



CANON H. L. PUXLEY, (RIGHT) director of the Ecumenical Institute, Toronto, was the theme speaker at yesterday's session of the 11th annual conference of the United Church men meeting at Montgomery Hall over the weekend. Seen here (LEFT TO RIGHT) talking with Canon Puxley at a break in yesterday's sessions are David Hall, conference chairman and Rev. Henry Tye, conference chaplain.

Canon H. L. Puxley Addresses Churchmen

"Only about half of the population of Canada has any church connections at all and many of those who belong to our churches do so on the premise that it is 'good business' to go to church," said Canon H. L. Puxley, addressing the 11th annual conference of United Churchmen meeting at Montgomery Hall this weekend.

"Are we inviting people to come to church to run our organization and swell our budgets or do we really care what is happening in the community about us," he asked?

Using the theme, "The Church Has Seven Days," Canon Puxley said, "As long as we keep our religion to Sunday, the church will go on shrinking."

He told the men that the church cannot be abandoned to science and the secular world, reminding them that in times past "God abandoned His cho-

Accused Appears Achievement Day On Two Charges Held At Millview

Morgan Edwin Rhynes, Charlottetown, appeared before Provincial Magistrate James B. Johnston, QC, in Queens County Magistrate's Court yesterday on two charges.

The charges were having the care or control of a vehicle while impaired and assaulting a police officer with intent to resist arrest.

The case was further adjourned to September 9. The crown was represented by J. P. Nicholson, QC, and acting for the accused was Lester O'Donnell, QC.

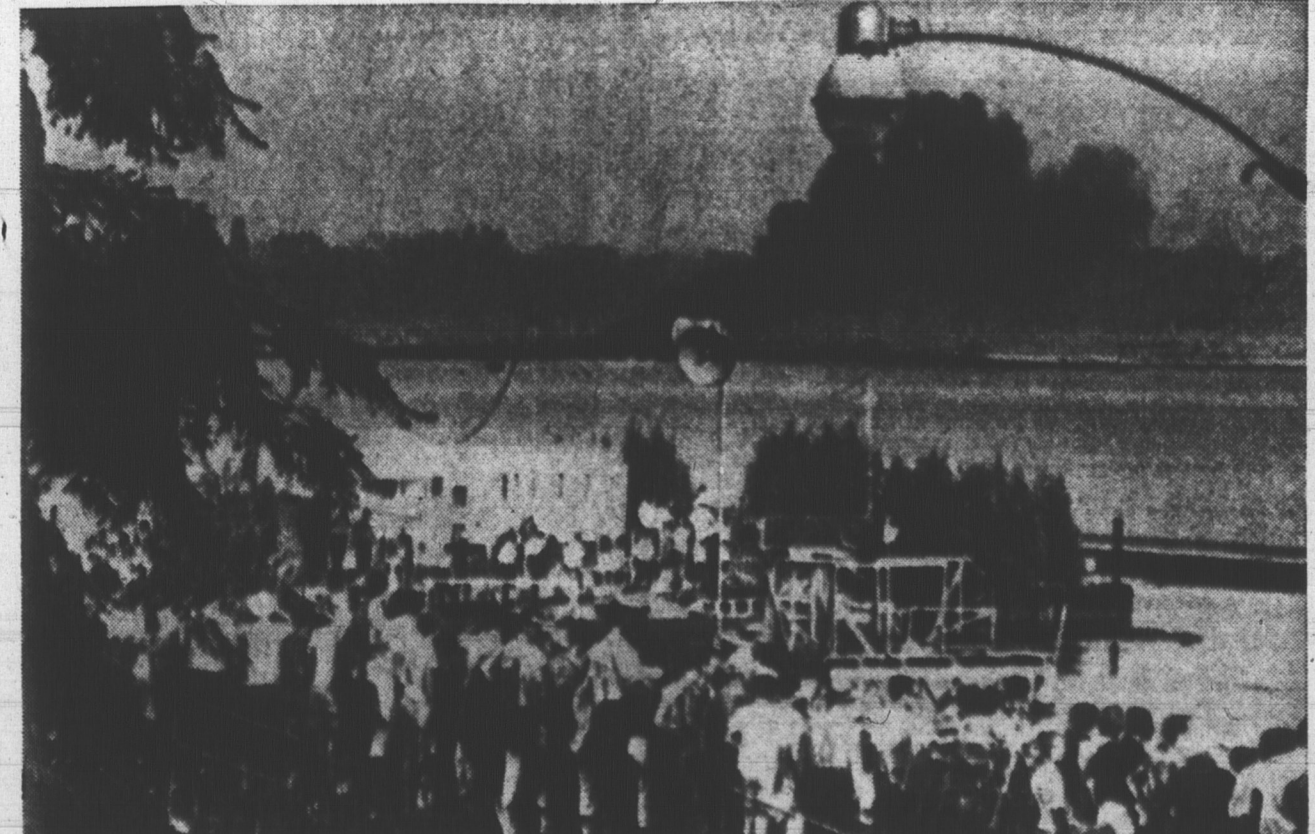
Giving evidence for the crown were Constable Dave Power, and Constable Ian Ouland of the Charlottetown RCMP Detachment.

Testifying for the defence were Jean Rhynes while Morgan Rhynes gave evidence on his own behalf.

DEATHS

SHEPHERD — At the Charlottetown Hospital, September 2, Mrs. Benjamin Veronica Shepherd Sr., 18 Stewart St., in her 66th year. Resting this evening at 7 o'clock at the Hennessey Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

EDWARDS — At Halifax Thursday, September 1, 1966, John Leslie Edwards of 368 Water Street, Summerside, in his 64th year. Remains resting at the Compton Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held today (Saturday), at 2:30 p.m. Interment in the People's Cemetery.



KILLED AT CNE

Crowds lining the Canadian National Exhibition waterfront in Toronto Friday watch smoke rising from the scene where a member of the Blue Angels precision flying team crashed during the team's performance. The plane crashed on

Second Battery's History Prepared

A history of the Second Canadian Seige Battery which was recruited in Charlottetown in 1915 and saw service during World War I has been written by a member of the Battery, Harold H. Simpson, formerly of Bayview, P.E.I., and now living in Amherst, N.S.

The 100 page history covers the period from July 1915 to May 1919, when the unit was disbanded in Charlottetown. It tells the story of the training period in Charlottetown and of the pre-recruitment advertisement and editorial comment on the unit. The training period in England is also dealt with.

The book gives accounts of the campaigns of the Somme, Vimy Ridge, Lens, Hill 70, Passchendaele and the final push that began with the Battle of Arras and ended with the Battle of Mons. It also covers the occupation of Germany and the trip back to Prince Edward Island. Included in the history is a list of all positions occupied by the men during the war and a role of those 26 killed in action and the names of the 80 men who were wounded.

Alan Cole, formerly of Emerald, P.E.I. and now of Oshawa, Ont. who was a member of the battery has written a commentary on the various daily activities and remembers various incidents that involved the men.

The history concludes with a nominal role of the original members and a list of the surviving members and their addresses, to whom the history has been distributed.

Copies of the history are also being made available at no cost to the next of kin of those who were killed overseas, or who have subsequently died, however some difficulty is being encountered in finding names and addresses of the next of kin.

If anyone knows the whereabouts of the next of kin of those who were killed overseas, or who have subsequently died, however some difficulty is being encountered in finding names and addresses of the next of kin.

1,100 RAIL

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Freight-bound train were transferred to buses.

The unidentified men had stopped several freight trains before the Ocean Limited was held at nearby Paines Junction—a convenient point to transfer the passengers to buses.

The blockade brought an end to what had appeared to be a smooth return to normal operations by the CNR and the CPR in the Atlantic provinces.

It had started with the departure early Friday morning from Bridgewater, N.S. of a Halifax-bound freight, believed to be the first scheduled train to move in Canada since the start of the strike.

First passenger train into Halifax was the Dominion Atlantic Railway's dayliner from Kentville. The DAR is a CPR subsidiary with its main line between Halifax and Yarmouth, N.S.

COMMONS

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the power to eliminate waste and duplication, integrate the two major railways and see that commodity pipelines develop more rationally than the railways did.

A FIRST STEP

However, the proposed commission would be a first step towards such an authority and eventually a federally-run public utility embracing all transportation.

H. A. Olson (SC—Medicine Hat) said the bill is a step forward but he asked a minimum three-week wait before it goes to committee.

He said he is "haunted by the suspicion" that the rail strike may have been promoted by the companies to pressure Parliament into passing the legislation.

Mr. Hamilton said there would have to be provisions for paying the losses on any lines or services that the railways are forced to continue in the public interest.

The loss figures should not be based on railway costing methods. "This would only turn the public treasury into the hands of the railway accountants."

Approval Given Application

Approval in principle has been given to an application by Local 181 United Packinghouse Workers of America that it be certified as bargaining agent for the employees of Langley Fruit Packers of Montague.

The Labor Relations Board ruled yesterday that a vote of employees be taken to determine their wishes in the question of the union's application. The board authorized J. M. McAluff, administrative assistant to the minister of labor, to conduct the vote on Tuesday, Sept. 6.

Attorney for Langley Fruit Company was Alan K. Scales and for the union D. F. Sigsworth.

Premier Has Praise For Labor's Role

"As we approach the second century of Canadian Confederation, citizens of all walks of life are bound this year to reflect upon the vital role which labor has played in the building of our nation," Premier Alex Campbell said last night in a Labor Day message.

"Historically, labor provided the brawn, vital to the development of today's complex and industrialized society, and in the process labor has become a necessary partner with government in laying the foundation for the continuing development of our human and natural resources."

"As we approach Labor Day we salute the contribution of labor in the building of our nation, and we face the next century with the confidence that labor and government will meet the challenges of the future in a spirit of co-operation and understanding."

Students To Attend CUS Meeting Today

Students from St. Dunstan's University will attend the week-long meeting of the Canadian Union of Students which opens in Halifax today.

The SDU students are Charles McMillan, student union president; Carol Anne Power, SDU chairman of CUS; Philip MacDougall, vice-president of the students' union; and Philip MacDonald, president of the senior class.

The SDU students will present a brief designed to change the system of intercollegiate debating in other Canadian universities to match that in use at the present time in the Atlantic universities. This would lead to standard judging forms and a common method of running debates.

Representatives from every Canadian university will be on hand for the sessions. The four SDU members will be the largest delegation from the local university ever to attend the annual congress. The meeting gets underway today with a speech by Health Minister Alan MacEachen.

Other topics expected to be discussed are the "freeze the fees" movement as outlined at Lennoxville last summer; the question of free tuition for university students; the Canada Student Loans Act; student housing; student government; student voting; and Second Century Week — the centennial project of CUS.

St. Dunstan's has also been asked by McMaster University and CUS to propose a resolution aimed at organizing a Canadian Forensic Society which would be the ruling body for intercollegiate debating in Canada's universities.

Island Plant Manager Foresees Better Fishing

SUMMERSIDE — Fred Arsenault, manager of Island Packers Limited, and buyer of lobsters from 10 boats fishing out of Summerside, believes that this is the last of a number of poor seasons for lobster fishing in the area.

Mr. Arsenault is convinced that cold water on the south side of the island for the last four years has been the cause of the poor lobster fishing, and says that water temperature has risen this summer. According to temperature readings taken in Mr. Arsenault's lobster pound tank in Bedeque Bay just off Summerside, the rise has been about five degrees, reaching 70-72 degrees regularly this summer. No reading had been over 65 degrees for the preceding four summers, said Mr. Arsenault.

Mr. Arsenault bases his prediction of better lobster fishing next year on his temperature readings and a statement attributed to Dr. D. G. Wilder, identified as one of Canada's leading lobster research scientists in a Canadian Press article clipped from the Halifax Chronicle-Herald. The date Mr. Arsenault received the clipping was March 25, 1960.

The article states: Dr. Wilder says there are indications that water temperatures will take a downward trend and lobster catches should anticipate lower landings over the next few years."

Mr. Arsenault points out that this prediction was made over six years ago and that water temperatures have indeed gone down considerably and likewise the lobster catches. In the same article Dr. Wilder, St. Andrews, N.B., is quoted as saying that unusually high landings in the years recently preceding his statement were associated with high above-normal water temperatures.

Paul Hellyer To Visit Here

SUMMERSIDE — Hon. Paul Hellyer, minister of defence, will visit Canadian Forces base at Halifax, Greenwood, and Summerside, Sept. 20-22, at the invitation of Rear Admiral J. C. O'Brien, commander of the Maritime command.

Mr. Hellyer will talk to a group of officers and men of the three services at these locations during his visit to the Maritime command.

Island Resident Given Two Years

HALIFAX (CP) — Raymond Ahern, 21, of Alberton, P.E.I., was sentenced Friday to two years in Dorchester Penitentiary on each of three separate charges.

He was charged with escaping prison, being at large before his sentence expired and stealing a car. The sentences are to be concurrent.

Ahern, however, earlier was given a three-year term for possession of a sawed off shotgun.

Achievement Day Is Held

Phyllis Touesnard has achieved the highest standing for the year's work in the Alma and district 4-H Club. The announcement was made at a recent achievement day held Saturday at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Touesnard, Alma.

Norma Dunn stood second in the judging and Miriam Yeo was third. Showmanship awards went to Reggie Wallace, Miriam Yeo and Phyllis Touesnard. The best calves were shown by Reggie Wallace, Miriam Yeo and Roger Dunn. The best year-olds were shown by Raeburn Dunn, Miriam Yeo and Roger Dunn.

In the public speaking competition Roger Dunn was given first place. Second place was won by Phyllis Touesnard and Norma Dunn got third prize.

Roger Younker, field man for the Provincial Department of Agriculture, was master of ceremonies and the judge was R. A. Profit of Freetown.

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Linda Farrell, 18 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Farrell, Central Lot 16, was presented with the Governor-General's Medal yesterday at a brief ceremony before the Misses Regional High School students, for leading the graduating class at Misicouche last year. Here Sister Louise Gallant, principle of the school, presents Miss Farrell with the medal. Miss Farrell is now studying at the Charlottetown Hospital School of Nursing.

August Brought Warm Weather

SUMMERSIDE — Better than average high temperatures were recorded in the month of August, the monthly meteorological summary taken at Summerside shows.

During the month, there were 35 degree days below 65 degrees; compared to the normal of 78. The maximum mean temperature was 73.9, compared to normal 72.9 degrees. The minimum mean temperature during August was 57.9, slightly colder than normal 58.2.

The highest temperature during the month was 84 degrees on August 19, when the weather was described here as sunny and warm with moderate winds.

The lowest mark was reached on August 13 at 52 degrees, with cloudy skies, showers, clear in the evening and moderate gusty winds. The high that day was only 62 degrees.

It was also 53 on August 29, when the high climbed to 72. The summary was sunny and warm with moderate winds.

The mean temperature for the month was 63.8, compared with the normal (based on the period 1931-1960) of 63.6. The temperature on Aug. 19 was 73 degrees while on August 13, the mean temperature was 57 degrees.

The relative humidity varied from 37 per cent to 82 per cent mean. The maximum mean wind speed was south west at 30 miles per hour. Precipitation during the month was 1.58 inches, compared to the normal of 3.23 inches. The most rain fell on August 18 with 37 inches recorded. A trace fell on two days, while there were 19 days, no precipitation was recorded. There were no thunderstorms recorded during the month.

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City Police Investigate Accident
The Charlottetown Police investigated an accident yesterday afternoon at approximately 4:20 on the corner of Rochford and Richmond Streets.

The cars involved were a 1965 Ford driven by Percy Whitlock, Hunter River, and a 1955 Meteor driven by Robert Hennessey of Charlottetown.

Two passengers in the Whitlock vehicle, Mrs. Earl Todd and Ronnie Todd, Breadalbane were taken to the P.E.I. Hospital for treatment but were later released.

No estimate of damage was available last night.

Firemen Called
The Charlottetown Fire Department answered a call at 10:30 last night to 75 Dorchester Street. A spokesman for the department said the call was a false alarm.

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