

McDivitt and White in space flight; during the third circuit of the earth Major White left the spacecraft for 20 minutes. *June 8*, Hon. J. Wesley Stambaugh of Alberta announced his retirement from the Senate, the first retirement under legislation assented to June 2. *June 10*, Prime Minister Lal Bahadur Shastri of India arrived in Ottawa for a five-day visit. Bill Crothers of Canada defeated world champion Peter Snell of New Zealand in the half-mile race at Toronto Varsity Stadium; Snell's world record time stands. *June 14*, Presentation in London, Eng., of the Patron's (H.M. Queen Elizabeth) Medal of the Royal Geographical Society to Dr. Ernest Frederick Roots of Ottawa for his work in polar exploration and research. *June 15*, Canadian and U.S. lawyers joined British judges and legal leaders in London in homage to the 750-year-old Magna Carta. Official groundbreaking ceremony for Canadian Government pavilion at Expo 67 took place in Montreal. *June 16*, Dr. Wilder G. Penfield honoured by the Canadian Medical Association with its highest award, the Frederick Newton Gisborne Starr Award, known as the "Victoria Cross" of Canadian medicine. *June 17-25*, The 14th Conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers held in London, Eng. *June 21*, Announcement of Federal Government pledge of \$4,000,000 to the UN to help alleviate its financial difficulties. *June 23*, Arnold Smith, Assistant Deputy Minister of External Affairs, unanimously chosen first Secretary-General of the newly formed Commonwealth Secretariat. Arrival of H.M. Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, in Toronto for a five-day private visit. William E. Grant, former Yukon Indian agency superintendent, convicted on charges of making false returns to the federal Indian Affairs Branch; he was commended by the presiding judge for risking his career to carry out projects he considered necessary by appropriating relief funds at his disposal for the benefit of the Indians. *June 26*, Whistling Sea, a Calgary-bred three-year-old colt owned by Paul Olivier won the Queen's Plate. *June 28*, Formal inauguration of commercial telephone service over the U.S.-launched Early Bird satellite between Canada and Britain, by conversation between External Affairs Minister Martin and British Secretary for Commonwealth Relations Arthur Bottomley. Agreement reached by Federal, Quebec and Ontario Agriculture Ministers at federal-provincial meeting regarding special aid to farmers in the Ottawa Valley which suffered severe drought. *June 29*, Report of the Dorion Royal Commission inquiring into allegations of improper inducements and pressures on counsel acting for the extradition of Lucien Rivard tabled in the House of Commons. Death of Grant McConachie, President of CPA. *June 30*, Robert Harris' oil painting depicting the Quebec Conference of 1864 to be restored by artist Rex Woods of Toronto and presented to the nation by the Confederation Life Association before July 1, 1967. Controversy regarding statement in Dorion Report that Prime Minister Pearson was informed Sept. 2 by Justice Minister Favreau of the involvement of Guy Rouleau, M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Prime Minister, in the Lucien Rivard affair. Guy Rouleau resigned effective July 31; André Letendre, Executive Assistant to the Minister of Justice, discharged, and Hon. Guy Favreau resigned as Minister of Justice following tabling of the Report.

July: *July 1*, Canada Labour Code for all Federal Government employees came into effect. *July 1-2*, Separatist demonstrations in Montreal and Sherbrooke resulted in arrest of 55 persons. *July 5*, Wolfe Monument, destroyed presumably by separatists on the historic Plains of Abraham in 1963, being restored; completed monument will bear inscriptions in both English and French. *July 6-8*, Most of Montreal's 850 service stations closed as a result of strike by the Gasoline Retailers Fraternity of Quebec against the oil companies, demanding greater profit margins. *July 8*, The Heenev

Committee, after two years of study, recommended that collective bargaining, conciliation and arbitration for the Civil Service be placed in the hands of an independent Public Service Staff Relations Board; and that the Civil Service be reclassified into six major occupational groups and incentive pay provided; the principle of these proposals was approved by the Government. Agreement reached by the Federal and Quebec Governments that the province will provide all normal municipal services previously provided by the Federal Government to the Eskimo community of Great Whale River, thus setting a pattern to be followed for other Eskimo communities in Arctic Quebec. A CPA aircraft crashed en route from Vancouver to Prince George, killing all 52 persons on board; after investigation, cause declared unknown. *July 10*, Report of Saskatchewan Royal Commission on Taxation urged the province to assume education and health and welfare costs and recommended against continued use of property taxes for such financing. *July 12*, J. C. Gilmer of Vancouver named President of Canadian Pacific Airlines, succeeding the late Grant McConachie. A special report on Canada-United States relations, prepared by Arnold D. P. Heenev, former Canadian Ambassador to Washington, and Livingston Merchant, former U.S. Ambassador to Ottawa, at the request of Prime Minister Pearson and President Johnson, suggested that Canada avoid public disagreement with the U.S. on critical world issues where this country has no special interests or obligations, and recommended deeper consultation between the two governments. Death of Mrs. Irene Parlbv, age 97, at Red Deer, Alta., Minister without Portfolio in the Alberta Government in 1921; she was the first woman to hold cabinet minister rank in the Commonwealth and the last surviving member of the "Famous Five" who fought to gain the right for women to sit in the Canadian Senate. *July 14*, Governor General Vanier to continue in office for an indefinite period, following confirmation of his reappointment by H.M. Queen Elizabeth. Raymond Denis, former Executive Assistant to the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration, charged with attempts at bribery and obstruction of justice in the Lucien Rivard affair. Death of Adlai E. Stevenson, U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, in London, Eng. The first pictures of the planet Mars transmitted to earth by the U.S. satellite *Mariner IV*. *July 15*, Earl Mountbatten of Burma retired after nearly 50 years in British military service. *July 16*, The Federal Government announced plans to place a \$215,000,000-order for the *Northrop CF-5*, a multi-purpose aircraft carrying conventional weapons only. Lucien Rivard recaptured near Montreal. *July 19-22*, Federal-Provincial Conference of Premiers in Ottawa, attended for the first time by representatives of the Yukon Territory and the Northwest Territories; national health insurance, economic growth and off-shore mineral rights were the primary topics of discussion. *July 21*, Announcement by the Federal, Ontario and Quebec Governments of subsidies totalling \$20,000,000 to drought-stricken farm areas in the two provinces. *July 22*, The Ontario Court of Appeal reversed an earlier decision which denied Canadian citizenship to Ernest and Cornelia Bergsma, formerly of the Netherlands, because they were atheists; citizenship granted Oct. 4. Sir Alec Douglas-Home, leader of the Conservative Party in the British House of Commons, resigned as party leader; succeeded by Edward Heath, *July 28*. Lucien Rivard extradited to the United States to face narcotics charges. *July 22-Aug. 7*, Strike of postal employees involving nearly 10,000 workers in more than 68 centres in Quebec. Ontario and British Columbia against pay increases they considered inadequate. (July 21-23, Decision to appoint an independent Commissioner made by Cabinet Committee set up to review situation; Judge J. C. Anderson of Belleville, Ont., appointed. *July 22*, Postal workers left jobs. *July 27-Aug. 3*, Agreement reached with strike