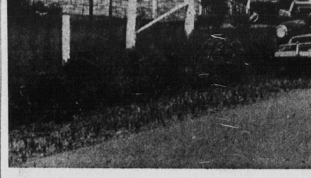


# Canadians Eat More Than Ever

By Farmer Tinsington  
OTTAWA (Special) — If Canadians are worried about the bulging waistlines — the worry is by no means unfounded. A recent review of Canadian agricultural resources has some disturbing news for the world's diet. Canadians are eating more than ever before and the experts believe that the trend to more and bigger meals and snacks will continue for at least the next 20 years.

Since the 1953-59 period, consumer spending on food has risen from \$1.8 billion per annum to \$4.06 billion. Per capita spending on food has gone up from \$185 a year to \$248 a year in constant 1960 dollars. In the next 20 years there will be a 70 per cent increase in the amount of food eaten to depress Canada, resulting from a 63 per cent population increase and a five per cent increase in per capita food intake.



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Higgins who is also employed in Toronto, arrived here a week ago to spend a vacation with the girl's mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myers. Higgins went to his home in Sydney shortly after arriving and returned here Sunday. He and his fiancée were removing luggage from the trunk of his car about noon yesterday when the rifle was taken out with clothing. The 308-calibre rifle discharged, fatally wounding the girl.

RCMP said no charges are being laid against Higgins. An inquest has been called by Dr. C. M. Deane, coroner, and a jury has been empanelled. No date has been set for the inquest.

Edna Arsenault was born at Fortuque Cove, 21 years ago, daughter of Mrs. Henry Myers and the late Joseph L. Arsenault. She attended school in Alberton where she lived with her mother and stepfather. Four years ago she went to Calgary where she worked in a factory and attended night school. For the past two years she has lived in Toronto where she was employed in an office.

Business Briefs  
OTTAWA (CP) — Cars of rubber freight loaded in Canada in the last 10 days of July numbered 109,458, an increase of almost seven per cent from the same period of 1962, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported Monday.

This brought carloadings for July to 323,310, compared with 318,544 in July of last year. For the first seven months of 1963 the total reached 2,012,333 cars, against 2,039,715 in the same months of 1962.

Railway operations by major Canadian lines showed a combined net operating profit of \$29,438 in April. Last year April operations ran a combined \$2,311,019 deficit.

BLAST POSTPONED  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The U. S. government announced Thursday that "technical difficulties" necessitate postponement of plans to detonate a special nuclear device underground at Carlsbad, N.M., this year as part of its program to develop peaceful uses of nuclear explosives.

CONTROL BIG FIRE  
LAWTON, Okla. (AP) — Fire which had raged across nearly 6,000 acres of range and forest land near here for two days was reported under control Saturday. The only injuries reported were minor ones suffered by soldiers fighting the fire. Several ranchers in the area reported livestock missing.

## GOING TO NEWFOUNDLAND

Three young Islanders who are leaving this morning for Newfoundland to attend the Junior Red Cross Training Centre in St. John's are shown here studying the route. They are from left to right: Mary Power, Souris High School; Francis Gaudet, Birchwood High and Nancy George, Queen Charlotte High. Char-

## 'Floating Chapel' Paying Visit To Summerside Waterfront

SUMMERSIDE — "The purpose of the floating chapel is to preach the gospel to those who seldom or never attend church," said Rev. Roy Campbell regarding the role of the floating chapel following its arrival for a two-day visit in Summerside yesterday.

Mr. Campbell left Pugwash, N.S., aboard the 34-foot Cape Island cabin cruiser, early yesterday morning and tied up at the railway wharf in Summerside at approximately 3:15 yesterday afternoon. This isn't the first visit to Prince Edward Island for the "floating chapel." Since it was launched June 2 of this year, the craft has had visits to Charlottetown, Murray Harbor, Montserrat, and Georgetown.

## N. Milton 4-Hers Plan Field Day

The North Milton 4-H Club will hold its annual field day on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 21 with the program getting underway at 1:30 o'clock. Judging of calves, year, old and two-year old animals will be carried out in the 101 st. Arshrine and Guernsey breed the club embraces.

## Alberton Names New Constable

ALBERTON — Six teenagers for the position of policeman in the town of Alberton were opened at the regular council meeting last night with Mayor Roy Thompson presiding and all councillors present.

## 16 Killed In Crash

LYON, France (AP) — Sixteen people, including a farmer on the ground were killed Monday in a crash involving a French domestic Air-Inter line crashed into a barn 12 miles northwest of Lyons in a thunderstorm. Twelve of the dead were killed on impact and four died in hospital. The sole survivor was a three-year-old girl.

## Stock Crash Seen in '65

PEMBROKE, Ont. (CP) — American and Canadian stock markets are due for a crash in 1965, says a report by a manager of the Guaranty Trust Company of Canada, said Monday.

## Summer Schools Prove Popular

Record enrollments were reported for summer schools at St. Dunstan's University and Prince of Wales College. SDU classes were completed Friday, and PWC students write final exams today. Michael Hennessey, SDU registrar said that 216 students registered for summer classes this year, an increase of 14 over last year's total, and the largest enrollment since summer school began at the university in 1968 with 73 students.

## Grim Offshoots Described From Unwise Use Of Credit

TORONTO (CP) — Suicide, alcoholism and financial ruin are some of the grim offshoots of "excessive and unwise use of credit," a witness told an Ontario legislative committee investigating high interest rates here Monday.

## Riders Hunt More Pouch

OTTAWA (CP) — Hunting for more offensive punch, coach Frank Clark said Monday he may insert two recorded music imports into the Ottawa Rough Riders' backfield for the Riders' game against Montreal Alouettes here Thursday night.

## DAIRY PRINCESS CROWNED

The provincial Dairy Princess was crowned last night at the C.B.P.O. Ottawa Driving Club. Following the official opening of Old Home Week.

## Sentence On Fraud Charge Is Deferred Three Months

SUMMERSIDE — Mary Amelia Gallant of Summerside, charged with fraud, had her sentence deferred for three months by Magistrate R.S. Hinton in town police court yesterday following a plea by defence counsel, Melville Campbell that the accused was ready to apologize for her behaviour and also ready to make restitution.

## New York Gets Crime Data From U.S. Justice Department

NEW YORK (AP) — The U.S. Justice Department will provide New York city authorities a 22-page dossier on organized criminal operations as described by convict Joseph Valachi. Among other things, the report is said to back up the unsworn gangland killing of Little Augie Pisano in 1959.

## Legion Defeats Fishcutters 6-1

Souris Legion defeated the Fishcutters 6-1 in an exhibition game yesterday. Danny Mahar and Welch Chivers tossed for the winners and Brian Lumsden and Willard Creamer, for the losers.

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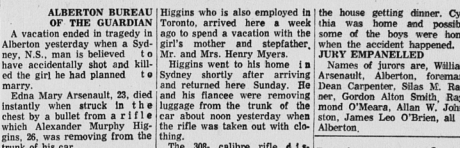
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## Music Couple Wed In New York

NEW YORK (AP) — Broadway musical performers Robert Goulet and Carol Lawrence were married Monday in State Supreme Court Justice Charles Markessey performed the ceremony — the second marriage for each — before about 40 relatives and close friends at Plaza Hotel.

## Parkdale Team Will Practice

There will be a practice for the Parkdale Midgets at Memorial Field tonight at 6:15. All players are requested to attend.



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## BOY ESCAPES SEWER PERIL

MANCHESTER, N.H. (AP) — A 10-year-old boy, who slipped and fell into a sewer, crawled out unharmed after being rescued by his father.

## THANK YOU

The Tignish Sports Recreation Association would like to thank the kind people who helped in any way to make their second Lobster Bonanza and Picnic one of success, and for the help and assistance given them during their Red Cross Water Safety swimming course. A special thank you to David Millar of Charlottetown who supervised a very successful and interesting course for the association. To all you good people, and a very helpful group of children in cleaning up the picnic grounds our sincere thanks.

Board of Directors.  
Tignish Sports Recreation Association.

## SHAW FESTIVAL

OPENING TONIGHT  
the smash musical hit  
"SALAD DAYS"

Queen Charlotte High School  
Auditorium  
Charlottetown  
9 P.M.

General Admission 1.25  
Also playing on August 15, 17, 19, 21 and 24