

SYRIA POSES NEW RED THREAT



The new big diplomatic worry in the Middle East is Syria (1), ruled by a pro-Soviet triumvirate which includes the Communist party secretary general.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

HUNTER RIVER School concert, December 20 at 8 p.m. KENSINGTON Christmas Concert, Friday, December 21st.

Mrs. Amy Gorman Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. Amy Gorman, widow of the late Thomas Gorman of Kensington, was held Monday morning from her late residence to the Church of the Holy Family, Kensington.

REGULAR Thursday night dance, Kensington Legion Home.

DIXON'S STORE NEWS

R.M.A. Sale continues all this week. Drop in for your Christmas supplies while our stock is complete.

ALBERTON

Mrs. Joseph Callaghan is still confined to her home in Alberton as the result of an ankle injury sustained three weeks ago.

BEDEQUE

Mrs. Herbert Craig Middleton returned to her home after several days in the Prince County Hospital. All wish her a speedy return to good health.

Rotary Receives New Members

Three new members - Henry Wedge, Arnold MacLennan, and Ralph Ramsay - were inducted into the Summerside Rotary Club on Tuesday bringing the membership to a total of 41.

Professional Cards

Chartered Accountants T. Earle Hickey Canadian Bank of Commerce Building Summerside, P. E. I. Phone 2235

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H. E. Ellis & Son Limited Fire - Auto - Casualty 8 Summerside

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B. F. Hunter, R.O.

Summerside, P. E. I. Phone 3110 SMALLMAN'S BUILDING

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THE READ STUDIO S. W. SEARS

Santa Visits 500 Children At Alberton Legion

More than five hundred children were greeted by "Santa Claus" on his annual visit to the Canadian Legion Home at Alberton yesterday afternoon.

Miss Glen Curley Is Given Surprise Party

On Friday evening, December 14th, a surprise party was tendered Miss Glen Curley at the home of her parents.

Boost Size Of Newspaper Mill

CALHOUN, Tenn. (AP) - Installation of a fourth paper-making machine will make Bowaters Southern Paper Corporation's Calhoun newsprint mill one of the largest in the world, the firm says.

Baptist W.M.S. Holds Meeting

A meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Summerside United Baptist Church was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Palmer on Thursday evening.

'Side Police Question Man In Grocery Break

A Summerside man being held in custody on a vagrancy charge is being questioned by Summerside police in connection with the break at Gussie's Grocery, North Market Street, from where an estimated \$300 in cash and merchandise was discovered stolen on Tuesday morning.

Two One-Act Plays Presented At Alberton Hall

Two one-act plays, directed by Mrs. J.C. Profit, were presented in Alberton W.I. hall Monday evening in aid of the local hockey club.

Sunday School Concert Is Held

The annual Christmas concert of the Summerside Baptist Sunday School took place Monday evening in the church hall. It was well attended and the children were commended for their performances.

Labor Shortage

would never have been harvested. "Never was such an effort made by so few to harvest so great a crop as was taken in this Fall," he said.

GREAT NEED

"Unless we have an office here, we are very soon going to get out of touch," he said. "We need a lot more money if we are going to get the job done as it should be done and I think you will all agree that as time goes on we will need, not less organization but more of organization."

VITAL PROBLEM

As the year ended Defence Minister Anthony Head served notice that British thinking is along the lines of smaller, powerfully-armed forces. He told the North Atlantic Treaty Organization meeting in Paris that the Atlantic partners could NOT afford to lag behind Russia in quality of armaments.

SHARP DECLINE

Mr. Johnstone said it was revealed at the meeting that the number of farms had decreased by 25 per cent while the number of farm labourers had decreased by 35 per cent.

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BIG SHARE TO R.A.F.

Smaller, Efficient Forces Forecast For Br. Defence

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First Leg of Gas Pipeline To Vancouver Nears Completion

DAWSON CREEK, B.C. (CP) - The first leg of the \$150,000,000 natural gas pipeline from this Peace River block area to Vancouver has been basically completed.

TO TRANS-CANADA LINE

Heavy equipment, its work finished on this stretch of the line, has been rumbling into Dawson Creek for some time and is being marshalled in preparation for shipment south.

While the pipeline crews move out and temperatures drop to 40 below zero, oil exploration crews are moving into the bush of north-eastern British Columbia.

Throughout the Peace River country, drilling and seismic crews are on the move, taking advantage of the sub-zero temperatures that freeze muskeg and lakes and make travel possible.

Most crews expect to be in camp by Christmas.

Hungarians Make Pitiful Christmas Shopping Efforts

By RICHARD KASISCHKE BUDAPEST (AP) - The Christmas shopping season is in full swing in Budapest, and it's a scramble even to get a Christmas tree.

Despite all the suffering of their still-smouldering revolt, the Hungarians seem determined to make their traditional festival as merry as possible, especially for the children.

Christmas shopping in Budapest and other Hungarian cities is marked by high prices, shoddy quality in toys and textiles, compared with Western standards, and mammoth queues.

MORE FOOD

One blessing is that food, including meats and butter, appears more plentiful. But there are long lines at the food shops, too. Their short hours of operation even force workers to duck out during office hours to buy.

ENTERTAIN PRISONERS

Saint John, N. B. (CP) - County jail prisoners will be entertained by the Salvation Army during this pre-Christmas weekend. A Christmas caroling will be held Sunday morning and the 60 inmates will be shown a full-length movie Monday afternoon.

Notice

Our poultry plant will be closed Dec. 21st to Dec. 26th inclusive.

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REGENT TONIGHT 7.15 - 9.10

Outside the Law

For Christmas this year give Regent Theatre Gift Tickets from 60c to \$5.00.

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CAMEO KENSINGTON

WED.-THUR.—7:15-9:15 Dale Robertson, Evelyn Keyes, Frank Lovejoy, Daring Arctic rescue of jet pilots on a crumbling island of ice. "TOP OF THE WORLD" Bank drawing Wed. and Fri. worth possible \$100.00.

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FRI.-SAT.—7:15-9:15 Sterling Hayden, Colleen Grey in "ARROW IN THE DUST" in Technicolor. Bank drawing Friday worth possible \$100.00. Coming Christmas Eve Christmas Night "YOUNG AT HEART" Doris Day, Frank Sinatra.

THIS WEEK AT CIVIC STADIUM

THURSDAY 4:00-5:30 p.m.—Skating 8:00-10:00—Skating

FRIDAY 1:30-3:00—Pre School Skate 9:15—BYC vs. ACES

SATURDAY 2:00-4:00—Skating 9:00-11:00—Moonlight Skate

SUNDAY 9:00-11:00—Skating Club (Moonlight)

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Hilda Crane

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