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## Transport Facilities 'Best Ever' Says MP.

OTTAWA — (Special) — Pledges on the Island are blowing "hot and cold" is Heath MacQuarrie, the member for Queen's summary after a weekend in P.E.I.

Mr. MacQuarrie made three observations and one prediction: that the Conservatives will win the coming provincial election.

"There is a great deal of uncertainty about the provincial government's plans for hospital insurance," he remarked.

Changes in the original voluntary basis of the program had confused people," he said.

"There are those who think the air might be cleared if the Government accepted Shaw's challenge to go to the people.

On transportation the Queens MP said the federal decision to build a new ferry had been "greeted with approval," and that the replanking of the Scotia II to operate full-time this summer had been "well received."

"These provide the most ample transportation facilities we have ever had," Mr. MacQuarrie said.

Finally, turning to the upcoming provincial general election, Mr. MacQuarrie said "prospects for the Conservatives look good." He mentioned Mr. Shaw's agricultural background as giving people confidence in his ability to head a provincial government.

Even history, he said, was on the side of the Conservatives. Prince Edward Island, traditionally followed the Federal lead swinging Liberal or Conservative as Ottawa did.

## Short Lobsters Result In Fines

Before Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet, Q.C. at Souris yesterday three cases under the Fisheries Act were tried.

Frederick Mosher of Savage Harbor pleaded not guilty of having short lobsters. Evidence was heard which resulted in Mr. Mosher being found guilty and fined \$75 and costs.

When apprehended Mr. Mosher had 85 short lobsters.

The second case was that of Garfield Carling of Souris. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs. He had 99 short lobsters.

The third case was that of Oliver Smith of Mt. Stewart. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$21 and costs. He had 32 short lobsters.

The case of a transient resident of Rockbera charged with failing to properly care for a horse was adjourned for one week.

## Legion Seeks Blood Donors

Again this year a strong committee from the O'Leary Branch of the Canadian Legion is making preparations for the Red Cross blood donor clinic which takes place in the Legion Home at O'Leary on Tuesday evening, June 23rd between 7 and 9.

This Legion committee is composed of representatives residing in the different districts surrounding O'Leary who will canvass their own areas for donors and in this way insure the success of the clinic.

Members of the committee are Brad MacKay, Coleman; John Ellis, West Point; Albert Galant, Roxbury; Harry MacWilliams and Dr. George Dewar, O'Leary.

O'Leary's objective for Tuesday evening's clinic is 178 donors which is the highest number attained at a clinic of this kind in O'Leary in the past. The committee feels confident that with the concerted canvass being made an even better result can be obtained this time.

Mrs. Sam Cornish is the convener of the O'Leary Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Committee who will do the catering at the clinic, and provide other volunteer assistance for the mobile team from Halifax.

## Impaired Drivers Are Fined In Kings Magistrate's Court

MONTAGUE — Kings County magistrate's court was held at Georgetown on Wednesday with Stipendiary Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet, Q.C., presiding.

A resident of Corvaille was fined \$30 and costs for causing a disturbance in a public place by being drunk.

A resident of Guernsey Cove and a resident of Georgetown both charged with driving while intoxicated pleaded guilty to the lesser charge of driving while impaired and were each fined \$65 and costs. S. S. Hessian, Q.C., represented the Georgetown resident.

A Charlottetown resident was fined \$25 and costs for having liquor in his possession which had not been purchased from the vendors.

A resident of Iris pleaded guilty to a charge of failing to stop at the scene of an accident and he was fined \$25 and an order was issued cancelling the registration of his motor vehicle.

A resident of Murray River was fined \$20 and costs for having liquor in a place other than his residence.

A resident of Murray River was fined \$10 and costs for permitting an unlicensed person to drive his motor vehicle.

A resident of Montague was fined \$50 and costs when he pleaded guilty to driving while he was disqualified from holding a licence.

A Georgetown resident was ordered to destroy his dog within one week when convicted under a town of Georgetown by-law for being the owner of a dog which had not been provoked, bit an 11-year old boy.

## Souris Memorial To Be Floodlit

The Souris Branch, Canadian Legion, held its regular meeting, on Tuesday evening with the president, Harvey Poole in the chair.

Plans were made for placing of floodlights on the Veterans' Monument at the corner of Main and Chapel Streets.

A donation of \$50 was voted to the Retarded Children campaign also \$100 to a resident who lost his dwelling in a recent fire.

## ADULT POLIO CLINIC

For 1st, 2nd and 3rd Inoculations  
At R. T. Holman's Store, Summerside

Friday, June 19th

2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

7 to 9 p.m.

THE graduating class of Alberton High School: Front row, left to right, Irma Matthews, Jean Barbour, Dorothy MacNeill, Lorraine Campbell, center row: Joyce Arsenault, Janet Profit, Eva Raynor, Ann Livingstone, Norma Horne. Back row: James MacNeill, Douglas Currie, Barbara Mountain, Evan Harris, Garth Wilkie.

## DR. FRANK MACKINNON IS SPEAKER

# Alberton Graduates Urged To Value Their Education

ALBERTON — Lorraine Campbell was valedictorian at the graduation exercises of Alberton High School yesterday afternoon. The guest speaker was Dr. Frank MacKinnon, principal of Prince of Wales College.

By courtesy of the management, the exercises were held in Princess Theatre. Eimer McLean was chairman.

Following the singing of "O Canada", the salutary was given by Dorothy McNeill who said that the best way for the graduating class to show appreciation to teachers and parents is to pattern their lives according to the standards they have been taught to cherish.

Certificates, diplomas, prizes and graduation honors were presented by Winston Currie, principal of Alberton School, and R.D. McKinnon, chairman of the school board.

Valedictorian Lorraine Campbell referred to graduation as a time to look to the past and to the future; as an event which is a mixture of joy and sadness, of content and discontent. She made reference to the real meaning of education and expressed the appreciation of the class to teachers, parents and citizens of the community who have made it possible for them to gain their high school education.

She called on her classmates to struggle on to achieve glory for their Alma Mater and to try to benefit mankind. The school chorus sang, "Alma Mater, We'll Be True."

NOT AN END  
In addressing the graduates, Dr. MacKinnon extended to them cordial congratulations and reminded them that graduation is not an end but only a beginning. The value of an education does

not lie in certificates or diplomas but in the use one makes of it. He advised the class to get as much education as opportunity affords and then make good use of it, and to keep their minds fresh and active.

"Education, he said, "is more than exposure to facts and figures. It takes effort to make knowledge effective. In an age when so much advice is thrown at people, one must learn to discriminate. In a changing world one must have an open and tolerant mind; in an age of progress one must have a mind that "can think things out."

"Do not put too much emphasis on security," he said. "Avoid being like the young man of twenty, who, when applying for a job, asked what his pension would be. Learn to fly rather than float. One of the weaknesses of education is that most of it prepares

one for the expected. Life has a different form of curriculum. In it we have to meet and overcome obstacles."

His final word of advice was for members of the class to put their trust in Divine Power. "The spiritual force in this world is stronger than the mental or the physical."

In closing he recommended to the graduates that they recognize this graduation day as a day of reconnaissance. Let each have a good look at himself or herself and ask, "where am I going? What are the best tactics if I am to have a busy and fruitful life?"

Accompanist for the afternoon was Mrs. Harry Rogan.

The graduating class, members of the teaching staff and their wives, Dr. and Mrs. MacKinnon were entertained at a turkey dinner by members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Alberton Canadian Legion.

FELLOWSHIP AWARDS  
OTTAWA (CP) — The Canada Council announced Wednesday that junior non-resident fellowships, with an average value of \$2,000 plus travelling allowance, have been awarded to 65 young scholars from 39 countries. The fellowships will help the students finance a year's study at Canadian universities.

## ISLAND BRIEFS

**WORKMAN HURT**  
Avis Arsenault, South Rustico, is a patient in Prince County Hospital, Summerside, suffering from injuries received while working on the roof of a building.

**TO ATTEND COURSE**  
Major O.R. Simons, Provincial Civil Defence Co-ordinator, is leaving today to attend a staff course at the Canadian Civil Defence College, Annapolis, Ontario, and at the Civil Defence Headquarters at Ottawa. Major Simons will be away about two weeks.

**MACKAY FUNERAL** — The funeral of the late Mrs. William MacKay was held yesterday afternoon from the Pentecostal Church, Murray River. Service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Bishop, Rev. A. MacFarlane and Mr. Robert D. Cross. The pall bearers were Messrs: Dan Horton, George Whiteway, Samuel Beck, Jack Ferguson, Alex MacDonald, Lea Hooper. Interment was in Murray River cemetery.

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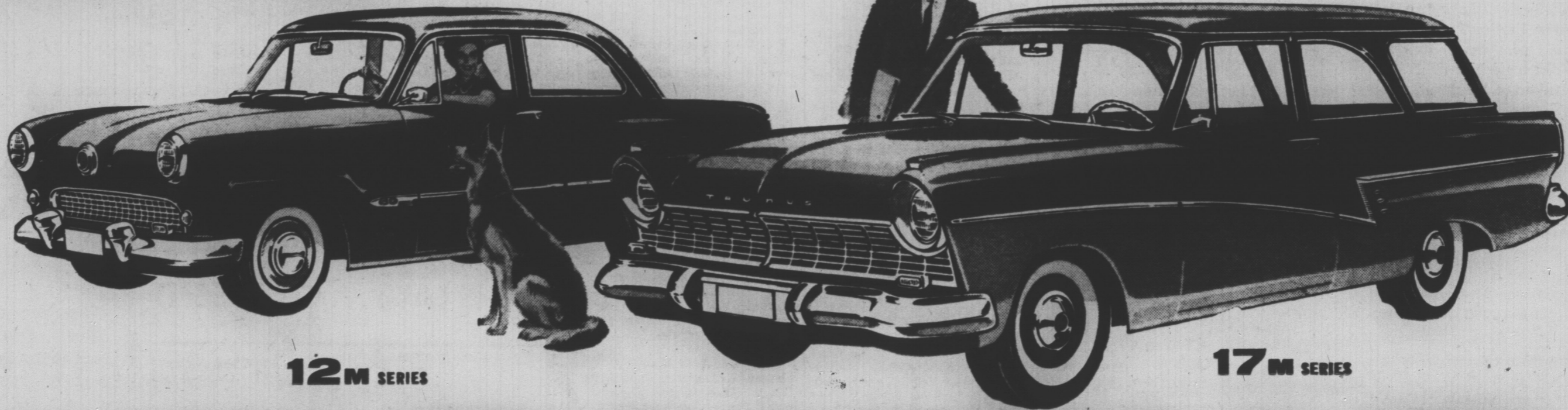
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