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# City Seeks Government Aid In Housing Prisoners Here

## Also Requests Common Jail For Northern B.C.

The city of Prince Rupert wants the provincial government to pay a per diem rate for prisoners held in jail here.

City Clerk Bill Long on instructions of council, is investigating the set-up and will write Attorney-General Robert Bonner regarding the matter.

On recommendation of the Police Committee the city also urged the government to establish a common jail for northern B.C.

Meanwhile the city has approved plans to improve sanitary conditions at city jail.

Officials say the city should not pay the full cost for the care of prisoners and while the government reimburses it for meals served prisoners, aldermen feel the government should pay a per diem rate to help pay cost of police needed to guard prisoners.

Under the present set-up the city pays the full cost of maintaining the jail and also pays the RCMP for policing the city. Some persons sentenced to small terms are kept in jail here instead of being sent to Oakalla, which is a provincial institution.

## Liberal Women Talk Election

OTTAWA (CP) — Organization problems behind the winning of elections were in the forefront of discussions Wednesday at the biennial meeting of the National Federation of Liberal Women. The convention of more than 200 delegates reviewed the party's wins and losses in by-elections of last year and heard suggestions for tightening the organization for the impending general election.

From British Columbia the convention received the report that the June provincial election in which the Social Credit party was voted into power may not have brought out the wishes of the people.

"We feel," said president Mrs. G. W. Kissick, "that the people protested louder than they thought, that many of those registering disapproval were shocked by the accumulated results."

"We must see that we regain our rightful place as the true party of the people."

## Parks Board Seeks Support Of Transfer

Park Commissioners will formulate plans Monday night to obtain public support for the referendum in December civic elections asking transfer of the Roosevelt Park Fund to a general park development fund.

Commissioners at their first meeting since Sept. 24 last night reviewed work of the past year. It was announced that the budget of \$9,500 was almost exhausted and that all park and playground equipment now has been locked up for the winter.

The Park Board recently asked council to have the Roosevelt Park Fund transferred and City Council, at its meeting last Monday, appointed a committee to draw up the wording for a referendum.

The Kinsmen club request to use Gyro and Totem Parks for Halloween parties tomorrow night was granted.

Commissioner Art Murray was appointed as a one-man committee to arrange for flooding of the tennis courts for a skating rink for children if, or when, the weather turns cold enough.

## Indian Held For Murder

LILLOOET (CP) — The RCMP said Wednesday they are holding William Tom, 25, an Indian youth, as a suspect in the murder and robbery of an aged Indian here Tuesday night. Victim of the beating, Raymond Gregoire, 85, was found near his home. Nearby was an empty wallet.

## QUEEN TO BROADCAST ROYAL MESSAGE ON CHRISTMAS DAY

LONDON (CP) — The traditional Christmas Day Royal broadcast to the Commonwealth will be made this year by the Queen, it was announced Wednesday.

It is understood the Queen will follow the precedent by broadcasting from the Royal family's country home at Sandringham, Norfolk, after Christmas dinner.

The first Royal Christmas Day broadcast was made by George V, the Queen's grandfather, in 1932.

## Russians Make New Proposal

**Demands Commission For Korean Settlement**

UNITED STATES (CP) — Russia last night proposed that the United Nations form a commission to settle the Korean question, but Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky at the same time rejected the 21-country appeal that Communists agree to a cease fire on UN terms.

Speaking vigorously for three hours and 39 minutes before the General Assembly Political Committee, Vishinsky ridiculed the UN principle of voluntary repatriation of war prisoners that is the only issue holding back cease fire with the Communists.

He demanded that all prisoners be returned by force if necessary.

The sharp tongued Russian did not give details on his proposals for a Korean commission but his move was interpreted as an effort to take the truce talks out of the hands of negotiators at Panmunjom.

He said such a commission should be made up of parties directly concerned, and other states, presumably including Russia.

Under Vishinsky's proposal the commission would be established for a peaceful settlement of the Korean question and would be instructed to take immediate measures for settlement of the Korean question in a spirit of unification of Korea.

## BUT TEAM LOSES

### Richard Ties All-Time High Scoring Record

TORONTO (CP) — Maurice (Rocket) Richard tied the all-time high scoring record with two goals last night but his Montreal Canadiens dropped a 7-5 National Hockey League decision to Toronto Maple Leafs.

A partisan Toronto crowd of 14,000 gave the 31-year-old rightwinger a tremendous ovation as he scored his two goals within five minutes in the first period to equal the mark of 324 set by Neil Stewart.

Chicago moved into first place, a point ahead of the Canadiens, by defeating last-place Rangers 3-1 at New York.

Other scores: WHL—New Westminster 2, Edmonton 5; Tacoma 1, Seattle 4. OSHL—Kamloops 4, Kelowna 7. WIHL—Spokane 2, Nelson 10.

## Crooner's Wife Seriously Ill

HOLLYWOOD — Dixie Lee, wife of Bing Crosby and former movie actress, is considered seriously ill in hospital here and latest reports said she was in a coma. At her bedside are singer Bing Crosby and their four children, all boys.



FOR SALE—The Telegram, Toronto evening newspaper, is being offered for sale. All shares of the Toronto Telegram Publishing Company are being offered by the executors of the late publisher, George McCullagh, who died Aug. 5. Mr. McCullagh also published the Toronto Globe and Mail. He bought the Telegram Nov. 25, 1948, from the estate of the late John Ross Robertson who died in 1918. Purchase price of the paper, at that time in its 73rd year, was \$3,610,000. Originally published at 67 Yonge street, the paper moved to its present site at the corner of Bay and Melinda streets Feb. 28, 1899. (CP PHOTO)

## Power Project Next Year On St. Lawrence Seaway

**First Leg of \$750 Million Job Approved by Joint Commission**

By The Canadian Press

OTTAWA — The Canadian government looks for the start on construction of the St. Lawrence Seaway project next year, Transport Minister Chevrier said yesterday.

Mr. Chevrier was elated by the go ahead order given yesterday by the International Joint Commission in Montreal.

He made his prediction before the National Federation of Liberal Women at a luncheon.

The minister, who would be in charge of Canada's end of the huge development, expressed hope that the last major obstacle of naming the United States agency to join with the Ontario government in developing power would be overcome in time for the 1953 beginning.

Mr. Chevrier placed the overall cost of the hydro and navigation project at \$750,000,000.

## The WEATHERMAN Says

Synopsis  
A cold front has swept in from the Pacific and will reach the eastern boundaries by nightfall. It has cleared away the fog and smoke from the south coast and brought showers to nearly all localities.

The first snowflurry of the season was reported this morning from the Cariboo. Generally rising pressures now promise clearing weather with colder night temperatures.

Forecast  
Variable cloudiness with a few showers today mostly along the mainland. Sunny with cloudy intervals tomorrow. Colder. Wind westerly 15. Low tonight and high tomorrow at Port Hardy, Sandspit, and Prince Rupert, 36 and 50.

NEW HYTHE, England (CP) — A factory in this Kent town claims to have developed a method for making paper into a fireproof substance strong enough for the walls of a house.

## Love Viciousness

### Glasgow Razor Gangs Spread Terror

ALAN MacLURKIN (Reuters) — A razor blade of honor in the slums of Glasgow, Britain, kept its eyes cast down. Otherwise, someone with a razor might not like the look of him.

Scarcely a day passes without one or more pedestrians being attacked by knives or razors for no other reason than innocent catching the eye of a "tough."

Razor-slashing is equally a pastime among the hooligans of Glasgow, which has a population of 1,100,000. Sometimes, robbery is the motive but mostly there is no other reason than the thrill of brutality.

Until a short time ago the highlight of the Glasgow razor-man's year was the annual football match between the city's two great professional soccer teams, Glasgow Rangers and the Celts.

Almost as soon as the game started there would be panic as rival razor gangs clashed, beer bottles were broken and the jagged stems stabbed into the faces of those innocent bystanders unlucky enough to be in the way.

The meetings of the two clubs have been more peaceful since the authorities threatened that the games would be completely wiped from the sporting calendar.

Though the razor is still a weapon to be dreaded in Glasgow, organized gang warfare has declined in recent years.

The man most responsible is Sir Percy Sillitoe, now chief of M15, Britain's most famous branch of the secret service.

As chief constable of Glasgow before the war, his methods succeeded in cleaning up the big organized razor clique whose street battles made the nights hideous.

One of the biggest of these gangs was the "Tilly Boys," named after William of Orange, Protestant monarch who fought the Irish in the seventeenth century.

Other razor gangs made no pretence at having racial or religious origins. They extorted money from small shopkeepers, but the main reason for their existence was love of viciousness.

Unemployment in those days was largely blamed for Glasgow violence. Today there is little unemployment. But the slums still remain.

The stink and squalor of the Glasgow slums is almost unbelievable. There are tenements so filthy and beyond repair that landlords have abandoned them and do not bother to collect rent.

It is in these circumstances that the man with the scars on his face and the razor in his pocket is king.

## \$25 For Child Neglect

### Indians Return to Reserve Without Children

The couple's fishing boat in the harbor here last Friday living in squalid conditions.

The two were fined \$25 each by Magistrate W. D. Vance in police court yesterday after they pleaded guilty to a charge of neglect.

Prior to their appearance, two of the children were brought before the magistrate for identification and committed to the care of the welfare department until Nov. 14 when the case will be reviewed.

When the couple appeared in court, F. E. Anfield, Indian superintendent here, said his department had reviewed the case at some length and while the natives admitted they were at fault, he hoped the magistrate would not be too severe in meting out punishment.

On assurance from the couple that they would return to the Indian reserve, the magistrate said:

"I am letting you off easy and hope you will begin to live a better life."

It was disclosed in court on Tuesday that the three children, all under school age, were living in a cabin on the boat which was littered with garbage and filth.

Mr. Anfield told court the conditions existed as a result of drinking by the couple, who, he said, are not the parents of any of the children.

## Lash Coast

SHIPS, Nfld. (CP) — Ships around like matchboxes as sudden north gales raked the Canadian coast.

Qualities were reported when lost boats, and the trawler Newton floating derelict when it couldn't keep ahead.

Members were rescued by St. Nicholas, another American trawler fleet.