

SERVICEMEN AND FAMILIES ABOARD

42 Are Killed In Crash Of U.S. Military Transport

FORT DIX, N.J. (AP)—A military transport plane taking servicemen and their families abroad crashed in a driving rain Friday and 42 of the 66 aboard reported killed.

forest three miles from the end of the runway and scattered wreckage over a half-mile area. It did not burn.

Companies of foot soldiers, carrying axes, entrenching tools, and other gear, waded knee and hip-deep through swamp water to get to the site.

BULLDOZERS CLEAR WAY

Bulldozers were used to clear a path to the wreckage for doctors and nurses. Troops cut pines and set them in mattress-like fashion along a sand trail bulldozed through the woods.

"It was sheer luck that some rescuers were able to reach the fallen craft," one member of the rescue party said.

Half a dozen communities in the area sent fire squads to help the military. At least 250 rescuers were at the scene, including medical and salvage crews.

SIGHTED FROM AIR

The wreckage was apparently first sighted from the air and ground rescue parties were rushed to the scene.

Lightning, storm and blinding rain turned the scene into a quagmire.

NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE

Mjr. July Bray, information services officer, said some of the survivors were so badly injured that they are not expected to live until morning.

The plane, bound for Burtonwood, England, carried a crew of 10 and its 51 passengers included 41 airmen, nine officers and six civilians, including two children.

The big craft had lost radio contact with the field, and the crash was not discovered for several hours after it occurred about 4 p.m. Search parties had been sent out only on suspicion of a mishap.

The Military Air Transport Service said in Washington that Friday's crash of a C-118 known as the Douglas Liftmaster, was the first fatal accident in five years of operating such craft.

SEATS FACE BACKWARDS The big plane had seats which faced toward the back of the plane.

It was reported in Washington the rescuers attempting to get to the crashed plane had difficulty in bringing vehicles near it because of the wooded area.

The plane smashed into a pine

Coming Events

- Cardigan Tea Party, July 25. Bingo Hope River Tonight. Strawberry time at Howatts. Hope River Picnic, July 21. Kinkora Picnic Saturday, July 22. Picnic at St. Charles Church, July 19th. Reserve July 25th. for Tignish Picnic. Brae Parish picnic, Tuesday, July 31. Dances, Pembroke School, July 17. Lunch and drinks. Regular dance in Elliot Hall Saturday night. Picnic, Grand River, July 24. Supper 5-9, amusements. Ice Cream Social and Dance, Vernon Hall, Monday, July 16. Regular dance in Elliot Hall, Saturday night. Dance, Bear River south school, July 17th. Dance Iona East School every Monday night. Good music. Dance Iona East School every Monday night. Good music. Come to St. Theresa's Picnic, Wed. August 8th, Good meals. Come to the lawn party at Lot 65, Wednesday, July 18. Dance after. George MacPherson, Launching, will be doing custom baling. Contact early. Fresh lobster and cold turkey served at Sea Shell Inn, Victoria Sunday. Showing at Mt. Stewart Friday and Saturday. Private War of Major Delicious fresh lobster served at the Orient Hotel, Victoria, every Sunday. Dancing Mount Ryan Hall every Saturday, 9-12. Rollie McKenzie's Orchestra. Reserve Wednesday, July 18 for annual parish picnic at St. Anthony's, Lot 5. Regular Saturday night dance, St. Peter's Bay Hall. Al Blanchard's Orchestra. Cornwall Hall July 18, Strawberries, Ice cream and coke. Sponsored by Ladies Aid. Supper served at Launching Harbor, Sunday July 15th. from 2 to 6. Mt. Herbert Women's Institute Ice cream social, Mt. Herbert School, July 24. Regular weekly dance, St. Mary's Hall, Souris, Wednesday. Cliff Peters' Orchestra. Now buying and cleaning Timothy seed daily. Highest price. McGuigan and Boyle Ltd. Notice commencing Monday. Come early and pick your strawberries 14c lb. Mrs. Spurgeon Currie, Rocky Point. Dance Corran Bann, Monday July 16, Dancing 9 to 1. Burke's Orchestra. Dance Stanhope and Covehead Community Hall, Saturday July 14, Dancing 9 to 12.

Suggests Payment For Sheep Flock Was "Away Out of Line"

OTTAWA (CP)—A CCF member suggested in the Commons Friday that a \$100,000 federal payment to a prominent Alberta sheep breeder for the slaughter of his infected flock was "away out of line" and amounted to a "political" payment.

Agriculture Minister Gardiner promptly denied the allegation.

E. G. McCullough of Saskatchewan's Moose Mountain constituency said he had heard it said that sheep breeder P. J. Rock, to whom the payment was made, "is a well-known Liberal in Drumheller."

He added that \$100,000 was "pretty large pay for any political support" and the people of Canada had been "fleececd."

PEGIDGED STOCK

Mr. Gardiner said he isn't aware that Mr. Rock is a Liberal. Perhaps he had been "converted" to Liberalism. But Mr. Rock was one of the finest sheep breeders in the world and his stock was highly-pedigreed and sold all over the world for breeding.

The \$100,000 payment had been made for the slaughter of 674 sheep infected with a disease known as scrapie. It affects the nerves of the sheep but little is known about it. Canada is carrying on research to attempt to learn its cause.

The minister said independent United States evaluators, called in to evaluate the flock, had set its worth at \$160,000 but the government had paid \$60,000 less.

TRACED THOSE SOLD

He assured opposition members that all sheep sold from the Rock flock prior to the scrapie outbreak had been traced and now were under observation in Canada and elsewhere. They had shown no signs of scrapie.

The exchange arose as the Commons ranged through spending estimates of the agriculture department. They total \$77,733,091, down \$847,000 from the 1955-56 fiscal year.

Mr. Gardiner said scrapie has been known in Britain for some 200 years. There had been four previous Canadian outbreaks, all in Ontario, between 1945 and 1954. They involved 102 sheep compensated by \$2,131; 65 at \$2,244; 11 at \$225 and 108 at \$8,000.

DANCES IN THE SUMMER

Dances in the Simons Road School Monday, July 16.

Reserve Wednesday August 22 for Hampton United Church Supper.

Ice Cream Festival and Dance, St. Peter's Lake School, July 24. Good music. Sponsored by W.I.

York Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival in York Hall Monday evening, July 16.

Weekly Dance Fort Augustus Hall every Wednesday night. Burke's Orchestra.

Cornwall Hall July 18, strawberries, ice cream and cake. Sponsored by Ladies' Aid.

Pantry Sale, Saturday night, July 14, at Noyes Store, by New Glasgow Christian Church Ladies' Aid.

Dance Eldon Hall, Wednesday July 18th. Sponsored North Pinette Women's Institute.

Grand Bingo St. Andrew's Hall, Mt. Stewart, Monday, July 18th. 8:30 p.m. Two special prizes. Jackpot \$40.00, door prize.

Slides: See Calgary Stampede, Bermuda and others by F/O Whichelo in Sherbrooke Hall on Tuesday, July 17. Sale of lunches.

In stock, complete line of potato spraying material, liquid and dust, at our Kinkora, S'Side and Ch'town warehouses. P. L. Morris.

Plan to Attend Red Cross Blood Donor Clinics next week at Tignish, Alberton, O'Leary, Kensington and Montague. . . 950 donors urgently needed.

In stock Baler and Binder Twine, all kinds of potato sprays, Dithane etc., feed molasses, fly spray and fly bait. Dillon and Spillert Ltd.

Meeting of Decendants of Brudenell Pioneers at Brudenell Island, Wednesday afternoon July 18th. Bring picnic lunch. Historic Book available \$2.00.

Pick your own strawberries at Elmer Gauthier's, South Free-town, all day Friday and on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. on. Sixteen cents a pound.

Congregational tea on West Covehead church grounds, Wednesday evening, July 18. Supper served at 5 p.m. If not fine, on Thursday.

Farmers, with Master Feed, it's results that count. Make money on those summer hogs with the Master Hog Finance Plan available at your local Master Dealer, L. J. Rossiter, Gratton St. East.

Reserve Wednesday evening, July 18, for O'Leary United Church Picnic at the O'Leary Athletic Grounds. Supper served on the grounds from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Price 40c and 75c. Swing, Hot dog stand and other entertainment. If not fine will be held the following day.

75 Canadian Sabre Jets For Germany

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada will help to rearm West Germany by giving her 75 Sabre jet fighters worth \$35,700,000.

The gift will be made under Canada's mutual aid program for NATO partners in Europe. West Germany entered the North Atlantic Treaty Organization last year and has been permitted to build a 1,350-plane air force. The RCAF has some 3,000 planes of all types.

Announcement of the gift, made first in Bonn Friday and later confirmed here, comes at a time when the government is refusing to sell Israel some two dozen Sabre jets because of the "very delicate" Middle East situation.

OVER PERIOD OF TIME

Defence department officials here said the Sabres will be given to West Germany over a period of time. A spare engine for each single-engine jet and other equipment will be included.

The Sabres will be the Mark V model and will come from the RCAF air division in Europe, now being re-equipped with Mark VI Sabres.

Canada has given \$1,200,000,000 worth of arms to NATO partners in the last six years, including 400 Sabre jets to Britain and another 200 Sabrest o Greece and Turkey.

APPROPRIATION DOWN

The appropriation for the mutual aid program for the 1956-57 fiscal year is \$143,000,000 compared with \$175,000,000 last year. The appropriation for aircraft and engines is \$43,385,000.

All told, some 300 Mark V Sabres in the 12-squadron air division in Europe are being replaced.

After the contribution to West Germany, more than 200 will remain to be disposed of.

CLASH INURES EIGHT

CASABLANCA, Morocco (Reuters)—Eight persons were injured when nationalist Istiqlal party supporters and members of the Moroccan army clashed in Casablanca Friday. The fighting with firearms and improvised weapons Friday in the industrial centre of Fedala, 20 miles from here.

DEPUTY POSTMASTER-GENERAL

Says Job Is "Thankless" And It's Time To Quit

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada will lose its present deputy postmaster-general next year because, he says, his is a "thankless job" and it is time to quit.

Walker J. Turnbull, 59, a veteran of 41 years of government service, will be leaving five years before the normal civil service retirement age of 65.

That, he said in an interview Friday, is a "rather unusual early retirement for a deputy minister," but he would leave his \$16,000-a-year post even before 1957 were it not for the Universal Postal Union conference to be held here in August next year.

Some 300 delegates from 95 countries are expected at the big postal gathering held every five years. Mr. Turnbull will be among those representing Canada and playing host.

NO SURPRISE

His planned retirement came as no surprise to his chief, Postmaster-General Lapointe. Mr. Lapointe, who also holds the veteran affairs portfolio, said he had no comment other than to say that Mr. Turnbull had made reference to his retirement at three

Ont. Cracks Down On All Auto Drivers

TORONTO (CP) — The Ontario highways department said Friday it is cracking down on the driving record of all Ontario drivers and suspending the licences of habitual offenders. From Jan. 1 to June 30 the licences of 250 drivers were suspended indefinitely for bad operating records.

Five speeding convictions within three years is considered enough to classify a man as a habitual offender, the department said. Following the fifth conviction a letter is sent outlining the record with a long questionnaire to be filled in by the driver.

If within a specified time the driver has not returned the questionnaire his licence is suspended.

Between March 1 and June 30 another 200 letters had been sent to drivers advising them their record is "not too good" and in case of one more conviction licence suspension would follow.

Faint Signal In Labrador Search

MONTREAL, (CP)—An RCAF plane searching for a Norseman aircraft missing in Labrador regional picking up a faint radio signal Friday.

Search officials said it was possible the signal may have come from the missing plane, but a search of the area failed to locate any downed aircraft.

United States Air Force planes and private aircraft have joined the RCAF in the search.

HUNGARIANS FLEE TO WEST

Gun Battle As Anti-Reds Take Over Plane In Air

INGOLSTADT, Germany (AP) Anti-Communist Hungarians overpowered the crew of a two-engine Hungarian airliner after a wild gun battle Friday and flew it to Western Germany, police said.

At least 12 passengers and crew were injured in the shooting and fight aboard the plane and after it landed at a NATO air field near here.

Ingolstadt is 150 miles from the Hungarian border.

Report Eight Passengers Ask Asylum

EIGHT ASYLUM Police said they understood that eight passengers on the plane requested political asylum. The plane carried 15 passengers and a crew of five.

All the injured were taken to a hospital here for treatment.

A police officer said two pistols were found in the plane.

The police officer said 12 Hungarians are in Ingolstadt municipal hospital. They include two women. The officer said the group that seized the plane included a businessman, engineers and a former pilot who took over the plane after the crew was overpowered.

PILOT LOOPED PLANE The officer said most passengers were injured when the pilot looped the plane in order to scare the anti-Reds out of their plans.

Some of those in the hospital were reported severely injured.

Police said most of the other passengers were neutral during the fight but expressed a wish to return to their homeland.

The plane was identified as a Russian-built Ilyushin of the state-owned Hungarian Airlines. It was not immediately determined on what route it had been flying.

Potatoes 99 Cents 10 Lbs. In Toronto

TORONTO (CP)—Rising potato prices, which have had Ontario housewives digging deeper and deeper into their purses, should begin to ease off next week, wholesalers said Friday.

One grocery chain said prices are at a peak of 99 cents a 10-pound bag, against 49 cents in the same week last year. Another store was selling at \$1.09 for 10 pounds.

Dealers at the markets were more cheerful. Ontario deliveries from Leamington and Harrow were starting to flow in and prices had dropped 30 cents during the week to \$6.25 a 75-pound bag.

The late season led to the high prices, a wholesaler said. "As a rule three or four U.S. states at a time have potatoes, but there was a three-week delay, and each cleaned up before the next state got going," he said.

Another warned that prices would not be low until the autumn. The crop was not so good as last year, he said.

French Anti-Tax Movement To Harden Attitude, Is Decision

PARIS (Reuters) — Members of Pierre Poujade's anti-tax movement decided Friday to "harden" their attitude against French taxation and "absolutely refuse" to pay tax increases.

The movement's newspaper, Fraternite Francaise, said the decision was made by the movement's administrative council, which ended a meeting in southern French town of Saint Cere last Saturday.

It said the council took certain decisions including "a hardening of the attitude which is at the foundation of the union." The council decided on "absolute opposition" to tax inspections as well as "absolute refusal" to accept tax increases.

The Poujade movement, which groups shopkeepers and small business men, strongly opposes what it calls abuses of the French taxation system. Frequently it has called on its members in provincial towns to prevent tax inspectors from examining the books of local tradesmen and shopkeepers.

Islanders On Ass'n Executive

VANCOUVER (CP) — Marjoe Kennish of Sackville, N. B., has been elected president of the Canadian Home Economics Association. She succeeds Florence Howden of Vancouver.

The association has been in convention here this week.

Mary Stamford of Halifax was the vice-president; Hazel Dunlap, Saint John, N.B., treasurer, and Doris Anderson, Charlottetown, secretary.

Provincial representatives include Ruth Binnie, Halifax, for Nova Scotia and Mrs. Alta Acorn, Charlottetown, for Prince Edward Island.

Commonwealth Slipping?

LONDON (CP)—The great debate continues. A week after the Commonwealth prime ministers concluded their discussions in London, a division of opinion still exists on achievements and future direction.

Some British papers have suggested that there was something dull and dreary about the Commonwealth parley of premiers—that platitudinous agreements mean little to the 550,000,000 persons who form the association.

If the partnership is really as far gone as some say, comments The Economist, then wouldn't it be better "to give it decent burial than to pickle it?"

The independent weekly adds: "To cast around feverishly for new means of keeping the Commonwealth together is . . . to put an absurd little cart in front of a perfectly healthy horse."

But the right-wing publication, Time and Tide, regards as a "tragedy" the recent ministerial meetings.

"The wrongness of the wrong road taken by Britain in the past decade and the abandonment of all sense of leadership were never so clearly demonstrated."

APPEASE ASIA "far too bent on appeasing Asia" it says. British representatives at the prime ministers' talks were to have any clear comprehension of what they were doing to the Commonwealth.

Fishermen's Paradise From Causeway Program Seen

"It is not too much to predict that this Province will become a veritable fisherman's paradise with the development of the program which calls for replacement of highway bridges by causeways," Hon. Dougald MacKinnon, Minister of Public Works and Industry and Natural Resources said yesterday.

Mr. MacKinnon was re-emphasizing particularly the "lake areas" which are formed on the inland side of the tidal waters in which trout have been found in profusion and showing unmistakable evidence of being "fresh in".

On Thursday a survey was made with gratifying results of the water above the North River causeway in the lake area by Wilfrid Saunders, officer in charge of the Biological Station at Ellerslie. Accompanied by Hon. Mr. MacKinnon, Deputy Minister P. A. Murnaghan and Spurgeon Jenkins, chief enforcement officer, and

Claude Hayes and Cyril Williams from the Ellerslie Station, Mr. Saunders examined several hundred trout which were landed for that purpose.

The first group which exceeded 100 fish was taken just above the causeway, while a second and third take were obtained considerably farther up-stream. All the fish were referred to by Mr. Saunders as "a fresh run, not in more than a day or two and running to a foot long."

The examination of the water, was continued yesterday and the final results will not be available for some time.

"In the event of there being any indication of possible stagnation in the areas developed and with particular reference to the present project at North River causeway, steps will be taken immediately to increase the daily flow of fresh sea water, and correct the situation," the Minister said.

Doubts Whether New Breed Of Hogs Better Than Yorkshires

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal government won't promote wide distribution of its new Lacombe breed of hogs, Agriculture Minister Gardiner indicated Friday.

He told the Commons he has "grave doubts" as to whether it is better than the Yorkshire hog, the standard bacon hog generally raised on Canadian farms.

Farmers had adopted the Yorkshires after a campaign to promote its use to create a Second World War bacon supply. Private hog breeders had told him they

did not think the Lacombe was better and he did not think the Lacombe should be widely distributed in the face of that opinion.

The new hog, was developed at the Lacombe, Alta., experimental farm by mixed breeding of Yorkshire and Landrace types.

Mr. Gardiner said it probably will be wise to distribute the Lacombe hog "sometime." But first there would have to be educational work among farmers who have been urged by the government to raise Yorkshires.

5TH SIGNALS TRIUMPH

The 5th Signals Regiment had many triumphs during their training period at Camp Gagetown. The top telephone line construction crew at the Signals Summer Camp

at L-Cpl A.F. Smith FRONT Signalmen E.P. Walsh and L.M. Blancheau

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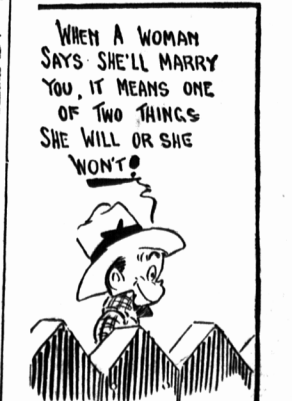
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WHEN A WOMAN SAYS SHE'LL MARRY YOU, IT MEANS ONE OF TWO THINGS SHE WILL OR SHE WON'T!

Table with 2 columns: City, Temperature (Night/Day)

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says intermittent rain will spread across the district today, reaching Cape Breton by evening.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 3:14 a.m. and 3:40 p.m. on Sunday at 3:54 a.m. and 4:42 p.m. at Rustico today at 10:17 a.m. and 11:28 p.m. on Sunday at 11:15 a.m. Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 4:40 a.m. and sets at 7:57 p.m. rises Sunday at 4:41 a.m. and sets at 7:56 p.m.