

Conservative Meeting

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LEADER CONSERVATIVE PARTY
 WILL ADDRESS A PUBLIC MEETING IN THE
STRAND THEATRE
CHARLOTTETOWN

-- ON --

SATURDAY, JULY 5th
 At 9 P. M. Daylight Saving Time. 8 P. M. Atlantic Standard Time

THE CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATES
MESSRS McLURE and MYERS
 Will Also Address This Meeting
SPEECHES WILL BE BROADCAST FROM STATION C. F. C. Y.

IN MEMORIAM

MR. DOMINIC GALLANT

At the Prince County Hospital, Summerside, on Saturday, June 21st, these passed away very suddenly, Dominic Gallant of Duvar, in the 70th year of his age.

The deceased, who had been in his usual health, had breakfast as usual and proceeded to do some chores around the barn yard. Returning to the house shortly after, he complained of being in severe pain. A doctor was hurriedly called and he ordered his immediate removal to the hospital. On his arrival there, it was found that his condition was extremely critical, and within an hour after his admission he expired.

The deceased, who had been a life-long resident of Bloomfield parish, was born at Cascumpec. While yet a young man he settled at Duvar, where, by his industry and thrift he succeeded in building a beautiful and comfortable home for himself and family. He was a man of many fine parts and of sterling character. His frankness and cheerful disposition made him many friends wherever he went. He made his home famed far and wide for its hospitality and cheerfulness. He always took a very

active and prominent part in all movements for the advancement of the community, and, by word and example, ever tried to lead the way to greater and better things. He will be greatly missed, not only by his immediate family and neighbors, but also by a host of friends throughout the Province.

He leaves to mourn, besides his sorrowing widow and one sister, Mrs. Philippe Gallant, Rogersville, N. B.; three sons and three daughters, Jos. E. and Gilbert of Winnipeg, Man., and Dorice at home; Mrs. Anthony Dolron of Detroit, Mich., U. S. A.; Mrs. J. H. Blanchard, Charlottetown; and Mrs. John P. Gallant, of Plusville. Two sons and one daughter predeceased him: Aubin, who was drowned in August, 1924; Arthur and Josephine (Mrs. Damas Richard) both of whom died in March 1929.

The funeral, which was very largely attended, took place at St. Anthony's Church, Bloomfield, on Monday morning, June 23rd. The parish priest, Rev. John Gaudet officiated at the church and grave. Rev. John A. MacDonald of St. Mark's, Lot 7, occupied a seat in the sanctuary.

The pall bearers were: Messrs. Oliver Pitre, Joseph Pitre, Joseph Dolron, Prosper Gallant, John J. Rooney and Alexander Gallant.

CROP REPORT

Below will be found a brief synopsis of telegraphic reports received at the Head Office of the Bank of Montreal from its Branches. The Branch Managers have complete and intimate knowledge of each local situation and are in close touch with crop conditions in all sections of the districts mentioned. The map hereafter indicates the approximate extent of the districts referred to in the report.

General

In the Prairie Provinces scattered showers, which have been fairly general, and heavy rains in some areas have benefited crops which were backward and adversely affected by high winds. Conditions now are fairly favourable, but more moisture and warm weather are needed. In Quebec weather, generally, has been favourable, but in some sections continuous rains have adversely affected growth, principally on low-lying lands. The present warm weather should be beneficial. In Ontario generous rains, followed by ample warmth have promoted steady growth throughout the Province. The season is ten days ahead of the average. In the Maritime Provinces growing conditions in general have been good,

and recent showers have been beneficial. In British Columbia the cool, unsettled weather of late has retarded growth and crops are about ten days later than usual. Details follow.

Prairie Provinces

Alberta Northeastern Area—In some localities there has been severe damage from soil drifting and cut worms but crops now are making progress after recent heavy rains. Alberta Southeastern Area. early-sown wheat is poor, but that sown later is in good condition. More rain is needed in the next ten days. Alberta Western Area. Crops have been damaged by strong winds, but recent rains have been beneficial. Saskatchewan Northern Area—Wheat generally is well stooled, six to eight inches high, and possibly 50% in shot blade. The average damage from all sources is reported at 10%. Saskatchewan Southern Area—More rain is needed in many sections. The average height of wheat is from eight to ten inches. There is a fair stand and from 50% to 60% is in "hot blade." The damage from all sources is estimated at from 5% to 15% and is more serious in the Regina and Moose Jaw area. Manitoba—All crops are healthy, recent rains and the prevailing warm weather promoting rapid

growth. Wheat is up ten to twenty inches and advancing into shot blade.

Province of Quebec

Hay promises to be a heavy crop of good quality. Pastures are in excellent condition. Root crops are doing well, but damage has been caused by rain in some sections. Oats are making good progress, as also is barley. Corn has a good appearance, except on low lands.

Province of Ontario

Fall wheat has headed out, but a reduced acreage, resulting from the severe winter killing, foreshadows a crop below the average. Old hay meadows are up to average, but new meadows are light. The cutting of sweet clover and alfalfa has commenced. Oats and barley are heading out and are above average. Grass pastures are exceptionally good. The acreage of canning peas, corn and tomatoes and of beans and onions is above average and the prospects for these crops are favourable. Early apples promise a fair crop but winter apples are below average. Strawberries were injured by late May frosts and are below average. Prospects are favourable for an average crop of cherries, peaches and grapes. Planting of tobacco has been completed and the growth has been favourable.

Maritime Provinces

The indications are that hay will be an average crop. Pastures continue to be in good condition. Potatoes are making good progress. Favourable weather prevails for the setting of apples.

Province of British Columbia

The strawberry crop was poor, rains having caused considerable wastage. Other small fruits will be late and below average yields. Grains are doing well and haying is becoming general. The first alfalfa crop is light but of excellent quality; potatoes promise a very good crop. Tomatoes are getting a good start and require warmer weather to stimulate growth. The June crop of apples is heavy and the crop is now estimated at 90% of average. Other estimates follow: cherries 85%; peaches 90%; pears 70%; plums and prunes 110%. Apricots are a failure and will not yield over 20%. Pasturage is plentiful.

Albany and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Cameron and family, accompanied by Mrs. David MacPhee, motored recently to Springton.

Misses Margaret and Jean Affleck were recent visitors to Borden.

Mr. Wm. Trainor spent the week end in Halifax, N. S., the guest of his brother, Mr. Leonard Trainor.

Mr. James Greenan, Newton, has returned home after spending a few days in Halifax, N. S. While there he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Trainor. Mr. Greenan purchased a new car while away.

Mr. Harry Arnett recently purchased a Chevrolet Sedan.

Miss Winnie Ross spent the week end in Middleton, the guest of Miss Ida Bradshaw.

RADIO AS AN EDUCATIONAL MEDIUM

HALIFAX, N. S., June 30—Professor C. H. Mercer, of Dalhousie University, attending the first World Conference for Education Radio at Ohio State University from June 23 to July 3, is the only Canadian speaker appearing on the programme.

An advocate of the use of radio as an educational medium and the sponsor of several educational features broadcast from the local radio station, Prof. Mercer will give two addresses during the conference. "The status of education by radio in the United States, Canada and Mexico," is his first subject, the viewpoints of the United States and Mexico being given by representatives of these countries. On July 2, Prof. Mercer will talk on "Foreign Language instruction by radio."

FIND HERRING FIT FOR FOOD

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., June 30—Alarm expressed over the condition of herring of southern New Brunswick and the coast of Maine owing to some of the fish bearing evidences of attack of parasitic protozoa, has met with reassurance from the Atlantic Biological Station here that no evidence had been found of this parasite fatally affecting herring in the Bay of Fundy and that no reason could be seen for fearing the parasite could affect the supply of herring or make them unfit for food.

The Biological Station investigated the situation last year, when the condition was first reported, and this year. Miss Armine Alley, of the University of Toronto, made detailed examinations of a large number of herring and found many to contain a protozoan, apparently the same that caused the death of many herring in the Gulf of St. Lawrence sixteen years ago. It is pointed out that almost every individual animal possesses parasites of some sort, and it would be absurd to consider the mere presence of these ground for alarm.

CORNWALL SCHOOL

The following is the class standing of Cornwall School for the month of June:—

- Grade X—1, George MacMillan.
- Grade IX—1, Winnie Stone; 2, Marjorie Lowther; 3, Francis Bain.
- Grade VIII—1, Herbert Scott.
- Grade VII—1, Mary Walker; 2, Ruth Stone; 3, Dorothy Walker.
- Grade VI—1, Erma Bain; 2, Jack MacMillan; 3, Jean Frizzell.
- Grade V—1, Hilda Crosby; 2, Charles MacKinnon; 3, Billy Stone.
- Grade IV—1, Louise Bain; 2, Norma Walker; 3, Hector Scott.
- Grade III—1, Eileen Shaw; 2, Lillian Scott; 3, Arthur Howard.
- Grade II—1, Martha Walker; 2, Ruth Stone; 3, Maynard Shaw.
- Grade I—1, Margaret Donahue; 2, Marion Good; 3, Francis Doyle.
- Emily Platts—Teacher.

TARIFF DEFENSE

ROME, June 30—Antonio Mosconi, Minister of Finance, told the Senate this afternoon that the Government was considering "measures of legitimate defense" against the increased tariff barriers of other nations, although he did not mention the United States. He added that some defense measures already were in the course of being put through.

MRS. PANKHURST STATUE READY

The memorial statue to Mrs. Emily Pankhurst, the women's suffrage pioneer in England, is to be erected in Victoria Tower-gardens, Westminster. The statue is in bronze and is seven feet tall. The memorial cost \$15,000, funds being raised by popular subscription.

PRIZE FOR NOVEL IN IRISH

The Irish Free State Department of Education has offered a prize of \$750 for the best novel in the Irish language submitted to it within the next 12 months. The government will have the successful work published, the author to receive all profits.

Only three workers are needed to operate a new automatic machine in England which makes 700,000 cigarettes a day equal to the output of 700 hand workers.

THE FATHERS OF CONFEDERATION



P. E. I. Potato Growers' Annual Picnic And Business Meeting.
Thursday July, 10th

The ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING of the P. E. I. Potato Growers' Association, for the election of officers and transaction of general business, will be held on Thursday, July 10th, at the Strand Theatre, commencing at 1.30 P. M. sharp. (STANDARD TIME) MEMBERS ONLY ADMITTED.

The ANNUAL PICNIC will be held at the Experimental Farm on the above date. All interested are welcome. Lunch will be held in the Grove at 12.00. Dishes, tea, coffee, sugar and milk will be provided by the Farm. Bring your own food and friends.

By Order of Directors.

J. W. BOULTER, Secretary.