

Atlantic Area Section Of Gordon Report Discussed

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Dr. Raymond Gushue said Thursday the storm raised by the portion of the Gordon report dealing with Atlantic provinces was caused by "misunderstanding" but "was genuine and merited attention."

"It arose, I think, from two causes—one, that there were no specific recommendations labelled as such in the report, and the other, from the rather superficial news reports on the references to assistance to people who might wish to move from one industry or occupation to another."

Dr. Gushue, Atlantic provinces' representative on the Gordon Commission, was reviewing the commission's preliminary report in an address to a service club in St. John's.

He said the first cause of misunderstanding arose from the commission's terms of reference—that it was to "report upon rather than make recommendations on the problem, and this procedure was followed."

Quoting from the report, Dr. Gushue emphasized that the suggestion that Maritimers be helped to move to greener pastures was intended only as a last resort if

all other measures, including specific suggestions in the report, failed to raise their living standards at home.

NO FORCED MOVES

"There is no suggestion that people who wish to move out of the Atlantic area," he said.

"Looking at this suggestion in the light of other sections of the report or indeed in the light of history there is nothing novel or startling in it," he said. "This considerable success in the Prairie provinces since the 1930's under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. In our own province the government has for several years assisted financially people who wished to move from central fishing centres to centres where the prospects of a decent living are greater. It is sound common sense policy."

Dr. Gushue said editorial comment on the preliminary report was "interesting and varied." He said it had been suggested the report could be used as a Liberal manifesto in some quarters and in

others was said to be so close to Progressive Conservative policy it would embarrass the government. But it must be remembered that this is a report of a royal commission, and not a political manifesto.

"In one newspaper a suggestion is warmly praised—in another it is warmly condemned," Dr. Gushue said. "These things mirror different points of view and that is neither unhealthy nor undesirable."

REPORT BENEFICIAL

He said the report had brought benefits of introspection as a by-product to groups which had made submissions. "It had brought to their attention and into clear focus problems to which they would not otherwise have given attention."

The commission members he said, were sometimes weary but never bored. "To see the panorama of Canada's potential development unfold, to piece together the fragments and pieces that constituted the mosaic of a vision of the future was an experience fraught with an ever growing sense of fulfillment."



ALBERTON SCHOOLBOY CURLERS

Above is the curling foursome from Alberton High School that competed in the Island Schoolboy Curling Championship held this week in Charlottetown. This was the first time that Alberton has entered a team in this play. They are (l-r): David Campbell (skip), Ed. McAlduff, Hilton Barbour and Clair Oliver.

WESTERN GUARDIAN

FOLK DANCE in Irish town Hall, Friday night.

CARD PARTY Sea View Hall, Friday, Feb. 18th, aid of hall.

RAYMOND GRANT, Optometrist will be in his Tignish office Saturday, Feb. 9th.

S'ide Trade Board Asks Re Marine Wharf Shed Facilities

The Summerside Board of Trade met last evening in the Civic Building for the regular monthly meeting presided over by C.R. MacLagan, president.

Mr. MacLagan reported briefly on the meeting between the Maritime factors of the Island Boards of Trade and Premier A.W. Matheson and members of his Cabinet in Charlottetown on Tuesday at which he said they were well received.

The president stated that the Premier brought out an important point during the discussion when he noted that the M.P.B.T. has not declared a policy regarding agriculture of tourism.

Mr. MacLagan said that agriculture and the tourist industry along with transportation would be the main topics on the agenda of a meeting proposed by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce between their president and other executive members and the Provincial Boards of Trade which would be held in April. This meeting would be a follow up to the "workshop" held in Charlottetown in November in which members of the various Island boards took part.

Discussion of several topics resulted in: (1) a letter to J. Watson MacNaught M.P. regarding the enlarging of shed facilities at Marine Wharf, as it was pointed out by Mr. Fred Bingham that estimates for this project were not included in the recently published estimates of the Federal Dept. of Public Works as was anticipated due to the visit to Summerside last fall of Hon. R.H. Winters who

Y's Men Report Plans Going Well For Forthcoming Auction

A report by committee chairman Art Robinson at the regular meeting of the Summerside Y's Men's Club last night, showed that goods for this year's auction coming in at a satisfactory rate, with some 61 shipments received and catalogued to date. Roy Boates was named to head the town canvass for the major project of the club, with Charles Linkletter in charge of advertising, and Harry Bishop to look after the various work groups.

The town canvass for the auction will begin next week. Reports were also heard from Ken Walker for the H-Y groups, and Harry Holman for the world outlook committee. Dick Hinton, in giving his report as club philatelist, thanked the teachers and school students who collected and turned over to the club, a large number of cancelled stamps.

He also called for volunteers to sort stamps this Saturday, and gave out stamps to some of the members to soak and sort out at home. Harry Holman announced that a stamp collecting contest would be conducted among the Maritime Y's Men's Clubs from February 15 to March 15, for the membership and a report from George Key, Jr. on the membership and a club average attendances of 89 per cent, with eight new members joining the club in the last two months.

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BEDEQUE RINK South Shore Hockey League Saturday

Summerside Junior Aces vs. Freetown Royals. Game time 8.30 sharp.

BEDEQUE RINK United Baptist Church Service Sunday

11 a.m. Rev. Charles A. Britten, D.D. Minister.

NORTH BEDEQUE United Church Sunday

11 a.m. North Bedeque. 2.30 p.m. Travelers Rest. 7.30 p.m. Freetown, Rev. G. Walls, Minister.

MARGATE Pastoral Charge of the United Church of Canada

Services Sunday—Long River 11 a.m. New London 3 p.m.; Margate 7.30 p.m.

O'LEARY UNITED Baptist Church

10 o'clock. Knutsford 10.30 a.m. Alma 3.00 p.m. Springfield West 7.30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

KENSINGTON rink tonight school sports

starting at 7:00 p.m. Hockey Queeque High School vs. Kensington High School. Skating after.

PARISH of Alberton services for Sunday

11:00, 11:00 Morning Prayer, 7:00 Evening Prayer; Alberton annual meeting on Monday, Feb. 11th at 8:00 p.m. Rev. M.J. Findlay, priest in charge.

ALBERTON United Church Services Feb. 10th will be conducted by Rev. A.S. Welr D.D.

as follows: Alberton 11:00 a.m.; Cascumpec 2:30 p.m. Alberton Sunday School at 11:00 a.m.

MONROSE Pastoral Charge, United Church of Canada

Services for Sunday, Feb. 10. Campbellton 11 a.m.; Elmsdale 3 p.m. Monroze 7 p.m. Sunday school at usual times. Rev. N.R. Green.

KENSINGTON United Church, Colgate, Sunday, Feb. 10th

9:50 a.m. Morning Worship 11 o'clock evening worship 7.30. Summerfest 2.30 p.m. Rev. Lewis M. Murray, B.A., B.D., Minister.

BEDEQUE PASTORAL Charge, The United Church of Canada

Rev. G.A. Cowper-Smith, Minister. Services on Sunday, Feb. 10. Bedeque 11 a.m.; Rev. E.S. Weeks in charge; Borden 7 p.m. There will be no service at Albany.

TRYON BAPTIST Pastorate, Rev. Lindsay R. Graves, Minister

Services for Sunday Feb. 10th. Tryon 11 a.m. Westmoreland 3 p.m. Bonshaw 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

FREE CHURCH of Scotland, Services Sabbath, Feb. 10th

Coleman 11 a.m., Summerside 3 p.m., Cape Traverse 7.30. February 13 Annual meeting of Parish at Summerside 3.30 p.m. Rev. John Morrison, Minister.

NEW LONDON Pastoral Charge, Presbyterian Church in Canada

Divine service for Sunday Feb. 10th, 11 a.m. South Grandview, 2.30 p.m. Long River 7.30 p.m. St. Johns, New London. All are welcome to come and worship with us in his house. Rev. L. D. Bartlett, B.A., B.D.

P.E.I. Highlanders Will Hold Reunion At S'ide Next July

A reunion of personnel of the P.E.I. Highlanders will be held in Summerside next July. This will be the first time the men have gathered together since the unit disbanded after World War II.

It is expected that the reunion will be held in conjunction with the Summerside Lobster Carnival when catering facilities will be readily available in Civic Stadium, headquarters for the carnival, where there is ample accommodation to cope with the large assembly that is expected to be present.

A group of former members of the P.E.I. Highlanders, including Charles Hogan and Jack Wright of Summerside, Al Rogers, Plus Smith, Reg Mahan and Cecil Palmer of Charlottetown and John A. MacDonald of Cardigan is already working towards the formation of a committee of their former comrades representing many sections of the Island, and this committee will complete the plans for the reunion which has been discussed and suggested by ex-highlanders whenever they met.

Prior to World War I the P.E.I. Regiment was known as the 82nd Regiment, and became the 105th Bn. Canadian Expeditionary Force during World War I.

Alberton Legion Branch Meets

The regular meeting of the Alberton branch of the Canadian Legion was held Wednesday night with vice-president Heath Proff presiding.

Minutes and the financial statement were read by secretary-treasurer Graham Bennett.

Following discussion, it was decided to install a telephone immediately. On motion the Boy Scout campaign was left over for the March meeting. A substantial cheque through the generosity of town citizens was presented to the victims of a recent fire.

Following the business meeting, a delicious lunch was served by the entertainment committee.

Fire Damages Cascumpec Home

The Alberton Fire Dept. was called out early yesterday morning to a fire at the home of Winifred Bridges in Cascumpec. A stubborn blaze between the floors of the home had been extinguished by neighbours when the brigade arrived.

The fire was thought to have originated from an overheated stovepipe. Damage was not extensive.

CUSTOMS PORT DECLARED JERUSALEM, Israel (AP)

The Israel port on the disputed Gulf of Aqaba, has been declared an official customs frontier. The government announced that this is "in view of the increasing maritime traffic through the Gulf of Aqaba." The new status applies to the port and airfield, Eilat and the Gulf of Aqaba is Israel's only outlet to the Red Sea.

Premier Does

The following is the text of the petition:

TEXT OF PETITION

To the Honourable Alexander Matheson, Premier, and the Members of the Executive Council of Prince Edward Island.

"During the past year three briefs have been presented to the Government asking that a Royal Commission be established to investigate the educational problems existing in our province.

"These three briefs were presented by the Provincial Association of the Home and School, supported by the Federation of Agriculture, the Catholic Women's League, and the Board of Trade; the Provincial Women's Institute and the Provincial Teachers' Federation.

"These groups are agreed that a critical situation has developed in our province due to the following: (a) The lack of sufficient trained teachers; (b) The small number of young people who are entering our teacher training school each year; (c) The low salaries paid to qualified teachers; (d) The unequal amount of money in the various districts available for school purposes; (e) Making it so that all children on our Island have not equal educational opportunities.

"They are also of the opinion that steps should be taken to consider remedial measures at the earliest opportunity in order to: (1) bring together appropriate information on which official action may be based; (2) to give various interest groups an opportunity to express their views; (3) to let the general public, as well as those specifically concerned with education, know the real facts.

"As interested citizens, we believe that after a year of concerted effort in talking to the people throughout our province they are gravely concerned about the present educational situation and would heartily approve of the setting up of a Royal Commission on Education.

"Therefore, we strongly recommend once more, that a complete public examination and study of all matters pertaining to Public School Education in this Province be made, and would emphasize the urgency of the problems involved.

"Further, we would be most appreciative of an early indication of the pleasure of the Government in this matter."

Rebekah Lodge Has Its Regular Meeting

Rebekah Lodge No. 93, Alberton, met for its regular semi-monthly meeting with the noble grand presiding. After the opening of lodge minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Bills were presented and ordered paid. The election of officers resulted as follows - Noble Grand, Dorothy Travers, vice grand, Marcia Gordon, recording secretary, Jean Wilkie (re-elected); financial secretary, Helen Kerr (re-elected); Treasurer, Margaret Weeks (re-elected).

The Noble Grand then called on District Deputy President, Joyce Johnston to install the officers. She was assisted by the following staff: Deputy Marshal, Annie Proff; deputy chaplain, Maud Dyer; deputy warden, Margaret Forsyth; deputy inside Guardian, Shirley MacArthur; deputy secretary, Mabel Fielding. The following officers were then appointed: Warden, Margaret Forsyth; conductor, Joyce Johnston; chaplain, Mabel Fielding; R.S.N.G., Anne Proff; L.S.N.G. Maud Dyer, Color bearer, Nellie Hardy; Altar, Gertrude Matthews; R.B. V.G. Shirley MacArthur; L.S.V.G. Betty Hardy.

Other officers appointed inside Guardian, Olive Wilkie; outside guardian, Lucy Hardy; friendship secretary, Olive Wilkie; visiting committee, Leila Wallace, Shirley MacArthur, Margaret Forsyth; Finance Committee, Mabel Fielding, Anne Proff, Gertrude Matthews.

The past noble grand, Betty Hardy thanked the members for the splendid co-operation during the year. A very appreciative reading was then given by Maud Dyer after which lunch was served.

Calgary Visitor Is Feted At Kensington

Mrs. Edgar Bryenton recently returned to her home in Kensington after a pleasant vacation in Ontario where she visited with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bryenton and Mr. and Mrs. James Bryenton. She also visited her daughter, Mrs. John Nicholson and Mr. Nicholson.

Mr. Reginald Miller of Sackville, N.B. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Donald, Sea View, on Sunday, January 27th.

Mrs. James Cousins, Baltic, is visiting in Spring Valley, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Castley and family.

His many friends will be pleased to learn Mr. Edson Bryenton was able to leave the Prince County Hospital and is now convalescing at the home of his brother, Mr. Gordon Bryenton, Kensington.

A most successful card party was sponsored by the members of Malpeque Women's Institute on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bryenton, Malpeque, when nine tables of progressive auction were in play. The door prize was won by Mr. Roy Campbell, while the ladies' night score was won by Mrs. H. Pickering. The gentlemen's high score went to Mr. Wendell Crozier. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by committee in charge.

Her many friends will be pleased to know little Miss Heather Murphy, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Murphy, Sea View, is recovering, after spending a short time in the Prince County Hospital. While playing on the ice heater had the misfortune to fall and bump her head.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Crozier, Hamilton, entertained a very large number of neighbors and friends at their home on Tuesday evening. Fifteen tables of cards were played and the ladies first prize went to Mrs. Keith Donald, while the gentlemen's first went to Roy Campbell. The lucky chair prize was won by Ernest Bryenton. Delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by committee in charge.

Mrs. Parmesan Phillips, Kensington, was a recent visitor to Summerside where she visited Mrs. Evelyn Morrison and her baby son, James Ernest Morrison. Mrs. Roy Waite, accompanied by Mr. Ivan Waite, Sherbrooke, were recent visitors to Kensington and vicinity.

On Thursday evening a good number of hockey fans attended the hockey game between the Kensington Juniors and Prince of Wales team from Charlottetown with a score of 9-4 for Charlottetown. This game was capably refereed by Mr. Ron Kennedy. A joy for an hour was much enjoyed by all following the game.

REGULAR MONTHLY Meeting Borden Branch Canadian Legion will be held in Legion Hall, Friday, Feb. 8 at 8 p.m.

Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at same time, with auction sale after their meeting. All members please attend.

CRAPAUD RINK "BUS STOP" TODAY

Regular School Skate 2 to 4
School Hockey—7 p.m. Crapaud vs. North Tryon 8 p.m.—Albany Rural vs. Cape Traverse
9 p.m.—Argyle Shore vs. Kelly's Cross

CIVIC STADIUM HOCKEY TONIGHT

B.Y.C. vs. Summerside Aces
Game time 9:15
Admission 60 and 35 cents

REGENT TODAY 3:15—7—9:20

SAT. 7—9:20
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