

# Island News Page

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THEY'RE ALL SMILES

Prime Minister Pearson and Opposition Leader Diefenbaker exchange broad smiles across a chair designated for House speaker Alan MacNaughton, now retired from politics. (CP Wirephoto)

## Eight Veterans Stage Reunion

Eight veterans of the first world war who were recruited by the Prince Edward Island Light Horse to join the 5th C.M.R. Regiment in 1915, held a reunion in the Legion Home last night.

Although the 6th C.M.R., drawn from all parts of the Maritimes went to France as a unit in 1915, it was merged with the 5th C.M.R. Battalion, of the Eastern Townships to form an infantry battalion in France.

June 2nd is a historic day in the memory of the veterans who met last night.

The entire brigade of which they formed a part was decimated in less than three days of fighting starting on June 2, 1916. Three of the four battalion commanders in the brigade — all colonels were killed on that day as was the general in command of the Division, General Mercier. The Brigadier General of the 8th brigade was wounded and taken prisoner. One regiment of the brigade was literally blown to pieces when two mines exploded under them. Those that survived the explosion were wounded men and fell into the hands of the Germans.

TRYING DAYS

In the records of the 5th C.M.R. with whom the eight men who held the reunion last night served June 2, 1916, was the most trying days in the history of the battalion.

Later on the 5th fought in the battle of the Somme, the capture of Vimy, the attack on Paschendaele, the battle at Arras, and the break through the German Army on the 8th August 1918. The eight men who met last night arrived in France seven months after the First Canadian Division and one year before any of the 105th battalion crossed the English Channel.

The 5th CMR had two Victoria Cross winners. They were George R. Peakes, now Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia and Charles Rutherford of Toronto.

The eight veterans who attended last night's reunion were: Col. F.I. Andrew, Major N.W. Lowther, Ex-Police Chief C.W. McArthur, John Buller Murley, all of Charlottetown, Pat Martin and Edward J. Gaudet, Miscouche, Dan MacPhee, Souris and Killbuck Sherrin, Crispaid.

Also present was one guest, Rev. Mr. Riley, retired Anglican minister, who served in France with the 2nd CMR.

### WEATHER

About 150 engineers from various parts of the continent are scheduled to arrive in Charlottetown July 14 to attend a conference which will discuss various problems involved in the construction of the causeway in the Northumberland Strait. Their visit and the meeting, which is to be held at the Confederation Centre, will give engineers some idea of the project, construction requirements of the link between the Island and the mainland.

PRESENTATIONS MADE

Presentations were made to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Trainor on the occasion of the retirement of Mr. Trainor from the position of Postmaster of the Johnston's River Post Office which has closed. The social evening spent at the home of the couple included, besides the presentations, the reading of an address, dancing and card games. Harold Beagan made the presentation to Mr. Trainor while Sheila McNally presented Mrs. Trainor with flowers. The address was read by Arnold Burhoe.

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## Placement Officer Has Returned

The newly appointed University Placement Officer for Prince Edward Island, Edmond LeClair, returned this weekend following the first of a series of familiarization courses set up by the National Employment Service.

Two weeks ago Mr. LeClair reported to NES Regional Office, Moncton, N.B., for induction and orientation training. Training for the first week was given by G.F. Lawson, Atlantic Regional Director, R.J. Coy, Assistant Regional Director; G. A. Fraser, Regional Employment Officer; L.A. Kaufman, Supervisor Special Services and other employment specialists.

The second week Mr. LeClair spent at Mt. Allison University, where a University Placement Officer has been in residence for over two years.

Mr. LeClair will spend the next two weeks in the Charlottetown office of the National Employment Service, before attending a UCPA and Manpower Services Student Placement Conference to be held in Montreal later this month.

Representatives of Memorial, Dalhousie, St. Mary's, Mount Allison, Acadia and the University of Moncton will attend this conference.

## Trade Board Sends Request

General manager of the Charlottetown Board of Trade, C.W. Moffatt, announced yesterday morning that a request has been sent to and a reply received from the Atlantic Development Board concerning the possibility of the board examining suggested sites in and around the city of Charlottetown for an industrial park.

He said that the ADB will consider this possibility at the next meeting which is scheduled for Charlottetown on July 4.

At a joint meeting of the Industrial Development Committee of the Villages of Parkdale and Sherwood held recently the findings indicated that present unused sites available for an industrial park of 40 acres or more are only available in Parkdale and Sherwood and that the city of Charlottetown without relocating present users of sites has no suitable land for industrial growth available other than possible waterfront landfills.

It was suggested that following the possible ADB study the site selected by them as most suitable should be considered as the site and a joint effort made to obtain assistance from the Provincial government to obtain the land.

It was the consensus at the meeting that neither Charlottetown, Parkdale or Sherwood were in a financial position to purchase the land for an industrial park development. It was considered that the Provincial Government might be encouraged to assist in the land purchase or that the area consisting of Parkdale and Sherwood and the city of Charlottetown together might finance the park.

It was explained that the land for an industrial park must be publicly owned before government grants, such as one-third servicing grant from the Atlantic Development Board could be obtained.

### TAX RAISES CASH

The British Government expects to collect about 315,000,000 pounds by its new payroll tax.

### Card of Thanks

To Rev. Eric Robin, Rev. Walter Reid, Sisters, Nurses and Staff of Charlottetown Hospital, Henessey Funeral Home, all who sent masses, enrolments, floral tributes and sympathy cards, friends and neighbors who helped in any way during Dora's illness and death, we wish to hereby express our sincere gratitude.

Family of the late Mrs. Dora McAdam.

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## Allied Youth Has Meeting

Keir Costain, co-sponsor of Parkdale Post-Allied Youth, addressed a recent meeting of the Community Centre Post of Allied Youth on the need for education in our modern world. In his address, Mr. Costain urged the youth to receive as much education as possible and urged the parents to encourage the young people to stay in school. Other activities during the meeting included a panel discussion on topics relating to education and the high school drop out. The president of the post, Kenny Des Roches reported on last year's activities. Father

## \$50 Penalties Are Imposed

In Traffic Court yesterday morning, two persons were each fined \$50 and costs on separate

W. Comerford, sponsor of the post, gave remarks.

Members of the panel included Mr. and Mrs. Frank DesRoches, Mr. and Mrs. Keir Costain, Basil Molyneux and J.L. Vessey. Dr. John Maloney, chief of staff at the Charlottetown Hospital acted as chairman.

Entertainment at the meeting was highlighted by the new A.Y. Chorus who sang This Land Is Your Land and Do What You Do Do Well. Other entertainers were Carol Dunford and Gloria Costello a duet; Anne Marie Galant, Margaret MacInnis, Father Comerford, a skit by Arnie's Rootin' Tootin' Cowboys was performed. Members of the group included: Arnold Blanchard, Rosemary McLeod, Bruce LeClair, David Burke, Wayne Gregory.

A reception followed the meeting.

## Rev. C. R. Moase Is Named To Post

SACKVILLE, N. B. (CP) — Rev. Clifford R. Moase, United Church minister at Canning,

charges of failing to report an accident when they appeared before Justice of the Peace Albert Dennis. Fined were: Murdoch Kennedy, Bradabane and James Robert Ford, city. The latter was also fined \$10 and costs on a charge of driving without a valid driver's licence.

Others fined \$10 and costs were: Mrs. Violet Affleck, Mt. Stewart, driving without a valid licence; Louis MacPherson, East Royalty, failing to stop at a stop sign; Ralph Astle Barrett, Parkdale, inefficient equipment; John Arthur Carruthers, City, permitting an unlicensed person to drive.

Robert Jorgenson of Bradabane pleaded not guilty to a charge of allowing a vehicle to be operated with inefficient equipment and had his case adjourned to Magistrate's Court on June 3.

N.S. Thursday was elected as assistant secretary of the Maritime Conference of the United Church of Canada.

Mr. Moase succeeds Rev. Howard Christie of Marysville, N.B., who had resigned to study at Andover-Newton College in Boston.

Since his ordination in 1952, Mr. Moase has served as minister of the United Church at Northeast Harbor, N.S., Hunter River, P.E.I., and Oxford, N.S.

**WEATHER AFFECTS HOME**

CARLISLE, England (CP) — The weather affects marital

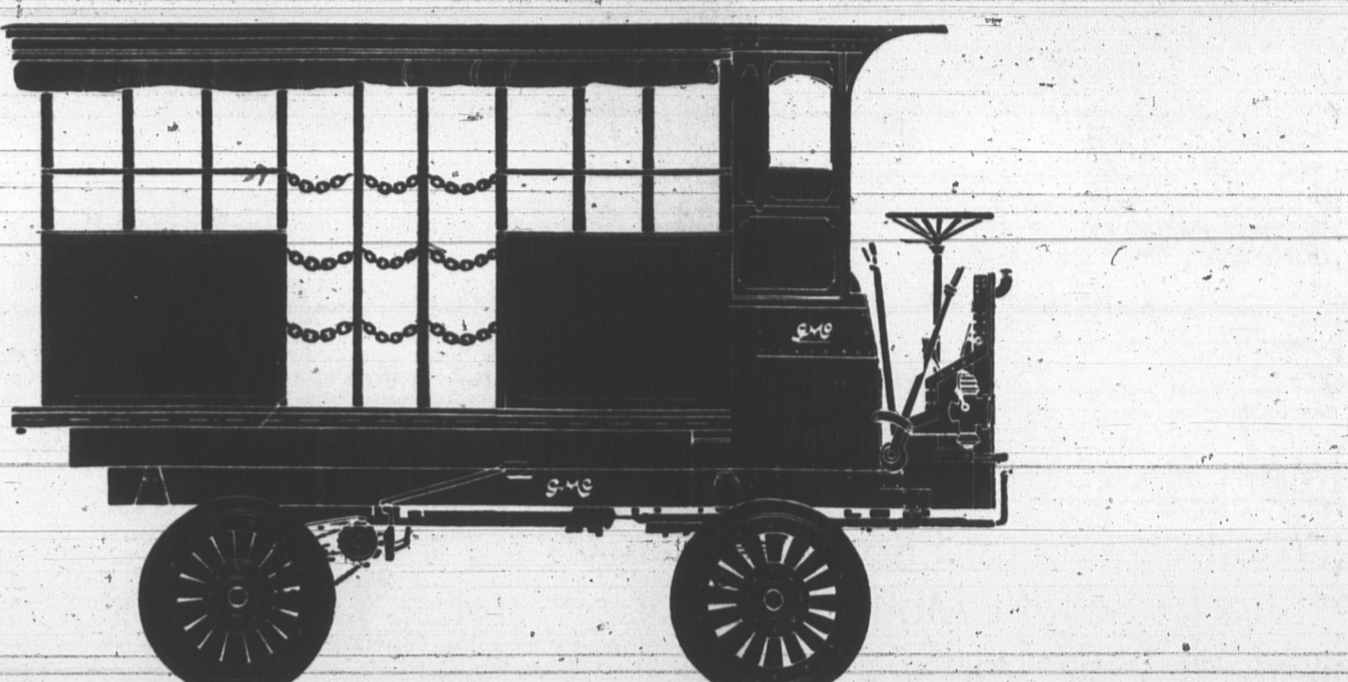
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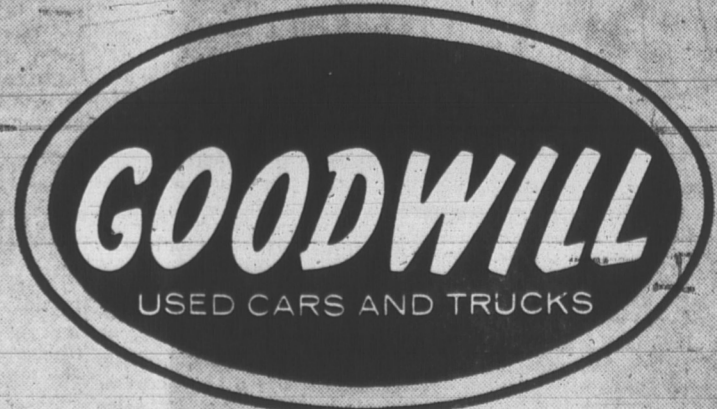


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