

MacKinnon - Smith Nuptials

The marriage of Anna Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. MacKinnon, Charlottetown, took place on Saturday, June 29th, at seven o'clock in St. Bonaventure's Church, Tracadie Cross.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a new service may be inserted here and will be strictly paid in advance.

CAVENDISH UNITED CHURCH

Public Worship Sunday, July 21-11 a. m. Stanley Bridge; 7:30 p. m. St. Bonaventure.

NORTH TEXON Presbyterian Church

Service Sunday, July 21, at 7:30 p. m. Miss Mary A. MacKenzie, Deaconess.

TEACHER APPOINTED

Covehead Road has secured as a teacher for coming term, Jeanette MacVittie-Marshall.

FUNERAL TO-MORROW

The funeral of the late Mrs. James H. Gregor will be held from the residence of Mr. E. G. MacMillan, York Point, tomorrow (Sunday), services starting at 2:30, daylight saving time.

CLUB ENTERTAINED

The Spring Park Phonic Club was entertained at the restaurant last night. The kiddies, who made up the party about 40 in number, had a most enjoyable time and at the conclusion of the outing gave three rousing cheers for their host.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURE

Yesterday's highest temperature was at 3:30 p. m. when the thermometer at the Experimental Station went to 86. Officials at the Station said there were other readings during the present month just as hot but that yesterday's humidity was probably the greatest.

ATTENDED RACES

Among those who attended Cowhead races Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Park Canfield, Gladys Gamble, Miss Mary MacVittie, Miss Heber MacVittie, Penton Wilson, Carl MacVittie, Parker Francis, Hillie MacVittie, Mrs. Francis, Lilyan Gamble from Crapaud.

FUNERAL SERVICES

The funeral of the late Mrs. Simon Clair took place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from her late residence on the corner of St. John's and St. Charles streets, where requiem High Mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. D. McNeil, who also conducted service at the grave. Burial was in the Church cemetery.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY

The funeral of the late Michael Doyle was held yesterday morning from the residence of his brother, Patrick Doyle, Point de Roche, where High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Terence Campbell who also conducted the service at the grave. The pallbearers were Lee Coffin, A. J. McKay, Lloyd McGowan, John Kelly, Fulton Pigott, and John D. MacInnis. Interment was in the Church cemetery.

CHARLES A. DUNNING AT PICNIC

Charles A. Dunning, a well-known local sportsman, was the guest of honor at a picnic held at the Wood Island-Caribou run by Sunday. According to officials of the ferry company, the picnic was held on the boat leaving for Wood Island's wharf ground for the last run at 3 o'clock.

K. OF C. CARNIVAL

An exceptionally large crowd attended the carnival held Thursday night at the Recreation Centre, Victoria Park. The carnival was held on the boat barge and was widely patronized. Ideal weather favored the occasion.

W. I. PICNIC

Approximately 475 tickets were sold last Thursday afternoon for admission to the picnic which was held on the Experimental Station grounds by the Parkdale Women's Institute in aid of the Red Cross. The picnic was supervised by Dr. J. A. Clark, superintendent at the Dominion Experimental Station.

LAID TO REST

The funeral of Mr. William Thompson was held from his late residence, Darnley, on Saturday, July 13th at 2 p. m. thence to Keir Memorial Presbyterian Church, Malpeque. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. McGowan. The hymns sung were: "Shall We Gather at the River," "Rock of Ages," "God Loved the World of Sinners Lost," Mr. Charles Woodside sang as a solo. "Shadows of the Wall-bearers were James H. Champion, John B. Champion, Dawson Dickson, David W. Thompson, James Mackinnon and Frank MacNeil. Interment was made in Princeton Cemetery.

Improved Crops In West Reported

WINNIPEG, Man., July 19.—Good rains generally throughout the West have further improved crop conditions during the past week.

N. D. MacLean UNDERTAKER EMBALMER

Charlottetown and North Wiltshire Phone 140

Personals

Mr. Sterling R. Beaton left this morning on a business trip to Montreal and Toronto.

Mr. Roy MacVittie, Cambridge, Mass., arrived from Boston by train Sunday evening. He is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Charles E. Marshall, Covehead Road.

Forest Fires Menace Village In Cape Breton

HALIFAX, July 19.—(CP)—Communications were interrupted between Sydney and Glace Bay tonight as forest fires in the Reserve district of Cape Breton forced at least 15 power lines to a heavy pall of smoke drifted in over Sydney and there was a strong smell of burning wood in the air from what was the worst of numerous forest fires burning throughout Nova Scotia.

Reports from Cape Breton indicated large tracts of valuable woodland were being destroyed but little definite detail was immediately available.

Near Reserve the flames were reported advancing toward the co-operative village of Tomkinsville despite efforts of weary firefighters.

Two new outbreaks were reported in Halifax county, the most serious at Sheet Harbor, where a fire broke out at Banook Lake another blaze was reported. At Orlam where a fire had been burning, flames were reported to be under control but were standing by in case of further outbreaks.

Still ablaze was a fire at Victoria Vale several miles northeast of Middleton, which had destroyed nearly 33,000 of barrel stavewood before being brought under control.

A fire which broke out Thursday in Guysboro County between Cole Harbor and Queensport was still not under control and had thus far spread through an area estimated at between 400 and 500 acres, mainly slash and all timber.

Some hope was given by the weather forecast which predicted a prediction of scattered showers tomorrow over the Maritimes. However, no great amount of rain was expected. Additional bad news for firefighters was the forecast of winds from 10 to 20 miles an hour.

Although closing of the province's forests was still under consideration as a means of combating further outbreaks, G. W. O'Leigh, provincial forester, said no action had yet been taken.

HOUSES DESTROYED

MONCTON, N. B., July 19.—(CP)—Racing through dry forest and farm lands, a forest fire had destroyed five farm houses and other buildings in the Kent-Westmorland County border area and late tonight was reported still burning out of control.

The fire, believed to have been started by two boys playing with matches, broke out yesterday afternoon at St. Philippe, Kent County and has burned over the mile area on a front ranging from three to four miles in width.

The town of Shediac, Northumberland Strait summer resort, and the nearby summer colony of Shediac Cape were menaced by the flames for some time yesterday. The fire then shifted in the wind sent the flames racing toward Moncton.

One farmhouse and other buildings were levelled by the flames at Shediac Bridge before the course of the fire was changed by the shifting winds. The fire then travelled to Bateman's Mills, where it destroyed another farmhouse.

Spreading to the main highway between Moncton and Shediac, the fire levelled three more homes and was reported burning toward Moncton on the main highway late tonight. Officials in charge of the fire fighting are looking for rain as the only effective weapon to halt the fast moving flames.

Parliament At A Glance

(By The Canadian Press) Labor Minister Mitchell said he would not instruct industrial disputes commissioners how to proceed in negotiations.

The services were conducted by Mr. J. A. Cross, K. C. chairman of the P.E.I. Island Hospital. Mr. J. A. Cross attended the picnic and Mrs. Cross attended the picnic and other members of the Commission and the P.E.I. Island Hospital by Dr. Clark.

Hunger Strikes In Palestine Ended

(By The Canadian Press) JERUSALEM, July 19.—Hunger strikes in the prison camps of Palestine have ended. The Government issued a statement today saying "everything is being done to speed up the release of more than 1,000 prisoners still held for identification."

A Jewish agency spokesman said "we are already in a state of waiting for London developments." British and American experts are conferring in London on implementation of the British-American commission's report on Palestine, which recommended 100,000 Jews.

Too Late To Classify

YOUNG MAN WANTS WORK IN EVENINGS about 6:30. Phone 1030.

FOR SALE—MODEL A 1931 FORD sedan. 39 Pavmore Street.

FOR SALE—1933 PLYMOUTH sedan. Apply 136 Prince.

WILL YOUNG GIRL WHO MISLaid her wallet, please call to 576 miles west of Woodstock.

Jury Render Verdict In MacInnis Death

A coroner's jury at Vernon River last night found that Everett MacInnis of Elliotville came to his death Wednesday evening July 17, 1946, as the result of a loaded truck, driven by George Wackelin, Duistaffing having passed over his body, and that no blame was attached to the driver of the truck.

Jury, presided over by Dr. I. J. Yeo of Charlottetown, comprised J. P. Fraughton, foreman; Ernest Collins, Howard E. Kenney, Richard F. Collins, Howard E. Kenney, L. M. Williams, John Cummings, and Joseph McNeil.

Dr. Harold Shaw, who performed an autopsy on the body of the late MacInnis, was the first witness. Dr. Shaw said, among other injuries, there was a large tear in the right side of the heart, enveloping the heart and also a tear in the right side of the heart. Death, Dr. Shaw said, was due to those major injuries which could have been caused by a wheel of a heavy truck passing over the body.

Miss Mary Collins, R.N., said she rendered first aid to the injured man by her MacInnis' residence by hypodermic. She repeated the treatment but without result. She said she applied heat but to no effect.

Francis Whalen, friend and neighbor of MacInnis, said he was working with MacInnis on a road project. There had been a heavy rain and the shovel was sitting down with MacInnis during the period spent in the rain.

Thomas Hilliard, foreman of the Island Construction Company, said his company had contracted to do a four-mile stretch of the Piquis Road. Witness did not see the accident. MacInnis and Whalen were hired by the Provincial Government. Mr. Rooney was their boss. It was he who took the injured man to her MacInnis' house at Vernon River.

William Rooney said the Government witness explaining the accident and took photos as the witness explained the conditions as revealed by the photos to the jury.

Mr. C. B. Holmes represented the Crown at the inquest.

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Mrs. George Campbell is spending some time with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Omond.

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Among those being warmly welcomed to Kensington are Mrs. Urban Hickey, an English bride, and their charming daughter, Maureen.

Mr. Rex Squarbrick was a recent visitor to Kensington. A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon, June 26, at 4 o'clock in St. Mark's Church, Kensington, when Rev. D. E. Noel united in marriage Miss Minnie Gertrude Gill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Gill, to Ernest Sydney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, Lower Five Islands, N.S. The bride entered the church in the arms of her father. She wore a long gown of royal blue with white accessories and carried an arm bouquet of better roses. Her bridesmaid, Miss Dorothy Howard wore pale pink accessories and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. Mr. Eric Devar supported the groom. The wedding march was played by Mrs. H. Duvar, aunt of the bride. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion by friends of the bride and groom. During the signing of the register Miss Jean Duvar, cousin of the bride sang very sweetly. The ceremony was a delightful wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents. The dining room was decorated with blue and white. Those assisting in serving were Mrs. Dwight Bearfoot, Mrs. M. Bayes, Miss Lottie Sims, Mrs. Robt. Coulter, Mrs. Regh Sudebur, and the Misses Thelma and Irma Hill. The happy young couple left by motor for Lower Five Islands where they will reside. C.

Millard Says 10 Cent Increase Not Enough

OTTAWA, July 19.—C. H. Millard, Canadian director of the United Steelworkers of America (C.I.O.), said tonight that to end labor unrest the government would have to depart from the 10-cent ceiling it had put on wage increases.

Mr. Millard said neither the steel strike nor other disputes could be ended by a 10-cent pattern. Settlement could be made if ability to pay was to be the measuring rod for wages then companies showing good profits should pay more. The union was satisfied with the recent increase in steel prices but the best steel companies could pay the increase the union asked.

On the union's demand for a 40-hour week the companies had taken the position that they could not go below the present 48 hours. The union was ready to drop to 44 and later to 40 hours.

The government's attitude on limiting wage increases to 10 cents an hour had in effect, through collective bargaining out of the window.

Reconstruction Minister Howe questioned him on whether the union would persist in refusing to unload coal and iron ore which would be needed for operation of the mills next spring.

"Our people are convinced as long as the government is unwilling to give the very pressing problem of wages will not be settled," he said. "Our people are not impressed with the need we are making toward a settlement, even in such committees as this."

WESTERN GUARDIAN

(Continued from Western Page) —DR. HENRY MOYSE has moved to his new office in the Enman Drug Co. Building, Water St., Summerside. Hours 2 to 4 p. m.

—UNIQUE OCCASION—At a dinner held at Newark College, a three-week vacation in the province was unique in that there were present two grandfathers and their granddaughters. The granddaughters each being over 90 years of age. Mr. C. Edward Strong of Summerside, the grandfather, and Mr. J. C. Wilkinson of Springfield West who is in his 91st year, were the guests of honor. The granddaughters fulfilled their condition for their years—S.

Personals

—Mrs. H. R. Walsh, Summerside has returned from visiting her two daughters in St. John's, P. F. J. Bayer and Miss Francis Walsh—S.

—Miss Marion McAssey, R. N. of Sherbrooke, Que. is spending a three-week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McAssey, Summerside—S.

—Betty Henderson of Charlottetown is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Summerside—S.

—Mrs. Joseph Reule of Taunton, Mass. and formerly of Summerside accompanied by her daughter, Rena, is visiting relatives, Mrs. Foley, W. E. Darby and Healy, Strong, M. L. A. of Summerside—S.

—Mrs. Nell Duran, Jr. and Miss Helen Higgins of Summerside spent the past weekend in Charlottetown—S.

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Gallup Poll of Canada

MANAGEMENT, UNION LABOR REVERSE VIEWS ON WISDOM OF LABOR LEADERS

By Canadian Institute of Public Opinion

TORONTO, July 20.—More than seven in every ten employers in this country think today that organized labor is being unwisely led. Labor itself is divided into two camps. Organized labor—that is, labor which is organized into unions—feels it is getting wise leadership, but non-union labor is inclined to agree with management.

These group attitudes towards labor leaders are revealed in the latest Gallup Poll. In this national poll, opinion of "management," as represented by employers of 15 or more people, was sought in a separate sample. This device enables a four-way comparison of opinion: management, organized labor, unorganized labor and the general public:

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Among the questions put to these groups by Gallup Poll reporters across the Dominion was this one: "DO YOU THINK THAT, GENERALLY SPEAKING, ORGANIZED LABOR IS BEING WISELY LED OR UNWISELY LED BY ITS LEADERS?"

If this issue were put to a general vote of all Canadians, including, of course, both management and labor in their proper proportion, just less than a majority would say "unwisely":

LABOR LEADERSHIP IS: Organized labor 58% Unorganized labor 26% Management 20%

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These results, of course, are not an indication of attitudes towards the principle of unionization. Fewer polls have shown wide public endorsement of the right of labor to organize.

And James Pendergast, who made fact when he wrote, Dr. Will told us in an anecdote. There's Eddie Mackay, Jim Darrach and Jim Stuen. In school work or games they were never mean.

And Neil who arrived from Boston just in time. Looking hale and hearty. He is the last one in our rhyme. K

Isley Defends Budget Policies

OTTAWA, July 18.—(CP)—Finance Minister Isley said last night in the Commons that there were several reasons for making tax changes in the budget effective only from July 1, 1946, and added that greater relief now could not be granted without increasing the deficit of the new operation.

Replying to Opposition criticism of his budget speech June 27, Mr. Isley said the budget for 1946-47 was not made effective as from July 1, 1946, and had provided for an income tax cut of 15 per cent for 1946. That was one of the reasons why the cuts in the budget for 1946-47 were not made effective as from July 1, 1946.

Another reason was that the income tax system had been changed in 1943 to pay-as-you-go basis at a rate of almost 50 per cent of the revenue from income tax for that year. It would be necessary to bring the new system proposed in the present budget into force in mid-year.

The income tax system had been immensely simplified. The exemptions were increased and the notional tax had been dropped. Family allowances had been combined with exemptions for children and tax credits had been wrapped up with exemptions for dependents.

In view of the number of forms in the hands of employers deducting the tax at the source, such radical changes could not be made without several months notice.

Another Reason

Still another reason was the fact that current wartime taxation agreements with the Province would be interpreted to mean that the Federal Government has to make certain tax reductions at Dec. 31, 1946, so that the Province may re-enters the taxation fields if they wish to.

If the reductions proposed in the budget were put into effect as from July 1, the Government might find itself in the position of having to make further cuts at the end of the year to meet the requirements of the agreements with the provinces.

"Then we would be in a hopeless position financially," said Mr. Isley. The income tax cuts for 1946 and for 1947 would cut revenue by \$270,000,000 a year and that in a year-and-a-half after the end of the war would be \$500,000,000 and 600,000,000 would be relieved from income tax payments and those who continue to pay would do so at a rate lower than that of 1941.

The ax reductions could not be termed "negatively" in view of the fact that provision still had to be made for a deficit.

Denies Promises

Mr. Isley said Opposition mem-

bers had made reference to alleged promises that any budget cuts this year would be effective during the year. No such promises had been made by him.

Turning to C.C.F. criticism of the proposal to tax co-operatives, Mr. Isley said he wished to deny "most emphatically" charges that the government would have been interfering with the co-operative movement in Canada.

The Royal Commission on Co-operatives had upon it wide representation and it had been unanimous in its main recommendations. The government would have been assuming heavy responsibility if it had departed from those recommendations. He decided to adopt them in the main.

Mr. Isley said the main points were whether or not co-operatives should be taxed and it had been decided that they should not be taxed but should be exempted from income for purposes of taxation.

There was no suggestion that co-operatives would have income should be taxed.

The Minister noted that the co-operative movement in the commission report was "favorable—far more favorable than was the trade union movement in the face of that there had been charges that 'we were capitalists'."

Dr. David Sugar Dismissed From Health Department

(By The Canadian Press) OTTAWA, July 19.—Health Minister Claxton said tonight in the Commons that Dr. David Sugar had been given his notice of dismissal from the Health Department as a result of what was said about him in the Royal Commission espionage report made public Monday.

Mr. Claxton made the statement in reply to M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, who asked why Dr. Sugar was being dismissed from the Health Department. He said there was no charge against Dr. Sugar and he had been acquitted on charges laid against him on the basis of the interim espionage reports.

Mr. Coldwell said Dr. Sugar's dismissal was to take effect in August, but that meantime he had been given leave.

Mr. Claxton said the dismissal was made in view of the Royal Commission's final report. There was a considerable difference between the interim report and the final report.

In the final report, the espionage commission, despite Dr. Sugar's acquittal in magistrate's court, renewed its contention that the Polish-born former anti-submarine expert had communistic activities with a Russian espionage confidential informant in Russia.

Dr. Sugar went back to his temporary post with the Health Department here after Magistrate Glen Strike had ruled that there was insufficient evidence to commit him for trial on a charge of conspiracy. Of the original 14 detained in Canada in connection with alleged Russian espionage activities he is the only one to be thus freed.

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