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# 10 SOLDIERS KILLED IN TROOP TRAIN-EXPRESS COLLISION

## Temperature Records Broken In Maritimes Yesterday

### 1931 Mark Broken At Charlottetown

HALIFAX, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Warm southerly gales swept across the Maritimes today, breaking temperature records in one case more than half a century old. Halifax had a high of 60 degrees, shading the 58 marked up Nov. 21, 1895. Warmest spot in the Maritimes was Moncton, N. B., with 66, heating the 64 recorded in 1931. Saint John, N.B., had 57, compared with 51 in 1935, 1931 and 1900, and Charlottetown recorded 62, five degrees higher than that of 1931. In Kentville, most of the street lights were out for a time after the wind snapped a high tension cable carrying 2,300 volts. It fell on the wire carrying the street light load, burning out many of the bulbs. Commercial power was not affected.

### Coming Events

- Mail your Films to Garnum Photo Studio, Charlottetown.
- Buying Timothy seed daily. McGuigan and Boyle.
- Dance, French River Hall, Thursday, November 23.
- Dance, Millview Hall, Thursday, November 23rd.
- See "Army Secrets" at Canoe Cove tonight at 8.15.
- Bingo Hope River Hall tonight. Prizes, ducks and geese.
- Cleaning and buying Timothy Seed daily. John Leard, Crapaud.
- Dancing, North River Community Rink, Thursday, Nov. 23rd at 9 p.m.
- Come to the Crapaud L. O. L. Concert in Broadbent Hall, Wednesday, November 22nd.
- To arrive, Bulk Wheat, \$3.10 per hundred cwt. Book Kensington Feed Service, Kensington.
- Regular Dance in Burlington Dance Hall tonight (Wednesday) Door prize. Good music.
- Collecting Hogs for Swift Canadian Co. Contact K. MacDonald, Brookfield.
- Jimmy Power's Variety Concert in Bradelane Hall cancelled until further notice.
- Warning — Red Stallion Rockies, Yeo Theatre, Montague, Friday and Saturday.
- Grinding and Buying Buckwheat. Also Buckwheat Flour for sale. Percy Howatt, Granville.
- C. W. L. Card Party and Lunch in Seven Mile Bay Hall, Wednesday, Oct. 22nd.
- Buying live and dressed Poultry daily. Paying top market prices. M. & A. Peters, Market Building.
- Card Party sponsored by the Women's Institute in Stanley Bridge School, Wednesday, November 22nd, at 8 o'clock.
- Buying live and dressed Fowl, Chickens and Capons, Thursday, 11th noon. Highest market prices. W. T. Ling, Wheatley River.
- Pantry Sale, Miller Bros., Saturday, November 25th, 2 P. M. Sponsored by Kingston United W. M. S.
- Just arrived, car of 36% Oilcake. On hand good stock of Asphalt Shingles and Roofing. W. I. Bowman.
- A meeting of the Cornwall Liberal poll committee will be held in Cornwall Hall on Wednesday night, Nov. 22.
- Sadie Hawkins Dance in the Holy Name Hall, St. Peter's Bay, Friday, Nov. 24th. Chaisson's Orchestra. Door prizes.
- Will be loading hogs at the following points each Thursday: Elmer Wigmore, Bradelane, until 11:30 A. M.; Borden Baginall, Hunter River, until noon. Summerside until 1:30 P. M. and Kensington until 3 P. M. MacEwen and Cassidy.
- Poultry — Buying live poultry weekly for American and Canadian Markets. Poultry weighed and paid for on farm. Contact Urban McQuaid, Central Egg and Poultry, 2304 Grafton Street, Charlottetown before selling elsewhere. Phone—Day 2528, Night 1581—14.

### Hefty Sums Paid For Cattle Breeding Stock At Toronto Fair Sale

TORONTO, Nov. 21 — (CP) — The Royal Winter Fair, for the first time in its 28-year history, is holding auctions of cattle breeding stock and today some pretty hefty sums were called out by auctioneer Hamilton James of Newton, Ill. He put 25 white-faced Herefords under the hammer for \$26,037 and a slight bespectacled rancher from Nanton, Alta., pocketed almost half of this amount. W. A. Crawford-Frost, one of the premier Hereford breeders in North America, got \$13,175 for six Herefords. His Carleone Royal Dandy, 43D, reserve grand champion Hereford bull of the show, was bought for \$5,000—highest price of the day—by C. Carmon Lyons of Wallaceport, Ont. The auction of prize beef cattle drew buyers from United States, Mexico and South America. The Mexican Agriculture Department bought a yearling Hereford bull and fair officials said it was the first time in the fair's history that Mexico bought a beef animal at a Canadian auction.

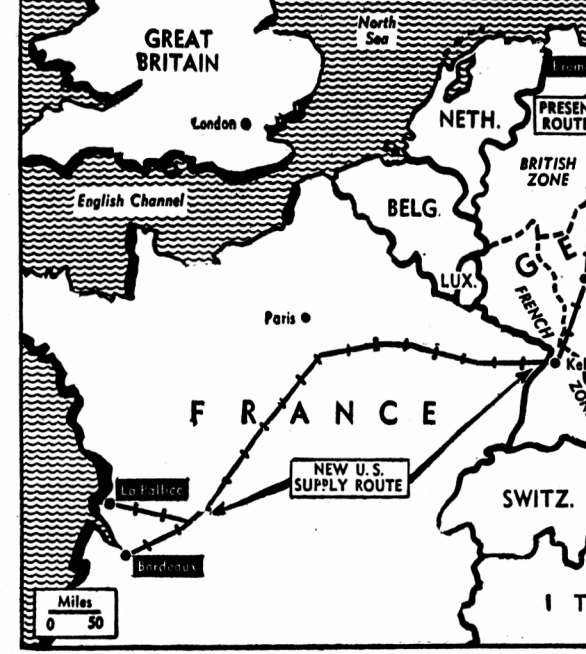
### Cardinal McGuigan Conducts Funeral Of Archbishop

RIMOUSKI, Que., Nov. 21 — (CP) — James Cardinal McGuigan of Toronto today conducted a solemn funeral service for Most Rev. Georges Courchesne while the town of Rimouski observed a day of civic mourning for the Roman Catholic Archbishop who died last week. Three funeral masses were celebrated in St. Germain Cathedral during the morning and later the Archbishop's body was taken to Rimouski cemetery for burial. Cardinal McGuigan, returned by air from the Vatican three days ago, conducted the main service in the presence of representatives of governments and Roman Catholic churchmen in all parts of Canada. An early mass over the body of Archbishop Courchesne was celebrated for school children and a later service was held for members of parishes in the Archdiocese of Rimouski. Cardinal McGuigan's assistant priest during his celebration of the solemn high mass of requiem was Canon Victor Cote of Matane. Deacon assistants were Canon D. A. Michaud of St. Octave de Melitis and Canon Louis Martin, Superior of Rimouski Seminary. After mass prayers of remission were sung by Bishop Albertus Martin of Nicolet, Bishop Georges Melancon of Chicoutimi, Bishop Napoléon Labrie of the St. Lawrence Gulf diocese, Msgr. Charles Parent, vicar of Rimouski diocese, and the Cardinal. Attending the funeral were Bishops James Boyle of Charlottetown, Camille LeBlanc of Bathurst, N.B., Charles Omer Garant, auxiliary of Quebec Diocese, and Edouard Jette, Joliette auxiliary. Archbishop Courchesne had administered the Diocese of Rimouski as Bishop and later the Ecclesiastical Province of Rimouski for a total of 22 years. The cathedral in which his funeral was held was the scene in 1929 of his elevation to episcopal rank after his appointment as fourth Bishop of Rimouski. He became head of the new Ecclesiastical Province of Rimouski covering the Dioceses of Gaspé, the St. Lawrence Gulf and Labrador early in 1948. He was 70 when he died last Tuesday.

### Son Tells How Father Killed Common-Law Wife

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Nov. 21 — (CP) — A 35-year-old man today was charged with murder in the shotgun slaying of his common-law wife following a quarrel in this trailer-cabin home three miles east of here. Lawrence Jones, who sent his 15-year-old son to report the slaying to police early today, appeared before Magistrate E. D. Smith and was remanded a week without plea. Police, summoned by the frightened boy, found the blood-spattered body of Mrs. Ann Evans, 51, on a double bunk in the cabin. Jones gave himself up without resistance. The woman had been shot in the chest with a 12-gauge shotgun. A second shotgun blast had been fired through the ceiling of the trailer. Lawrence Jones, Jr., who also lived in the small trailer together with his 11-year-old brother, told police his father fired the gun through the ceiling during a quarrel with Mrs. Evans, with whom he had been living for four years. Then he reloaded the weapon and fired it point-blank into her body, the boy said. Police said there was evidence that there had been some drinking in the trailer before the slaying. Unwashed supper dishes lay on the card table from which the occupants took their meals. Mrs. Hubert Topping, a sister of the slain woman, said she was with Mrs. Evans and Jones in a St. Thomas beverage room Monday night and that the two quarrelled bitterly. She had pleaded with Mrs. Evans not to go home with him. The Attorney-General's department will be asked to furnish counsel for Jones. An investigator of the criminal investigation branch of the Ontario Provincial Police was sent from Toronto to inquire into the slaying.

### U.S. Prepares for Trouble in Europe



Because the present U. S. supply line will run from La Pallice and Bordeaux, pass southeast of Paris to Kehl and enter Germany 80 miles from Frankfurt, headquarters of the U. S. occupation government. At the same time, the U. S. Army, in its biggest operation since occupation began, is shifting its important supply bases and lines away from exposed areas near the frontiers of Russian-held East Germany and Communist-ruled Czechoslovakia. In addition to Hamburg, Bremen and Frankfurt, big U. S. supply bases near Red-held territory are at Furth, Ingoldstadt and Furstenfeldbruck.

### Gale Roars Along Atlantic Seaboard

NEW YORK, Nov. 21 — (AP) — Winds of gale force roared along the eastern seaboard today, bringing a sharp drop in temperature and snow and rain to New York, New Jersey and New England. The storm caused two deaths in the New York area where there was extensive damage to power lines. Up to 2 1/2 inches of rain fell on the metropolitan Boston which apparently took the brunt of the New England blow. Sweeping in from the southwest, the gale suddenly shifted to the northeast and rain changed to snow flurries. Nearly 1,700 telephones were knocked out in nine towns in Central Massachusetts. Considerable wind damage was reported in New Hampshire where the rain changed to snow at mid-morning. In some areas the rain was heavy enough for hunters to track deer. The temperature in New York City was expected to reach a maximum in the low 40s during the day, and then drop to the low 20s tonight.

### Son Kills Father In Hunting Accident

CANTERBURY, N. B., Nov. 21 — (CP) — A hunting accident in the Canterbury area of York County late this afternoon took the life of Roy Weede, 42, of Waynesfield, Ohio. He had been hunting with his son, Edison, 18, and two guides about four miles west of Skiff Lake. After he became separated from the others his son, seeing a flash of white, fired at what he thought was a deer. The bullet struck his father in the stomach and he died shortly after the guides left for help. The death was found accidental and no inquest will be held.

### Creamery Butter

OTTAWA, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Stocks of creamery butter in nine major cities of Canada at Nov. 17 totalled 41,803,000 pounds against 50,964,000 pounds at Nov. 17 last year, the Bureau of Statistics reported today. Holdings were lower in Montreal, Toronto, Regina and Vancouver, but higher in Quebec, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary and Winnipeg. By cities, the Nov. 17 totals follow, with last year's figures in brackets: Quebec, 3,198,000 (3,198,000); Montreal, 13,747,000 (19,111,000); Toronto, 5,542,000 (10,423,000); Regina, 792,000 (1,117,000); Saskatoon, 430,000 (322,000); Edmonton, 4,877,000 (3,244,000); Calgary, 1,628,000 (1,382,000); Vancouver, 1,078,000 (1,007,000).

### Four Railroad Men Buried In Wreckage; 44 Persons Injured

(By Cameron James, Canadian Press Staff Writer) JASPER, Alta., Nov. 21 — (CP) — A troop train and a trans-continental passenger train today collided head-on rounding a curve in a desolate stretch of the Canadian Rockies, killing 10 soldiers, burying four railroad men under the wreckage and injuring 44 others. Unofficial reports from the scene—on the Canadian National Railways main line 83 miles west of here—said 13 men on the troop train were killed and 52 injured. It was not known if this included the missing two-men crews of each engine. The late-running troop train, carrying 340 officers and men of Canada's special force, rammed into the east-bound passenger just east of the siding at Canoe River, B. C., 312 miles west of Edmonton. It was one of the worst train disasters in recent Canadian history. The collision at the Canoe River whistle stop, on a mountain slope high in the Rockies, occurred at 12:35 p. m. CST when both trains were operating at reduced speeds. Although it was not snowing at the time, there was about half a foot of snow on the ground and the temperature was near zero. Apart from the engine crew, there were no injured persons on the 10-car passenger train although the baggage man was shaken up. Soldiers Act Promptly Although many of the soldiers were new to uniform, they behaved with precision and dispatch. Within minutes of the crash they started moving the injured. Two dining cars on the 17-car troop train were cleared and used as a hospital. Dr. P. S. Kimmitt of Edson, Alta., a passenger on the trans-continental, took charge. His wife acted as his nurse. They were assisted by Jack Cook, C.N.R. regional first aid officer, from Vancouver, and a Mrs. Lennie of Edmonton. A hospital train was ordered from Jasper, 83 miles east. It arrived three hours after the accident with two doctors and eight nurses. Nature of Injuries WINNIPEG, Nov. 21 — (CP) — The army tonight broke down the list of 44 injured reported in the collision today between a troop train and an east-bound passenger near Jasper, Alta., but said it did not know how many of the injuries were serious. Twenty two of the 44 injuries were said to be steam burns, six back injuries, five head injuries, 10 fractures, and one a possible pelvic fracture.

### Special Service For PEI Stewardess Victim

GRENOBLE, France, Nov. 21 — (Reuters) — A special funeral service was held here today for Mrs. Helen Johnson MacDonald of Montreal, 29-year-old stewardess of the Canadian Pilgrim plane which crashed Nov. 12 in the French Alps, killing 58. Her funeral came three days after a mass service for 50 of the crash victims. Her body was found Sunday. After the service Mrs. MacDonald's coffin was taken to St. Roch chapel. From there it will be sent back to Canada with 56 other coffins, already in the chapel. Camille Pouliot, Quebec Fisheries Minister, attended the stewardess' funeral. Search for the 58th crash victim has been called off because of heavy snowstorms. It probably won't be renewed before the spring thaw.

### United Church Clergy Critical Of Toronto's Drinking And Gambling

TORONTO, Nov. 21 — (CP) — The Toronto Presbyteries of the United Church of Canada heard sharp criticism today of conditions in cocktail bars and other liquor outlets. They received from their planning committee a recommendation that they urge appointment of a royal commission to investigate gambling, liquor and vice conditions in this second largest Canadian city. The committee suggested also: 1. Reduction of liquor sales hours, with a 10:30 P. M. closing of outlets. (Beer now is served in beverage rooms until midnight; liquor in cocktail lounges until 2 A. M.) 2. "Severance of entertainment and liquor-drinking" in hotels and theatre restaurants. 3. That Toronto "be required to give an accounting of the more than \$250,000 a year paid from a percentage of fees of liquor licences by the Province of Ontario."

### Two B. C. Girls Touring Britain On Shoestring

By Muriel Narraway LONDON, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Two young British Columbia girls who set out to see Europe on a shoestring said today they've covered nearly 1,000 miles in Britain at a cost of about 70 cents a day. With a couple of bicycles and Patricia Woods and 19-year-old Rose Cuddy pedalled off from their homes in Victoria for a three-year, pay-as-you-go visit to the United Kingdom and Europe. That was four months ago. Since then they've seen New York and London, Glasgow and Edinburgh, Loch Lomond and the Caledonian Canal. They've seen the King and Queen at Crathie Church, near Balmoral Castle, spent 1 1/2 weeks at the Edinburgh festival, cycled through Sir Walter Scott's border country and the Yorkshire moors, visited the old walls of Chester in Cheshire and gazed on England's black country, the industrial Midlands. Without going too deeply into the mathematics of it, they've worked out their expenses in Britain so far at about 46¢ a day. Usually they've stayed in youth hostels for 1s. 6d. a night and spent the other 3s. on food. "We allowed ourselves three years," said Patricia (of 881 Daffodil Ave.) "because we have to work for our living as we go along and that slows us down." Rose (of 466 Gladia Ave.) said she and her friend have no idea now what the next part of call will be when they hit the road again in the spring. High on the list of places to be seen are Ireland, Scotland's western isles, Cornwall and Devon. After that it will be France and as much of Europe as time and money will allow. If things get too tough, they say, they can always go harvesting—a good way to save money and still travel. "Somewhere along the line, we've got to make our return fare to Canada," Patricia said cheerfully.

### Belgians Like New Coins, Hide Them Away In Sock

By William Anderson BRUSSELS, Nov. 21 — (AP) — If you look hard, you'll doubtless find them sewn into mattresses, old socks and hidden in China pigs all over Belgium—but nary a one of the 38,000,000 silver coins Belgium has minted in the last year can be found in circulation. This reaction of a generation brought up to distrust paper money is worrying the Belgian Government. Daily the "Hotel De Monnaie" in Brussels has been punching out thousands of coins. But as fast as they were put into circulation by the various banks, just as fast did they disappear. The mint has kept stamping until to date it has pushed 7,000,000 100-franc pieces, 13,000,000 50-franc and 18,000,000 20-franc pieces through the banks—into what seems a bottomless well. The Belgian public apparently seem to reason that a coin, even though worth much less than its face value in actual metal, still is much better than a piece of paper. Evidently there is also an unspoken fear of a repetition of the 1944 measures which blocked all Belgian banknotes. In vain do bankers, newspapers and government officials try to assure Belgians of their country's financial position in world financial circles. It has been declared many times that no second blockage of notes is foreseen but the stolid Belgian citizens still are hoarding an average of five shiny new semi-silver coins each in their domestic strongholds.



TORONTO, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Minimum temperatures observed between 7:30 p. m. and 7:30 a. m. EST; maximum temperatures observed between 7:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Victoria 45 51; Edmonton 14b 3b; Calgary 4b 43; Regina 9b 20; Winnipeg 10 20; Toronto 25 33; Ottawa 21 27; Montreal 32 33; Quebec 36 38; Saint John 53 57; Moncton 39 42; Halifax 52 60; Charlottetown 37 62; Sydney 44 60; Yarmouth 54 58; St. John's 32 —.

HALIFAX, Nov. 21 — (CP) — Official forecasts issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office at Halifax.

Southerly gales brought very mild air into the Maritimes Tuesday. The storm causing the gales was centred in New Brunswick tonight and moving northeastward. It was causing rain over much of the district. Colder air began to flow into the western regions, and snow changed to rain. Cloudy and colder weather can be expected on Wednesday, but the snow will end as the storm moves away. Regional forecasts valid until midnight Wednesday. Prince Edward Island—Overcast. Snow beginning Wednesday morning, ending in the afternoon. Cloudy Wednesday evening. Much colder with west winds diminishing in the evening to 15. Low and high Wednesday at Charlottetown 38 and 40.

High tide today at 9:32 A. M. and 9:07 P. M. Sun rises at 7:19 A. M. and sets at 4:39 P. M. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

**JORDEN — CAPE TORMENTINE FERRY SERVICE**

Leave Jordan	1:10 P.M.	Leave C. T.	10:35 A.M.
1:30 P.M.		2:40 P.M.	
4:30 P.M.		7:30 P.M.	
		Sunday	
Leave Jordan		Leave C. T.	
9:10 A.M.		10:35 A.M.	
6:45 P.M.		8:00 P.M.	

**WOOD ISLANDS—CARIBOU DAILY FERRY**

Leave Wood Islands	8 A.M.	11 A.M.	1 P.M.	3 P.M.
Leave Caribou	8 A.M.	11 A.M.	1 P.M.	3 P.M.