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Members Of Adult Education Panel

The five members of the interesting panel discussion "Looking Ahead in the Atlantic Provinces—The Regional View" are pictured

Coming Events

- **Your Saturday night Jamboree—Forum.
- **Rollo Bay Picnic, Wednesday, July 13th.
- **Dance cancelled, Grandview Hall tonight.
- **Reserve Wednesday, July 6th for Kinkora Picnic.
- **Dance, St. Andrew's Hall, Mt. Stewart every Wednesday.
- **Remember the Orange Tea, Crapaud, July 12th.
- **Dance, Fortune Hall, every Tuesday night 9:30-12:30.
- **Dance Vernon River hall Tuesday, June 28.
- **Unloading wheat today. Three dollars per cwt. McGuigan & Boyle.
- **Lobster supper, Holy Name Hall, St. Peter's Bay, Tuesday, June 28.
- **Ice Cream Social, North Granville, Wednesday, June 29th. Sponsored by Y. P. U.
- **"The Irish Millionaire" at Pownall Hall tonight, 8:30 Standard.
- **Reserve July 6th for Picnic, Immaculate Conception Parish, Wellington.
- **At Kinkora Hall, Tuesday, June 28th, 3-act comedy by Kelly's Cross Players.
- **Forest Hill Hall, Wednesday, 28th June. Benefit Dance and Cakes Auction Sale. Turner's Orchestra.
- **Regular Dance, Stanley Bridge every Tuesday. Rollie McKenzie's Orchestra.
- **Lobster supper, Holy Name Hall, St. Peter's Bay, Tuesday, June 28.
- **Regular Dance, Crapaud Rink Wednesday night—Burns' Orchestra.
- **Come to the dance in Kinkora Hall, Thursday, June 30th. Good music.
- **Dance, Lorne Valley Hall, Tuesday, June 28. Webster's Orchestra.
- **Reserve Wednesday, July 6, for the Murray Harbor annual tea party.
- **Pantry Sale, Simpsons—Sears Thursday, June 30th, at 2.30. East Royalty 4-H Club.
- **Ice cream social in Fredericton Thursday, June 30th. Sponsored by Christian Church W.M.S.
- **Missionary rally to be held at Kingston United Church at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 30. Lunch served.
- **Attention C.W.L. members. Remember Retreat at Notre Dame Academy starting Friday, July 1st at 8 p.m.
- **St. Margaret's Parish Lobster Supper, Tuesday, June 28th, 5.00 p.m. Ladies and Lassies Pipe Band will perform.
- **Pantry Sale, Holman's, Thursday, June 30th, 6 p.m. Daylight Time in aid of Christ Church, Cherry Valley.
- **Stock-Car Dance, Covehead Raceway, Tuesday, June 28th. Everybody welcome. 80 cents per person.
- **Unloading earload bulk red spring wheat, Wednesday and Thursday. Only \$2.95 per cwt. cash off ear. Bring bags. R. L. Dickson, New Glasgow.
- **Caledonian Club Cellidh at Stanhope Beach Inn, Wednesday, June 29th, 7 p.m. (Daylight). Lobster Supper and excellent programs.
- **Winsloe United Church annual tea is just around the corner. Wednesday, July 6th. Delectable home cooking. Once you have attended you will come again.
- **We have in stock New Holland balers, model 66, motor driven and P.T.O., model 77 motor driven. Balers and side rakes. We also have in stock Baler and Binder Twine, Master Feeds in mesh, pellet and krum form. L. Rossiter, Grafton St. East. Phone 3185 and 5717.

above a few seconds before the discussion got underway yesterday afternoon at Saint Dunstan's University.

The panel discussion was part of the programme which officials prepared for the Atlantic Regional Conference of the Canadian Association for Adult Education which is being held here this week.

From left to right in the picture are J. L. Dewar, Secretary

of the P.E.I. Federation of Agriculture; Hugh Whelan, Professor of Political Science at the University of New Brunswick; Dr. D.G.G. Kerr, Director of Extension and Professor of History at Mount Allison University; R. W. Ganong, President of the Atlantic Provinces Economic Council; D. J. Gannon, President of the N.S. Federation of Labor (T.C.L.) (Barter's Film Lab)

New Racing And Sports Commission Personnel

Premier Matheson announced yesterday that Hon. Walter E. Darby, Summerside, Judge of the County Court of Prince County had been appointed chairman of the Provincial Racing and Sports Commission. Associated with him are Messrs. James Pendergast, Secretary, and Douglas MacLeod, member of the Commission. The Commission was appointed in accordance with legislation passed at the last meeting of the House.

Under the Act, the Commission is given full power "to prescribe rules, regulations and conditions under which all horse racing or other sporting events shall be conducted in the Province, and may require the owner or owners of any race track to take out a license to hold or conduct a horse racing meeting or meetings within the Province, and may likewise require the owner or owners of any place of competitive public

entertainment to be licensed pursuant to such rules, regulations or conditions."

The Commission, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, may fix and determine the amount of license fees to be paid and may vary the amount of such fees on the number of proposed racing meetings or competitive public entertainment, to be held during the season.

The statute provides that "any person, firm or corporation holding a racing meeting or other form of competitive public entertainment in contravention of the provisions of this Act or of the regulations made thereunder shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars and shall also be liable to cancellation of any license then held by him."

Noted Island Artist To Exhibit Pictures Here

OTTAWA, (Special) — Hubert Rogers, prominent Prince Edward Island artist is busy completing the packing of a special exhibit of his paintings planned to go on view at the Charlottetown Civic Centre on or about July 7. The showing is being held at the invitation of the Centennial Committee and will be open during the balance of the month of July.

Among Mr. Rogers' oil paintings to be shown is one of the lobster boat-races at Alberton, now the property of the Canadian Club of New York and occupying an honored place in the Waldorf Hotel. There is a portrait study of Earl Alexander, former Governor-General of Canada which is being loaned by the National Gallery for the Charlottetown exhibition.

One of the more recent works from the brush of Mr. Rogers is a new study of the centre block of the Parliament Buildings, at Ottawa.

The latter was just completed last summer under no small difficulty. Passers-by and visitors to Parliament Hill gathered around the easel so closely that he had little space in which to use his brush, and indeed at times the subject itself was obscured by the crowd. Despite these disadvantages, Mr. Rogers proceeded with the painting and obtained effects in color and brilliance that attracted highest commendation.

Also to be shown at the Rogers' exhibit are portraits of prominent Prince Edward Islanders and others of those who in build, facial appearance, dress and calling are "characteristic Islanders." They include fishermen, farmers, younger people and the famous racing driver Joe O'Brien.

Among those prominent in public life of the province caught by Mr. Rogers' brush are Chief Justice Thane Campbell, J. Watson MacNaught, Liberal M.P., for (Continued on page 2, col. 7)

Coal Production

OTTAWA (CP)—Coal production increased in Canada during May to 1,019,000 tons from 972,539 tons in the corresponding month last year.

The bureau of statistics reported Monday that the production in the first five months of 1955 dropped to 6,073,038 tons from 6,364,240 tons last year.

Landed imports of coal rose in May to 2,299,392 tons from 2,861,296 tons and in the five-month period to 5,946,349 tons from 5,203,598 tons last year.

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Canadian Ship Blown Ashore In Red China

LONDON (Reuters)—The Canadian freighter Champlain has been blown ashore on the Chinese Communist island of Hainan by a typhoon, her London agents reported Monday night.

They said the 7,125-ton vessel went aground Sunday and the British crew of about 35 were stranded on the desolate coast of the island, about 250 miles from Hong Kong, waiting to be rescued.

A radio message from the Champlain's master, Capt. Alfred Sumnerfield of England, said "all is well."

The London agents said "reports indicate that she is not seriously damaged and we hope that the crew will be able to reboard her and refloat her." There is no expectation that the Chinese Communists will hamper the operation, a spokesman added.

Air Exercise On Wednesday

HALIFAX (CP)—Nearly 15,000 civilian volunteers of the RCAF ground observer corps in the Maritimes and Gaspé peninsula will be on the alert Wednesday as Exercise June Bug gets underway.

Twenty-eight planes from RCAF stations at Greenwood, N. S., and Chatham, N.B. will simulate a sneak attack starting at 10 a.m. When they return to base at 8 p.m. they will have covered 20,000 miles.

The exercise was originally scheduled for June 8 but was delayed by bad weather. Newfoundland will not be included in the air defence test but will hold a separate exercise later.

The observers in some 750 posts scattered throughout the area will telephone plane spottings to filter stations at Truro and Moncton where speed and direction will be evaluated on plotting tables.

During a similar test last November the two filter stations received 2,500 flash calls from observer posts. About 3,500 are expected Wednesday.

Million Acre Spray Job Ends

CAMPBELLTON, N. B. (CP)—Spraying of 1,000,000 acres of new Brunswick forest against budworm infestation was concluded Sunday.

Completion of the work was announced by Forest Protection Limited, a co-operative organization formed by government and industry.

This year's spraying operations were carried out in northern New Brunswick and the last field sprayed was near Charlo.

In Quebec, a similar program is being carried out in the Gaspé peninsula by Forest Industries Association. Approximately 50 planes, operating from four fields, have sprayed 900,000 acres in recent weeks. With two more good flying days the target of 1,000,000 acres for this year will have been reached.

CHANGE PARTY NAME
WASAGAMING, Man., (CP)—The Manitoba Progressive Conservative association has passed a resolution, almost unanimously, asking that the word "progressive" be dropped from the national party's name. The resolution was one of 37, touching on all aspects of government policy, which were approved at the association's one-day convention Saturday.

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Parliament At A Glance

By THE CANADIAN PRESS Monday

Hon. Earle Rowe (PC-Dufferin-Simcoe) demanded government reform of the Senate, saying Liberal governments have made it a laughing stock.

Prime Minister St. Laurent said none of the 37 persons he appointed to the Senate was asked to make any political commitment.

The Commons passed a bill allowing credit unions, as well as banks, to grant government-backed loans to fishermen.

The Senate gave approval in principle to salary increases for judges and passed a bill lowering the qualifying age for blind pensions to 18.

The Commons resumes debate on defence production. The Senate will sit.

Montreal Drops Civil Defence

OTTAWA (CP) — Federally-owned civil defence training equipment loaned to Montreal is going to be re-distributed to other municipalities following that city's decision to discontinue financial support of CD training.

A federal CD spokesman here said Monday federal equipment on loan to Montreal includes 14,500 respirators, 35 wireless sets, six fire pumps and three rescue trucks complete with equipment.

The latter two items are valued at \$146,000 but no value was attached to the remainder.

The equipment is loaned to municipalities through the provinces on condition it must be used for training in local CD programs.

26 Entered Monday in Miss Canada Pageant

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — Twenty-six young Canadian women registered here Monday as contestants in the Miss Canada pageant which opens Thursday.

The list of contestants, who must have talent as well as beauty, includes 10 monologists, five sopranos, two contraltos, two popular singers, two pianists, two tap dancers, two fashion designers and one baton twirler.

The list of original list of 30 have withdrawn and one has wished to say she will not arrive here until Thursday due to a throat infection.

Sisters Jacqueline and Madeleine Guertin of Quebec City have both declined to enter the contest because their mother is sick. Estelle Bellow of Regina has also withdrawn, contest officials said.

Carolyne Leslie Leonard of St. John, N.B., will not arrive in London until Thursday, first day of the preliminary judging.

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Canadian Airmen Get Pat On Back At NATO Exercise

By RON EVANS METZ, France (CP)—Heading into the last lap of exercise Carte Blanche, Canada's 600 flying men seem sure of a pat on the back from the official brass.

By Monday night, they had flown 1,811 sorties in this largest of all NATO air manoeuvres and had been credited with 108 aircraft destroyed. Another 608 "probables" await confirmation by the umpires. Fifty-three "enemy" machines have been damaged.

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Maritime Automobile Dealers In Convention

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The delegates were officially welcomed yesterday morning by His Worship, Mayor J. David Stewart in a ceremony presided over by Mr. W. R. Jenkins, Charlottetown, president of the Maritime Association.

In his remarks Mayor Stewart urged the Association to watch its membership and if possible to strengthen it during the next few years.

He expressed the hope that the meetings would be interesting and fruitful and the dealers stay in the Province enjoyable. "I extend to you a most happy welcome from the City Council and all our citizens," he stated.

He also pointed out that this year the city was going all out to welcome numerous conventions and that the automobile dealers convention was quite an important one due to its nature of business and also to the fact that the automobile dealers had not met in Charlottetown for quite a number of years.