Missionary Saved From Arctic Dies

WINNIPEG, Dec. 9.—(CP)—Death ended the saga of Canon John Hudspith Turner today.

The Anglican missionary, whose evacuation from an Arctic sick bed, November 22, became one of the storied exploits of Army-Air Force rescue operations, died in hospital here at 6:30 a.m. Dr. H. M. Speechly, medical representative of the Anglican Church, announced the death.

It took death to balk the English-born Canon's determination to return to his mission at lonely Moffet Inlet, where he was accidentally wounded by a bullet September 24. Polar blizzards for seven weeks balked efforts to evacuate him south from the Arctic diocese.

The eventual evacuation—by an RCAF Dakota aircraft piloted by FO Bob Race of Edmonton—came after the long Arctic night had shrouded the mission 400 miles inside the Arctic Circle in a wintry twilight of storms, fogs and wailing winds.

The bullet, which pierced his brain causing a skull fracture, subsequent meningitis, paralysis and other complications, was accidentally discharged when he was returning from a seal-hunting expedition.

Since 1929, save for two furloughs in England, he had spent all his time in the shadow of the North Pole.

Naval Moves Announced

Lt.-Cmdr. John C. O'Brien, 29, of Victoria, B.C., commanding officer of the destroyer HMCS Crescent, has been appointed officer-in-charge of the communications school at HMCS Stadacona, Halifax.

A series of appointments announced by the navy also included Lt.-Cmdr. John A. Charles, 29, Rouleau, Sask., who will become commanding officer of the Crescent.

He will be succeeded as communications officer, to naval member of Canadian joint staff in Washington by Lt.-Cmdr. Michael G. Stirling, 32, of Halifax.

Race Results at Bay Meadows

FIRST RACE—six furlongs:
Madrin (Lazzitt) $65, $16, $10.90.
Atom Ray (Fields) $4.40, $4.30.
Sana Sinuf (Bierman) $9.80.
Time, 1:12. Scratched: Warihar, Gay Challenge, Bar Maid, Attagal.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Ten Above (Weatherington) $44.40, $10.70, $6.20.
Boneva M (Bailey) $4.10, $3.80.
Lady Mirvich (Fosse) $22.
Time, 1:12 3-5. Scratched: Watchforme, Nine Bravo, Top Charge.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Forgotten Alley (Bierman) $7.80, $3.40, $4.80.
Great Wall (Robertson) $10.80, $4.80.
Palmera T (Marten) $7.20.
Time, 1:44 4-5. Scratched: Sir Drake, Alihikaua, Grim Magic, Super Dauber.

FOURTH RACE—
Navy Bomber, $3.60, $2.80.
Hero Devil, $6.90, $3.60.
Wise Rebus, $3.40.

FIFTH RACE—One mile:
Black Chip (Bierman) $24.30, $9.10, $4.90.
Short Fire (Pederson) $14.40, $6.60.
Night Tour (Litzenberg) $3.50.
Time: 1:40. Scratched: None.

SIXTH RACE—One mile:
Picolee (Litzenberg) $22.60, $8.30, $4.90.
Capt. Absolute (Bierman) $4.30, $2.90.
Sun Ireland (Longden) $3.20.
Time: 1:38 4-5. Scratched: Remney, Bala Fria.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and three-sixteenths:
Philadelphia (Ranum) $29, $18.10, $16.40.
Riverworth (Robertson) $9.70, $7.50.
Stepsoma (Ralls) $13.10.
Time: 2:00 3-5. Scratched: Country, Darnoc, Count Gay, Chancy.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-half:
Rose Tidings (Litzenberg) $11.90, $6.20, $3.50.
Brack (Volzke) $4.50, $3.20.
Brokers Call (Robertson) $4.20.
Time: 2:35 2-5. Scratched: None.

Three Japanese Ask Gov't for $13,000

Former Vancouver Gardener Wants $7990 for Greenhouse

KAMLOOPS, Dec. 9—(CP) — Three Japanese Canadians Monday asked the federal government to make restitution of more than $13,000 which they claimed is owing them from property sold by the government during the Second World War.

The three claims are only a small start on the 3000 expected to be dealt with by the Japanese Property Claims Commission, set up by the federal government with Mr. Justice Henry I. Bird of the British Columbia Court of Appeals as the one-man royal commission.

The three claimants—a widow, a former hot-house owner and a former small fruit farmer—were among the many thousands of Canada's Japanese forcibly evacuated from West Coast "protected areas" during the war.

More than 1400 already have filed complaints against the federal government.

Largest claim heard came from Haruo Ichikawa, former Vancouver hothouse owner and now living at East Lillooet. He asked $7990 for the greenhouse which the Custodian of Enemy Property had disposed of for $2669, all he received.

The smallest claim was from Yoshinobu Inouye, truck farmer from Mission City, who received $741 from the Custodian of Enemy Property for his 11-acre farm which he valued at $2500. He also wanted to be reimbursed for tools and equipment—and four colonies of bees—which he valued at $600.

The widow, Mrs. Ita Imada, said her small farm which she valued at $7935 brought $3058 when sold by the Custodian of Enemy Property.

Doctor's Car Looted of Drugs in Bag

Theft of a doctor's bag containing drugs from a parked car at St. Paul's Hospital has occurred for the second time in as many days.

Dr. B. T. H. Martlensson, 2615 Point Grey Road, told police that someone forced entry into his car through the left no-draft window, between 2 and 3 p.m. Monday.

His black doctor's bag containing a part-tube of morphine and a part-tube of heroin was taken.

Earlier Monday Dr. I. S. Kaleal, 2695 West Fifth reported that his car was broken into while parked at St. Paul's Hospital and his bag containing a quantity of drugs stolen.

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4—In your opinion, does the farmer get more contentment and pleasure out of life than the city dweller? YES ___ NO ___

5—In your opinion, should college beauty contests be abolished? YES ___ NO ___

6—Were "the good old days" really so good? YES ___ NO ___

7—In your opinion, must a man be tall to qualify as "handsome"? YES ___ NO ___

8—Do you believe the partition of Palestine between Arabs and Jews is a workable solution? YES ___ NO ___

9—It is said that Germany and Japan can become independent of outside support only by selling export goods. Will Canadians buy their products? YES ___ NO ___

10—Do you believe in letting it be known what you want for Christmas, rather than being surprised? YES ___ NO ___

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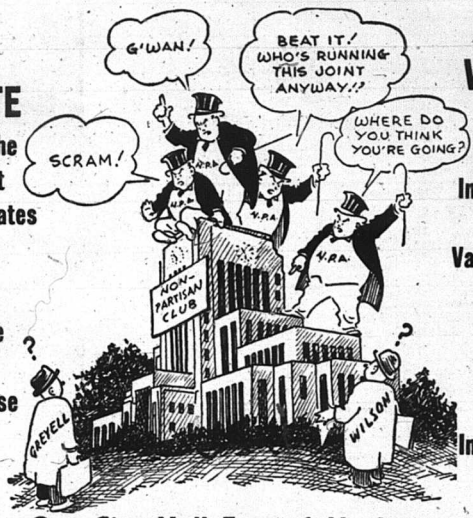

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