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IODE DELEGATES ENTERTAINED BY GOV'T

Delegates to the IODE convention in Charlottetown were tendered a dinner last night by the Provincial government at Montgomery Hall. Shown at the head table are, left to right; Mrs. J. Neil Gordon, National Treasurer, Toronto; Miss Wanda Wyatt, first vice-president of the new provincial chapter, Summerside; Hon. Andrew MacRae, minister of agriculture, represented Premier Walter R. Shaw; and Mrs. E.M. Phillips, second vice-president of the new chapter, Charlottetown. Mr. MacRae was the only male present at the dinner. (See story on pages 2, 3, 4.)

Amherst Boy Dies In Fire In Heroic Rescue Attempt

Saves One Sister, Trapped With Second

AMHERST (CP)—An 11-year-old Amherst boy rescued his three - year - old sister from their burning house here Monday night, and then died trying to save a second sister.

Jack Hope and his six-year-old sister Sandra were both trapped and perished when fire destroyed their home in the west end of this Nova Scotia border town.

The two sisters were alone in a bedroom in the 2½-storey wooden building when the fire broke out. Jackie rushed in and carried the younger girl out. He dashed back in, but was unable to escape again.

They were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hope Jr. The parents were out at the time of the fire, but a babysitter was with the children.

The two bodies were recovered from the ruins of the house. A search was started for a third child believed trapped in the house, but was discontinued when the child was found safely.

A fire department spokesman said the fire started when a railway flare exploded on the back porch. He said the flames spread quickly up the back of the house and into a rear bedroom where the two girls were sleeping.

An estimated 12 to 15 people lived in the tenement, but it was not known how many were home when the fire started. There were no other injuries.

An inquest into the fire opens today.

$750,000 PROJECT
Recreation Centre Contract Is Let

Approval was given last night by the Layman's Association of St. Dunstan's Basilica for the erection of a $750,000 recreation centre to be built on Richmond Street between Prince and Great George Streets.

The contract has been awarded to the Brackley Point Road firm of Williams and Murphy. The estimated cost of $750,000 includes furnishings.

TO START FRIDAY

The start of the 250 ft. by 50 ft. three-storey building is expected to get underway Friday of this week with the demolition of the structures occupying the proposed site. It is expected to be completed for occupancy by the spring of 1963.

Buildings to be torn down include; the old YMCA, the Holy Name Hall, and the building formerly occupied by Aylwards Furniture Exchange. The new building will also make use of the old MacGuigan property, which is located between the Aylward building and the Holy Name Hall.

DESIGN CONFORMS

Designed by architect, Peter A. MacNeil, officials state that the building will conform with the new Fathers of Confederation building which will be erected across from it in Queen Square.

The lower floor will contain 14 bowling alleys with automatic pin setters; a lunch counter, games room, and adequate facilities for Boy Scouts and Girl Guides.

The main floor includes a combination gymnasium and auditorium, a canteen, kitchen facilities and meeting rooms, while the top floor houses a library, meeting rooms, lounge, and other smaller rooms.

The building was designed to provide cultural, recreational and social facilities, officials state. The building also provides facilities for the Knights of Columbus organization.

At last night's meeting, which was called to inform the parishioners of the plans for the building, M. F. Hagan, chairman of the building committee, outlined the project, which, it was stated, will serve the needs of the parish and the surrounding areas. The meeting was chaired by J. Elmer Blanchard, president of the Layman's Association.

Named to the building committee were Mr. Blanchard, D. A. S. MacDonald, Eugene Cullen, Joseph MacKenna, Gerald (Jed) Maddigan, Frank Zakem, J. E. Ready, William Campbell and Abe Zakem.

BABY BERGEN CLOUTS BENNY

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Kris Edgar Bergen, 7 months, upstaged his ventriloquist father, Edgar, at his christening. And the baby's godfather is nursing a sore nose to prove it.

Rev. Melvin E. Wheatley had just completed the ceremony at Westwood Community Church Sunday when Krish reached out toward his godfather, comedian Jack Benny.

Benny lowered his head and Kris lowered his fist, grabbing Benny by the nose.

By the time Kris let go, Benny's nose was red, and photographers had a picture.

Bit Of Capsule Believed Found

BARKLY EAST, South Africa (Reuters) — A piece of metal, believed here to have fallen from Malcolm Scott Carpenter's space capsule during his flight Thursday, was found on a farm here Friday, it was learned Monday.

The metal — which has numbers stamped on it—was found by a Negro farm laborer who took it to his employer.

Moon Trip May Come Before '67

By HOWARD BENEDICT

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP)—While experts assessed astronaut Malcolm Scott Carpenter's orbital flight, it was learned Monday the two-man Gemini spaceship possibly might be modified to place an American team on the moon a year or so sooner than the present 1967 target date.

At the same time, project Mercury officials awaited complete evaluation of Carpenter's space ride Thursday to determine whether the next United States manned flight will be three, five, seven or 18 orbits. A seven-orbit flight in August or September is favored if the present Mercury capsule fuel supply can be increased sufficiently.

Looking beyond earth orbit flights, long-range planners believe there is a chance of redesigning Gemini to achieve manned lunar landing earlier than is possible with the three-man Apollo vehicle now assigned the task.

FUEL IN SPACE

They feel rockets which already have been test - fired might be used to rendezvous Gemini with a fuelled rocket in space. The hook-on propulsion unit would boost it to the moon.

Apollo and the rockets intended to put it on the moon are far behind Gemini in development.

Panic Selling Hits Blow At Stock Prices In U.S.

NEW YORK (AP) — The mightiest avalanche of selling in 22 years slugged the stock market into another severe loss Monday.

It was a "black Monday" for investors who saw billions of dollars in stock values go down the drain.

The New York Stock Exchange's high-speed ticker tape ran a record 69 minutes late as transactions piled up. The greatest previous lags were 34 minutes.

This was the sixth straight day of decline as measured by the Associated Press average of 60 stocks.

Brokers talked of the possibility that the entire advance since the low point of 1960 would be wiped out if the slide continues.

Blue chip stocks — gilt-edge issues which have long been considered the wheelhorses of the market — were seriously battered, some losing several dollars a share.

One broker said that from here on the pressure will be on those high-priced stocks.

What has been described by some Wall Street experts as a panic among investors whirled to a peak of selling.

"An emotional upset, such as being experienced, often feeds on itself," an investment advisory service pointed out. "More and more holders become panicky and sell to protect vanishing profits or to prevent losses from mounting. The movement gains momentum and almost invariably is carried to an extreme."

The sell-off ranked right along with that experienced Sept. 26, 1955, on news that Dwight D. Eisenhower, president at the time, had suffered a heart attack. On that day 7,720,000 shares were sold.

But Monday's tape lag was far greater than on that occasion. It was the biggest lag since the high-speed tape was installed in 1930.

The tape was jammed not only by the tremendous volume but by the number of small orders, indicating that the ordinary investor was getting rid of his stocks.

Harried brokers blamed the selling frenzy on a host of factors.

They said investors were losing confidence in the outlook for business, some feeling that a recession is ahead in 1963.

There was anxiety, too, that the profit - squeeze on business will be tightened by the Kennedy administration's attitude toward business as exemplified by is rugged attack which forced the steel industry to withdraw a $6-a-ton price increase.

Canadian Slump Is Less Than Experienced At N.Y.

Canadian stock markets took another severe pounding Monday as selling pressure dropped prices sharply.

At Toronto, the industrial index—compiled from 30 leading stocks—plunged 16.31 points to 557.96, its lowest point since March of last year. It was the biggest one-day drop since index compilation began in 1934.

A total of 120 stocks hit new 1962 lows, while only three—all preferred issues—moved to new highs. Trading was relatively heavy with 3,503,000 shares turned over.

At Montreal, selling pressure accelerated throughout the day and prices spiralled downward on the Montreal and Canadian exchanges. Losers outnumbered gains 189 to 20.

However, the slump on the Canadian markets was not as bad as the one on Wall Street Monday where prices on the New York market were battered down in extremely heavy trade.

TAKES BIG DROP

The Dow Jones index — compiled from 30 stocks — took its worst beating since the great market crash in 1929. The index dived 34.95 points to 576.93. On Oct. 28, 1929, it went down 38.33 points. The ticker tape ran more than one hour behind and the final volume was a staggering 9,350,000 shares.

Many Toronto brokers are saying the decline could become considerably worse before it begins to get better. But there is a feeling in some quarters that "bargain hunters" will soon start stepping into the market and lend it some buoyancy.

The decline on the market began about mid - March. On March 16 the Toronto industrial index reached its peak of 628.60 and then began to slide.

Unnoticed at first, the slide began to gather momentum in the latter part of April and early May. It began to snowball last week.

Overpricing has been one of the more quoted reasons for the decline although there is feeling in Toronto that stocks here haven't been as overvalued as in New York.

Biggest loss of the day at Toronto went to Distillers Corporation - Seagrams which fell $3.36½ to 41 after earlier touching a 1962 low of $40.50 a share.

GIRLS BRIEFED ON PANTY RAIDS

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — No practice drills are planned, but from now on coeds at the University of Louisville should know exactly what to do if the fire alarm sounds two blasts.

Mrs. Doris N. Stokes, dean of women, has issued this printed card to all female students:

Subject: Future pantie raids

In case of any future pantie raids, the fire alarm will be sounded twice, and each girl is to:

1. Go immediately to her room.
2. Turn out her lights.
3. Close the blinds.
4. Lock the door.
5. Absolutely no yelling or talking out the window.

Mrs. Stokes said a raid by some male students last week netted them only one pair of unmentionables, but substantial damage was done to dormitory windows.

CNR Coastal Steamer Safe After Ice Damage Off Nfld.

LEWISPORTE, Nfld. (CP)—The CNR coastal steamer Hopedale reached here safety Monday after it was pierced by ice in Notre Dame Bay while on a mercy trip to Twillingate Island.

The 1,000-ton vessel was on her way from Pacquet to Twillingate with an emergency hospital case late Sunday when ice pierced her hull below the waterline on the starboard side.

Capt. Wilfred Morgan ordered the five passengers and 23 crew members over the side in lifeboats as water gushed into the ship's hold. It filled in 10 minutes, and the ship's bow tipped down, heaving her rudder and two propellors out of the water.

The lifeboats—with the seriously ill man on a stretcher in one—stayed in the water near the vessel for about 90 minutes before the Hopedale settled back on a more even keel and Capt. Morgan decided it was safe to go aboard.

About dawn Monday the transport department icebreaker Sir Humphrey Gilbert reached the scene, and cleared a path through the ice.

The Hopedale followed the Gilbert into port here under her own power. There was no estimate of damage to the ship. A diver was to make an examination.

The two - year - old Hopedale normally operates between St. John's and Baie Verte, in northern Newfoundland. She was diverted Sunday to pick up the ill man at Pacquet. His condition and the nature of his illness was not known.

PM Squelches Heckler Twice

By DAVE McINTOSH

PRINCE GEORGE B.C. (CP)—Prime Minister Diefenbaker Monday squelched a heckler twice at a standing-room-only meeting in the Simon Fraser Hotel here.

At one point in the meeting, attended by some 300 persons, a heckler at the back shouted: "Why don't you bring up the 1930s?"

Mr. Diefenbaker replied: "How old are you? Your question indicates you weren't even born then."

At another point, the heckler shouted: "You don't pay income tax if you don't make the income."

The prime minister replied that only a small proportion don't pay income tax and that of those who do, 85 per cent pay less tax on the same income than they did before his government took office.

Mr. Diefenbaker said the presence of only one heckler indicated the percentage of those at the meeting who did not recognize what his government had done.

The prime minister said the government has expanded markets for the lumber industry all over the world.

The forest industry would benefit from devaluation of the dollar. It would be in a competitive position everywhere in the world and this would mean more jobs.

Mr. Diefenbaker predicted the greatest tourist traffic in Canadian history in 1962.

He said Canadians who want to travel abroad would be hurt by dollar devaluation, but "we are building in and for Canada and we want Canadians to see all parts of Canada."

The prime minister urged Canadians to write him at any time on any subject.

"Your government is thinking of you," he said.

At a press conference Monday morning, Mr. Diefenbaker said Canada must not wait to develop its hydro resources in another 20 or 25 years, atomic power might be reduced to the same cost and hydro resources would be wasted.

The prime minister had a night meeting scheduled at Vernon.

Pedrson Woos Winnipeg Voters

WINNIPEG (CP) — Liberal Leader Pearson arrived for a rag-time singing reception late Monday and the first of a series of three big-city meetings this week in Western Canada.

Three blonde cheerleaders and about 100 Liberal party supporters met the Pearson plane at Winnipeg International Airport after a four - hour afternoon flight from Ottawa.

His target for Monday night was the greater Winnipeg area's five ridings, which joined the other nine in Manitoba to elect a full slate of Conservative MPs in 1958.

Large Mine To Be Opened At Bathurst

TORONTO (CP)—Brunswick Mining and Smelting Corporation Ltd. has completed financing arrangements, subject to shareholder approval, to bring into production the company's lead - zinc properties at Bathurst, N.B.

The announcement, contained in the company's annual report and released by E. R. E. Carter, president, said production is planned by the end of next year at a daily rate of 3,000 tons of ore.

Under the arrangements, Societe Generale des Minerais S. A., of Brussels, will purchase $11,520,000 (U.S.) six-per-cent first mortgage bonds, repayable by 1971, and the output of lead and zinc concentrates for a period of 13 years.

These concentrate, the announcement added, will have a total value of between $130,000,000 and $230,000,000, dependent on world metal prices, and the company will rank among the five largest lead and zinc mines in the world.

During the first five years all concentrates will be sold to Societe Generale des Minerais, and during the remaining seven years the Belgian company will take all concentrates not required by a smelter associated with Brunswick Mining which may be built in New Brunswick.

Young Man Besieged In Bizarre Shooting

UNIONVILLE, Iowa (AP)—Law officers had a heavily-wooded farm in hilly southern Iowa surrounded early today and hoped to take alive a man charged with killing five relatives in a bizarre shooting spree.

The scene of the manhunt was about 80 miles southwest of Martinsburg, two counties away from where the fugitive's uncle and aunt and his three teen-aged cousins were shot down Tuesday night and early Sunday.

Officials believed that the man sought, Gayno Gilbert Smith, 20, was holed up 3½ miles west of here with a box of 410 shotgun ammunition.

Dead were members of the family that Smith lived with on a farm northeast of Martinsburg. They were Andrew R. McBeth, 41, his wife, Dora, 42, and their children, 19 - year - old twins, Anna and Anna Katherine, and a daughter, Mrs. Donna Jean Kellogg.

Another McBeth child, Patsy Lou, 15, was wounded but managed to escape and spread an alarm. Perry, six-month-old son of Mrs. Kellogg slept through the shooting and was unharmed.

The manhunt, by coincidence, centred in the approximate area where a Continental Airlines jet made a fatal plunge with 45 persons aboard last Tuesday night.

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REDS REPAIR HOLE IN BERLIN WALL

Stockhaus, guarded by East German policeman, works to repair a hole in wall between East and West Berlin. This section of the wall, in vicinity of Bernauer Street, was ripped open by one of four mysterious explosions. Barbed wire and tank barriers back up the wall on the East Berlin side. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Berlin)

YANK CONGRATULATED
Unmanned Satellite Launched By Russia

MOSCOW (Reuters)—Premier Khrushchev said Monday the Russians, "of course, do not rule the cosmos because the United States has at least put two men up there."

As the Soviet leader, speaking at the opening of an Italian industrial exhibition here, lauded United States astronaut Malcolm Scott Carpenter for his "great courage" during his space trip Thursday, Russia made another move in its "space race" with the U.S.

The Russians launched an unmanned satellite into orbit in their continuing series of probes preparatory to a moon shot.

Khrushchev, however, didn't mention this in his address.

He stuck to past achievements in his exhibition-opening address, noting that Carpenter and his fellow U.S. astronaut, John Glenn, did not make more than three orbits each. Soviet cosmonaut Gherman Titov was said to have orbited earth 17 times last year.

FIFTH IN SERIES

Monday's Cosmos V Sputnik was the fifth in a series of unmanned launchings aimed at probing radiation in space preparatory to a moon shot.

Cosmos V was racing round the globe every 102.75 minutes at altitudes varying from 126 to 1,000 miles.

Officials said all instruments aboard Cosmos V all working normally, and that it is travelling close to its planned orbit.

A Soviet co-ordination - measuring centre was said to be getting a stream of telemetric reports and other data from the spunik, equipped with a short-wave transmitter sending on 20.008 megacycles.

No details of the satellite's weight were given. Its equipment was said to include instruments for measuring its trajectory and a multi-channel radio system.

GREAT COURAGE

Khrushchev said he congratulated the Americans, especially Carpenter "because he showed especially great courage during his orbit" last week.

Carpenter "not only braved the dangers of being burned up in his spaceship if something happened but also the dangers of drowning in the sea," said Khrushchev. "But I am happy that he is safe. I am glad that he survived."

Khrushchev's remarks about the cosmos not being Soviet-ruled came after he said persons opposing trade with the Communists showed "stupidity as high as the cosmos."

Two Are Killed In Cape Breton

SYDNEY — (CP) — Two people died in separate accidents in Cape Breton Monday.

Richard John MacNeil of nearby Glace Bay died when a car in which he was a passenger left the road and hit a power pole. Two other passengers were slightly injured.

Roderick Lloyd Aitkens, 48, was killed when his tractor rolled over him on his farm in North Sydney. His 13-year-old son Charles is in hospital with undisclosed injuries as a result of the accident.