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and honest fondness one loves
people.

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NORTH KOREANS GAIN Foothold SOUTH OF KUM RIVER

U. N. Appeals For More Aid In Korean War

Result Of Crapaud Plebiscite Confirmed By The Supreme Court

The full bench of the Supreme Court yesterday confirmed the result of the Crapaud plebiscite under the Village Service Act. The opinion of the Court was read by Mr. Justice M. R. MacGuigan. The questions referred by Order-in-Council June 21, 1950, were:

1. Were persons not qualified to vote at the said poll permitted to vote thereat?
2. Were the ballots cast at the said poll improperly counted?
3. If either of the foregoing questions is answered in the affirmative, was the result of the vote at the said poll affected thereby?

Having heard submissions of counsel, Mr. J. O. C. Campbell, K.C., for the Crown and Mr. K. M. Martin, K.C., for the opposing interests, the Court answered the questions as follows:

1. Yes. One, or at most two, persons not qualified were permitted to vote.
2. Yes. A reported result of the poll was 45 affirmative and 36 negative votes, and ten rejected ballots. Of the ten, three were properly rejected and the other

Coming Events

**Mail your Plans to Garnham Photo Studio, Charlottetown.

**Lot 65 Picnic, Tuesday, July 18th.

**Kelly's Cross Picnic, Tuesday, July 25th.

**Long Creek Baptist Church Picnic, Wednesday, July 19th.

**Dance, Grandview July 19th. Music by Brehaut and Buel.

**Dance in Launching School, Tuesday, July 18th.

**Big attraction: "Egg and I", North Rustico Hall, Friday and Saturday at 8.30 p.m.

**Covehead Picnic on St. Eugene's Parish Grounds, Wednesday, July 19th.

**Institute Dance, Wood Islands West School, Tuesday, July 18th. Refreshments.

**Come to the Ice Cream Festival at Wheatley River Hall, Wednesday, July 19th, in aid of School.

**St. Theresa's Play, Vernon River Hall, Monday, July 17th. Dance after.

**St. Ann's Celebration, Lennox Island, Sunday, July 23rd. Mass at eleven o'clock.

**Cardigan Picnic, Wednesday, July 19th. Lights and dancing, platform. Meals 4.30 to 8 P. M.

**Trustees and all interested please meet at Bradalbane Cemetery, Wednesday, July 19th, 1 P. M.

**Come to the big Dance in Emerald School on July 18th. Good music, Canteen service.

**Pie Social and Dance in Souris Line Road North School on July 19th. Chaisson's Orchestra.

**Reserve Thursday, July 20th, Ice Cream Social, Albany Village School.

**Come to the Special Dance Saturday, July 15th, Islanders Country Club, Travellers Rest. Art Gallant's Melody Boys five piece Orchestra.

**Dance Morell Community Hall, Monday, July 17th. Music by George Chappelle and his Merry Islanders. Proceeds in aid of Baseball Club.

**Red Stallion in Technicolor, showing, Wood Islands, Monday Millview, Tuesday, Sturgeon, Wednesday, Cardigan, Thursday, Eidon, Friday, Bridgetown, Saturday.

**Baseball, Tracadie vs. Johnsons River at Donagh and Donagh School, July 19th. Game starts 8.30. Canteen service. Country Cousins Orchestra.

**Ice Cream Social on South Freetown School Grounds, Monday evening, July 17th. Home-made Ice Cream, Hot Dogs. If not fine, first fine night.

**Come to Wilmoe Road Hall Grounds. What for? Bounteous Supper with chicken, ham, salads, home cooking, etc. When? Wednesday, July 19th at 8 P. M. Anything else? Yes! Canteen service, ice cream, soft drinks, cigarettes, etc. To all of Hall. Don't miss it.

Need For Ground Forces Emphasized

By A. E. Goldberg

LAKE SUCCESS, July 14—(AP)—The United Nations appealed today to 52 member countries to rush effective aid, particularly ground fighting forces, to a U. N. army trying to stop the North Korean Communist invaders.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie announced the step at a press conference, his first since the outbreak of the hostilities which he again called a "well-prepared, well-planned aggression" against the Republic of South Korea.

Lie said telegrams were sent to every country that supported the Security Council action authorizing a collective army to throw the North Korean invaders back of the 38th parallel. The aid provided, he said, "should be effective forces, not token forces."

The action was decided, he said, at an informal meeting he called last Monday, attended by represent-

atives of the United States delegation, Security Council President Ales Sundt of Norway and himself and his executive assistant Andrew Cordier.

The Soviet bloc and Yugoslavia, which opposed armed resistance to the North Korean communists, were not included.

A special request was made to the Nationalist Chinese Government in Formosa, whose previous offer of land troops has been turned down by the unified U. S. U. N. command. It advised the Chinese Nationalists that if they want to offer troops again they will do so, but what their offer would be considered only for bilateral discussion of what specific, detailed use might be made of them.

Rejection of the original Chinese offer was on the basis of keeping the Korean war localized. Lie refused to comment on whether a "no-surrender" policy should be a condition to restoring peace in Korea. He would not comment on whether he favored use of the atom bomb. "There has been too much partisan propaganda on the issue," he said.

To statements that it may take three to six months to end the Korean conflict, he answered: "I am not a military expert. I can only express the hope it won't take that long."

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P. W. College Teacher Is Awarded Scholarship

OTTAWA, July 14—(CP)—An Ontario social worker and two dietitians from Montreal and Charlottetown were announced winners today of \$1,200 scholarships awarded by the Princess Alice Foundation.

Established more than four years ago in honor of Princess Alice, wife of a former Governor-General, the Foundation awards scholarships annually to train youth leaders.

Dietitians winning the 1950-51 scholarships are Jacqueline Billette of (4380 Cote des Neiges Road) Montreal, and Doris M. Anderson of Prince of Wales College in Charlottetown.

Miss Anderson plans to do post-graduate work in the field of home economics. Miss Billette already is studying in France where she plans to do further post-graduate work in nutrition.

Third winner is Myrtle Rowena Smith of (232 Main Street North) Weston, Ont. A graduate of the University of Toronto, Miss Smith plans to take post-graduate courses in social work, specializing in group work.

Miss Anderson who taught household economics at Prince of Wales College and the Vocational School for the past two years, will take her post-graduate course at Cornell University.

She is an honor graduate of Prince of Wales and received her B.Sc. degree in Household Economics from Acadia University in 1945 after completing an honors course in foods and nutrition. From 1945 to 1948 she taught in Hudson High School, Hudson Heights, Quebec.

Fierce Ammunition Fire At Portsmouth, Eng.

PORTSMOUTH, England, July 14—(CP)—An ammunition lighter blew up in Portsmouth harbor tonight, touching off a series of terrific blasts and a raging fire. No deaths were reported.

Half a dozen ammunition barges, a pier and several buildings on the shore were set ablaze. By sundown 10 fire trucks and a fire boat had the blaze under control.

Twenty persons were injured—none of them seriously—in the blasts which sent up a 2,000-foot column of smoke, damaged buildings, shattered hundreds of windows and were felt four miles away.

The barges were each 50 feet long. One of the explosions tore down a 100-foot section of a quay-side warehouse and ammunition depot. With the fires out, police and navy men still were searching the debris for possible victims late tonight.

At the start of the fire a billowing mushroom of smoke was visible more than 15 miles away. H. Dyer, proprietor of a dairy store in Gosport on the edge of the harbor, described the scene: "The smoke poured across the harbor, and the ammunition started going off. The sky was lit up as red and green rockets shot into the air and exploded. Among them were what looked like many colored signal flares."

"Then there was a huge explosion. The harbor was blotted out for a minute by a dense pall of smoke. When it cleared, the barge had disintegrated, and the end of the pier—it's a quarter of a mile long—was wrecked."

Live shells blown into the air from one of the barges fell near Portchester, three miles away.

Local Cadet Goes To Alberta

Cadet Captain Gerald Birt of the West Kent School Cadet Corps will represent Prince Edward Island on a six weeks training course at Banff, Alberta. Cadet Birt will leave for the Alberta camp on July 26.

He has just returned from attending a two weeks camp at Aldershot where he was selected for the Banff course. Eight boys from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and three from Newfoundland will make the trip.

New Decoration For Canadian Servicemen

OTTAWA, July 14—(CP)—There'll soon be a new ribbon on many a serviceman's chest. The Defence Department announced today the King has approved a new, distinctly-Canadian decoration for members of the three Canadian armed forces and that it will soon be available.

It will be awarded for 12 years service in either the permanent or reserve forces and is the first purely Canadian decoration for service of this nature. Wartime and pre-war service may be counted. It will supersede Long Service and Good Conduct Awards hitherto given to members of the armed forces and which have no distinct Canadian connection.

The new award is a 10-sided all-ver-gilt device, bearing on its front the effigy of the King, encircled by the royal title. The reserve bears a naval crown, maple leaves, and an eagle, representing the three services. The ribbon is red, equally divided by three narrow vertical white stripes.

Permanent force officers and men of the three services will qualify by 12 years full-time paid service in any of the armed forces of the Commonwealth, provided they were serving on or after Oct. 1, 1946, in one of the permanent forces.

Reserve officers and men must have the same period of service in one of Canada's reserve forces. They must have joined the reserve or must have been serving on or after Jan. 1, 1946.

Beginning Of Big Push Is Forecast

TOKYO, July 15—(Saturday) (AP)—Gen. MacArthur's communique said North Korean troops today planted a bridgehead on the south bank of the Kum River but that an earlier crossing was "thrown back with heavy losses."

TOKYO, July 15—(Saturday)—(CP)—North Korean troops in undisclosed force today crossed the Kum River line in the centre of the United States positions. Infantry fighting now is in progress. This was reported in a dispatch from United States advanced headquarters, which said American jet and Mustang fighters already had begun strikes against the Red bridgehead.

(The fact that fighters are attacking the south bank holdings are fairly extensive. The location of the crossing was not given.) The American defenders likewise were harassed by guerrillas who were attacking in the rear of this vital line within 20 miles of Taejon, the provisional capital of South Korea.

The Chinese Communist radio said guerrillas also were attacking in the Sangju and Ulsong areas, 40 to 70 miles respectively east of Taejon. This is the sector where the northerners are threatening U. S. supply lines from the southeast port of Pusan.

The first attack against the American positions on the south bank came late yesterday. Field dispatches said an estimated 100 North Koreans crossed west of Taejon despite a heavy bombardment by U. S. artillery and warplanes.

Gen. MacArthur's communique early today simply said establishment of an enemy bridgehead on the south bank had not been confirmed.

It said the Americans were defending the river line against superior forces. Communist patrols were acknowledged to be probing the American positions "in a number of places along the river."

Field dispatches said the river, last natural defence before Taejon, was first reported crossed by the small Red force west of Kongju, on the American west flank. Kongju is about 20 miles northwest of Taejon, South Korean Provisional capital.

A field headquarters spokesman Associated Press correspondent (Continued on page 5 Col. 3)

Bankruptcy Of Potato Company

The Lavitt Potato Company Ltd., which has been operating in Charlottetown, has gone into voluntary liquidation.

On June 29th the secretary, Mr. Milburn Buell reported to a meeting of shareholders that the company was insolvent and on July 15th the company executed a voluntary assignment to the Eastern Trust Co. for the benefit of the creditors.

Indebtedness of the company is estimated at \$74,267.75, including two secured creditors, the Eastern Trust Company, \$12,326.00 and the Lavitt Potato Co. Ltd., Rockcliffe, Connecticut, \$15,350.00. Other principal creditors are Buell Bros. Scholfield Paper Co., P. E. I. Bag Co. Ltd., Walter MacDonald and Geo. W. Ellis.

Declared assets of the company consist of: Stock in trade—none; Insurance—\$23,212.00; Trade Fixtures—\$9,483.00; Book debts—\$10,671.03; Real Estate (value \$37,077.56) 9,402.56; Auto—\$1,500.

Prepare For Attempt To Refloat Liner Franconia

QUEBEC, July 14—(CP)—The powerful salvage vessel Traverse will arrive here "late tomorrow" to attempt the refloating of the 20,000-ton liner Franconia, which went aground Wednesday night off the western tip of the Isle of Orleans with 850 passengers aboard.

The Traverse, owned by the Foundation Maritime Corporation, provided the one hope of successfully pulling the Franconia from the craggy bottom it climbed Wednesday night as vacationists watched from hotel verandas.

The Signals Service of the Department of Transport made the announcement of the Traverse's arrival time.

Tonight, tugs had moved 1,200 tons of cargo from the Cunard Donaldson Line vessel, thus making it that much lighter for salvage operations.

However, weight is not the only factor that will be considered by engineers who will have the complicated job of moving the ship.

Divers examine ship

Divers are examining the ship's underside and will make a report on the damage and on the type of obstacles the vessel will encounter when it is decided to try and pull it off the shore.

In a statement, Cunard said no refloating attempt would be made until the salvage vessel arrives. The company described the damage as extensive but no estimate was announced.

Meanwhile the big vessel, sitting in full view of several St. Lawrence shore towns, continues to rock slowly as tides go in and out. Aboard the vessel and due to remain there until 4 is re-floated is River Pilot Edmond Lamontagne who was at the helm when the ship ran aground.

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Mrs. T. P. McCordick, wife of Dr. A. H. McCordick of Ottawa, in an interview today was full of praise

Tablet To Be Unveiled At P.W.C. In Honour Of Late Sir Robt. Falconer

On Tuesday evening, July 25th, at 8.15, a tablet to be placed in Prince of Wales College by the Historic Sites and Monuments Boards of Canada will be unveiled by His Honour, Lieutenant-Governor Bernard, in honour of Sir Robert Falconer, late President of the University of Toronto.

This distinguished educationist was born in Charlottetown and contributed a great deal to the educational outlook and activities of the Dominion. The Historic Sites and Monuments Board has declared that he is an eminent Canadian, whose memory should be perpetuated by a national memorial of this sort.

The address on Sir Robert at the ceremony will be given by Rev. Dr. James Thomson, Dean of the Faculty of Theology of McGill University, and former President of the University of Saskatchewan. Other distinguished speakers will be present and take part in the ceremony. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Appointment Of Mrs. Simon Paoli To City School Bd.

Mrs. Simon Paoli, Charlottetown, has been appointed to the City School Board to replace Dr. J. D. McGuigan, whose term of office has expired. The appointment was announced yesterday following a meeting of the Executive Council. The School Board is made up of four Provincial Government appointees and five appointees of the City Government.

Following is a list of members with the year in which their appointments expire: Government: Dr. R. G. Lea, chairman, 1953; Dr. A. W. W. Allan, 1951; Maj. Earle C. Baker, 1952; Mrs. Simon Paoli, 1955. City: Maj. D. L. Mathieson, K. C. 1951; Mr. H. F. MacPhee, K. C. 1952; Dr. W. J. P. MacMillan, O. B. E. 1953; Mrs. Dorothy Lantz, 1954; Dr. W. R. Carson, 1955.

Dr. MacGuigan, now retired, has been a member of the Board for two five-year terms.

Critically Ill

HARTSDALE, N. Y., July 14—(AP)—Gen. Evangeline Booth, 84, (above) retired head of the Salvation Army, was reported critically ill at her home today. A Salvation Army spokesman quoted her physician as saying her death could be expected "in a matter of days."

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Council Of Churches To Probe Racial Question

TORONTO, July 14—(CP)—The central committee of the World Council of Churches voted unanimously today to send a delegation of whites and negroes to South Africa to discuss racial problems with church leaders there.

South African delegates had suggested that an all-white group would be preferable since its major undertaking would be conferences with white officials of the Dutch Reformed Church.

Dr. Benjamin E. Mays of Atlanta, Ga., a negro, said support by Christian Churches of South African racial segregation policy is "laying the foundation for Communism" and is a "gross misrepresentation of theology."

Dr. E. J. Marais of the Dutch Reformed Church in Transvaal said he believes the South African Churches will welcome an opportunity to give their side.

Nearly two dozen delegates expressed their views on the subject. Dr. Mays said the segregation policy was setting race against race and culture against culture.

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