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## 2 Leaders Move To Union's Ship Harassment Aim

Two leaders of the Canadian Labor Union have moved to Ottawa to press their case against the harassment of ships in the Great Lakes region. The union's executive committee has authorized a press conference to be held in Ottawa on Monday, May 13, at 10:30 a.m. The two leaders are George Menzies, president of the union, and John J. MacEachern, secretary. They will be joined by other union officials and representatives of the International Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America. The union has been active in opposing the harassment of ships by the U.S. Coast Guard and the U.S. Navy. It has filed a lawsuit against the U.S. government and is seeking a court order to stop the harassment. The union also has a campaign to raise money to support its legal action.



Canadian Prime Minister Lester Pearson warms his hands in his pocket as he chats with President Kennedy for benefit of photographers on terrace of President's summer home at Hyannis Port on Cape Cod Friday. The weather was chilly but the greetings were warm as the chief executives met for two days of talks. (AP Wirephoto)

## Defence Statement Promised Later Today

U.S. Defence Secretary McNamara and Defence Production Minister Drury will meet shortly to discuss sharing of defence production. The two leaders also discussed greater utilization of existing facilities for command and control, and the abolition of nuclear tests. McNamara said that discussions today will touch Latin America affairs. The U.S. would like to see Canada become a member of the Organization of American States. McNamara also mentioned fishing and Toronto's desire to set a 12-hour coastal limit barring all foreign fishermen. Special conditions might be made to certain countries such as the U.S. At dinner Friday night the two leaders discussed the general East-West situation.

## CRASH SURVIVOR LEAVES HOSPITAL

Boles Klaben, who was rescued March 25 after surviving seven weeks beside a downed plane in the Yukon wilds, is interviewed by newsmen on a leaving a hospital in New York Friday. Her right foot, from which the toes were removed because of frostbite, is encased in bandages. Miss Klaben, 21, entered the hospital March 30 weighing 100 pounds and left three 25 pounds heavier. She was greeted by her mother, Ida, and her brother, Martin, 33, and taken to their Brooklyn home. (AP Wirephoto)

## Flat River Man Completes Planting 20 Acres Potatoes

Stewart Ross, M.L.A. Flat River completed the planting of 20 acres of potatoes in a 12-acre field on May 5, the earliest seeding jobs in the province. The labour member for Fourth Queens started the planting operation on Tuesday, May 5 and missed one day on account of rain which slowed the completion. Planting operations were completed on the Ross farm by April 26 last year, when 25 acres were planted. The last spots were planted on May 5 in 1961. Early planting is a general practice on the Ross farm for he completed the potato seeding on April 23 in 1960. It was learned from Mrs. Ross, who consulted her diary before giving out the information, that the crop was a good one. Mr. Ross planted Green Mountains, Irish Cobblers and Kennebec this year. Robert Ross, also of Flat River, has planted two acres of early potatoes already, it was learned.

## MISHAPS MARK PEARSON VISIT

HYANNIS PORT, Mass. (AP) — Three mishaps marred the initial meeting of President Kennedy and Prime Minister Pearson Friday at nearby Otis Air Force Base. First, a still whipped the Red Ensign to help staff just as Pearson circled the member of the U.S. Air Force's guard of honor holding the Canadian banner aloft. Second, the wind upset the public address system as the exchange remarks by the Canadian and American leaders was only intermittently audible to the right-seen on hand. Finally, Pearson walked backwards—waving to the crowd—as he entered Kennedy's jet-covered helicopter for the quick flight to the site here of their two-day conference. In doing so, he bumped his head on the top of the doorway.

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## TESTS FAIL, POLICE REPORT

Police mystery Malady closes school. Nothing to explain why 15 children in a schoolhouse, one of three times two weeks. Low's unexplained malady, a strange drug-induced mania, was shut down Friday for the remainder of the school year. Chief Richard said the unaccountable repetition of the ailment had convinced him there was a criminal action behind it. "I am sure we have a sabotage affair on our hands," he said. He didn't elaborate, and no motive was immediately evident. Health Minister Alphonse Couillard offered an explanation Friday in the Quebec Legislature. He said that pupils, upon transfer to the school of French-Protestant immigrants, were bringing with them a disease which had been discovered in a school in Montreal.

## MOVE CLASSES

No other schools in the town were affected. The stricken children, who always recovered quickly after an attack, were taken to other schools in the area. Some parents moved their children to other schools, already crowded. Chief Richard says the town has 26 classrooms, including the closed elementary school.

## Sailors Killed Near Halifax

HALIFAX (CP) — Two crew members of the destroyer escort Crescent were killed early Friday when the car in which they were driving left the road about four miles from the town.

## Child Killed On N.B. Road

JACQUET RIVER, N.B. (CP) — Thirteen-year-old Angela Marie Guitard of Turgeon, five miles east of here, died Friday when struck by a car near her home.

## Canada Bans Boost Of Ocean Air Fares

OTTAWA (CP) — The Air Transport Board issued an order Friday to bar international airlines from raising fares for passengers flying into Canada from increasing their transatlantic fares at planned Sunday.

## Astronaut Gordon Cooper Has Simulated Countdown

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Astronaut Gordon Cooper jogged along a beach Friday, spent 30 minutes at the controls of a jet plane and then ran through a full simulated countdown and launching in preparation for his long-duration space mission next week. The 36-year-old U.S. Air Force major is scheduled to soar atop an Atlas missile Tuesday for a record American space ride intended to last more than 34 hours.

## Stiff Note Is Removed

LONDON (CP) — Britain was reported to have sent a stiff note to the United States over the dispute over North Atlantic air fares which threatened to halt all flights to the U.S. and Canada. British morning newspapers reported that the note was Washington, but the aviation ministry said it was a spokesman refused to confirm it.

## Margarine, Whisky Taxes Said Too High

TORONTO (CP) — The unlikely combination of margarine and whisky was discussed before the royal commission on taxation Friday. It heard that sales tax was taking too big a bite out of the butter substitute and whisky was being hit up too many liquor profits. At issue were the 11-per-cent federal sales tax as it applies to margarine in all provinces but Newfoundland and the 15-per-cent withholding tax that applies to dividends paid to foreign corporations by their Canadian subsidiaries.

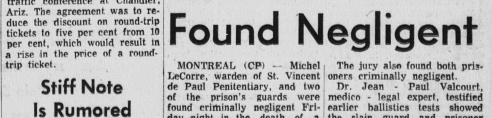
## Gold Medal Presented

OTTAWA (CP) — Mrs. Georges Vanier, wife of the Governor-General, presented the Canadian Automobile Association's gold medal for the year 1962 to David Patrick Kilvin, 12, of St. Peter's Boys' Home, during a presentation during a visit to Government House by children participating in the national school safety patrol jamboree.

## Warden, Guards Found Negligent

MONTREAL (CP) — Michel LeCorre, warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, and two medical officers were found criminally negligent Friday in the death of a prisoner who was struck by a guard fired by Alphonse Desnoes, 56, guard at the penitentiary for 29 years.

## HERE IS A candid close-up of Astronaut Gordon Cooper as he launches his 34-hour mission in a phase of his preparation for a flight into space next week. He is scheduled to make 22 orbits, well beyond



Walter Schirra's six-orbit U.S. record this photo was released by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration in Cape Canaveral, Fla. (AP Wirephoto)

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