



**LOG MOUNTAIN BLAZES**

Some 250 men battled for three days before bringing under control a fierce fire in a pile of pulp-wood valued at \$700,000. For a time the town of Desbiens, 140 miles north of Quebec City on the shore of Lake St. John was threatened. (CP Photo).

**Liquor Is Stolen Through Window**

ALBERTON — In an early morning break at the Alberton retail store a thief or thieves succeeded in removing eight quarts of gin. The break was discovered by the relieving vendor when he came to work yesterday morning shortly before 9 o'clock, and is believed to have occurred some time after 4 a.m. Heavy wire mesh was pulled away from one corner of a window facing Poplar Street and the windowpane broken with a stone. It would appear that by reaching through the iron bars inside the window the thirsty party was able to remove the bottles from a shelf and place them in front of the window, then, by change of position and with some manipulating, was successful in removing his lot and making a getaway without being discovered. Town policeman John Arthur and the R.C.M.P. are co-operating in the investigation.

**Alberton Man Dies At Home**

ALBERTON — Death came to Charles McAlduff at his home in Alberton early Thursday afternoon, following a brief illness which was the conclusion of several years of failing health. A son of the late William McAlduff and his wife, Ann Ramsay McAlduff, he was born at Alma, 73 years ago but lived most of his life in Alberton. For a number of years he worked with the late John Agnew in his canning factory. Later he was employed with Myricks Alberton Limited where he was an efficient clerk, well liked by staff and customers. Owing to poor health he retired about 15 years ago. Forty years ago he was married to Dorothy Gillis of St. Louis who survives him. They have two sons, Justin of Alberton and Edward who is a student at St. Francis Xavier University. Also surviving Mr. McAlduff are three brothers and one sister: Edward of Vancouver, Wilfred of Winnipeg, Mrs. Harold Hatch (Margaret) of South Brewer, Maine and Frank of Alberton. The funeral will be held Saturday morning from his home to the Sacred Heart Church for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock.

**BREADALBANE**

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Strupp, Warren, Ohio, were tourists to Prince Edward Island for the first time during the first week of August. While here they visited Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Murray, Fredericton, and Mr. and Mrs. Romroy Murray, Breadalbane. Congratulations to Mr. Allen Hickox, Breadalbane Village, who very successfully passed the entrance examinations to Prince of Wales College. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. Leslie MacDowell and family, Pleasant Valley, in the death of Mrs. MacDowell. Mrs. J. Scott, Warren, Ohio, arrived on the Island by car to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Peter MacLeod, which was held in South Granville Presbyterian Church, on Tuesday afternoon, August 4th. Mrs. Charles Ross, Mattapan, Massachusetts, was a recent visitor at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Graham. Mrs. Ross is vacationing in Wheatley River. Mr. Ester Sellick, Halifax, and his uncle Mr. Will Sellick, Edmonton, visited friends in this vicinity on Saturday, August 1st. Mr. Will Sellick, a former Islander is visiting his native province, for the first time in over forty years.

**WAR HERO DIES**

TORONTO (CP) — F. Austin Williams, 35, a Second World War navigator who was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, died Wednesday after a year's illness. His wife survives.

**ARTIST RETURNS**

MONTREAL (CP) — Canadian artist Albert Cloutier returned here Thursday aboard the Greek liner Arkadia after an exhibition of 50 of his paintings at Bremerhaven, Germany.

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**Former Alberton Resident Passes**

ALBERTON — James McRae of Alberton, formerly of Tignish, passed away in the Victoria General Hospital at Halifax on Wednesday following a long illness. He was 71 years of age. For many years Mr. McRae was engaged in the fishing industry, first at Tignish, later at Hagen's Wharf in Victoria West where he had a fleet of fishing boats. He also operated a lobster factory at Rustico. Following the unfortunate destruction of his boats by fire some years ago he found employment as a carpenter on the waterfront in Halifax. He retired five or six years ago. Surviving are his wife, the former Annie DesRoche of Alberton, eight sons and one daughter: Arthur of Alberton, Nelson of Charlottetown, Fred of Toronto, Edward of Tignish, Robert of Pasadena, Calif., Earle of Alberton, Raymond of Toronto.

**CHARLES ACTS LIKE ANY BOY**

LONDON (Reuters) — The heir to the throne ventured unheralded Tuesday into an amusement park and squandered pennies on boyish games like many other schoolboys on vacation. Prince Charles, 10, loathed Battersea Funfair on the south bank of the Thames with the royal governess, Katherine Peebles, and a detective. Charles and his sister Anne, 8, are engaged on a program of visits aimed at showing the royal children how average citizens work and play. Charles spent about 90 minutes at the funfair, a permanent carnival set up for the 1951 Festival of Britain. An official said Charles took a ride on a miniature speedway, driving a small electrically-powered car himself. He tried his hand at a ring-tossing game — got lost briefly in a mirror maze and spent some time at a stand throwing balls at a dummy clown with an open mouth.

**S'ide Firm Given Contract For National Park Facilities**

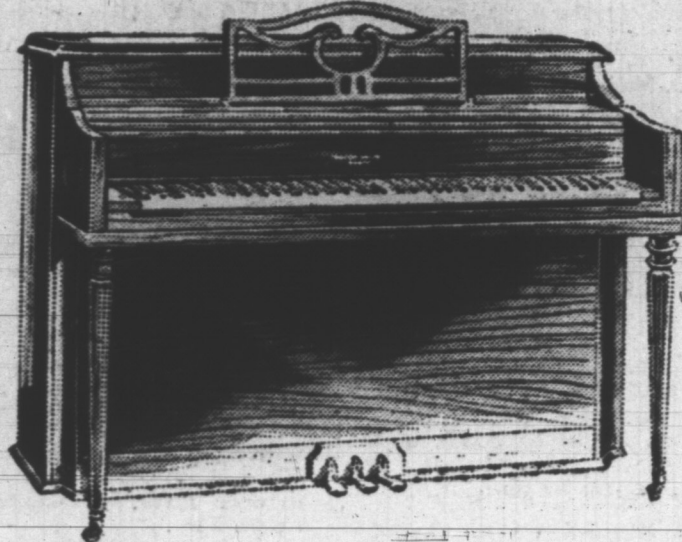
SUMMERSIDE — The Summerside construction firm of Williams and Murphy have been awarded a contract in excess of \$100,000 for the construction of two residences and four laundry and comfort buildings which will be located in the National Park area. One of the residences will be at Cavendish for the park warden, while the other will be built at Dalvey for use by the park clerk. A laundry building and a comfort station building will be constructed at Cavendish, while a similar pair of buildings will be constructed at Stanhope. The contract has been awarded by the department of Northern Affairs, National Parks Branch, and will commence immediately. The buildings will be of frame construction, and facilities will include plumbing and heating, and the laundry buildings will be equipped with automatic washers and driers. The construction firm to which the contract has been awarded is owned by Gleason Williams and Joe Murphy of Summerside. The firm made the announcement of the contract award yesterday.

**INDIAN RIVER**

The Mahanadi, one of the most turbulent rivers in India, flows 550 miles from the Vindhya into the Bay of Bengal.

Mrs. Louise (Pearl) of Cherry Hill, N.S., and William of Toronto. Another son, Leo, was drowned at Tignish when he was six years old. There are 26 grandchildren; two sisters in the United States and two brothers in New Brunswick, one in Saint John and one in Chatham, also survive. The funeral will be from the home of his daughter on Saturday. Interment will be in Cherry Hill, N.S.

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