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Premier To Officiate At Two Soc Trinnings

SOURIS — Premier Walter R. Sharp is scheduled to be the central figure at two sod-timring ceremonies in the Town of Souris Monday afternoon.

The first function will be the sod-timring of the new building of the beginning of construction of the province's first housing unit for senior citizens.

The ceremony is scheduled for 3 p. m. Monday at Souris on a two-acre site on Church Street that was donated for the units.

Invited to attend are the mayor and two town council members, local clergymen and political dignitaries, members of the P. E. I. Senior Citizens Housing Corporation, and the general public.

Welfare and Labor Minister Henry Wedge will preside.

Construction of the four housing units is being immediately undertaken by the \$30,000 project to George Cherev, South Lake, completion date is May 31, 1963.

At about 3:30 p. m. or immediately thereafter, the Premier will proceed to the site of the Souris Regional High School where he will officiate at the sod-timring of the first sod getting construction under way of the new extension to the school.

Invitations to this ceremony have been extended to the housing persons who are invited to the housing function, with the exception of the Senior Citizens Housing Corporation.

Housing Corporation representatives, which was taken by the Regional High School Board.

The new addition to the school will contain a combined gymnasium and auditorium, two rooms for commercial classes, a room for domestic science, a library and two academic classrooms.

The contractor on the project is the MacDougall Construction Company of New Glasgow, N.S., which bid of \$250,000 was accepted yesterday.

Couple Honored At L. Montague

MONTAGUE — Miss Marjorie Gillis, Montague, and Colin "Bud" Whitway, Alberton, were entertained by their young friends at a shower and dance in honor of their approaching marriage. The party was held Tuesday evening in the Lower Montague Hall which was attractively decorated for the happy occasion.

The guests of honor were assisted by Mrs. Stewart Westaway and Mrs. Lloyd Westaway in opening the many lovely gifts which were arranged by Miss Sandra Love. The accompanying good wishes were read by Mrs. Kenneth MacPhee, while the gift book was in charge of Mrs. Grant Sennebohn.

On behalf of his bride-to-be and himself, "Bud" spoke briefly, expressing their appreciation. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Kenneth MacPhee, Mrs. Stewart Westaway, Mrs. Douglas Collins, Mrs. Lloyd Westaway and Mrs. Donald Ross, after which the young people enjoyed an hour of dancing.

The music for the evening was by Joseph Kearney, violin and Gerard Murphy and Kenneth MacPhee, guitars.

Pownal Man 97 Years Old

W.L. Acorn of Pownal, who recently celebrated his 97th birthday, received congratulatory messages from P. E. I. Minister Diefenbaker and Health Minister McPhee.

Mr. Acorn also received numerous cards, flowers and gifts. Mr. Acorn's daughters, Minnie (Mrs. Joe MacIsaac), Dorchester, Mass., and Lena (Mrs. Ernest Judson), Iroquois, Ontario, arrived home to spend a week with their father, at the home of their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Acorn, Pownal.

Baby Returned To Sect Parents

TORONTO (CP) — Mr. Justice Samuel Hughes has given a Jehovah's Witness couple the official custody of their infant, Daniel, who had been held in a hospital ward on the day he was born.

On the day a Sept. 29 court order removing a baby boy from the custody of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forsyth of Kingston, Ont., so that the child could obtain an urgent blood transfusion, banned by the sect.

Mr. Justice Hughes said he was acting "with great regret" when the Sept. 29 action by Judge James G. Wright, Jr. of D. A. Judd of the Children's Hospital and Kingston General Hospital doctors may have saved the boy's life.

Kingston pediatrician Dr. D. J. Delhaye found that the baby had a blood deficiency and required a transfusion.

Quick action resulted in a hospital hearing with the child's mother on a stretcher and father summoned from home. Judge Garvin presided, and ruled the child a ward of the society in Kingston and Frontenac County.

Mr. Justice Hughes said he was satisfied that the baby was in no danger of losing the meaning of the Child Welfare Act. He held that there had not been a proper hearing and that Judge Garvin had thereby deprived himself of jurisdiction.

CASHIER FOILS HOLD-UP MAN

TORONTO (CP) — A would-be bandit watched in amazement as a cashier calmly passed his holdup note around to other store employees.

Then the hold-up man turned and fled down a flight of stairs.

Police said the note read: "All the money. I will kill my address with attempted robbery."

They have charged Arthur E. Patterson, 38, of no fixed address, with attempted robbery.

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Former President Truman Critical Of Canada's Stand

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. (AP) — Former U.S. President Harry S. Truman said here he does not like Canada's attitude in the Cuban situation.

He charged Canada's prime minister has refused to associate his country with the Western Hemisphere in support of the U.S. stand against arms shipments to Cuba.

"We have supported them in former times and in crises," Truman said. "They should stand behind us today."

(In the Canadian House of Commons Wednesday Opposition Leader Pearson asked Prime Minister Diefenbaker whether the government intended to associate Canada with the Organization of American States resolution giving the U.S. full support in its embargo against arms shipments to Cuba.)

(Diefenbaker replied: "... I think it would be presumption on my part to take the view of Canada with respect to an organization of which we have not been and are not now a member."

(In the Commons Thursday, Diefenbaker announced the RCAF air defence command has been placed on the same alert as U.S. interceptors, and that long leaves for armed

forces personnel have been cancelled because of the Cuban crisis.

"We intend to support the U.S. and our allies in this situation" he said.

(Diefenbaker noted that his government had announced earlier that Soviet-bloc aircraft en route to Cuba would not be permitted to use Canadian air space.)

Truman made his comment at a press conference here at which he announced cancellation of the remainder of his scheduled speeches on behalf of Democracy and Freedom in the Nov. 8 U.S. congressional elections.

"The Latin American countries have made a stand and our position is strengthened in these countries and that part of the world," he said. "And that is another reason I don't believe in leaving that you had broken the U.S. imposed fence which had been imposed by Yankee imperialism."

The former president also expressed his distrust of international summit meetings.

Asked whether he thought anything could be accomplished by a meeting of heads of state from Cuba and I don't know "I don't know to a damn. I have been to two of them and nothing was accomplished."

Five U.S. Steel Executives Are Fined For Price Fixing

NEW YORK (AP) — Five American steel corporation executives have been fined a total of \$44,000 for their part of no contest to charges of conspiracy to fix prices and rig bids in steel sales.

Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan refused simultaneously to accept plea from four steel companies and a trade association named as defendants in the same indictment.

The individuals and their fines:

Ernie Lackey, president of Erie Forge & Steel Corp., Erie, Pa., \$5,000.

Ernie Lang, board chairman of Erie Forge and Steel, \$10,000.

R. B. Heppenthal Sr., president of Midvale-Hopenthal Company, Philadelphia, \$20,000.

Eric Gurney, manager of Bethlehem Steel Company's sales, forgings, castings and special products division, Bethlehem, Pa., \$7,500.

Robert S. Barnes, assistant manager of that division, \$1,500.

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Cuba's Sold Tanker Breaks Yankees' Fence

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP) — Cuba's sold Friday that a Soviet tanker permitted to pass the U.S. blockade of Cuba "had broken the U.S. imposed fence which had been imposed by Yankee imperialism."

The claim came from Andreu Fernandez Soler, secretary-general of the Port and Marine Workers Union. He addressed a rally held to welcome the vessel which arrived at Havana Harbor early this morning.

Soler Fernandez to the crew in his broadcast address: "We give thanks for your backing in the fight against our common enemy. This rally is a manifestation of the sentiment of our people in learning that you had broken the U.S. imposed fence which had been imposed by Yankee imperialism."

The radio said earlier that the tanker had been intercepted by blockade ships but had not been searched.

"The thousands and thousands of barrels of petroleum which you have brought us are worth and thousands of dollars which we have given to Yankee imperialism," Fernandez told the Russians.

So far, Havana Radio has said nothing about the apparent turnback of 12 Soviet vessels which had headed for Cuban waters.

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CONFER AFTER COUNCIL SESSION

Soviet delegate Valentin Zorin, right, stays to confer with Cuban delegate Mario Garcia-Inchaustegui in the darkened United Nations security council chamber in New York Wednesday night after adjournment of emergency session on the Cuban crisis.

Fulton Makes Reforms In Works Department

By KEN KELLY
OTTAWA (CP) — Works Minister Fulton is bringing his reforming zeal to bear on the federal works department's housing and contracting policies.

A major change in housing policy is a plan to permit the government's housing agency, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, to make direct mortgage loans for rental housing projects in small communities where lending facilities aren't readily available to private entrepreneurs.

Basis for this plan is understood to be representations that mortgage money for rental housing projects is difficult to get in communities of between 20,000 and 50,000 from banks, insurance companies or other lending institutions.

An outline of the proposal is likely to go before cabinet soon as a basis for discussion.

Mr. Fulton, who in five years as justice minister instituted such major programs as the current expansion of prison facilities and a new parole system, hinted at another possible change in housing policy in the Commons recently.

He said CMHC has been instructed to investigate the possibility of loans to universities to build housing for married students.

\$2,000,000 LOANED
At present, such loans can be made by CMHC for housing for single students up to a maximum loan of \$7,000 per student.

Counterfeit Bills Are Buried In Jar

CALGARY (CP) — Two glass jars containing \$71,000 in counterfeit bills have been dug out of a law firm's southeast Calgary, the RCMP said here.

They said the discovery, made last Saturday, came as a result of an investigation into a counterfeit ring which was believed operating in British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario and Quebec.

Police said they believe the money was buried about 18 months ago after a nation-wide campaign that targeted counterfeit bills were in circulation.

Key West Reacts With Patriotism

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP) — A time of suspense and a wave of patriotism has swept this island city on 48 miles of increased military activity.

The U.S. blockade of Cuba, 90 miles south across the Florida Straits, prompted residents to make the same preparations they might expect a hurricane.

"Businessmen reported increased sales of distilled water, canned meats and dried fruits."

Police desk Sgt. C. F. Wallace said, "misdemeanor calls have dwindled since the local bases were reinforced, but we still are busy acting as escorts."

The flag sprang from homes around this four-mile-long island city of some 50,000 residents.

Trucks carrying military detos from Boca Chica Naval Air Station, 20 miles north and the U.S. naval station in Key West, were greeted with "misdemeanor" by people in the streets.

A host of onlookers waved and cheered Wednesday night when a 35-unit convoy rolled into town.

"I feel safer now than I have in weeks," said youthful William Paul, 16, who said he felt like a sitting duck, but now with the bases showing more treatment of a sea-sea case."

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