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Mr. Diefenbaker's Visit

While no stranger to this Province, today's visit of Mr. John G. Diefenbaker, Q.C., will be his first as national leader of the Progressive Conservative party...

We are fortunate in Canada in having national leaders of high attainments and integrity, to whom politics is a dedicated profession...

Blood Donor Week

As proclaimed by His Worship the Mayor, this is Blood Donor Week in Charlottetown and at least 1500 of our 20,000 population in the city...

A very full four days of activity has been arranged. Special lighting effects will be used on the Canadian Legion Building where clinics are to be held...

Apparently the Charlottetown Committee has done everything to insure the successful outcome of this week's effort. It is up to our citizens now to come through and provide the much needed 1500 bottles of blood...

Something Unique

Speaking before a news-gathering agency United States Secretary of State Dulles made this observation: "History suggests that a conflict as basic as that dividing the world of freedom and international Communism ultimately erupts in war."

No doubt Mr. Dulles is quite sincere in rejecting the inevitability of war between the Soviet Union and the West. But, unfortunately, history is not sidetracked so easily...

And here's another thing bearing on the same question. In all human history there never yet has been an instance where an armament race did not result in war. Indeed, war is the logical objective of the accumulating of arms...

This does not necessarily mean that the present arms race must take a pre-determined course, just because it has been that way in the past. But, if it doesn't, and if one day the vast amount of armaments which now clutter up the world's arsenals be scrapped and destroyed...

What Accidents Cost

Monetary losses are but one factor in the toll taken by traffic accidents across Canada. Yet these losses in themselves are truly staggering. They do not fall only upon those who are so unfortunate as to be directly involved...

When an accident occurs—or because accidents may occur—a great many public services (for which everyone pays) have to be maintained. There are the law enforcement officers, the courts that try the cases...

EDITORIAL NOTES

If soldiers ever have to go to war again, they will find that at least one chore has been made far less burdensome than in the past. A trench-digging machine has been devised which can dig 20 4-foot deep trenches in less than a minute.

Evidently, members of the British Columbia Power Commission are an optimistic lot. They have just signed another three-year contract with a rain-making outfit, although a report by researchers claims that no appreciable change in rainfall had taken place in any area which had been cloud-seeded.

"The Soviet Union," said a Russian dignitary the other day, "always has been and ever will remain a friend and brother of great China." If Premier Chou En-lai is wise he will take such high-sounding words with the proverbial grain of salt.

More than once kind words from Moscow have been the prelude to angry deeds. Telephone systems in Bonn and Cologne feature movie and theatre programs, recipes, stock quotations, and the names of de-



RETURN ENGAGEMENT - - IN A DIFFERENT ROLE

Moscow Angers Scandinavia

By Thomas Reedy Associated Press, Stockholm The Soviets are discovering anew what the czars learned centuries ago—getting tough with the Scandinavians will get you nowhere.

The North Atlantic Treaty Council touched off the latest Russian excursion into northern tier politics by offering atomic tactical weapons last December to NATO partners. They include Norway and Denmark.

New Voting Generation

By Harold Morrison, Canadian Press Staff The Liberals have retained federal office for such a lengthy period that an entire new generation of voters has sprung up with no personal recollection of any other party in power.

Unusual Telephone Services

National Geographic Society Stuck for an answer? To anything? In Paris or Vienna, all you have to do is go to the telephone and dial.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell's remarkable invention has come a long way since it transmitted his first historic message: "Mr. Watson, come here! I want you!"

CPA BUYS BRITANNIAS

LONDON (CP)—Canadian Pacific Air Lines has placed an order for an additional £3,000,000 Britannia long-range turboprop airliner. Bristol Aircraft Limited announced Thursday.

TIMMINS, Ont. (CP)—An early morning fire destroyed the giant chicken house of Henry Remmert of Mount Joy Township and roasted 10,000 chickens to death.

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By Herman N. Sundesen, M.D. NATION'S HOSPITALS HAVE TOO FEW BEDS There are more hospital beds ever before. Yet, there aren't enough. You will probably learn of this problem first hand when you try to arrange for entrance into a hospital. Except for emergency cases, patients often have to wait for admittance.

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NOTES BY THE WAY

A men's club has voted for banquets without speeches. The only improvement we can think of at the moment is speeches without banquets. —Chatham News Ontario hog producers complain that meat packers are squeezing them hard. A squeak in every pig. —Brantford Expositor The English have the classiest murder trials, if only because the prosecuting attorney always seem to have a hyphen in his name. —Detroit News

A psychologist says that if you don't feel well on Monday morning it doesn't necessarily mean that you hate your job. It just means you hate Mondays. —Hamilton Spectator An experimenter extinguished a candle by playing high notes on a violin. It may develop that for, in those many years Nero has been unjustly censured. —Kitchener Waterloo Record

Almost any motorist, questioned as to the driving conditions which he delects the most, would name meeting heavy traffic on a black asphalt road on a wet night. Would colored asphalt reduce the reflected gleam of headlights and improve visibility? If it would, this might save the lives of many pedestrians. —Belleville Intelligencer

C.N.R. PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE TO BE CONTINUED

For the convenience of Prince Edward Island travellers passenger train service between Charlottetown-Souris, Souris-Elmira, Charlottetown-Murray Harbor, and Charlottetown-Georgetown, will be continued after May 1st until highway conditions permit the resumption of bus service.



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The mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed, but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the Lord, that hath mercy on thee.

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