

# War Effort, Legislation Combine With Holiday In Unique Celebration

### Federal Budget Terms, Insurance Law Enter Effective Stage July 1

### TRAVEL IS HEAVY

Thousands of citizens will desert the heat-laden atmosphere of Toronto for the cool of forest glen and water's edge as Canada on Tuesday observes Dominion Day. Practically all business concerns, save war industries, will close for the day.

The seventy-fourth anniversary of Confederation, taking place in the second year of World War II, bids well to share honors with 1867 when the Fathers of Confederation found agreement in a united Canada. Important legislation affecting the lives and well-being of Canadians automatically became effective on Dominion Day. Canada's war effort takes on a new phase as the first 25-pounder guns and cartridges ever produced in this country are formally dedicated at Sorel, Que., to the cause of victory.

To the thousands seeking diversion at amusement centers, the day will acquaint them with the 20 per cent amusement tax. It was levied on admission tickets to theatres when the Budget was brought down in April, and extends to all other forms of amusement on Tuesday.

Taxes increased.

The inauguration of Canada's first national unemployment insurance scheme also takes place. It is estimated that 80 per cent of the wage earners throughout the land will come under the plan. Likewise national defense tax increases become effective and those who have been paying 2 per cent of their income will pay 5 per cent henceforth, and those now paying 3 per cent will pay 7 per cent.

While the new tax goes into effect on incomes payable July 1 or after, it is retroactive to the extent that it affects the entire period covered by the pay in question. For example, an individual receiving two weeks' pay July 1, is taxed at the new rate for that period.

All courts and government offices will be closed. Postoffice officials said there will not be letter-carrier service, but air mail and special delivery mail will be despatched as usual. Postoffice lobbies will remain open until 6 a.m., but tickets will only be open for two hours.

Patrons of Trans-Canada Air Lines flying over their regular and routine routes will be presented with a miniature silk Canadian ensign to mark Dominion Day. It was announced by officials that a record passenger service, it is estimated that 400 individual meals will be served on planes of the T.C.A.

Steamship lines, railroads, and bus lines will operate added services to accommodate the traffic.

Lake Water Cold.

Monday brought thousands of people to the lake shores, but the water's formidable temperature of 55 degrees kept all but the cold water addicts ashore. It is expected the water will be warmer on Dominion Day. A warning was issued to bathers that the water is still bracingly cold.

Eight cases of lacinated feet were treated within half an hour by one station yesterday.

Ontario Provincial Police stated they expected "a big day" and all leaves have been cancelled. Traffic officers will be on duty twenty-four hours to handle the anticipated heavy motor traffic. Similarly Toronto police will be prepared to cope with holiday problems in the city.

Short fans may see a double-header at Maple Leaf Stadium when Rochester plays Toronto. Sand lots will not be without their district neighborhood baseball battlers. Racing fans will flock to Hamilton to see home 391 Weston race. Yachting enthusiasts are left to their own devices by the weather, who states there will be sufficient breeze to fill the sails, but added there are prospects of changing conditions that means squalls. Canoeists will likewise govern themselves accordingly.

### Reduces Sentence Of Strike Picket

Although upholding the conviction, Appellate Court at Osgoode Hall yesterday reduced the sentence of Harold Vern Sage, strike picket, from 18 months to 12 months. Sage, who was convicted in London of carrying an offensive weapon—a piece of iron pipe—had already served six days.

The conviction was appealed by Major Lester of London, and supported by C. L. Snyder, K.C., Deputy Attorney-General.

Chief Justice Robertson expressed the opinion that, in view of Sage's good character and other circumstances, the penalty was too severe. His opinion was upheld by Mr. Justice Maclennan and Mr. Justice Gilders.

### C.N.E. TO HONOR YOUTH LEADERS

Ask Municipal Officers to Select Fair Guests

PLAN LUNCHEONS

A new feature at this year's Canadian National Exhibition will be the "Recognition Luncheon" to be held on Children's Day, Monday, Aug. 25, on the private balcony of the Women's Building, at which children from various Ontario municipalities will be invited to participate. Guests of this particular luncheon will be high school students, one of whom will be selected from each of a large number of Ontario schools by the authorities of each school as being particularly outstanding in leadership. It is emphasized that these students need not necessarily be members of the graduating year, and each will be accompanied by a member of the school board of his or her municipality. This year the luncheon will also be held on the Private Balcony of the Women's Building.

### 2 NURSES HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Thomas McBrien, Third Street, New Toronto, was charged with careless driving after a collision at Dundas Street and University Avenue late last night. Two nurses, Marion Swalm, 22, on the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto, and Irene Wright, 21, of the Western Hospital, received lacerations and bruises when they were thrown from the McBrien car, in which they were passengers. The car was in collision with a car driven by Mrs. Herbert Ferguson of Montreal.

The impact of the collision sent both cars hurtling over the south-west curb of the intersection, a McBrien auto ending up against a hydrant pole. When the cars met, the doors in the McBrien auto burst open and the two nurses were thrown to the pavement amid splintered glass. They were given first aid at the police station.

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### David Boyd, 59, Dies At Memorial Service

Stricken while attending a memorial service of the Sons and Daughters of Ireland Sunday afternoon, David Boyd, 59, of 220 Silverthorn Avenue, died suddenly. He was born in Ireland, coming to Canada thirty-five years ago.

Mr. Boyd was a veteran of the first Great War. He was a past master of the Grand Lodge, L.O.J., a member of the Royal Black Preceptor and the Western District Scarlet Chapter, and past grand president of the Sons and Daughters of Ireland.

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### Mrs. H. W. Vinton Funeral Held to Zion Hill Cemetery

Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. H. W. Vinton, for twenty-two years a resident of the Howard Park district, from Milton's Chapel, Dundas. Burial took place in Zion Hill Cemetery. An active member of Howard Park United Church and the women's society, she was a life member of the Women's Missionary Society. Surviving are two sons, N. R. Vinton of Toronto and W. Vere Vinton of Copetown, and two daughters, Mrs. A. H. McCormick of Midland Springs, Ont., and Mrs. Harold T. Woodley of Calgary, and one brother, William Waugh of Hamilton.

### ALEXANDER CRAWFORD HUNTER

Alexander Crawford Hunter, 52, engineer with Canada Packers Ltd., died yesterday. He had been ill for some time. Born in Scotland, he came to Toronto in 1885. He was a member of the Masonic Order and the Royal Canadian Legion. Surviving are his widow, Mary Hunter, and two daughters, Mrs. W. A. Hunter and Mrs. J. A. Hunter, both of Toronto.

# Torch of Victory Crosses Atlantic



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### Other Local News

Alexander Sheehan, 56, of 290 Bathurst Street, was taken to Toronto General Hospital with an injured knee last night after he was in collision with a car on Richmond Street, near John Street. Police said he was struck by a car driven by Stanley G. Simpson of Syrington Avenue.

### Husband, Wife Die in Six Hours

Death struck twice within a few hours yesterday at the Monkman home, 433 Kensington Avenue. Mrs. Elizabeth M. Fletcher, Monkman died at noon and her husband, William Jay Monkman, six hours later. Mr. Monkman had been ill for some months and Mrs. Monkman was stricken with a heart attack a few days ago. Both were born near Paisley, Bruce County, and had lived in Toronto for the past twenty years. Surviving is one daughter, Robina Monkman.

### Phone, Hydro Are Disrupted By Windstorm

Telephone and Hydro services in the Stratford and Uxbridge districts were put out of commission for a short time last night as the result of a terrific windstorm, accompanied by torrential downpours.

### George Vale Describes Building Owners' Meet

Impressions of the convention last week of the National Association of Building Owners and Managers in Chicago were given yesterday by George S. Vale, of the Trust and Guarantee Company, speaking before the Ontario body at the King Edward Hotel. Mr. Vale was elected a regional vice-president for Canada at the convention.

### Marriage of 1,364 Couples Sets June Record Here

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# Traffic Deaths, Injuries Snow Toronto Increase

There were four more traffic fatalities and 108 more traffic injuries in Toronto in the first six months of this year than in the corresponding period last year, according to the statistics of Traffic Inspector Edward Dunn. This year forty-three people have died as the result of traffic accidents and 1,658 have been injured.

### Yacht Rescues 2 As Boat Capsizes

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### Native of Jersey, Mrs. A. G. Baird Dies

Mrs. Eva M. Canu Baird, wife of A. G. Baird, West End contractor, died yesterday at the Toronto Western Hospital following two months' illness. She lived at 286 Lisgar Street.

### WOMAN CYCLIST INJURED

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# LEGION INVASION TO STRESS UNITY OF CANADA-U.S.

### Corps Prepares Joint July 4 Fete; Expect 15,000 to Meet Here

### TENDER RECEPTION

Across the Invisible Border Line, eloquent symbol of more than 125 years of peaceful relations between Canada and the United States, a vast army of American Legionnaires will sweep into the Dominion this week for a "good-will" invasion of Toronto on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

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