



V. C. WINNER

REGINA, — George Henry (Har- Victoria Cross in the First World War, now is sergeant-at-arms in the Saskatchewan legislature. This photo shows him in the regalia of his office bearing the mace. (CPPhoto)

### Ceylon's New Premier And Mr. Eden Exchange Compliments

COLOMBO, Ceylon, (Reuters) — Ceylon's new left-wing prime minister, Solomon Bandaranaike, told Britain Thursday his government looks forward to continuing friendly relations "in the cause of peace and our mutual advantage."

Bandaranaike and Prime Minister Eden exchanged complimentary messages after Bandaranaike was sworn in as prime minister, foreign minister and defence minister.

Eden's message said Britain looked forward to "continuing with your government the close and friendly relationship which has existed between the governments of Ceylon and the United Kingdom."

Bandaranaike, whose Socialist People's United Front party routed the pro-Western government of Sir John Kotelawala in the recent election, favors republican instead of dominion status for Ceylon and removal of British military bases here.

The 57-year-old Oxford-educated lawyer agrees in principle with the neutralist world policy of Indian Prime Minister Nehru

and also wants a measure of nationalization of the island's industry, mainly tea plantations.

In his first post-election statement, he said he would open diplomatic missions in Moscow and Peking. Observers here said this should not be taken as meaning Ceylon will switch from western to the eastern camp.

The policy would be one of "non-alignment"—though inevitably there would be some change in the basis of Ceylon's relationship with Britain.

Bandaranaike in a broadcast to the nation Thursday night promised "justice and fair play" to racial, religious and other minorities as well as his political opponents.

"We shall perform our duty sincerely, and to the best of our ability, bearing in mind the wishes of the people who have returned us to power," he said.

The Trotskyite Lanka Sama Samaja party-ratting second with 14 seats—announced it would give full support to the new government in carrying through reforms promised during the election campaign.



JOHN A. CUSTER

### Returns From Y Work In Greece Will Speak Here

John A. Custer World Service Y.M.C.A. is now en-route to New York after five years of service in Thessalonika, Greece where he was technical advisor to the YMCA. The completion of a new 97-bed "Y" dormitory for older high school boys and university students, highlighted one of his activities.

In addition to his assigned work, Mr. Custer, at the request of the Minister of Welfare, helped to organize a leadership training program for Government welfare camps. He was president of the Foreign Community School Board for two years and organized a Sunday school and adult devotional program for the foreign community.

In a scheduled tour of Eastern United States and Canada, Mr. Custer will address meetings in Charlottetown in the near future.

NO BOMB AT ALL. PARIS (Reuters) — Six black boxes suspected of containing explosives and taken from a British troop-carrying plane here Monday have been found to contain only the personal belongings of British servicemen being ferried home on leave from Cyprus. The pilot of the plane travelling from Cyprus to Britain landed at Le Bourget airport after hearing a news broadcast of suspected terrorist activities at Cyprus airfields.

### Russia Asks Britain To Join Talks

LONDON (Reuters) — Russia asked Britain Wednesday to join in summing up a 12-power conference to discuss South Viet Nam's refusal to carry out parts of the 1954 armistice agreement which ended the Indochina war.

Britain opposed the proposal.

Diplomatic sources said Andrei Gromyko, deputy Soviet foreign minister, put the request to the Marquess of Reading, minister of state at the foreign office.

The two diplomats, whose countries were co-chairman of the 1954 Geneva conference, were opening talks about the situation in Viet Nam, the biggest of the three Indochina states, and Laos.

### Three Members Of RCAF Killed

MONTREAL, (CP) — A single-engine Otter aircraft crashed Tuesday near Goose Bay, Labrador, killing three RCAF personnel.

An inquiry has been launched into the crash, which occurred in densely-wooded rolling country five miles from the airport.

They were identified by Air Transport Command here as FO R. C. Reid, 27, Dartmouth, N.S., pilot; FO J. M. Ketcheson, 38, Trenton, Ont., co-pilot; and LAC F. E. Sellazza, 21, Sydney, N.S., crew member.

The craft, used for general utility purposes, was on a routine local flight.

FO Reid is survived by his widow and a son. FO Ketcheson was married, with three children. The third victim was unmarried.

### Free Wife In Shooting Case

PERCE, Que. (CP) — Provincial police Wednesday freed a 29-year-old wife whom they said fired three revolver shots at her physician husband "in self defence."

Mrs. Claire Pronovost, mother of three children, of Anse du Cap, Que., was freed. Her husband, Dr. Gaston Pronovost, 45, is recovering from bullet wounds at the home of his brother Dr. Adrien Pronovost at Barachois, Que., in Gaspé.

The shooting occurred Tuesday in the Pronovost home. Provincial police said it followed "a quarrel."

(A government spokesman in Quebec City said the woman was ordered freed after a full investigation. No charges are planned against the woman's husband.)

The injured physician was taken to hospital at the pulp-manufacturing centre of Chandler on Baie des Chaleurs where he underwent an emergency operation for the removal of a bullet from his abdomen. Two other bullets grazed his cheek and ear. Authorities say his condition is not serious.

### U.K. Plans Tractor Samples For China

LONDON, (Reuters) — Britain announced Wednesday a deal to send a sample consignment of 60 tractors to Communist China and expressed hope that Western embargoes on such trade will soon be relaxed.

Anthony Nutting, minister of state at the foreign office, told questioners in the Commons that though exports of tractors to China are banned by agreement among the Western powers, Britain had taken advantage of a procedure which allows certain goods through so long as the embargo powers are informed.

### Sees Big Market Potential In Canada

MONTREAL (CP) — E. C. Row, president and general manager of the Chrysler Corporation of Canada, said Wednesday Canada can narrow the gap between her standard of living and that of the United States by increasing her markets.

He told the Advertising and Sales Executive Club that in the "present discrepancy" between this country's per capita ownership of most consumer goods and that of the U.S. lies the great indicator to Canada's industrial potential.

Cars had been selling in the U.S. last year at the rate of one for every 20 people while in Canada the rate had been one for every 41 persons, Mr. Row said. This meant Canada could double its car market.

The same potential existed in other consumer-goods fields where Canadians were buying less than Americans.

### Russians To Discuss Trade, Co-Operation

LONDON (AP) — Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin said Wednesday night he and Party Secretary Nikita Khrushchev are coming to Britain primarily to discuss increased trade and broader co-operation.

Bulganin outlined plans for the 10-day visit beginning April 18 in an interview with the London Times. It was broadcast by Moscow radio.

The premier denied that the Soviet Union is trying to drive a wedge between Britain and the United States.

"When the Soviet Union wants to establish good, friendly relations with any one country it does not mean that the latter should turn down friendship with any other country," he said.

"Our country wants to be friends with friends of Britain, too, and we do not need to deprive Britain of her friends."

Bulganin said the trip is intended "to discuss first of all questions pertaining to development of trade between our countries and broader co-operation between the U.S.S.R. and England."

He added that the discussions also will include "some other international problems, the solution of which will be conducive to further easing of world tensions and the strengthening of peace all over the world."

### Seek Funds For 'Quoddy Survey

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CAVENDISH PASTORAL Charge The United Church of Canada. Services on Sunday, April 15th, as follows: Cavendish 11 a.m.; North Rustico 3 p.m.; New Glasgow 7:30 p.m. Mr. Allison Haley, Minister.

NEW GLASGOW Christian Church Sunday, April 15 morning worship and Communion 11 a.m. New Glasgow Community Sunday School 12:15 Evening service 7:30 p.m. Film "Secret of the Gift." Cavendish United Baptist Church Worship service 3 p.m. Rev. Bryer R. Jones, minister.

UNITED BAPTIST Church, Montague Charge, Sunday, April 15th. Montague 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Murray Harbour 3 p.m. Murray River 7:30 p.m. With Song Service at 7:15. Ordination of the "Lords Supper", at the close of the evening service. All visitors are welcome at these services. Rev. A.M. Rogerson, minister.

land in the Arctic as well as from Fort Churchill, Man., during International Geophysical Year experiments, it was learned Wednesday.

The Defence Research Board made public more details of Canadian participation in the worldwide experiments to be conducted by scientists in 1957 and 1958.

It is hoped the rocket tests will provide information about atmospheric phenomena some 60 miles above the earth's surface, such as solar radiation, ionosphere—and magnetic storms.

The tests will be conducted by United States agencies.

A balloon carrying a rocket will be allowed to float at its ceiling of about 15 miles above the earth. From it the rocket will be fired to a height of more than 60 miles.

Britain, Australia and Japan also are planning rocket programs in connection with the geophysical year.

Attempts will be made to sample the aurora by photocells and ion spectographs placed in the rocket's nose as it enters the display such as the northern lights. Other tests will try to measure x-rays and ultra-violet rays from solar flares by geiger counters on rockets.

### Rockets To Be Fired At Arctic Sites

OTTAWA (CP) — Rockets—rockets carried by balloons—will be fired from ships in Frobisher bay and Davis strait off Baffin Island.

### French To Recall 200,000 Reservists

PARIS (Reuters) — The French cabinet gave itself sweeping powers Wednesday night to recall up to 200,000 reservists as reinforcements for rebel-ridden Algeria.

A government spokesman, announcing the decision after a five-hour cabinet meeting, said first individual mobilization orders would be sent out within 48 hours.

Officers and non-commissioned officers of any age are also liable to recall under the decrees, which will enable the government of Socialist premier Guy Mollet to direct an uninterrupted flow of reinforcements by sea and air to Algeria for the struggle against an estimated 15,000 nationalist rebels.

Usually well-informed sources said a total of 75,000 reservists would be recalled in the next three weeks.

### Young Planters

EDMONTON (CP) — Grade 1 pupils here will plant more than 5,000 Colorado spruce seedlings, donated by the provincial agricultural department nursery and distributed by the city parks department.

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The Regular Meeting of the Trinity Junior Young People's union was held on Wednesday evening in the social hall. The meeting began with the repeating of the Young Peoples Purpose and the recreation committee conducted some lively games.

It was decided to hold the last meeting in the form of a social on May 2nd. Each member was asked to sell ten tickets for the Young Peoples play.

The program was in the form of a social, which was led by Wendall Coffin, Patsy Cooper and Gail Johnston with Connie Davies as pianist, concluded the evenings activities.

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