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# $500,000, Driver Missing

VANCOUVER (CP) — A Loomis armored car driver is missing along with $500,000 in cash and cheques and an international police hunt has begun.

Police said here Tuesday that Loomis Armored Car Service reported the loss and the missing employee at noon. They said a charge had been laid.

They declined to say exactly how much was stolen, who the driver is, what charge was placed or how much was recovered from the man's car.

The car was found parked near Vancouver International Airport, with some cash and a number of cheques inside.

Superintendent of detectives Jack Horton estimated the loss at $500,000.

Det.-Sgt. Bill Porteous, in charge of the four-man city police squad working with the RCMP on the case, said he was satisfied the theft was the work of one man.

Eric Stafford, Loomis district manager, said company policy calls for two men to work a truck at all times, but said there was no suggestion that more than one man was involved in the theft.

Police said the missing man was last seen Saturday night, making collections at local stores and businesses.

The theft was not discovered until the missing employee—who had Sunday and Monday off—failed to turn up Tuesday.

An official of the company which bonds Loomis employees —Mr. Stafford would not say who he is, nor name the firm he works for—is en route to Vancouver from San Francisco. Mr. Stafford declined to say when he would arrive.

# Government Carries Vote On Nuclear Arms Policies

# Two PC, 4 SC Members Give Pearson Support

OTTAWA (CP)—By a vote of 124 to 113 the minority Liberal government was sustained in the Commons Tuesday night in its first test of strength, called by the New Democratic Party over nuclear policy.

Prime Minister Pearson drew support from all 118 Liberals who voted—plus former Conservative defence minister Douglas Harkness (PC — Calgary North), Jack McIntosh (PC — Swift Current - Maple Creek) and the four western members of the Social Credit party led by National Leader Robert Thompson.

Aligned against the government on the issue were 79 Conservatives, 16 New Democrats and 18 of the Quebec Social Credit MPs led by deputy leader Real Caouette and including independent - Social Crediter Guy Marcoux of Quebec-Montmorency.

Two members abstained because they were "paired"—an agreement with absent MPs not to vote. James Byrne (L—Kootenay East) said he would have voted with Mr. Pearson, and Ken More (PC—Regina City) said he would have voted for the NDP motion.

The motion by NDP Leader T. C. Douglas said:

"We regret your excellency's advisers have indicated their intention of acquiring nuclear arms for Canadian forces, thereby lessening the chances for nuclear disarmament and increasing the danger of nuclear war."

Mr. Douglas's motion was technically a subamendment to an amendment moved Monday by Opposition Leader Diefenbaker to the address in reply to the throne speech.

The main amendment will be voted on Thursday night. Passage of any amendment in a throne speech debate topple the government and sets the stage for a new general election.

Standing in the House: Liberals 129, Conservatives 94, Social Credit 23, NDP 17, independent-Social Credit 1—total 264. The election writs have not yet been returned for one Conservative, Eugene Rheaume in the Northwest Territories, due to technical delays.

**REJECTS MOTION**

Prime Minister Pearson said flatly the government could not accept the NDP motion — thereby removing any suggestion that it would be treated as a matter on which MPs would vote without heed for political alignments.

Gordon Churchill, last defence minister in the Conservative administration, indicated that the majority of Conservative MPs will support the NDP motion.

"We suggest that the amendment (by the NDP) should be accepted by the government."

Real Caouette, Social Credit

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FIRST LADY of the United States Jacqueline Kennedy carries her two-year-old son, John, Jr., up the White House steps after a chat with Astronaut Gordon Cooper, background in auto, Tuesday in Washington. Mrs. Kennedy, expecting her third child in August, carried her son down to the automobile to meet Major Cooper and then returned to the Executive Mansion as the 22-orbit space hero left for the Capitol. With Cooper is Sen. Clinton Anderson, D-N.M., center, and Vice President Lyndon Johnson. (AP Wirephoto)

DR. DIRK U. Stikker, Secretary-General of the NATO Council, as he held a press conference late Tuesday outlining plans for the three-day NATO meeting opening in Ottawa today. Dr. Stikker is a former Netherlands Minister of Foreign Affairs. (CP Wirephoto)

# Cooper Reads Prayer Composed In Flight

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gordon Cooper, the latest United States space hero, rode through a deafening din of adulation Tuesday and then — amid a hush — read to Congress a prayer he brought down from the sky.

The prayer is a simple "thank you" to God for "all these startling wonderful things" in space. Cooper composed it himself as he whirled through the night over the Indian Ocean on the 17th orbit of his 22-orbit space voyage last Wednesday and Thursday.

He prayed that God help all Americans to help each other, so that the grand U.S. space endeavors will succeed and show the world that democracy still is able "to do things in a big way."

"Be with our families," he prayed. "Give them guidance and encouragement and let them know that everything will be ok."

Members of the U.S. Congress, Supreme Court justices and diplomats bowed their heads as Cooper read the prayer at a joint meeting of the Senate and House of Representatives gathered in his honor.

**MOTHER WATCHES**

In the presidential gallery, Mrs. Hattie Cooper, the astronaut's mother, covered her eyes with a hand, then brushed away tears and smiled.

Cooper is not a regular church-goer, but he considers religion important "in all the things we do," as he put it recently.

The 36 - year - old U.S. Air Force major's quiet speech and prayer — totalling in all only eight minutes—was a contrast to the long, tremendous ovation he received from 250,000 people as he rode up Pennsylvania Avenue from the White House, where President Kennedy pinned a medal on his lapel.

"You have given the country a great day and a great lift," the president told Cooper—and the throngs cheered their agreement.

Massed 12 deep under flags and bunting, peering out of windows, looking on from rooftops, they set up a great shout of "Yay, Gordo."

As the bands played, teenagers could not contain their hero-worship. They kept darting out from the sidewalks through police lines toward the astronaut, trying to grasp his waving hand.

Cooper sat in the lead car of the motorcade, a bubble - top presidential convertible.

Three cars back, behind secret service and press cars, rode members of the Cooper family: Cooper's wife, Trudy, and daughters Camala, 14, and Janit, 13.

# Wallace Fire Extinguished

WALLACE, N.S. (CP) — Despite temperatures in the 80s Tuesday no new forest fires were reported in the province by lands and forests department fire control headquarters who extinguished the first major blaze of the season three miles southeast of here.

Trucks working with forestry personnel from the headquarters at Shubenacadie extinguished a blaze Monday night which burned over several acres of pulpwood cuttings. Damage was light in the fire although several piles of pulpwood were believed lost.

The remoteness of the area combined with a shortage of water to make the job more difficult for the fire fighters.

The blaze sprang up in woods near this northern Nova Scotia community Monday afternoon.

# Firebug Loose In Montreal

MONTREAL (CP) — Fears that a firebug is loose in the heavily - populated east end mounted Tuesday after two major outbreaks left 45 tenement families homeless.

A pyromaniac has been blamed for 18 fires in the area in the last two weeks, including the two Tuesday.

They all follow the same pattern, Fire Director Armand Durette said. The fires start in sheds, small enclosed balconies attached to each apartment and used chiefly for storage.

# Plans Made To Combat Terrorism

QUEBEC (CP) — Premier Jean Lesage announced Tuesday that specific plans have been drawn up by top-ranking police, army and civilian authorities of the province to combat terrorist activities.

At the same time he called on the public not to become panicky.

Subsequently in the legislature he defended the anti-terrorist work done by Attorney-General Georges Lapalme and provincial police Director Josaphat Brunet.

The premier's announcement of specific anti - terrorist plans followed a 90-minute conference of the assembled authorities. There were 14 in addition to Mr. Lesage.

They were summoned here to co-ordinate an all-out campaign against those whose depredations during the last 11 weeks have centred in Montreal and Quebec City. The terrorists' specialty has been time-bombs.

The premier gave no details of the decisions reached at the meeting.

# Injured Airman Taken To Halifax

HALIFAX (CP) — Two persons injured in separate traffic accidents during the weekend were airlifted to Hospital here Tuesday.

Dianne Copp, 16, of Sunny Corner, Newcastle, N.B., is suffering from a fractured skull. A hospital spokesman described her condition as "critical" late Tuesday night.

LAC. Tom Dwyer of RCAF base at Summerside, P.E.I., is being treated for multiple fractures of the leg.

# Cattle Show Barn Burned At Truro

TRURO (CP) — A large cattle show barn, part of the Nova Scotia exhibition here, was destroyed by fire Tuesday and another was badly scorched.

The wooden, one- storey structure was used for cattle being judged during exhibition but was not believed to contain any livestock at the time of the fire.

# Gov't To Block Surcharge Claims

By ALAN DONNELLY

OTTAWA (CP)—The government is taking steps to protect the treasury against court claims for refunds of the controversial import surcharges which could have approached $100,000,000.

Finance Minister Walter Gordon told the Commons Tuesday the Liberal government will introduce legislation which would have the effect of preventing any "massive attempt" to obtain refunds.

# Injured Soldier Is Unconscious

MONTREAL (CP) — Hospital authorities said Tuesday night there has been "no change" in the condition of Sgt.-Maj. Walter Leja, injured critically last Friday in the explosion of a terrorist bomb he was trying to dismantle.

The stocky Polish-Canadian was still unconscious and on the critical list.

# NATO-Warsaw Treaty Given Careful Study

By DAVE McINTOSH

OTTAWA (CP)—NATO Secretary - General Dirk Stikker said Tuesday night that the alliance is studying carefully the possibility of a non-aggression treaty between NATO and the Communist Warsaw pact countries.

He said, however, it is too early to express a definite opinion. Such a treaty might be useful only as confirmation of progress in settlement of differences between East and West.

Mr. Stikker also said at a press conference that the advantages of the projected interallied nuclear force in NATO would not be political only.

There would be the military advantages of the United States and Britain committing strategic nuclear weapons to NATO and of making available more information to non-nuclear alliance members on what would be involved in the use of nuclear arms.

He said creation of the interallied force of British bombers, American Polaris missile submarines and tactical air units of several countries is not intended to pacify or satisfy West Germany.

**SEPARATE SYSTEMS**

Mr. Stikker said the two projected nuclear forces—the interallied group, to be discussed at the NATO conference opening here today, and the seaborne missile arm—are "distinct and separate systems."

Prime Minister Pearson will open the meeting in the House of Commons chamber. The closed sessions will begin in the afternoon in a specially-made conference room in the west block of the Parliament buildings.

Mr. Stikker said nuclear weaponry is highly complicated and "we have to move step by step." Progress toward a NATO nuclear force had been made a year ago at Athens.

In reply to the frequently asked question about differences within the alliance, Mr. Stikker said he sees in the press every day there is a crisis in NATO.

If this were true, he would be rushing from one crisis to another every 10 minutes.

"I deny there is a crisis in NATO," he said. The alliance was "absolutely indispensable" and basically the members were in agreement.

# Ship Burning Off Digby

HALIFAX (CP) — RCAF Search and Rescue headquarters said early this morning an unidentified vessel is aflame off the western coast of Nova Scotia at Digby.

An RCAF Argus aircraft despatched to the area reports that persons aboard the stricken vessel are abandoning ship and getting aboard a lifeboat astern from the air force's lifeboat station at Digby.

Further details were not immediately available.

# Mac Denies Snub Meant By Kennedy

LONDON (Reuters) — Prime Minister Macmillan was besieged with questions in Parliament Tuesday about why he had not been invited to meet President Kennedy during the U.S. leader's European tour this summer.

Macmillan brushed aside hints from the opposition Labor party that Kennedy mean to "snub" him, reaffirmed his good relations with the White House and left open the possibility he may meet with Kennedy before autumn.

Macmillan told the Commons he had met Kennedy six times since the president took office in 1961.

Emrys Hughes, an independent Labor member, touched off a wave of laughter in the House when he asked:

"Do you realize that President Kennedy's going to Ireland so that he can have a couple of days rest in a decent, intelligent, civilized country which has no missiles?"

Labor member Konni Zilliacus suggested that perhaps Kennedy is unwilling to see Macmillan at this time because the president does not wish to be involved in the coming election campaign between Macmillan and Labor Leader Harold Wilson.

Both British and American officials have strongly denied that Kennedy intended any snub toward Macmillan. They blamed the president's crowded schedule for not scheduling visits with all European leaders he wants to see.

# Pass List Released By Vocational School

Brig. W.W. Reid of Charlottetown will address students of the Vocational School at closing ceremonies Friday afternoon in the PWC auditorium.

Lieutenant - Governor F. W. Hyndman will present the students with their diplomas and Premier Shaw will give out the prizes.

The class valedictory will be delivered by Paul Weatherbie of Charlottetown.

The following are the winners of trade course certificates.

Those making sixty percent or over. In Order of Merit:

**Automotive Mechanics "A":** Nelson Gallant, Coleman; Joseph Donovan, Morell; Leroy MacLeod, St. Peter's; Vance Luttrell, Bloomfield Station; Gordon Blackett, Annandale; Waldon Burt, Kensington; Colin MacKay, Midgell; Wayne Flynn, Charlottetown; Gary Bentley, Summerside.

**Automotive Mechanics "B":** James Robbins, Bangor; Ronald MacPhee, Coleman; Wil-

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# Queens MP Queries Minister Whether New Ferry Approved

CAPITAL BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

OTTAWA — Queen's MP Hon. J. Angus MacLean said here Tuesday he noted with interest the recent announcement of Solicitor General J. Watson MacNaught that a new ferry would be provided for the Borden to Cape Tormentine run.

However, Mr. MacLean said there is nothing particularly new in the announcement because planning for the ferry had been commenced between the department of transport and the Canadian National Railways some months ago.

"While I am presuming the present government will proceed with the building of the ferry, it is quite obvious that the treasury board has not yet approved the expenditure," Mr. MacLean said. "The department and the CNR started working on the plans toward the end of last year and there would have been as much justification for an announcement last December or January."

In the House of Commons on Tuesday, Mr. MacLean asked Transport Minister George McIlraith whether the government had approved the new vessel. Mr. McIlraith said he would take the question as notice. Mr. MacLean then asked how it was possible that Mr. McIlraith did not have the answer readily available when the announcement had already been made by one of his colleagues. Mr. McIlraith did not reply.

"When we started the plans last year we worked with the idea of getting a ferry that will be useful somewhere else when the causeway is built, and not end up as a white elephant," Mr. MacLean explained.

In making the announcement last week, Solicitor General Watson MacNaught said he was hopeful that plans could be completed and cabinet approval obtained so that tenders can be called later this year.

# Family Found Shot To Death

EDMONTON (CP)—A family of four was found shot to death in their south Edmonton home Tuesday.

Police said G. Wilke, 43, was found in one of the bedrooms and his 38-year-old wife was found on a bed. The two children, Hardy, 10, and Marion, 8, were also found on a bed.

Police said a 22-calibre automatic rifle was found in the house. There was no sign of a struggle.

Police said a neighbor called police after getting no response to his knocks at the door of the Wilke home Tuesday morning. The shades in the house had been pulled since Saturday.

# CREDIT GRANTERS HOLD MEETING

The newly formed Credit Granters Association of P.E.I. held their first meeting at the Charlottetown Hotel last evening. Arthur Bullied, Toronto, secretary treasurer of the Credit Granters Association of Canada was the guest speaker. He spoke on the work of the national association and the ways in which it benefits the granters. Mr. Bullied, second from left, is seen here presenting the gavel to the president of the new association William Jay, Summerside. Also shown in picture is Jack Johnston, extreme left, of the Island credit bureau. Charlottetown and W.P. Doull, extreme right, manager of the Halifax and Dartmouth credit exchange.

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# RCMP Head In N.B Retires In Sept.

OTTAWA (CP)—RCMP Commissioner C. W. Harvison announced Tuesday the retirement, effective Sept. 15, of Chief Superintendent J. S. Cruickshank, 59, officer commanding the force's operations in New Brunswick, Superintendent R. P. B. Hanson, 46, of RCMP headquarters in Ottawa will take command of "J" division in Fredericton.

# Tobacco Marketing Board Receives Minister's Okay

By NEIL MATHESON

The Prince Edward Island tobacco marketing board received the approval of Agriculture Minister Andrew MacRae here last night when growers voted 15 to 1 in favor of the board idea. Mr. MacRae explained to the meeting here last night that he wanted to be sure the growers know what the board plan implies and that they are in favor of it.

Praising most discussion were the sections that authorize the board to control the production of tobacco by giving it control over marketing. It was explained by several growers that they felt this authority might be needed in future years, if big syndicates should try to come in and buy 30, 60 or even 100 farms and virtually control the industry.

**NOT PROVEN**

It has not been proven yet that tobacco can be grown efficiently and profitably here, although there are indications that it can, said men like Douglas Roiseon and Albert Pauley, Ocean View and Marcel Moyart, Upper Montague who observed that if some control is not set up now when the industry is still in the experimental stage, it might be difficult or impossible to establish necessary controls later. If it is proven that the industry is profitable big interests might attempt to come in they said.

Mr. MacRae said he will ask several other major tobacco firms to come in and buy Island-grown tobacco this year. Only one company, Imperial Tobacco, has been buying thus far.

The minister said the department will pay the difference between air freight and air express on plants that may be needed from Ontario, although most growers indicated they feel they will have enough for their needs. Although one of them told the Guardian they fear their plants will be late maturing.

It will cost an estimated $30.00 per acre to bring plants in from outside, one man said, and S.C. Wright, deputy minister of agriculture, suggested the plants could be brought in over night by air express from the growing area in Ontario.

**MORE ASSISTANCE**

Roy Gibson will be available to give more assistance to growers this year, Mr. MacRae stated, though growers were warned to get their requests in early for men who can cure the crop, a specialized job that is all important to the producer. One curer can handle two or three crops if the tobacco farms are close enough, Mr. Gibson told the Guardian.

The charge that cigarettes are causing lung cancer brought a suggestion from one producer that the method of processing tobacco in recent years is responsible for this undesirable development. Another added that cigarette usage has been increasing by approximately five percent each year, anyway, despite criticism.

Some Ontario tobacco board people are trying to prevent this province from producing tobacco, said Mr. Moyart and Mr. Roiseon who produced a Delhi, Ontario newspaper clipping quoting a board member as saying "there are always a few chiselers spoil it for all" and the term "chiselers" refers to P.E.I., it was suggested.

The marketing board was set up at a meeting of Island producers last fall in the motel at Rocreneath