

### Four Federal Byelection Campaigns In Progress

OTTAWA (CP)—Opposition candidates in next Monday's four federal byelections in eastern Canada are aiming their efforts at offsetting the big leads won by Liberals in the 1955 general election.

All four constituencies have been represented by Liberals for long periods—the shortest 22 years and the longest 59 years. They are Quebec South, Temiscouate and Bellechasse in Quebec and the Saguenay-Lac-St-Jean in New Brunswick. In the last election, the margins of government representation ranged in size from 2,258 votes in Bellechasse to 12,587 in Quebec South.

There have been 11 byelections during the life of the present Parliament.

#### LIBERALS LOST ONE

Seven were in seats won in 1953 by Liberals and one of them, Mantolowick, was won by a Liberal in 1953 by a 189-vote edge, returned CCF candidate William Bryce with a substantial lead. Liberal margins of 1953 were cut sharply in five of the other six.

Of the other three byelections since 1953, Progressive Conservatives retained Peel and Elgin in Ontario on March 22, 1954, and a Social Credit held Alberta's Battle River-Camrose last June 20. In only one Peel-did the winning party increase its 1953 margin.

In byelections during the Parliament from 1949-53, Liberals lost eight to Progressive Conservatives while holding 11. Conservatives retained five and lost none. The other five contests resulted in changes between Independent Liberal and Liberal representation.

Present standing in the Commons is Liberals 166; Progressive Conservative 51; CCF 23; Social Credit 15; Independent 4; vacant 6; total 265.

#### TWO MORE TO COME

One of the vacancies remaining

#### Lorne Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon MacLeod left recently for Toronto, Ontario, after spending two months in Lorne Valley.

Miss Adele Shaw, Halifax, N.S. visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw.

Mrs. Alexander MacIntyre spent the past week visiting relatives and friends in Elmira.

Mr. Charles MacGrath accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Kimpton MacGrath, with his brother and sister Master Sterling and Miss Annabell, left Sunday for Hyde Park, Mass. after visiting with relatives and friends in Lorne Valley and vicinity.

Miss Jane MacGrath and Miss Rena MacNeill were recent visitors to Nova Scotia. They were guests of Jane's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted MacGrath, Truro.

Mr. Francis MacIntyre is receiving congratulations on winning two firsts and one second prize at the Horse Show at Dundas.


Mrs. Don Terrio and children, Dianne and Linda, left recently for their home in Cambridge, Mass., after vacationing in Lorne Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. James MacNeill entertained at their home on September 16th. in honor of their daughters, Miss Doris MacNeill, Boston, Mass., and Miss Rena MacNeill, Toronto, Ontario. Music for dancing was by Webster's Orchestra assisted by Mr. Alex MacDougall and Mr. Bennett Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. James Callaghan, daughter Betty, and sons George

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### Construction Booming In Whole Montreal District

MONTREAL (CP)—A look in almost any direction in Montreal will bring a construction project into view.

New houses are being built at a record or near record rate; new office buildings are springing up; and multi-storied buildings to provide off-street parking for cars are beginning to take shape.

From the lookout atop Mount Royal in the centre of the city, a bird's eye view can be obtained of the work being done on the Marmouth St. Lawrence seaway project.

The building spurge is not confined to private, or federal and provincial government projects. The city recently estimated that the projects it now has under

### Perky Oldsters Survive Weel In Wilderness

VANCOUVER, Wash.—A couple of perky oldsters who defied the wilderness for a week on a can of beans, a bit of jelly and a sma' packet of powdered milk are recovering from exhaustion and hunger in hospital here.

Charles Allger, 85, of Tacoma, Wash., and Charles Dickens, 70, of San Diego, Calif., generally had been given up for dead when they became lost while prospecting for uranium in the growth-tangled foothills of Mount St. Helens.

But they were found Saturday night by three woodsmen and brought back to civilization Sunday by stretcher bearers who hiked four miles through the forest growth and waded waist-deep in icy water to complete the mission of mercy.

Attendants said the two men were in "pretty good" condition and content to just recline and rest in the hospital. But when the stretcher party reached them Sunday, Allger refused at first to be moved. He tried a few staggering steps, however, then gave in.

"We couldn't have made it through another night," Dickens told the trio that found them. He and Allger were grimy, bearded and brush-whipped when located by the woodsmen—R. S. Berry of Vancouver, Wash., and Al Robbins and his son, Morton, of Woodland, Wash.

"When I saw their red hat I knew my prayers had been answered," Dickens said.

on the tubers from the field and thus reduce the danger of losses, through late blight rot.

This is authorized by F.M. Cannon, Field Crop Insect Section, and L. C. Callbeck, Plant Pathology Section of the Science Service Laboratory, Charlottetown, P.E.I.

### Orders Inquest In Swimmer's Death

TORONTO, (CP) — Attorney General Roberts of Ontario announced Tuesday that an inquest will be held into the death of swimmer Clifford Snowdon.

He said the date will be as soon as Dr. Smirle Lawson, supervising coroner for Ontario, can arrange it.

Snowdon, 29, of Milton and Orillia, is believed to have been drowned early Sunday while trying to swim across Lake Ontario from Niagara-on-the-Lake to Toronto.

It was reported afterwards that Snowdon was an epileptic. Friends suggested he possibly suffered a seizure during a few moments when lights of escorting craft were not direct on him. His body has not been recovered.

### Potato Bulletin

According to the potato bulletin No. 14, unless the potato vines are destroyed by frost, most fields should be sprayed with a chemical vine killer before the end of the month. The date on which this treatment should be given will vary from one farm to another and will depend on the date of planting, variety of potatoes, and soil factors. Varieties such as Canso and Keswick that have a tendency to over-size should be examined and the tops destroyed when it is estimated that the maximum volume of Number 1's has been produced.

No field should be dug until the vines have been dead for at least ten days. This important fact should be considered when establishing a date for vine killing. Care in harvesting is the big factor in preventing losses in storage. Wounds and bruises provide entrances for certain soil organisms to enter the tubers, and these organisms cause the disease known as storage rot.

The potatoes should enter the storage in as dry a condition as possible, and a free current of air should be strived for. These precautions will aid in destroying late blight spores that may come in

### NORTHERN BATTLER

Graylings of northern Manitoba streams, sometimes weighing four or five pounds, are distant cousins of the trout.

### Details On Diplomats Case

LONDON, (Reuters) — The British government Monday promised finally to clear up one of the cold war's darkest mysteries by giving full details in a white paper this week of the Burgess-Maclean "missing diplomats" case.

The government said it will publish within a few days the details of the case. The announcement followed a government statement Sunday that the two men were long-term Soviet agents.

A formal statement today from the foreign office said a white paper—an official document—will be published "giving a full statement" on the case of Donald Maclean and Guy Burgess, the two British diplomats who vanished in May, 1951.

A foreign office spokesman told reporters Sunday that the two had been under investigation before they disappeared behind the Iron Curtain.

### Eight Canadian Ships In Exercise

OTTAWA (CP)—Eight Canadian ships will take part in a NATO naval exercise near Norway Sept. 21-28, navy headquarters announced Monday.

The aircraft carrier Magnificent, four destroyer escorts and three frigates now are on their way to the exercise area.

Ships, submarines and aircraft from Norway, Britain and the United States will also take part. The other Canadian ships are the destroyer escorts Huron, Haida, Micmac and Algonquin and the frigates Prestonian, Lauzon and Toronto.

The exercise is designed to test operations of a carrier task force supported by shore-based aircraft and an anti-submarine carrier group. The Canadian ships recently took part in NATO exercise New Broom IV in the western Atlantic.

### NEW SEWER

One of the main items in construction of the Meilleur-Atlantic sewer at a cost of approximately \$4,000,000.

About \$5,000,000 will be spent on the construction of two new incinerators—one in the east end of the city and the other in the west end.

The city now is installing about 2,000 feet of water main a day. A 3,000,000-gallon reservoir is being built near picturesque Sawyer lake, atop Mount Royal, while a tunnel to enable pedestrians to cross busy Viau St. in the east end, is under construction.

For parks and playgrounds about \$1,000,000 is slated for provision of new shelters, wading pools and other general improvements.

A new 1,000-seat open air theatre in Lafontaine Park is expected to be in operation early next spring.

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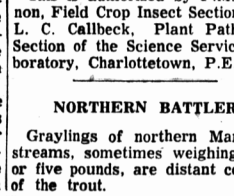
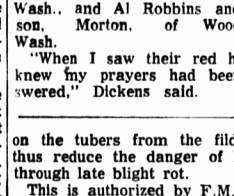
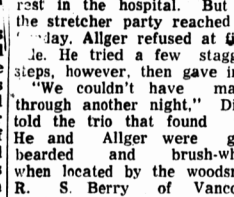
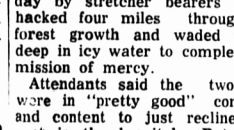
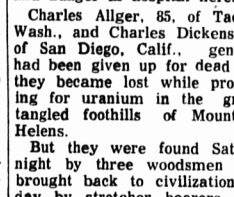
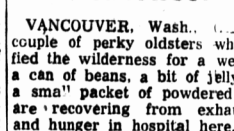
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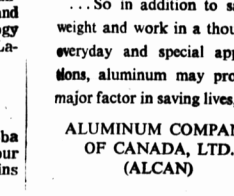
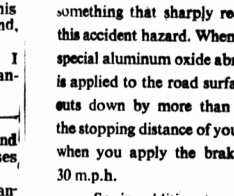
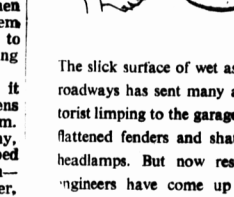
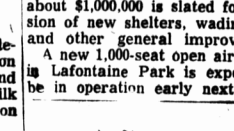
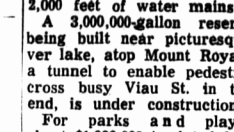
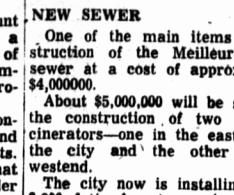


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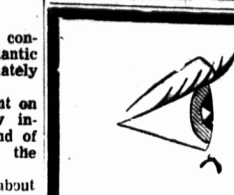
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