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## DOUBLE CARFERRY SERVICE FOR P. E. I. THIS SUMMER

### Russia Demands Western Troops Leave Trieste

#### Crapaud Makes First Application Under New Village Services Act

Crapaud residents have asked for a by-law to determine whether or not the citizens of that village are in favor of incorporating. It was passed yesterday. Crapaud thus becomes the first village to take action under the Village Services Act passed at the last sitting of the Legislature.

Queen's County Sheriff John Beaton received the petition yesterday signed by at least 25 voters. A vote of the residents must be held before May 27 to determine the opinion of the majority. It was stated by the Sheriff last night that a meeting would be held in Crapaud as soon as the roads permit to discuss reasons for incorporation. It is expected that the petition from Parkdale will be forwarded to the Sheriff today or tomorrow. These villages are taking action under an act which enables certain villages to supply certain services for themselves.

#### Railways Disagree On Freight Rates Issue

OTTAWA, April 20 — (CP) — Major rifts between Canada's two big railways developed today before the Royal Commission on Transportation.

The session saw the Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Pacific Railway clash on these points:

1. A C.N.R. spokesman expressed disagreement with a C.P.R. statement that freight rates have not reached anywhere near the level where the Canadian railways would be "pricing themselves out of the market."
2. The C.P.R. expressed fear that a proposed \$1,000,000,000 capital reorganization plan of the national line might eventually result against the privately-owned company.
3. The C.N.R. disclosed it would refuse to support a C.P.R.-sponsored legislative amendment for a statutory change in the method of setting freight rates. The C.P.R. is proposing the change before the Commission partly as a means of protecting itself against effect of the Canadian National reorganization.

#### Mr. Kickham Pleads Cause Of Veterans

OTTAWA, April 20 — (Special) — A shadow is cast over Canada's excellent veterans' legislation by failure of the Veterans' Affairs Department to meet the requirements of a small number of needy cases. T. J. Kickham, Liberal member for King's, said in the House of Commons tonight.

In the debate on amendments to the Veterans Allowance Act, Mr. Kickham said many veterans had appealed to him after seeking assistance from the Department and having their claims rejected.

#### Coming Events

- \*O'Connell Party, Uigg Orange Hall, Saturday, April 22nd.
- \*Dance at Millview Hall Monday, April 24th.
- \*Card party in Stanley School, Friday, April 21st.
- \*Mail your Films to Garnhum Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- \*Don't miss Variety Concert in Stella Maris Hall, Tuesday, April 18, at 8.15.
- \*Farmers now booking Clover Seeds. Rush order. McGuigan & Boyle.
- \*See Ginger Rogers in "It Had To Be You" at MacDonald Bros. Theatre tonight, plus Short.
- \*St. Thomas Aquinas Rummage Sale this afternoon from 2 till 5 in C. W. L. Hall over Provincial Bank, 164 Richmond Street.
- \*Trucking Hogs for Canada Packers, Milton, Winsloe and vicinity. Clifford Chandler, North Milton.
- \*The Annual Meeting of the Crapaud Hall Company, will be held in said Hall, Tuesday evening, April 25th, at 8 P. M. Brent Wood, Secretary.
- \*We offer minimum or larger assorted cars of whole and/or ground grains for immediate shipment. It costs nothing to get our prices. The Atlas Grain Company, Board of Trade Building, Montreal.

#### Barber Shop Color Bar Revealed In Toronto

TORONTO, April 20 — (CP) — Some Toronto barbers say they won't cut a negro's hair.

#### Lengthy Note Handed British, French, Americans

MOSCOW, April 20 — (CP) — Russia tonight demanded the withdrawal of British and American troops from Trieste.

The demand was contained in a nine-page note handed to the British, French and American envoys in Moscow by Andrei Gromyko, First Deputy Russian Foreign Minister.

The note, which charged the three Western countries with failing to fulfill their obligations in the strategic Adriatic territory under the peace treaty with Italy, also insisted on the appointment of a governor for Trieste, a matter on which the United Nations Security Council has consistently failed to agree.

#### U. K. Gov't Denounces Dock Strike As Communist Plot

LONDON, April 20 — (CP) — The Government today denounced the spreading strike in London's docks as part of a Communist plot to win control of British unions.

Leaders of the walkout, which already has made nearly 7,000 dockers idle and tied up 41 ships, answered that the talk of Communist influence in the dispute is a "red herring."

Labor Minister George Isaacs told the House of Commons the work stoppage is clearly Communist-inspired. He said it "shows once again the length to which the Communists are prepared to go to gain control of the trade union movement."

#### Signs Reds Winning On Hainan Island

TAIPEI, Formosa, April 20 — (AP) — The Chinese Nationalists tonight reported heavy Communist casualties in the fourth day of battle for Hainan Island, and again boasted that the Red beach forces soon would be wiped out.

The Communists, however, said they had broken through "line after line" of Nationalist defenses and had captured the hamlet of Fookshan, 25 miles southwest of Holchow, island capital, Fookshan, which appears on some maps as Fushan, is 10 miles inland and 40 miles by road southwest of Holchow.

(When Communist military operations go awry, they never mention them. Their treatment of the Hainan invasion with such fanfare indicates strong Red optimism.)

#### To Head Committee



OTTAWA, April 20 — (CP) — Finance Minister Abbott today announced establishment of an advisory committee of industrial leaders to study means of bridging the dollar-sterling gap. The committee will be headed by Gordon R. Ball, (above) general manager of the Bank of Montreal and will comprise 10 leading representatives of Canadian business and industry. Establishment of the committee stems from recommendations made at the close of financial discussions at Washington last September between Canada, the United Kingdom and the United States.

#### Will Operate From June 15 To Sept. 15 On Shuttle Basis

OTTAWA, April 20 — (Special) — Prince Edward Island will be served by its two railway car ferries operating at the same time this summer from June 15 to September 15. Transport Minister Chevrier told the House of Commons this afternoon.

#### Results Of H.B.C. Fox Pelt Sale

MONTREAL, April 20 — (Special) — Following are the results of the Hudson's Bay Company's sale of silver and mutation fox pelts which was concluded Wednesday:

10,000 skins were offered. Selected silvers were very firm with 90 per cent sold; regular silvers mainly by withdrawal; inferior silvers 28 per cent sold with prices unchanged from last sale; half to three-quarter silvers, selected skins, 57 per cent sold; regular half to three-quarter silvers 44 per cent sold with prices slightly easier.

Inferior platinum was 31 per cent sold and selected platinum were very strong with 41 per cent sold. Regular and inferior platinum were mainly withdrawn.

White marked, selected and regular silvers also mainly withdrawn. Inferior white marked 79 per cent sold. Standard low grade silvers 54 per cent sold. Low grade mutation 61 per cent sold.

#### Minister's Statement

Announcement of the speedup in the ferry service was made by the Minister in reply to a question asked by Mr. MacNaught, as to whether both the S. S. "Prince Edward Island" and the C. S. M. V. "Abegweit" would operate on a shuttle service. The Minister replied:

"Yes, Mr. Speaker. There is no doubt that a double ferry service would assist in building up tourist traffic and the only objection is the heavy expense involved. However, it has been represented by certain individuals that additional revenues would cover expenses. Because of that I am authorizing the Canadian National Railways to arrange for the operation of the S. S. "Prince Edward Island" as a second ferry from June 15 to September 15 of this year only as an experiment, and I am instructing the Canadian National Railways to maintain records to establish the net financial results of the operation of a second ferry this year. If the operating costs are not offset by additional revenues, it is distinctly

#### Big Planes Are Sent To Moncton

MONCTON, N. B., April 20 — (CP) — The weather will bring thousands of dollars of new business to this city in the next three weeks through diversion of heavy aircraft from Gander, Nfld., to the Moncton Airport.

W. B. Rendell, resident manager of Allied Aviation Service Co. of Newfoundland, Ltd., said today that aircraft of 105,000 pounds or gross weight and under now land at Gander because of frost action on the runways. Most of the big aircraft which will come to Moncton will be Boeing strato-cruisers which weigh 142,000 pounds gross.

Some 21 to 24 Strato-cruisers are expected to land at Moncton airport each week during the next two or three weeks, he said.

#### Mink Ranch Awarded Damages From Air Line; Case To Be Appealed

HALIFAX, April 20 — (CP) — A Supreme Court jury tonight decided that a Trans-Canada Air Lines plane was responsible for the death of 203 young mink at a nearby Musquodoboit Harbour mink ranch and awarded \$10,000 damages to Nova Mink Ltd.

#### 20 Injured When Trains Collide

BOSTON, April 20 — (AP) — Some 20 persons were reported slightly injured here tonight in a rear-end collision of two New Haven railroad trains.

#### Doukhobor Fanatics Set Fire To Village

NELSON, B. C., April 20 — (CP) — Nude Doukhobor fanatics, men and women, today put the torch to the village of Kretevoa but Provincial Police arrived in time to save most of the ramshackle houses.

#### Woman Charged In Murder of Grocer

EDMONTON, April 20 — (CP) — A 19-year-old married woman walked into police headquarters early today and was charged with murder in the butcher-knife slaying of a few hours earlier of a Chinese grocer in his downtown store.

#### Report Chinese Reds Have Jet Planes Now

(Editor's Note: Here is the first direct account of the new Chinese Communist air force. The author, Lynn Chase, formerly of New York, has just left Red Shanghai, where she and her husband, Amos Landman, radio and newspaper special correspondent, lived for more than two years.)

By Lynn Chase

ABOARD AN AMERICAN FREIGHTER EN ROUTE TO JAPAN, April 20 — (AP) — The new Chinese Communist air force now has jet planes.

#### Fire Destroys Kelpie Lodge

DIGBY, N. S., April 20 — (CP) — Fire today destroyed picturesque Kelpie Lodge, former home of the late Bishop Thomas A. Jagger at nearby Jagger's Point. Damage was estimated at \$50,000.

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#### B. C. Fishermen Fear Return Of Japanese

VANCOUVER, April 20 — (CP) — Pacific coast fishermen, both in Canada and the United States, today fear a new Japanese invasion of rich salmon and halibut fisheries.

Canadian fishermen have expressed concern over the return to the coast of Japanese fishermen who were sent beyond the Rockies during the war for security reasons.

Along the United States coast, the fishermen fear a return of Japanese fishing fleets which before the war made the "long sail" to Alaska and coastal waters. They harvested rich catches. Hundreds of Japanese have returned to the British Columbia coast from their war-time homes since the ban was lifted last year. Many have returned to the fish-boats and others have taken jobs in coastal canneries, replacing Indian and white workers. Japanese have taken out 120 fishing licenses this year, and in 1949 they were granted 118.

Traditional fishing grounds of the salmon-catching Skeena Indians, however, are not free from the threat of Japanese infiltration, fishermen claim. The Japanese have entered other coastal fisheries.

#### Edmonton Residents See Light In Sky

EDMONTON, April 20 — (CP) — Hundreds of Edmonton residents stared into the southwest sky last night at "the thing" which glowed for one-half hour like a giant red flare. Observers described the phenomenon as a pale, thin beam of light which varied in intensity its bearing appeared fixed. As many as four other faint pencils of greenish light also were observed close to the main flare. Some claimed the display was northern lights. But no other aurora beams were visible at the time.

#### Scrambled Eggs

READING, Pa., April 20 — (AP) — A large truck, carrying a load of eggs, overturned today after swiping an automobile and crashing into a pole.

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#### Barber Shop Color Bar Revealed In Toronto

TORONTO, April 20 — (CP) — Some Toronto barbers say they won't cut a negro's hair.

"The colored people have their own barber shops. They only go into white people's shops so they can cause trouble and yell about racial discrimination. They know perfectly well they won't get served in our shops."



TORONTO, April 20 — (CP) — Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria 49-56; Edmonton 38-67; Regina 25-49; Winnipeg 26-42; Toronto 39-51; Ottawa 31-52; Montreal 45-45; Quebec 37-54; Saint John 39-52; Moncton 29-52; Halifax 36-49; Charlottetown 28-52; Sydney 29; Yarmouth 38-49; St. John's 27-33.

HALIFAX, April 20 — (CP) — Official forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax.

Skies are overcast in most of the regions tonight and there was occasional light rain in the western part of the district. This band of rain was expected to move eastward tonight and Friday.

Gradual clearing can be expected on Friday, starting in the western region around midday.

Regional forecasts valid until midnight Friday: Prince Edward Island—Rain, ending Friday afternoon. Cloudy Friday evening. Little change in temperature. Southeast winds 15 increasing tonight to southeast 25 and becoming west 15 Friday afternoon. Low and high Friday at Charlottetown 35 and 48.

High tide today at 2:14 A. M. and 1:03 P. M.  
Sun rises at 5:18 A. M. and sets at 7:06 P. M.

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