

and Canada signed pact pledging co-operation in the peaceful uses of atomic energy. *July 9*, Canadian Brotherhood of Railway, Transport and General Workers was declared by the Canadian Labour Relations Board the bargaining agent of a system-wide unit of operating and maintenance employees of the St. Lawrence Seaway Authority. *July 15-29*, A Canadian delegation, headed by the Hon. George Drew, attended the Commonwealth Education Conference in Oxford, England, implementing the program proposed by Canada at the Commonwealth Economic Conference held at Montreal in September 1958. *July 17*, The Canadian Government announced the creation of an Emergency Measures Organization to function in the event of a sudden nuclear war. *July 18*, The Canadian Government announced the creation of a five-man National Energy Board which will have wide powers over the oil and natural gas industries and international electric power connections. *July 22*, Official opening of the Queen Elizabeth Power Generating Station (Saskatchewan Power Corporation) at Saskatoon by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth. *Aug. 1*,

The Federal Cabinet met in Halifax, N.S., to bid farewell to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip who left by air for London, England. *Aug. 6*, Watson Seller, Auditor-General of Canada since 1940, retired. *Aug. 17*, Northern Affairs Minister Alvin Hamilton announced the discovery of oil at Eagle Plain, Yukon Territory—the first such discovery in the Yukon. *Sept. 7*, Death of Maurice Duplessis, Premier of Quebec Province for the past 18 years, at Schefferville, Que. *Sept. 9*, Announcement that Canada's first large nuclear power station will be built on the shores of Lake Huron, nine miles north of Kincardine at an estimated cost of \$60,000,000. *Sept. 10*, The Hon. Paul Sauvé chosen to succeed the late Maurice Duplessis as Premier of the Province of Quebec. *Sept. 13*, Two-hundredth anniversary of the battle of the Plains of Abraham. *Sept. 15*, Major-General George P. Vanier, D.S.O., M.C., C.D., appointed Governor General of Canada to succeed the Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey; investiture took place in the Senate. *Oct. 1*, Federal-Provincial Hospital Plan went into effect in Prince Edward Island.