

## IS SECOND WITHIN WEEK

# Fall Between Wharf, Dragger Is Fatal To Souris Resident

SOURIS — The second fatality within a week occurred here Saturday when Robert Roach, 57, of Souris was killed when he fell between a dragger and the government wharf. The accident occurred about 6 p.m.

He was found floating in the water by Philip Conway and Weldon Jarvis, both of Souris. Artificial respiration was applied by Dr. Edward Kassner and John Outhouse, a member of the RCMP.

Ferry's ambulance was summoned and Roach was taken to the Souris Hospital. However, by 9 p.m. his condition worsened and he was transferred to the Charlottetown Hospital where he died on arrival at 10.30.

An autopsy was performed Sunday by Dr. C. A. Coady, Queens County coroner.

Mr. Roach is survived by his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Fee Roach and by brothers George, Allan, Theodore, John, Robin all of Souris; Alexander, Toronto, and Frederick, Truro. His sisters surviving are Mrs. Roy Dingwell, Fortune; Mrs. Melvin Bruce, Toronto; Mrs.

David Longmuir, Toronto and Paula and Diane, Souris. Tuesday evening a somewhat similar accident took the life

## Pastoral Problems Studied During Recess Of Council

VATICAN CITY (AP)—The Vatican Ecumenical Council this week takes a mid-session recess but Roman Catholicism's bishops set to work Sunday studying pastoral matters on which Pope Paul wants answers.

The pontiff has indicated he is considering basic changes in such day-to-day church laws as those concerning fasting and the Friday abstinence from meat, mixed marriages between Catholics and non-Catholics, and possibly birth control.

Pope Paul asked the bishops, working through their national and regional episcopal conferences, to use their week off from daily council meetings in St. Peter's Basilica to draw up recommendations for him.

Their study and conclusions are regarded as forming the nucleus of an historic structure never seen before in Roman Catholicism—a synod of bishops to help the pope in decision-making and governing the 500,000,000-member church.

MAY SHARE POWER  
The pontiff announced the synod idea Sept. 14, when he opened the fourth and last session of the Vatican council. It answered the desire of progressives among the 2,300 council fathers who wanted some kind of international bishops' senate to assist the pope and put into application the 1964 council decree on collegiality — shared power by pontiff and bishops.

A liberalization of fasting laws, and the rule of abstinence on Fridays, is known to be one of the subjects that Pope Paul assigned to the bishops. Abstinence has been eased considerably in the last few years. For example, airline passengers in many places can disregard the no-meat rule on Fridays.

Service men have been able to do so for more than a decade. Further broadening of exceptions is likely, and the many current exemptions in fasting — it soon become the general rule.

Easing in mixed marriage promises, with the non-Catholic partner making a simple spoken agreement instead of a written

of Walter Joseph (Alan) MacDonald, 54, also of Souris. In this case an inquest was ruled not necessary.

## Pilot Escapes In Jet Crash

DAYSLAND, Alta. (CP) — A United States Air Force pilot escaped injury Sunday when his jet plane exploded and crashed in a wheat field near Daysland, 30 miles southeast of Edmonton.

An RCAF spokesman said Maj. Ralph B. Jones ejected from the F-84 and landed about a mile away from the crash scene.

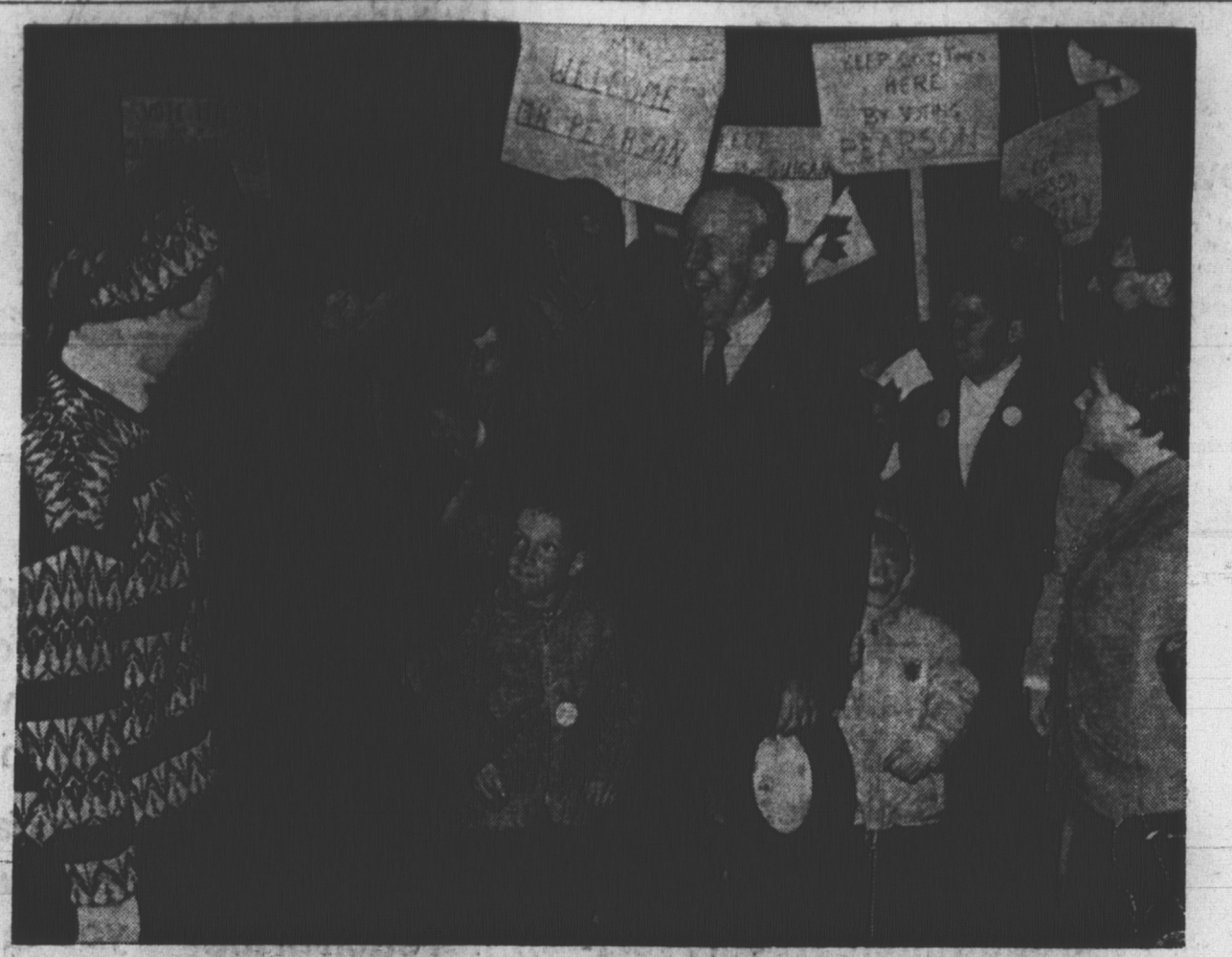
Maj. Jones, of the 149th Tactical Fighter Squadron at Richmond, Va., was the only person in the jet. Flying conditions were perfect at the time.

## Missile Unit Demolished By U.S. Jets

SAIGON (AP) — Blowing in from the sea with eight tons of bombs, five U.S. navy jets demolished a mobile surface-to-air missile unit in North Viet Nam Sunday, a U.S. spokesman reported.

Pilots said they left a missile launchers and trucks in flames. The missiles, called SAMs, are supplied by the Soviet Union and are believed accompanied by Soviet technicians. The U.S. spokesman made no mention of personnel casualties at the site.

# Pension Talk Deceives, PM Says Of Dief's Plan



## Pearson Hailed By Large Crowd

Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson told over 2,000 people crowded into the foyer of the Confederation Centre Saturday night that Conservative leader John Diefenbaker is deceiving the voters by telling them he will pay \$100 per month old age pension out of the money collected for the Canada Pension Plan.

The prime minister made a short speech, without notes, touching briefly on the need for majority government, unity, youth allowances, medicare and pensions.

He and his party arrived by airplane from Fredericton approximately an hour later than originally scheduled. He was met at the airport by Hon. Watson MacNaught, John Mullanly, B.B. (Bus) Jones and Mark MacGuigan and members of the P.E.I. Liberal party executive.

Speaking of the campaign promises of the Conservative and New Democratic Parties, Mr. Pearson said this was "the old election auction."

"I don't believe in that kind of thing and I'm not going to take part in it," he said.

CONSERVATIVE PROMISE  
Then he dealt specifically with the Conservative promise of \$100 a month old age pensions to be paid out of the Canada Pension Fund, this money is not a tax, it is money paid by workers for a specific purpose.

"I think this is deceiving," said the prime minister.

He also pointed out that Quebec has its own pension scheme and if old age pensions were paid out of the Canada Pension Fund people in Quebec receiving old age pensions would be receiving money paid by the rest of Canada.

"Those who need more than \$75, we'll see they get it," said the prime minister, on a basis of need worked out by the province. "I think this is more realistic."

After the prime minister had finished his speech he came down off the platform and mingled with those who had come to hear him. There were people from as far away as Alberta

and Souris, there was one woman who told him she was from Montreal, "surely you didn't come all the way down here just to hear me," he joked.

The crowd pressed in close as he moved among them shaking hands. "Good luck, boy", "Good to see you looking so well" and "You must be tired", were some of the comments people made to him.

"I'm afraid you'll never survive," said one woman to him about the way the people were crushing in around him in an attempt to shake his hand.

"This is worse than the Beatles," he said and then turned to a nearby reporter and said, "this is better than the Beatles, I mean."

"They really give you a hand-shake down here," said Mr. Pearson, giving his right hand a short massage with his left as he pushed or through the crowd.

"Do you think we'll ever get through. To the door I mean," he added quickly as he realized the double meaning of the first part of the statement.

Mr. Pearson and his party left the reception shortly before 9.30 and returned to the Charlottetown Hotel to spend the night. Sunday morning the chartered aircraft left for Ottawa before nine o'clock.

FRESH ADB FUNDS  
At Fredericton earlier in the day, Mr. Pearson said Ottawa is prepared to pump fresh funds into the Atlantic Development Board when the agency's original \$100,000,000 allotment is exhausted — "as it soon will be."

He spoke to 1,500 delegates gathered there for a one-day convention of the New Brunswick Liberal Association.

A group of 50 students from the University of New Brunswick headed Mr. Pearson on his arrival at Fredericton airport, waving signs and chanting: "We want our vote."

INVITED FOR TALK  
When the students turned up at the convention, Mr. Pearson strolled over and invited one of them to "come and have a cup of coffee and talk it over."

Instead of replying the student unrolled a cardboard sign lettered: "Tell us about Rivard, Stenehill, Dennis, Dupuis and Rouleau."

Mr. Pearson snapped: "I'll talk to you, but not if you want to dig scandal!" Then he turned his back and walked off, obviously angry.

In his speech Mr. Pearson thanked the students "for the stimulation of your opposition" and the heckling died out. Later, outside the building, he spent about 10 minutes shaking hands with students and signing autographs.

Before leaving the hall the prime minister walked over to (Continued on page 5, col. 2)

## Fighting Flares In Kashmir

By CONRAD FINK  
NEW DELHI (AP) — Firing erupted Sunday in five sectors of Kashmir and India charged that Pakistani tanks, backed by artillery, had been in action at other points.

Indian officials also reported that an exodus of guerrillas from Kashmir, which started several weeks ago, has greatly reduced the number being chased by Indian security forces.

Prime Minister Shastri told an audience in Bombay the guerrillas "failed miserably" in efforts to create trouble in Kashmir.

It was clear from a defence ministry communique, however, that trouble is not ended.

## Injured Mont Carmel Man Flown To Halifax Hospital

SUMMERSIDE — A Mt. Carmel man, John Benoit Gallant, 51, was critically injured in one of five accidents investigated by the RCMP detachments in this Prince County area over the weekend.

Mr. Gallant, a bachelor who lives with his mother, Mrs. Rosella Gallant in Mt. Carmel, suffered severe head injuries when he was struck by a car driven by Louis C. Gallant of Cape Egmont at approximately 11.15 yesterday morning.

The accident occurred approximately 150 yards from the Mt. Carmel church from where the injured man, as well as the driver of the car, had left minutes before after attending Sunday service.

The driver of the vehicle was in the process of passing another vehicle when Mr. Gallant, who was proceeding on foot along the highway, was struck. His head struck the lower left hand corner of the windshield, knocking a section completely out. The force

of the impact hurled him some 20 feet into a deep ditch along the highway.

Dr. Raymond Reid of Wellington attended Mr. Gallant at the scene. He was transferred to Prince County Hospital by an ambulance from Compton's Funeral Home where he was attended by Dr. G. H. Lee.

At approximately 5.30 yesterday afternoon Mr. Gallant was transferred to hospital in Halifax (Continued on page 3, col. 4)

## WITCH QUEEN TOLD TO GO

MANCHESTER (Reuters) — Blonde 18-year-old Maxine Morris, "queen" of this South England city's 40 witches, has been given notice to quit her apartment.

Her fiancé, Alex Sanders, 30, an elder of Manchester's three witches' covens, who lives nearby, said Saturday: "She has had to leave because she is a witch."

He shares his apartment with the witches' high priest, 22-year-old Paul King. Said Sanders:

"Maxine could have taken a flat in this house with me, but the gossip would have soon started talking about orgies and wild sex rites.

"We are always naked at our witches' circles but that is so that we are pure and unimpeded by clothes. But there are no orgies at our meetings."

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## STUDENTS WELCOME PEARSON

Members of the St. Dunstan's University Liberal Association turned out in full force to literally mob Lester Pearson on his arrival at the Charlottetown airport Saturday night. The Prime Minister was met at the airport by Hon. Watson MacNaught, John Mullanly, B.B. (Bus) Jones and Mark MacGuigan and members of the P.E.I. Liberal party executive.

## Canadian Youth Are Urged To Tackle World Problems

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian youth people were urged Sunday to join in a world-wide appeal to tackle the problems of hunger, disease and oppression in the economically underdeveloped countries.

About 125 young people, representing more than 80 Canadian youth organizations with memberships totalling more than 3,000,000, issued the appeal at the end of a three-day meeting that started the Young World Mobilization Appeal in Canada.

Sponsored by the United Nations' Food and Agricultural Organization, the appeal is being run in Canada by the Youth Committee for International Cooperation Year and the committee for the Canadian Assembly of Youth Organizations.

The FAO has taken the figure 21, representing the years it has been in operation, and is asking young people to contribute 21 hours of work during a 21-week period.

EXPENSES PAID  
The Centennial Commission put up a \$2,500 grant to pay travel expenses for the meeting.

In discussion groups conducted by government experts on training and development, the young people discussed ways of raising money immediately, educating their friends and fellow members and promoting a long-term interest in the problem.

Representatives from the Junior Red Cross, the YM, YWCA, boy scout, and girl guides, churches, secondary schools and universities came up with money — raising ideas ranging from selling raffle tickets for dates to collecting old text books to send abroad.

Another suggestion was for a national youth petition on foreign aid in an attempt to move public opinion to demand an increase in spending by government.

Some church representatives suggested that within Canada young people could offer their time as tutors or study hall supervisors to give underprivileged Canadian youngsters an opportunity to learn about good books, music and literature.

ADVISE EDUCATION  
Others advised an education program to make Canadians aware of the country's "discriminatory" immigration policy, the Canadian Indian problem and to promote the idea that birth control measures must be part of any freedom-from-hunger campaign.

Romeo Malone, president of the World Youth Assembly and assistant director of the international affairs department of the Canadian Labor Congress, said Canada's foreign aid has increased in the last few

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Mr. Green and the present External Affairs minister, Paul Martin, were first elected in 1935 as Mr. Douglas.

Mr. Martin, who at one time was expected to attend the celebration, telegraphed his "warmest congratulations."

He said the 17 years he was premier of Saskatchewan were the most exciting and interesting of his life. He said the celebration was not a tribute to him, but to all the people who had worked in the movement in the last 30 years.

Mr. Douglas dedicated himself and his wife to spending whatever years they had left to service of the movement "so that men and women can live together in dignity and peace."

## Cuban Press In Move To Cut Refugee Flow

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP) — A boatload of Cuban refugees arrived here Sunday and another docked at New Orleans in the vanguard of an anticipated two-day exodus from the island.

A U.S. Coast Guard official said about 30 refugees boats may reach Key West by today. One arriving refugee said he counted 38 boats Saturday at the Cuban exit point of Camarioca.

A Coast Guard plane spotted a sinking refugee boat 40 miles south of Key West and a cutter left for the site.

The first boat to reach Key West Sunday contained 38 refugees. Six more landed at New Orleans in a disabled cabin cruiser towed by the Liberian freighter, Costa Rican Trader.

Meanwhile, the government-controlled Cuban press apparently has begun a campaign to discourage would-be refugees from leaving.

BLAMED FOR DEATH  
The Havana Communist party newspaper Granma devoted half its front page Sunday to what it claimed was a letter written by a Cuban mother to the U.S. defence department. The letter blamed the United States for the death of her son, who she said was a Cuban exile killed in action in Viet Nam as an American soldier.

Stories from Camarioca in other papers told of Cubans who refused to join their exile relatives coming to dock there up.

Granma has been publishing a series denouncing what it calls the "depraved" life in New York and other American cities.

In Key West, the Coast Guard seized the Sunday's arrivals brought the total to 400 since Castro announced that Cubans wishing to leave for the United States were free to do so. The refugee movement began two weeks ago.

One of Sunday's refugees was Francisco Alvarez, a school teacher, who came with seven



THE 20-FOOT refugee boat shown here arrived Sunday in Key West, Florida with nine Cubans aboard. The boat, flying an American flag, was picked up in the Straits of Florida during the afternoon and towed the last part of the voyage by the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Cape Trinity.



DAMAGED WINDSHIELD IS SEEN IN THIS PICTURE