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## Tax Rate May Be Known In Summerside This Week

SUMMERSIDE—Changes in the 1959 Summerside budget necessitated by the expansion of school facilities to provide accommodation for some 700 students from St. Mary's Academy, along with additional students from the new Hillcrest housing development, has necessitated a revision of the tax rate.

At the regular meeting of the Summerside Town Council last evening Councillor Leo Wood, chairman of the Finance committee said that the assessment

roll has been completed for some time, and indicated that the tax rate would soon be established, perhaps within the present week.

Councillor Wood said that his committee had completed the town portion of the budget in time for an early tax rate announcement, but the recent school expansion program had resulted in the present delay. He indicated that the 1959 tax discount date would be extended as was done

The council heard correspondence from William Heckbert offering the town, in exchange for water and sewerage service, the land known as Heckbert's Lane, together with sufficient land on either side of the lane to make a new street. The letter was turned over to the street committee for consideration.

Councillor MacCausland reported that negotiations are being conducted with Maritime Electric Company in regard to the sale of Summerside-owned rural electric lines. There were 26 new electrical service connections made within the town during the month, two dozen of these being made at Hillcrest park. He recommended the purchase of new circuit breaking equipment which has become necessary due to overloading of electrical circuits from the increasing demand for electricity.

## American Professor To Speak At Mount Allison Institute

SACKVILLE, N.B.—The relation between politics and philosophy will be the subject of a lecture by the distinguished American scholar, Dr. Frederick M. Watkins, at the opening session of the Mount Allison 1959 Summer Institute to be held in Sackville Aug. 13-15, it was announced today by the institute's director, Professor Philip Lockwood.

The theme of the institute will be "Canadian Politics", which will be considered from many angles by leading scholars, journalists and statesmen, in lectures, panels and informal discussions.

Dr. Watkins, who is professor of political science at Yale University, will introduce the institute theme by outlining the philosophical bases of the two main political traditions of the west, conservatism and liberalism.

His major work, completed while he was at McGill University deals with the theme he will pursue in his lecture at the Mount Allison Summer Institute. It is entitled "Political Tradition Of The West" in the Introduction to which Dr. Watkins states as his objective the "Re-assessment of the historic position of modern liberalism" in a time when, faced with the fatal attractiveness of totalitarian systems, liberalism is undergoing its most serious crisis.

Dr. Watkins was born in Providence, R.I., and graduated from Harvard University with a B.A. summa cum laude in 1930. From 1933 to 1945 he alternated between Cornell and Harvard universities

as a lecturer in political science, earning his Ph.D. degree along the way from the latter institution in 1939.

## Tour Rigors

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Queen's health was almost the only topic of conversation among the 50-man press corps that has reported the Royal Visit since its beginning in St. John's, Nfld. Officially, there was no change in the program — she would fly to Yellowknife, on to Uranium City and into Edmonton in the evening. She was feeling "tremendously improved" after a day of rest.

Then came the not unexpected announcement that Her Majesty would remain in Whitehorse for the rest of the day. The prince would visit Yellowknife and Uranium City with the Queen flying to Edmonton on the RCAF C-5 that accompanies the royal Viscount later.

The Queen's indisposition has been attributed officially to weariness, strain and the hot weather. Behind her on her arrival Saturday was an exhausting schedule in British Columbia during part of which she was driving in an open car under a blazing sun 80 miles from Nanaimo to Victoria. It also was an exhausting trip before that.

Throughout the arduous 46-day tour only two days of complete relaxation were on the schedule. Those came July 12-13 in the interior of B.C. Ahead of the royal couple lie 12 days of grueling travel and official receptions—a full day in Edmonton today, a day moving from north to south in Saskatchewan, a day in Manitoba and then flights to Eastern Canada.

News of the Queen's indisposition dampened the enthusiasm of this boisterous Yukon capital. A crowd had gathered at the airport for the scheduled 10 p.m. departure and when the prince drove out alone from the RCAF guest house, they looked grave. There were no cheers as the prince took off in the Royal Tour Viscount.

Across the field, in the temporary press room set up in the airport's library, a tense atmosphere prevailed. Esmond Butler, the Queen's press secretary, had scheduled a press conference for 9:15 a.m. More than 50 newspaper men and photographers were on hand.

Mr. Butler did not appear. The two long-distance telephone lines to Edmonton were being held open. Then came word that Mr. Butler was conferring with surgeon-captain Derek D. Sturgeon-Perkins, the Queen's personal physician.

At 9:50 a.m., when the royal couple had been scheduled to leave the guest house for the drive across the field, the Queen had not appeared. Nor had Mr. Butler.

At 10 o'clock, the official departure time for Yellowknife, the prince shot across the field. Mr. Butler came to the press room to announce: "The Queen is better but has not fully recovered."

"In view of the heavy day the

rights invaded. "Our rights have been invaded by the federal government, and we will not cease our resistance until these rights have been fully restored," he said.

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CEYLON

### VISITOR FROM CEYLON

Harisha Packraisibo, (left) age 16 from Ceylon will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell St. John of Charlottetown between August 1st-10th.

Harisha is one of the four delegates coming from Ceylon to attend the Junior Red Cross International Study Centre. She is one of the 150 delegates from over 40

## Mortgage Burning Ceremony Held By New Glasgow Group

NEW GLASGOW — The New Glasgow and District Junior Farmers Association is a happy organization today. Last night it held a celebration to mark the burning of the mortgage on the new Recreation Hall.

The new centre, newly painted and landscaped with lawn and fence in place has already started to play an important role in community affairs.

A few finishing touches such as screens for the windows, a combination door, a sign, shrubs and window boxes, and cement walks to the two doors are to be added.

The P.E.I. Hospital Service Commission is to be billed for use of the centre and the Junior Farmers Federation is also to be billed for use of the centre's sound system and amplifier.

A strawberry festival will be held in the centre tomorrow and a Red Cross blood clinic is slated for the hall on Aug. 24. Now that the association has erected and paid for its Recreation Centre, a start is to be made on another community project and assistance given to a third.

The second project is the construction of a new fire hall and this will start immediately, it was announced at the regular meeting.

## 131 Attend Paynter Picnic Held At Harold Mill's Shore

KENSINGTON — The annual Paynter Picnic was held on July 1st at Harold Mill's Shore, Clermont with an attendance of 131, the second largest on record.

Verdun Paynter was master of ceremonies for the afternoon's program which featured races for all ages, for which prizes were awarded.

Bruce Paynter the only member of the picnic group who had passed away during the past year was lovingly remembered. The absence of Mrs. Austin Rogers for the first time in the history of the picnic was noted with regret, and a treat and flowers were sent to her at the hospital where she was a patient.

The success of the picnic was mostly due to the efforts of the committee, Mrs. Herbert Profit, Mrs. Leith Paynter and Mrs. Terman Payne.

Mrs. Horace Paynter, Mrs. Elmer Burt and Mrs. Elmer Moase were appointed as the 1960 picnic committee.

Following are the sports events: Under school age, 1. John Warren, 2. James Marchbank, 3. Allan Mayne.

Six and 7 years, 1. Bryan McInnis, 2. Erwin Johnstone.

Eight and 9 years, girls, 1. Marlene Daye, 2. Marion Kielly, 3. Brenda Mayne.

Eight and 9 years, boys, 1. Jimmie Mayne, 2. Blair Mayne, 3. Wendell Sinclair and Wendell Warren.

Ten and 11, boys and girls, 1. Alden Profit, 2. Donald Moase, 3. Joan Mayne.

Twelve and 13, girls, 1. Ruthie Johnstone, 2. Leah Mayne, 3. Marjorie Paynter.

Girls 14 and over, 1. Loretta Mill and Laura Bell, 2. Edith Sinclair and Jean Mayne.

Boys 14 and over, 1. Erwin Brown, 2. Francis Moase, 3. Myron Paynter.

Free-for-all girls, 1. Ruthie Johnstone, 2. Jean Mayne, 3. Joyce Daye and Laura Bell.

Free-for-all boys, 1. Erwin Brown, 2. Francis Moase, 3. James Paynter.

Free-for-all boys, 1. Erwin Brown, 2. James Paynter, 3. Clarence Moase.

Married men, 1. Wendell Mayne, 2. Hermon Mayne, 3. Verdun Paynter.

Married women, 1. Mrs. Lyman Moase, 2. Mrs. Elmer Burt, 3. Mrs. Clarence-Marebank.

tion and failure, the federal party has now attained the very pinnacle of political success. It is now the government of Canada.

"I am now compelled to leave it because I have had my faith shattered," Mr. Duffy said.

"Carrying on alone, Mr. Hollett single-handedly stymied Premier Smallwood's attempt to introduce a resolution formally condemning the Newfoundland Grants Act.

Under House rules a notice of motion must be made before the resolution could be introduced.

Unanimous consent of the House is necessary for waiving of the notice of motion. Mr. Hollett voted against, forcing the premier to delay presentation of the resolution until today.

Mr. Smallwood lashed out at the federal act which ends special financial assistance to Newfoundland March 31, 1962.

RIGHTS INVADED

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EXPRESSES REGRET

Mr. Duffy expressed regret at leaving the Conservative party.

He said he could not reconcile his thinking with that of Prime Minister Diefenbaker. Progressive Conservative principles had been "scrapped for political expediency."

"After those years of frustra-

## 120 Girl Guides Spent Week Camping Near Murray River

MONTAGUE—One hundred and twenty Girl Guides and Guides attended a most successful group camp held under canvas last week at Point Pleasant, near Murray River. Camp Commandant, Mrs. Jack Rawek, was in charge of Guides from Souris, Morell, Montague, Charlottetown and Parkdale.

The camp was divided into three sections with the Basilica and Trinity Guides from Charlottetown being joined on one site under the name, "Basinity".

Montague and Souris Guides were grouped on the site named "Sourague", and Morell and Parkdale Guides were on the site named "Parkrell".

Mrs. Rawek was assisted by Mrs. Earl Taylor, Mrs. Bill Reid, and Miss Dennis of Basinity; Mrs. Connie Haley, Mrs. Harry Verhaeven, Miss Charlotte Gordon of Sourage; and Mrs. Don Mitton, Mrs. Lawrence Blakeney, Mrs. Jim Cudmore and Miss Juanita MacDonald of Parkrell.

Camp nurse was Miss Gloria Gallant, Charlottetown; swimming instructor, Miss Jeanette Peckers, Souris assisted by Mrs. Jeanie Dingwell, Souris and Miss Eleanor Farmer, Charlottetown. The camp cook was Mrs. Dennis and quartermaster, Mrs. Don MacMillan, both of Charlottetown.

During the week-long camp, the Guides were active in passing a number of badges in second and first class work, and nightly campfires were the highlight of each day's busy routine.

When the School Unit was dissolved by the Darcy Commission in 1957, there was a total debt of \$140,000. The Commission allotted the debt as follows: Central Royalty, \$36,000; East Royalty \$19,500; West Royalty \$15,000 and Winsloe \$19,500. The remaining amount of \$50,000 was assumed by the provincial government and paid in a lump sum.

The interest rate which the districts were required to pay was 3 1/2 percent. Parkdale and Spring Park who had built their schools previous to the forgoing of the district were not required to assume any of the unit's debt.

Councillor Arsenault's report as chairman of the police department was presented by Councillor Dewar. Councillor Morrison, chairman of the parks and buildings committee reported that the interior of the stadium, and the exterior of the fire hall had been painted, and a new guard rail had been replaced to prevent damage by cars to the stadium wall.

Councillor Rogers chairman of the water committee, said that new hydrants had been installed on Ottawa and Elm Streets, and drinking fountains had been placed in the parks.

Mayor Currie presided at the meeting, and all councillors were present.

## Tyne Valley Man Draws \$100 Fine

SUMMERSIDE — A resident of Tyne Valley was fined \$100 and costs or seven days' after pleading guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated.

The accused appeared before Magistrate R. S. Hinton, Q.C. in Summerside Police Court yesterday morning.

The charge was reduced from driving while intoxicated. The charge arose as the result of an accident early Sunday morning on Central Street, when the accused man's car collided with a taxi driven by Ben Arsenault. Both cars were damaged extensively.

A Summerside man paid \$20 and costs for being intoxicated in a public place, when four others forfeited bail of \$25 when they failed to appear to face similar charges of intoxication.

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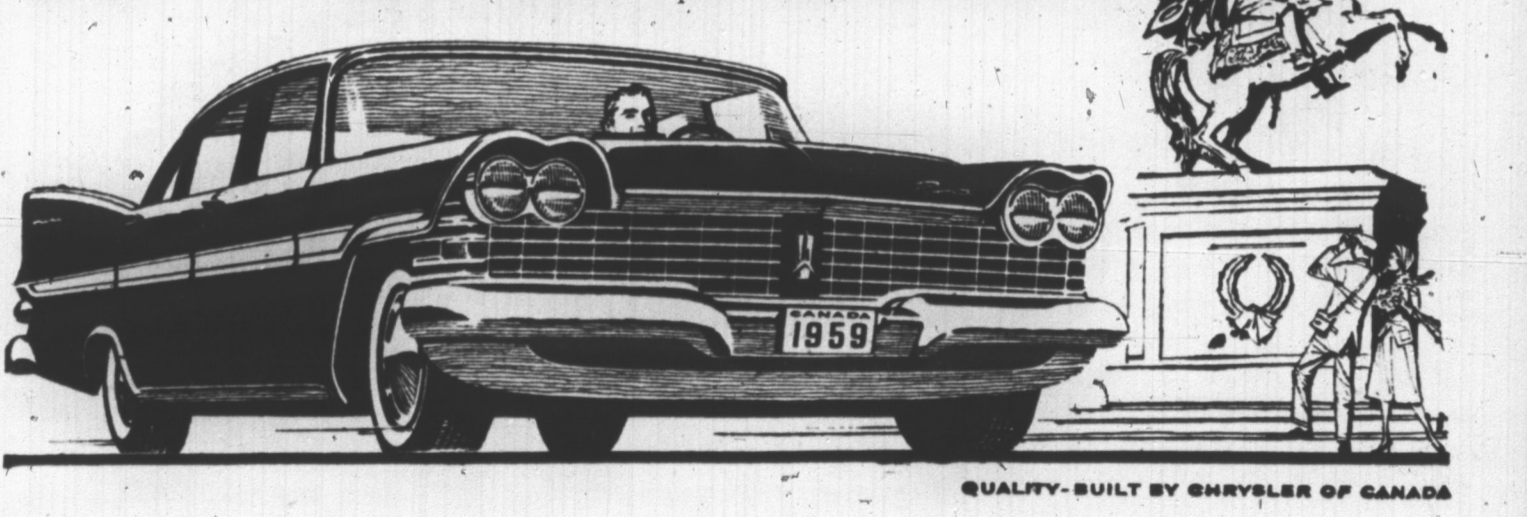
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