

SCHOOL HASSLE

Arthur Promises Statement On Accommodation Dispute

By STAN JOSEY
Carleton Board of Education chairman C. Douglas Arthur will make a public statement Monday on his board's position in current accommodation discussions with the Ottawa Board of Education.

boards, some accommodation questions have been settled, but the committees are deadlocked on the question of transferring a whole school from Ottawa to the Carleton Board's jurisdiction. Mr. Arthur's committee has offered to continue to buy education from Ottawa for about 1,700 French and English students from the county now attending city schools.

development of bilingual French-language high schools in the southeast part of Ottawa and the eastern section of Carleton County.

In exchange for this co-operation, the Carleton board feels the Ottawa board should transfer Sir John A. Macdonald High School to their jurisdiction to take care of expected secondary school population growth in Nepean over the next few years.

Ottawa board chairman A. Kenson Boucher says the Ottawa board won't even consider selling a school but will provide an extra 1,000 places for Nepean students spread over several high schools.

Both boards are now under a certain amount of pressure from the provincial education department to solve the problems revolving around an excess of secondary school accommodation in Ottawa.

Board sources say amalgamation of the two national capital area boards is a strong possibility if they cannot work out their common accommodation problems.

The education minister is studying the situation at present and could step in and arbitrate the dispute if agreement cannot be reached.

Day of Joy Crash

Two Men Jailed Three Months After Yule-Time Fatalities

Sentences of three months in jail were imposed today on two men who caused a fatal collision on the Queensway last Christmas Day.

In passing sentence, county Judge Keith Flanigan said that on that day of joy, the pair took an instrument of pleasure and made it one of death, snuffing out the lives of two young parents and orphaning their children.

Claude Bergeron, 34, of 263 Berri Street, Hull, had pleaded guilty to dangerous driving. Jean Guy Clavelle, 22, of 122 Primrose Avenue was found guilty of that same criminal charge by a jury.

Evidence presented at their trial showed the two men, in company with eight other people, set out along the Queensway from centre town to Britannia after a Christmas party.

Bergeron drove his car at 115 miles an hour. When he tried to slow down to exit at Richmond Road, Clavelle, sitting in the passenger's seat, leaned down and pressed the gas pedal to the floor with his hand.

The car went out of control and travelled 900 feet, hitting a guard rail before splitting open against a light standard.

Passengers Eugene Riopelle, 32, and his wife Jacqueline, 30, were killed in the crash.

Judge Flanigan said no sentence he could have imposed would be any more punishing than the memory the two men must now live with.

In addition to the three months the men will spend in jail, each has been prohibited from driving for the maximum period of three years.

Do-It-Yourself Test For Pregnancy Approved

By JEFF CARRUTHERS
The first do-it-yourself pregnancy test has been approved for sale in Canada by the food and drug directorate (FDD), a health department official said today.

Confidelle, a product of Denver Laboratories (Canada) Ltd., will likely go on sale this week, the official said. The home kit will cost \$5.50.

The manufacturer claims the test is 96 per cent accurate and will detect a pregnancy four to five days after a woman has missed a menstrual period.

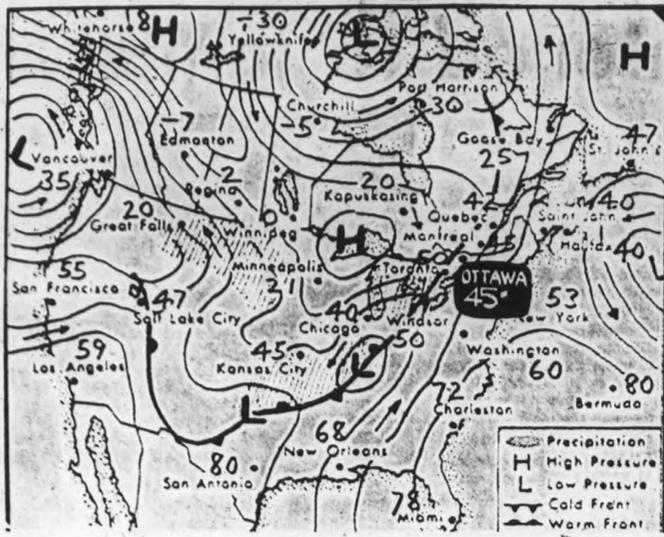
The test, according to the FDD, is not intended to replace a visit to a physician. Perhaps, the official said, the home test will encourage earlier visits to the doctor's office.

To date, women have had to go either to a doctor or to special pharmacies to have pregnancy tests done.

A second do-it-yourself pregnancy test kit is being evaluated by the FDD and will likely be on the market in several weeks.

Stainless steel contains six or more per cent nickel.

WEATHER



Weather Forecast:

Ottawa and Montreal: Periods of rain today and Saturday. High both days near 40; low tonight in the low 30s.

Toronto: Saturday cloudy, with periods of light drizzle or rain.

TEMPERATURES

Low last night and high Thursday at Dawson -30, -15; Vancouver 33, 39; Calgary -10, 4; Regina -12, 3; Winnipeg -9, 14; Thunder Bay -7, 21; North Bay 34, 35; Toronto 43, 47; Kingston 41, 42; Ottawa 31, 36; Montreal 29, 36; Saint John 21, 30; Halifax 30, 37; Chicago 42, 50; New York 46, 46; Washington 32, 44; Miami 71, 76; New Orleans 49, 72; St. Louis 58, 61; Tucson 56, 73; Los Angeles 50, 65.



'Swiss Krupp' Convicted In Arms Case

LAUSANNE (AP) — Dr. Dieter Buehrle, 49, multi-millionaire head of Switzerland's largest arms making company, and five of his company's officials were convicted by the Supreme Court today of illegally exporting large quantities of war material to international crisis spots. The biggest shipments went to South Africa, Israel and Egypt.

The 49-year-old Buehrle, sometimes dubbed the "Swiss Krupp," was sentenced to a suspended term of eight months in prison, and a fine of \$4,000. Gabriel Lebedinsky, 46, chief of the arms sales division and a personal friend of Buehrle, received an 18-month sentence. The four others, also employed by Werkzeuggmaschinenfabrik Oerlikon Buehrle A.G., Zurich, drew terms ranging from 16 months to a suspended three-week sentence.

Buehrle was found guilty of violating a 1949 government decree under which embargos are imposed on arms deliveries to countries at war or threatened by conflict.

'Cockpit Chitchat Not Normal'

TORONTO (CP)—A federal inquiry was told today that a stream of cockpit chitchat between the pilot and co-pilot of an Air Canada jetliner that preceded the crash of the aircraft July 5 was not normal operating procedure.

Allan Clark, a transport department operations specialist, was testifying at an inquiry into the crash.

Mr. Clark was interpreting the technical terms picked up in the cockpit by the jetliner's flight recorder.

A transcript of what was said by Captain Peter Hamilton, the pilot; Co-pilot Donald Rowland and Second Officer Harry Hill was read into the evidence at the inquiry Thursday.

According to the transcript, Captain Hamilton and First Officer Rowland talked about such things as the weather, the high cost of living in Toronto, apartment buildings and the scenery, in addition to pre-landing matters.

WORLD'S LARGEST The population of Tokyo—the world's largest city—reached 11,547,139 on Oct. 1.

Police Issue Warning

Post Office Thefts Mean Thieves Can 'Print Own Money'

By PHIL MEERE

Thieves have come up with "something as good as printing their own money," Ottawa police reported today, following theft of a money order machine.

The theft was discovered Thursday morning at the suburb station at 246 Sparks Street, where only a month ago thieves stole 100 new money order forms.

The thieves removed the lock from the front door to the office and then bored their way into a safe containing the machine, said Det. Jim Bickford.

Missing from a cash box was \$30 in cash and \$1,500 in stamps.

An attempt was also made to enter Aikens Printing, next door.

Police fear that the machine, blank forms and "other thefts of this sort across the country," will give criminals "carte blanche" to print money orders up to \$200 each.

The blank forms bore serial numbers 023799201 to 023799300.

Merchants and others seeing these numbers are asked to call police immediately.

Post office investigators said the new forms, issued in October, have a written-in maximum value "not to exceed \$200."

Five thefts, amounting to 1,400 of the new forms, have now been reported across Canada.

The forms have a potential forged value of \$280,000.

From Page One Old-Age

There was no indication about the amount of the increase in the supplemental benefit.

The government said only it would become effective April 1, 1971.

The notice, given to the House today, also said the new legislation would "allow a supplement to be paid to any pensioner without restrictions as to the date of his birth."

A health department spokesman said the import of this clause would become clear when the government tables its long-awaited white paper on social security later this month.

Though there was no confirmation, it would appear the government intends to pay a supplemental benefit to any retired Canadian who proves need, regardless of whether he has reached the age of 65, which is now the mandatory age for qualification under the Old Age Security Act.

It would appear, for example, that a person who retires at, say, age 52 or 53, could if he proved need, receive the supplementary benefit.

The notice given by Mr. Munro also said legislation would provide for an increase in the cost-of-living-bonus now paid on the old pension supplement. The maximum is now two per cent per year.

Fire Family Finds Santa Claus Real

Mrs. Jean Pacquette and her six children have more than one Santa Claus.

Wednesday, a fire on the second floor of the family's home at 2918 Houghton Street in Britannia destroyed clothing, bedding and all the toys set aside for Christmas.

With only a welfare cheque to depend upon and no insurance to cover her loss, Mrs. Pacquette was dejected.

Yesterday, Richard Zadov, principal of Grant Public School, learned of the fire from one of the Pacquette children.

With the co-operation of Ottawa Neighborhood Services, he arranged to get the children several good outfits apiece and to provide Mrs. Pacquette with two double beds and a dresser.

Teachers at the school have contributed canned goods.

The Union of People organization is arranging for Christmas toys. And the Christmas Exchange has provided for turkey with a food voucher redeemable in a local grocery chain.

This evening, Mrs. Pacquette will get further aid from the Kinsmen Club of Ottawa. It is arranging to provide about \$100 worth of needed supplies from Ottawa Neighborhood Services.

Arts Student Named to U of O Governing Board

A 22-year-old arts student will represent undergraduates on University of Ottawa's board of governors.

Fernand Carriere topped the polls with 259 votes in an election held Thursday.

It was termed a light vote, with only 649 students casting ballots. A total of 5,787 were eligible.

Unsuccessful candidates for the single undergraduate seat were Pierre Paul Cormier, Lyle Burwell and Raymond Bernier.

Earlier, Robert Pharand was acclaimed to the single graduate student seat on the board.

The university's professors were today electing their two representatives on the board. Students and professors were recently granted representation on the board of governors and the university senate following a lengthy study of university government by both bodies.

MARKET BLAZE

Chapter of History Destroyed in Fire

A \$50,000 repair bill, future National Capital Commission plans and a chapter of Ottawa history went up in flames with destruction of the Chateau Cheese Building Thursday night.

"We can't put a dollar value on the loss yet," said D. F. MacLellan, NCC property section manager. "Only the land had any value."

The four-storey building, constructed in 1876, stood on property worth \$500,000, stretching from 10 York Street, location of Lawrence Awning, to 26-30 York Street, location of Dominion House Hotel.

The NCC bought the land and buildings in 1962 as part of the Mile of History plans for the Sussex Drive area.

The commission had conducted "selective demolition" of the building and the electrical wiring and heating system had recently been renewed. An NCC spokesman said \$50,000 had been spent in preparing it for a new role.

Dominion House Hotel, two doors down, was to occupy part of the renovated building.

The NCC said it was planning to call tenders for an extensive renovation in the near future. The building at 18 York Street was built originally by Institut Canadien-Francais d'Ottawa, a social-cultural organization.

Fire gutted the building in 1887 and the institute relocated. In 1890, pork packer G. Matthews rebuilt the interior, and

the building was later acquired by C. H. Labarge and Jos. Moynour who used the premises to manufacture processed cheese.

The Chateau Cheese Co. was founded in 1926, later to become Chateau Cheese Div. of Borden Co. (See Story Page 3).

\$1.3 Million Libel Suit Launched

A Montreal newspaper is being sued by two Hull men for a total of \$1.3 million over an article about the sale of four apartment buildings to the city of Hull.

Businessman Maurice Marois, who is selling the buildings, to the city, is claiming \$800,000 from the Journal de Montreal and reporter Andre Dalcourt.

The other suit, for \$500,000, has been filed by lawyer Marcel Beaudry.

Both men claim they were libelled in an Aug. 28 article entitled "\$250,000 Fraud in Hull?"

The sale of the buildings has been criticized by both the Parti Quebecois and the Hull Island General Assembly. Mr. Marois wants \$200,000 for damages to his personal reputation, \$400,000 for damages to his business reputation and \$200,000 for personal humiliation, suffering and embarrassment.

Mr. Beaudry is claiming \$150,000 for damages to his personal reputation, \$200,000 for damages to his professional reputation and \$150,000 for personal humiliation, suffering and embarrassment.

The suits were filed Thursday and the newspaper and its reporter have 10 days to reply.

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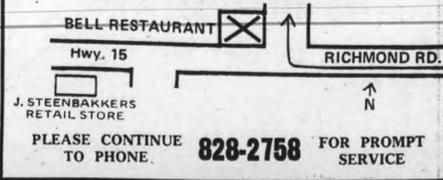
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