

Montreal Firemen Fight \$200,000 Blaze at Close Range



Firemen play ten streams on Montreal fire from short range despite possibility of explosion. Fifteen families were helped to safety from two-alarm fire in downtown district which swept through three buildings with damage estimated at \$200,000. Twenty-two other streams of water were played on flames from different angles to keep the fire from spreading. Restaurant and silk-manufacturing firms were demolished.

Counselors Lay Counter-Charges In Miemac Collision Hearing

HALIFAX, Dec. 4 (CP)—Whether at the previous hearing that the fatal July high-speed collision between the destroyer Miemac and the freighter Yarmouth County was caused by the latter's high speed or the merchantman's alleged "blatant" look-alike was argued here today as a Federal inquiry resumed hearings which will continue tomorrow.

Says Program Aided By Federal Pact

OTTAWA, Dec. 4 (CP)—Canada's great export commitments of food to Europe could not have been fulfilled without the post-war movement of farm labor under Dominion-Provincial agreements, Labor Minister Mitchell said today.

Prison Report Likely Monday

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4 (CP)—Commissioner John Strain, head of the B.C. Provincial Police, today stated that the 14 inmates who escaped from Oakalla Prison last Saturday night, four of whom still are at large, "took advantage" of the amnesty shown them and couldn't resist the chance to escape.

Death of Pile-Driver Workman Is Termed Accident at Inquest

A coroner's jury investigating the death of a pile-driver workman on Monday at John Dutton, 111 Ontario Street, a workman on a pile-driving crew, yesterday returned a verdict of accidental death.

Record Price Paid To Girl for Steer

KAMLOOPE, B.C., Dec. 4 (CP)—Nearly \$17,000 was poured into the raffleing crowd yesterday when a girl named Joan, 16 years old, sold her prize steer for a record price.

To View Sites Of Claimants

VANCOUVER, Dec. 4 (CP)—The cattle farmsteads of British Columbia's Fraser Valley will be viewed tomorrow by lawyers and a judge who, for the next year or more, will discuss Japanese-Canadian claims for property compensation from the Dominion Government.

MAGNATE DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 4 (AP)—Frederick McCormack, 50, wealthy publisher, died today, a short time after he was found with a gunshot wound in his right ear in his New York apartment.

Says Promises Not Fulfilled

OTTAWA, Dec. 4 (CP)—Dr. W. O. Blair, Progressive Conservative member of Parliament for Lantz, charged tonight that the Federal Government had "fallen miserably" in its promises made to the Canadian people for a national health plan and aid to the provinces.

Claim Tax Boosts And Ban "Unfair"

WINNIPEG, Dec. 4 (CP)—Winnipeg Automobile Dealers' Association in a statement released today condemned the Federal Government's increased motor vehicle taxes and the ban on American cars.

U.S. Tribunal Convicts Ten of Hitler's Jurists

MURKENSBERG, Dec. 4 (CP)—A United States military tribunal, concluding a unique case of justice, today convicted ten of Adolf Hitler's leading legal officials on war crimes charges. Four others were acquitted.

GAVE PEACE PRIZE, TOO

Wolfgang Motzenberg, a German military official, was sentenced to ten years in prison. He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1937.

SINUS PAIN

Relieved Fast This Easy Way! Put a few drops of Vicks Vapo-Rol on a handkerchief and breathe it in. It's the best relief for sinus pain.

Advertisement for Stanfield's Novasilk Lingerie. Features illustrations of women in elegant undergarments and a list of products including slips, vests, and panties with prices.

Advertisement for Scurrahs Gala Dresses. Features a large illustration of a woman in a black and white dress, with text describing the quality and variety of the garments.

Advertisement for 'Dance In The New Year' and 'Wishing Well'. Promotes a New Year's Eve frolic and a wishing well event.

Advertisement for J.W. Francis Diamond Merchants. Located at 1210 Douglas Street, they offer various diamond jewelry.

Advertisement for Red Brand Grade A Meats by Switzer's Quick Freeze Lockers Ltd. Lists various meat cuts and prices, including steaks, roasts, and extra specials.

Advertisement for Pertussin cough medicine. Claims to be a 'miraculous relief' for bad coughs and is available at all drug stores.

Advertisement for a Monitor De Luxe Vacuum Cleaner. Priced at \$99.50, it is promoted as a 'must-have' for home cleaning.

Advertisement for Heaney's Out-Door Storage. Offers supervised outside space for equipment and vehicles, with no inside protection required.

Large advertisement for Trans-Canada Air Lines. Features the slogan 'Fly TCA and Enjoy...' and lists destinations like Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, and New York.