

Smallwood Has No Comment On Threatened Road Protest

By DON MCLEOD
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Newfoundland Premier Joseph Smallwood Wednesday declined comment on a suggestion that Quebec may protest cost-sharing in construction of a trans-Labrador highway.

Mr. Smallwood recently announced the first tenders had been let on a 190-mile section of the proposed route. The long-

sought highway to the island of Newfoundland from the growing mining towns and Churchill Falls in western Labrador was an election promise of Mr. Smallwood's Liberals before their return to power Sept. 8.

Quebec Premier Daniel Johnson told a Liberal opposition member in the Quebec legislature Tuesday that he would find out if Newfoundland was to build a road from Churchill Falls, 190 miles east of the Quebec boundary, to Forteau, on the Strait of Belle Isle. He also would enquire whether Ottawa planned to pay 50 per cent of the cost.

because they had been humiliated by bug-infested quarters they occupied in U.S. barracks at Honolulu.

Asked for aid
Mr. Smallwood asked Prime Minister Pearson for this aid in July, when Mr. Pearson officially opened the 530-mile Trans-Canada Highway section crossing the island of Newfoundland.

CIVILIANS FARE BETTER
Civilians on the delegation stayed at plush hotels, the report said.

The spokesman said it was impossible for anyone here making arrangements to know just what sort of accommodation was available to troops at barracks on route to Hong Kong because it wasn't a spot where Canadian troops normally stay.

If military quarters were found unsuitable, it also was normal for party officials to make other arrangements as had been done at Hong Kong, the spokesman said.

The prime minister promised only "sympathetic consideration" and no federal approval has been made public.

He added that the Hong Kong group included senior officials and some senators and they couldn't be expected to stay at military quarters occupied by sergeants or others.

The proposed route would link Labrador City, Wabush, Twin Falls, Churchill Falls, Goose Bay and Forteau with a planned tunnel beneath the Strait of Belle Isle and an existing road down the island's great northern peninsula.

Premier Smallwood has announced the \$25,000,000 section from Goose Bay to Churchill Falls will be started in the spring as a route for heavy equipment to be trucked to the Churchill Falls power development site in 1969.

The throne speech read at the opening of the Newfoundland legislature last week said there would "appear to be ample justification for Canada's sharing in the building of this great highway" since it would lead to development of massive natural wealth and make the whole country "a greater nation."

ROCKET CHIEF DIES
MOSCOW (AP) — Lt. Gen. Ivan Etkin, 54, chief of political administration of the Soviet strategic rocket forces, died suddenly Tuesday, an official announcement said. No other details were given. The Soviet usually use the word "died suddenly" to mean accidental death.

SANTA IN BRAVE
LOUVAIN, Belgium (Reuters) — Saint Nicholas, alias Santa Claus, was involved in a street fight Wednesday because he gave the season's greetings in French in this Flemish-speaking area of Belgium. A French-speaking student dressed in the traditional robes of Saint Nicholas was on his way to a party with friends when they were attacked by more than 100 Flemings. About a dozen French-speaking students joined in and before police broke up the melee several students were hurt.

ACT AGAINST FISHERMEN

TOKYO (Reuters) — Japan will bar foreign vessels from fishing inside its territorial waters—three miles offshore—and landing their catches at Japanese ports, the agriculture ministry announced Tuesday.

IN MEMORIAM

MacINTYRE — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Edson MacIntyre who departed this life on December 6th, 1966.

Life wouldn't seem so bleak today if you had been so dear. For the years ahead so empty if you could just be here. We'll miss your presence in our lives each day that we're apart. And grieve that death's forever silent.

Your understanding heart. Lovingly remembered by wife, daughter Jean and son-in-law Alvin.

MacKAY — In fond and loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Hector MacKay who passed away December 6, 1966.

We miss her because we loved her. She was dearer than silver and gold. No one on earth can replace her. Her memory will never grow old. Although she is gone forever. We know she is happy there and still we have so many memories. Of the mother we loved so much. Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by the family.

WILLIAMS — In loving memory of Mr. J. M. Williams who passed away at St. John's on December 6th, 1966.

In my heart our memory lingers sweetly. Tender, fond and true. There is not a day that I don't think of you. Ever remembered by husband John Williams.

JOHNSTON — In loving memory of our daughter Darlene Johnston who died December 4, 1966.

Four years ago today death knocked on our door. And took the little girl we all adore. The smiling face and big blue eyes we loved to see once more. But God has better plans for her. Up in that promise land. We know she is happy there and hope some day we can hold our darling Darlene once more.

Sadly missed and always remembered by Mom, Dad, sisters and brothers.

CARD OF THANKS

WE WOULD LIKE at this time to thank our many kind friends, neighbors and relatives for remembering us on our 58th wedding anniversary. Thank you one and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Campbell, Irtistown.

I WISH TO THANK Dr. Roberts, clergy, nurses and staff of the P.E.I. Hospital for kindness shown when I was a patient there. To my many friends who sent cards, flowers and expressions of sympathy in the passing of my dear sister Mrs. Harry Edwards. A thank you to all.

Mrs. T. Milton Reheat.

MR. AND MRS. Don Armstrong and Marjorie wish to thank the doctor and nurses of Montague Hospital, Fraser ambulance service, Father Hammill, Montague Funeral Home, and all their friends and neighbors who sent mass cards, flowers or helped in any way in our sad bereavement.

I WISH TO THANK Dr. MacLeod, Dr. Laidlaw, Dr. Lee, also nurses and orderlies of the Prince Edward Island Hospital for their kindness during my stay there. I also wish to thank Rev. T. W. Howard, Rev. Raymond Gillis, Rev. Ross Howard and all those who visited me, sent letters, get-well cards and those who sent flowers.

James D. MacDonald, Casco Cove.



MAN LIVES IN STEEL COCOON

Firemen were shocked to hear a voice saying "I'm a long way from being dead" from inside this twisted ball of steel when they arrived following a collision between a freight train and a car in Vancouver. William Pacarynski,

34, walked to the ambulance after firemen, police and wrecking crews worked for 35 minutes to free him from his car. Pacarynski suffered head cuts and possible rib and arm fractures.

(CP Wirephoto)

OBITUARY

MRS. ISABELLE MCCONNELL Services for Mrs. Isabelle McQuaid McConnell, a Detroit resident for 55 years, was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Cooper Brothers Funeral Home, 1940 Mack. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. McConnell was a member of St. Mark's Methodist Church and the Order of Eastern Star. She is survived by her husband, John P.; three sons, Walter, Edward and Clair McQuaid; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Hong Kong Veterans Have Bugs Complaint

OTTAWA (CP)—Troops with the government pilgrimage to Hong Kong left Canada on the understanding they would be put up at military barracks wherever possible, a veterans affairs spokesman said.

He said it was "fairly normal procedure" for civilians on such delegations to stay at hotels while servicemen stayed at barracks.

The spokesman was commenting on a report from Hong Kong that servicemen on the pilgrimage threatened not to go to the barracks assigned to them there.

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KINGS COUNTY
MURRAY RIVER Women's Institute Variety Concert, December 10th, 8:00 p.m. in Public Hall.

CARD PLAY for children and grown-ups. open to public, Thursday, December 8th, 8:00 p.m., Knights of Columbus Hall, Montague.

DANCE SATURDAY, December 10. Montague "Big School" Gym. Music by Dico and the Nations. Admission 75c. Everyone welcome.

DANCE ST. Peter's Bay Holy Name Hall, Friday, December 2. Music by Duo and the Sajo.

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PRINCE COUNTY
VESSEY'S HARNES SHOP. Tryon will be closed from December 12 to January 2.

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS

GREGORY — Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gregory (nee Conway) Charlottetown, wish to announce the birth of their daughter Mary Louisa, weight 9 lbs., 6 oz., at the Charlottetown Hospital, December 2, 1966.

HURRY — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, on December 4, 1966, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barry, a son David Troy, weight 7 lbs., 7 ozs.

TEACHERS

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