

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson, drawing wave after wave of applause from a predominantly Republican audience, predicted here a \$30,000,000 profit for the United States and promised "restraint and responsibility" in government. Some 5,000 delegates of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and their wives interrupted with applause or laughter, or both, some 60 times during Johnson's hour-long speech.

It was a triumph for the Democratic president and, sensing it, Johnson strayed far from his prepared text to regale the businessmen with Texas-style quips and anecdotes.

His forecast that 1964 would bring industry \$30,000,000 in profits, after taxes, was given in a long extemporaneous passage, in which Johnson noted that profits were \$17,200,000,000 in 1952, \$23,600,000,000 in 1953, \$27,900,000,000 last year.

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"The phone numbers, which are only just Monday morning." He noted the federal budget has been cut by almost \$1,000,000,000, the deficit is being halved, federal employment in March was down 18,000 from a year ago.

"We are determined that the people shall have what they need and hope to have — a frugal and thrifty government, striving for a dollar's value for every dollar spent, a dollar's return for every dollar invested," he said.

He got more applause, which was identified by Johnson added that despite the shutdown of "cavalry forts" and other outdated military posts:

"Your country has never been stronger militarily than it is at this hour. We are determined to keep it that way."

**RMC Plans Stress On Bilingualism**

OTTAWA (CP)—A new plan to stress bilingual training at Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont., was announced Monday by Defence Minister Heffer.

Effective in the 1965-66 academic year, all English-speaking cadets at RMC will be required to pass at least one subject of their third-year course entirely in the French language. French-speaking cadets will be required to pass one of their subjects in English.

**Hear Ice May Hamper Lobster Season Start**

Ice in harbors and bays may cause trouble to the lobster fishermen even though offshore waters are pretty well free of ice, fisheries minister Leo Roxburgh said yesterday following an ice survey made by plane Sunday.

Regular flights over the ice fields are being made by Helicopters for the department of fisheries checking on ice conditions.

Federal fisheries minister B. J. Robichaud is keeping in close touch with the ice situation in the province's area which is covered by the two month season.

An ice map from the department of transport in Halifax dated April 22 shows the Northumberland Strait practically ice free except for heavy ice around Cape Breton Island.

The Gulf of St. Lawrence looks ice free except for the waters off

**LOCAL MAN**

(Continued From Page 1) Island Road, and how he had collected material and begun writing the Island story.

He says that the roots of his interest lie in the early years of his life — "about 1905 or so, as a matter of fact." He roundly condemns the modern "Jack an all and Soot" type of reader, recalling that when he was a young boy he read papers were given material that was interesting and which "you could get your teeth into." Even his family background stimulated interest in the subject for they were all keen on Island history and the old stories were told often.

On the Confederation Fathery, he is enthusiastic. And he fully endorses the idea of the celebration of the Centennial, in the hope that Islanders and others would find interesting as he has the often-forgotten story of the past.

The book should help accomplish this aim.

**Three Given Citizenship**

SOURIS — Canadian citizenship was granted to three new Canadians at Souris United Church Hall last night.

The ceremonies were granted by Judge J.S. DesRoches to Matie Margaret Jennings (Mrs. John Jennings), Souris, formerly of the Netherlands; Michiel Rose (Mrs. Huntley Rose), Souris, also formerly of the Netherlands; and Joseph William Devaux formerly of the United States.

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**One Man Dead In Gas Mishap**

THE PAS, Man. (CP)—One man is dead and three others were in hospital here Monday after they were overcome by propane gas in a bunk trailer. Dead is Roger Luffitt, 42, of Winnipeg.

Robert Macumber of Fallmouth, N.S. and Alfred Armit of Winnipeg were in critical condition.

In fair condition was Louis Charnaud of The Pas.

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WRIGHT SHOES

training events at Acadia University in Wolfville which is being operated this summer. A film was shown and lunch was served.

**ICEBREAKER PUNCHES THROUGH ICE**

Shipping in and out of Sydney, N.S. harbor is slowed by drift ice rafting to a thickness of 20 feet in places. This is the icebreaker Labrador working to make a path in the huge ice pack. (CP Wirephoto)

**High Marks Are Recorded As Music Festival Opens**

SUMMERVILLE — Opening day yesterday of the P.E.I. Music Festival in Summersville saw several high marks recorded. The highest was a 90 given to Lobed MacLeod of Graham's Road in class 161.

Two marks of 87 were awarded to Patty Kelly and Valerie Cameron of Summersville for their typing performances in class 196 and another 87 was given to Karen McNally of Summersville in class 158.

Seasons yesterday were held in both Civic Stadium and Elm Street School auditorium.

Results in the various classes were as follows: eight and nine years: Linda Teisman, Summersville; Joanne Senior, Summersville; Nancy Hanson, North Tryon; and Nancy Richard, Summersville.

Ten and eleven years: Janice Vesey, Summersville; Andrea Gaudet, Summersville.

**WEATHER**

TORONTO (CP) — Observed temperatures from the weather office.

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|                   | Min. | Max. |
| Dawson            | 11   | 43   |
| Vancouver         | 41   | 55   |
| Victoria          | 42   | 53   |
| Edmonton          | 26   | 51   |
| Calgary           | 29   | 49   |
| Winnipeg          | 31   | 43   |
| Regina            | 38   | 56   |
| Montreal          | 44   | 72   |
| Ottawa            | 44   | 72   |
| Quebec            | 45   | 65   |
| Fredericton       | 43   | 63   |
| Saint John        | 41   | 61   |
| Moncton           | 45   | 60   |
| Halifax           | 38   | 52   |
| Charlottetown     | 35   | 50   |
| Sydney            | 35   | —    |
| Yarmouth          | 37   | 47   |
| St. John's, Nfld. | 31   | 54   |

**HALEFAX (CP) —** The weather office says rising pressures over most of the district will continue in the wake of a slow moving system and should keep many conditions over most of the district.

Regional forecasts: Northern Nova Scotia and Cape Breton. Prince Edward Island. Cloudy with a few showers clearing in the evening; not much change in temperature; northeasterly winds 20. Low-high in New Glasgow 30 and 41, Sydney 35 and 45, Charlottetown 32 and 38.

High tide today at Charlottetown 5:00 a.m. and 11:43 p.m. At Rustico at 6:38 a.m. and 9:10 p.m. Summersville tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 5:17 p.m. and sets at 7:04 p.m.

**WESTERN DISTRICTS**

VISITED GRANDMOTHER Donna Jean Hickox, St. Eleanor's, spent a few days recently with her grandmother, Mrs. Daniel Hickox, Kensington.

**DEATH NOTICES**

Received too late for classified death notice column

**CARRUTHERS —** At Alberton Monday, April 27, 1964, Mrs. Ada Carruthers, wife of the late William J. Carruthers of Borden in her 97th year. Resting at the Bowness Funeral Home from where funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment in Free Church of Scotland cemetery, Cape Traverse. Visiting hours 2 to 3 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m.

**KENNEDY —** At Kensington, April 27, 1964, Mrs. Preston J. Kennedy, aged 62 years. Remains were forwarded from the Dawson Funeral Home to her late residence. Funeral services will be held from the Kensington United Church on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment in Free Church of Scotland cemetery, Kensington.

**STRAIT SWIM SLATED AUG. 1**

BORDEN — The date of the Northumberland Strait swim has been changed from the originally planned July 25 to Aug. 1, a meeting of the Centennial committee was held Monday night. Rev. Arthur Pedergast said the change was made because of conflicting dates with the Lake St. John swim in Quebec.

The meeting was held in the Town Hall with Mayor Gilbert Bell presiding. A number of interested citizens attended. John Ross represented the Centennial committee from Charlottetown.

William Matthews reported the Borden choir was active and plans for the future were being made.

Reed of Cape Traverse, speaking on behalf of special projects told of work beginning on the park to be built on the outskirts of the town.

Calvin Howell, on the decoration committee, discussed when decorating should begin.

Mayor Bell asked the committee to look into the matter of the proposed roadway for Borden.

At a general discussion, Mr. Bell answered several questions.

**Lord Bishop Administers Confirmation**

SUMMERVILLE — The Right Rev. W.W. Davis, Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to ten candidates in St. Mary's Church last night.

The candidates were prepared by Canon Mark Ferguson, Rector of St. Mary's. Earlier in the day the bishop met with the clergy of the deanery of P.E.I.

He celebrated Holy Communion and conducted a quiet morning in the church and was present at the Deansy Chapter in the afternoon.

During his stay here the Bishop was a guest of the Rector and Mrs. Ferguson. He returns to Halifax today following a five-day visit to P.E.I.

**Jr. Red Cross To Ship Chest**

SOURIS — Saturday the Junior Red Cross Chapter of the Souris Regional High School met at the school. Estelle Gallant presided and William Scott president of the school students' council welcomed the delegates.

The creek school project was discussed and the red crossmen found that they had all the requirements, for the chest, all the clothing as well as shipping the chest to Greece.

Mrs. Eunice Reid, director of Junior Red Cross for the Island spoke on the Junior Red Cross

**Impairment And Disturbance Charges Result In Stiff Fines**

SUMMERVILLE — Appearing before Magistrate W. Chester MacDonald in Prince County magistrate's court last evening, Harry Harvey Crapaud, 35, was fined \$75 and costs for impaired driving.

On a second charge of creating a disturbance in the Village of Tignish, the accused was fined \$10 and costs.

**AUTHOR'S**

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Gerald Tapp, 44, a merchant from Moncton, N.B., testified he was in Gaspe at the end of May, 1953 and met a U.S. bear hunter.

The man was from Pennsylvania and dressed in khaki U.S. army clothing as was his guide, Mr. Tapp testified.

"He was like a lot of Americans I know, talk a lot of the time—small talk. He was a pleasant man," the witness said.

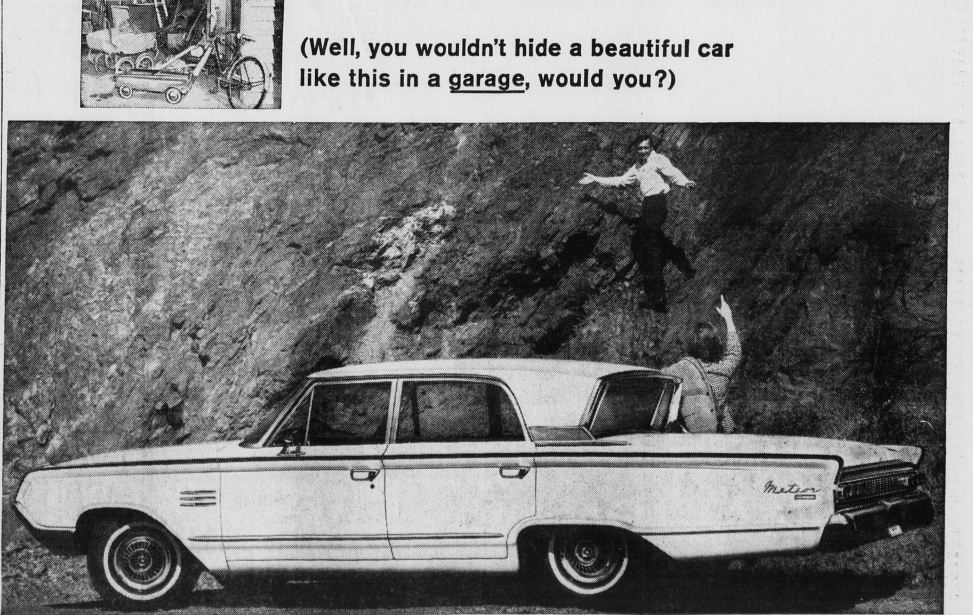
When he had returned to Moncton, Mr. Tapp said the first time he recalled the man was when he read in a newspaper that two men in U.S. army clothing in a mysterious Jeep mentioned by Coffin — were being sought for questioning in connection with the killings of the bear hunters.

He said he contacted Quebec Provincial Police in Gaspe, gave them the information and heard nothing more about the case. He assumed the information was irrelevant.

On hearing of Coffin's appeal in 1953, he gave an affidavit to the Gaspe meeting to Franco Gavel, Coffin's defence lawyer.

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