto 64 83, Ottawa 60 78, Montreal 68 78, Quebec 10 77, Saint John 59 66, Moncton 55 69, Halifax 52 68, Fredericton 57 66, Charlottetown 57 74, Sydney 54 69, Yarmouth 56 85, St. John's 58 74.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 1:44 a.m. and 1:36 p.m. Sun rises today at 4:45 a.m. and sets at 7:53 p.m. (The time is Atlantic Standard)



Poison Pills Have Been Found

TORONTO (CP)—Six thousand poison pills, believed stolen from a store last Thursday, have been found.

Police said Monday E. Winter, owner of the carter truck, told them he received word from a customer that an extra carton had been left. When the customer examined the carton, he found it contained the small pink mercuric chloride pills consigned to a dairy which planned to use them as a preservative in milk samples.

After the pills were reported stolen from the parked truck, police scoured lanes and went from door to door to warn parents to caution children against eating the pills in mistake for candy. They said the pills could cause death within a few minutes.

Vermont Senator Postpones Move To Condemn Tactics of McCarthy

WASHINGTON (CP)—Senator Ralph Flanders (Rep. Vt.) Monday postponed until July 30 his attempt to force a showdown Senate vote on his resolution to condemn the investigative tactics of Senator Joseph McCarthy.

At the same time the Wisconsin Republican began public hearings on what he described as an investigation of Communist working in U.S. defence plants. The hearing was enlivened by the ejection of a man said by one of the witnesses to be a Communist.

Flanders' decision not to introduce his censure motion today as planned, resulted primarily from a desire that the vote be massive and bipartisan as possible," the Vermont senator said.

Flanders gave several reasons for postponing introduction of a resolution calling on the Senate to censure McCarthy for the way he has acted as chairman of the Senate investigations subcommittee.

One would be to give the other senators "an opportunity to examine thoroughly the significance of the proposal and to make the necessary arrangements to be presented." Another would be to avoid delaying action on President Eisenhower's legislative program.

Flanders said, however, he will deliver as planned a speech he prepared for today as a prelude to introducing the censure resolution. The speech, text of which was issued during the week-end, likened McCarthy's career to that of a weaker and "amateurish" Adolf Hitler.

McCarthy's hearing, meanwhile, began taking up what the Wisconsin senator said were the cases of 133 persons who are apparently Communists and who work in defence plants. He said he used the word "apparently" because some of them may be undercover FBI agents.

One witness, James Glatis, who said he worked his way into the inner circles of the Communist apparatus in the Boston area as an FBI agent, mentioned Charles Wojchosky as one such Communist.

McCarthy interrupted him to inquire whether Wojchosky was presently working at the Communist plant in Boston, and identified himself. Asked if he wanted to be sworn as a witness, Wojchosky said:

"I'd like to know what the charges are, who the accusers are. I'd like to have time to prepare." He said a telegram practically convicting him had been sent to his employer and had just about cost him his job.

PC Party Loses Seat In British Columbia House

TORONTO (CP)—The funeral was held Monday night of Andrew Arthur Macfarlane-Brown, 63, who claimed to be the last of the Macfarlane clan chiefs and who was credited with selecting the seed potatoes that promoted Prince Edward Island's famous industry.

His body will be cremated to day. Later, his ashes, along with those of his mother who died in 1945, will be taken to Scotland for interment in a plot in the Ionian Islands where the Macfarlane chiefs are buried.

A graduate of the University of New Brunswick, Mr. Macfarlane-Brown was for several years assistant plant pathologist for the Maritime provinces. He was later a teacher on the staff of Macdonald College at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Brown of Boston.

Russia May Soon Call For New Four-Power Talks

NANAIMO, B. C. (CP)—The Progressive Conservative party Monday lost its lone representative in the British Columbia legislature when Dr. Larry Giovando quit the party and said he would sit as an independent.

"I am dissociating myself from the Conservative party and will sit as an independent," he said in an interview here.

"I doubt if I will ever run again. I have never liked party politics and believed I could do something for the constituency when elected."

His announcement followed Saturday's meeting at Vernon, B. C. where the provincial executive by a vote of 40 to 24 passed a motion of no confidence in national party leader George Drew.

Dr. Giovando is the latest of several Progressive Conservative stalwarts who have quit the party in British Columbia in the last few years.

Most notable were W. A. C. Bennett, who became premier with the Social Credit party. He was accompanied by the late Mrs. Tilly Robinson.

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Giant Airliner Makes First Flight

LONDON (Reuters)—Without fanfare Britain's first jet airliner designed to span the Atlantic took off Monday on a successful 85-minute maiden flight.

Even factory workers at the de Havilland plant at Hatfield on London's northern outskirts were surprised to see the advanced version of the original Comet jetliner roar into the air from the adjoining company airfield.

The new airliner is built to fly between London to New York in between seven and eight hours with a stopover in Gander, Nfld. It is not scheduled to go into full production until 1956.

The test flight of the experimental plane, known as the Comet III, was held as word was awaited on the cause of a series of fatal crashes of its predecessor, the Comet I. Exhaustive tests have been carried on since the crash of a Comet off Naples last April with the loss of all 21 persons aboard.

This crash, coupled with one off Elba with 35 deaths in January, forced the grounding of all commercial Comet flights pending the results of investigations to determine the trouble. Production of the

Comet I and II was slowed during the investigations but work went ahead to develop the prototype of the series III.

The shining new Comet took off in ideal weather Monday and soared over the English countryside with John (Cats' Eyes) Cunningham, de Havilland's chief test pilot, and Battle of Britain hero, at the controls. His co-pilot was Peter Bugge, a Norwegian who escaped from his occupied country during the war to fly with the RAF.

When the plane came down 85 minutes later, Cunningham announced that it had "behaved perfectly."

The new craft is about 18 feet longer than the original Comet and carries from 38 to 76 passengers. It is driven by four Rolls Royce Avon gas turbines, each of 10,000 pounds static thrust.

A cruising speed of well over 500 miles an hour gives the Comet III much greater non-stop range than the series I.

A fleet of the new series has been ordered by British Overseas Airways Corporation. Pan-American Airways has ordered three with an option on another seven.