

QUEBEC (CP)—Thirty years ago today, the Union Nationale, with Maurice Duplessis at its head, came to power in Quebec's provincial legislature, thus ending almost 40 years of consecutive Liberal rule.

It was one of the most celebrated elections in Quebec political history—the end of one era and the start of another. The new party, formed from dissident Liberal elements and provincial Conservatives, swept in with 76 seats to the Liberals' 14 and began a reign that lasted—with a short war-years' break—until 1960.

Architect of the "shock victory" was dapper Duplessis, the fiercely ambitious political powerhouse who turned his own fortunes from a member for a powerless minority group to leader of a virtually unbeatable political machine.

Duplessis was first elected to the legislature as member for Trois-Rivieres in 1927 as a provincial conservative.

In 1933 he was elected leader of the Conservatives and began to loosen the party's ties with the federal party. He also made a strong appeal to the nationalist sentiment of the French-Canadian voter.

In 1935, a group of young dissatisfied Liberals known as l'Action Liberale Nationale rallied to the Duplessis banner, charging that the Liberal regime was "old and sterile."

In that year, Duplessis' Conservatives faced a Liberal party that had ruled since 1897. Under Premier Louis-Alexandre Taschereau, the 1931 election had resulted in 79 seats for the Liberals and 11 for the Conservatives.

The entry of l'Action Liberale Nationale into the autumn, 1935, provincial election, however, set the stage for the 1936 Liberal collapse. In this election, the Conservatives won 16 seats, l'Action Liberale Nationale took 26 and the Liberals took 48.

The senior group, which is one of the three groups trained by Miss Ross, performed in Moncton last Saturday and will perform in Shediac today and Saturday.

The Rosettes are divided into three groups; the senior group mentioned above, a junior group and a group which will perform on a float.

QUAKE SHAKES PAKISTAN—RAWALPINDI (Reuters)—An earthquake of moderate intensity shook Pakistan's historic northwest frontier city of Peshawar Tuesday. There were no immediate reports of casualties or damage.

Today the Union Nationale is in the new provincial government and two Union Nationale legislators are in the cabinet.

Mr. Parent indicated that road workers had been dismissed for political reasons since the June 5 Union Nationale electoral victory.

Dr. Boivin said Monday. "The Liberals tried hard to create hordes of red-trousers wearers and practised patronage furiously to the extent of segregation against a new race that appeared in the years after 1960—the blue Negroes."

The Liberal color is red and the Union Nationale color blue, and Dr. Boivin indicated that the Liberals had given jobs only to Liberal supporters and had treated UN supporters in the same way Negroes are treated in some areas.

Dr. Boivin made no direct reference to Mr. Parent's allegation that Laberge was playing unspecified "electoral games."

He produced figures which he said showed that only three per cent of roads employees in Charlottetown County kept their jobs after the Liberals came to power in 1960.

Furious Patronage Is Charged

CHICOUTIMI, Que. (CP)—Dr. Roch Boivin, minister without portfolio attached to the Quebec health department, has accused the former Liberal government of Jean Lesage of practising a "furious patronage" while in power.

The Union Nationale member of the legislature for Dubuc said Monday he was saying this in order to clear himself of claims of political favoritism made Aug. 12 against his assistant, Leon Laberge.

The accusations were made by Raymond Parent, professional director of the Quebec Civil Servants' Union, who said three ministers without portfolio

Ayrshire Sale Is Big Success

The Prince Edward Island Ayrshire Club Sale got underway last evening at the Exhibition Grounds, at 8.30.

In all there were 11 Ayrshire Heifers sold to a crowd of bidders whose offers ranged from \$400 to \$235. The sale was termed a fair one with most sellers being satisfied with the prices that they received for their animals.

The first animal sold fetched the biggest sale of the night, \$400. The ayshire, owned by Almond Wood and Sons was sold to Allan Scott MacKenzie of Scotsburn, Nova Scotia.

The animal that sold for the next highest price was sold to John Haslam of Springfield, P.E.I. The animal was formerly owned by A. MacRae and Sons of Charlottetown.

The total amount of money paid out for the Ayrshires totalled \$3,250. Claude Craswell was the auctioneer.

Premier Is Scheduled Next Week

"This Property is Condemned" a Paramount picture starring Natalie Wood, Kate Reid, Charles Bronson and Robert Redford will have its Canadian premiere at the North River Drive-In theatre next week.

The movie adapted from a Tennessee Williams play, by the same name, features Miss Reid, who is currently appearing in "The Ottawa Man" and "Turvey" at the Charlottetown Summer Festival, cast as Miss Wood's mother in the William's style drama.

The movie, which is due to be released for showing this month, was obtained by Ed Mullis, manager of the Capitol Theatre in Charlottetown and of the North River Drive-In through the theatre chain's head office. The movie is termed as "excellent" by trade magazines and Miss Reid had been acclaimed by reviewers for her performance.

Mr. Mullis said this morning that the movie has been booked into the "drive-in" for four days, but if necessary it can be held over for the week.

On Friday Miss Reid will be appearing in the "Gold Cup and Saucer Parade" on a float promoting the new film.

Dickieson: 2. Eric Laird and d Sons; 3. Cyril Jones. Mature cow—1. O. J. Newson and Sons; 2. Elmer K. Smith, Freetown; 3. Eric Laird and d Sons.

AYRSHIRES—Bull calf—1. and 3. Sterling Whidden; 2. Keith Boswell and Sons. Yearling bull—1. Almond Wood and Sons; 2. Sterling Whidden; 2. Keith Boswell and Sons.

Year-old female—1. Almond Wood and Sons; 2. MacRae and Sons; 3. Sterling Whidden. Two-year-old heifer—1. Lincoln Boswell, Charlottetown RR 3; 2. A. MacRae and Sons; 3. Almond Wood and Sons.

3-year-old heifer—1. Earle MacRae and Son; 2. George Boswall, Frenchofort; 3. A. MacRae and Sons. 4-year-old heifer—1. Earle MacRae and Son; 2. John Haslam, Springfield; 3. A. MacRae and Sons.

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son and Son; 2. Cormier Brothers; 3. Eric Laird and Sons, Milton. Yearling bull—1. H. B. Willis, Kingston; 2. Eric Laird and Sons.

Senior and junior yearlings females—1. Eric Laird and Sons; 2. S. C. Stewart and Sons, Charlottetown RR3; 3. B. B. Jones, Banbury. 2-year-old heifer—1 and 2. Cormier Brothers; 3. Cyril Jones, Pownall.

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TUDI WIGGINS and Marc Strange are seen here in a scene from the one-act play "The Typists" currently playing at the Kings Theatre in Georgetown. "The Typists" and "The Tiger" will be playing at the Kings Theatre, every night 9 o'clock.

Small Theatre Audience Sees Two One-Act Plays

Two excellent one-act plays, "The Typists" with Marc Strange and Tudi Wiggins and "The Tiger" with Mr. Strange and Anne Butler, drew a small but appreciative audience at the Kings Theatre in Georgetown on Monday night.

And for the small audience that was there last night, they were treated to "excellent performances by the small cast in two 'avant-garde' plays by Murray Schisgal, that can probably be best described as exciting.

Live theatre in general is new to P.E.I. and "avant-garde" theatre such as was seen Monday night is even newer, but it was nonetheless very much appreciated, which is a tribute to both the director Walter Massey and cast.

The choice of material was excellent, both productions gave the audience an opportunity to see our society in a light in which it is seldom seen, mainly because members of that society are afraid to examine it too deeply and to explore its ideals and principles.

TOUCHES OF HUMOR—The plays had their touches of humor, because looking objectively at life and various phases of it, can be very funny.

Centennial Commissioner Gives Address At Legion

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN—The commission had learned much from the Island's celebrations of the Charlottetown centennial in 1964 about which the commission had written a great deal of news copy and a feature film costing \$70,000 had been made.

"There are few corners left in North America," he said, "where the virtues of grace, unspoiled, balanced and natural living can still be found. The Island has a delightful balance of economic life as well. It does not have such extremes of riches and poverty found in so many other places. There is little wonder your tourist industry is growing so swiftly. Yet I am sure you have only scratched the surface of the tourist trade. The Island is one of the cleanest places I've come across in all my extensive travelling."

He said that the centennial commission is now working on no less than 2,640 projects. He ran down the list at length. Some 75 books, including historical works, biographies and pictorial narratives of Canada's history, are being commissioned. Authors are being assisted in the production of acceptable works of literature "significant of the occasion"; 25 films, many full program length, including a color panorama of Canada taken in a year's operations from a low-flying helicopter, covering every province and territory; the student exchange visits in the youth travel program, in which many thousands of young Canadians have taken part, the Confederation train and caravans which will visit close to a thousand communities; the military tattoo and performance festival; are a few of the projects the commission has in progress.

He mentioned the Montreal World's Fair, Expo 67, and the 1967 Pan-American Games in Winnipeg as two of the largest centennial projects, for which the commission was not responsible but which he looked forward to with keen interest and hoped millions from Canada and abroad would visit.

SOMETHING SPECIAL—"We've got something special in this country," he concluded. "Yes, the centennial is worth it, all the fuss we are making. Economically, politically, culturally, Canada is one of the most successful nations ever. Canadians should not be so doubting about themselves."

Master of ceremonies at the banquet was Summerside's Mayor George A. Key. Mr. Key noted in his brief remarks that 1967 presents "an opportunity for P.E.I. to become the tourist mecca of the country."

Head table guests were Premier Alex Campbell, Hon. David MacDonald, Dr. Frank MacKinnon, principal of P.W.C. and chairman of the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Trust; Hon. J. Earl Hickey, Senator O.H. Phillips, Charlottetown's Mayor

Walter Cox, Miss P.E.I. of 1966, Kay Andrews; and Mrs. Mildred Lewis, a member of the National Centennial Commission from Summerside.

The Summerside Legion Junior Concert Band played during the banquet. Mr. Fisher was met yesterday afternoon at the Summerside-Tourist Bureau and welcomed by Mayor Key, Premier Campbell and other dignitaries, after which a reception was held in the town hall, when Mr. Fisher signed the town guest book and met local citizens.

Mr. Fisher met with members of the Summerside Centennial Committee and the town council during the day.

Addressing a crowd that came from one end of the Island to the other, Mr. Fisher delivered a talk that was patriotic, stirring and at times hilarious in discussion of Canada's centennial plans and praise of the Island's and especially Summerside's enthusiasm for the centennial.

He had high praise for a brochure from the town of Summerside which presented "Canada's most ambitious year-long centennial program", according to the description on the brochure's cover, and expressed his pleasure that most of the activities listed were not primarily municipal, provincial or federal government planned, but were the centennial events planned and to be carried out by the people themselves. "The centennial will not come from the centennial commission," he said; "but from local initiative and endeavor."

STRESSES INTEREST—Mr. Fisher stressed the Island's extraordinary interest in the centennial, and noted that

DEATHS—REEVES—Suddenly at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. A. S. Johnston, Belmont, Lot 16, on Tuesday, Aug. 16, 1966, Walter S. Reeves of Burlington, Ont., formerly of Freetown, in his 37th year. Resting at the Bowness Funeral Home until noon on Friday, then to the United Church North Bedeque, for service at 2 p.m. Interment in Floral Hills Memorial Gardens. Visiting hours 2-4 and 7-10.

CORBETT—Suddenly at his home on Monday August 15, 1966, Heberd Corbett of Alberton in his 69th year. Forwarded from the Rooney Funeral Home to his late residence where private service will be held Thursday August 18 at 1:00 p.m. then to the United Church, Alberton, for service at 2:30 Interment in Woodlawn cemetery.

BELL—At her late residence, 89 Kent St. Tuesday, August 16, 1966, Helen P. Bell in her 77th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held Thursday, August 18th with service commencing at 1:30 p.m. Interment in peoples cemetery. Visiting hours 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 7 to 9 o'clock in the evening.

Baptist Church Has Baptismal

Baptismal held at East Point Baptist Church.

The sanctuary of the East Point Baptist Church was filled to capacity with members and visitors for the service of Christian baptism on Sunday night when twenty-three candidates were baptized.

The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. M.O. Smith in the new baptistry of the church which had been dedicated earlier in the evening to the glory of God and for the celebration of Christian baptism.

The church choir sang a number of selections during the service, and Lyn Sherwood of New York, sang a solo. Choir leader Kenneth MacGregor led the large congregation in a hymn.

Those baptized by their pastor, Rev. M.O. Smith were Peter Stewart, Robert Yates, Donald Robertson, Lynn Jarvis, Wanita and Bonita Boertion, Ruth MacVane, Eric Fraser, Donna Fraser, Connie Ching, Brenda MacGregor, Valerie Bruce, Lennie Mae Neil, Heather Robertson, Karolyn Bruce, Beverly Hunter, Karen Coffin, Sheila Dixon, Heather Rose, Rupert Roy, Bruce Byron, Bruce and Barbara Hunter.

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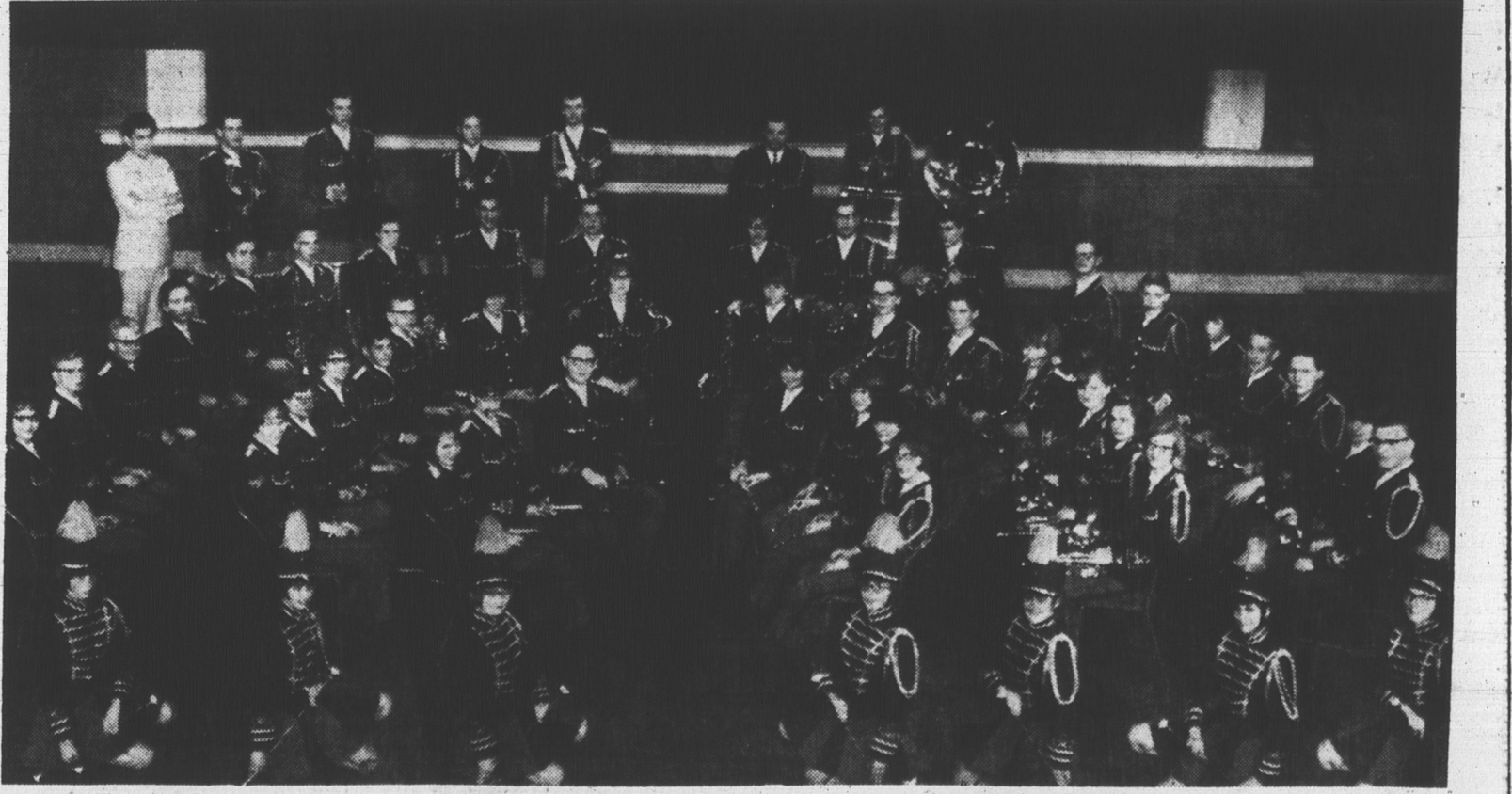
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