

Diefenbaker Begins P.E.I. Tour At S'side

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN Prime Minister Diefenbaker, his wife and official party began their Prince Edward Island tour here yesterday morning. Prince County Progressive Conservative candidate Dr. O'Neill H. Phillips was on hand to welcome Mr. Diefenbaker. A crowd assembled at the airport greeted the Prime Minister with warm applause and the same pattern following later when he visited the Town Hall and the Legion Home. Also on hand to meet Mr. Diefenbaker were Fisheries Minister Angus MacLean and Provincial Premier Walter R. Shaw. LARGE MOTORCADE Riding with Dr. Phillips at the head of a large horn-blowing motorcade the Prime Minister proceeded first to Summerside.



LT-Col. D. N. Bell, honorary colonel of 3 Signal Regiment, and a former commanding officer of the unit, was presented with the Canadian Forces Decoration by Colonel R. J. Graham, DSO, CD, GSO 1, Eastern Command. In a brief ceremony at the armories following the inspection of units of 3 Militia Group, Colonel Graham is shown here planning the medal on Colonel Bell.

NEW DEMS WELCOME WOMEN'S DIRECTOR

In a visit to Summerside Wednesday, Miss Eva Latham, national women's director of the New Democratic party is seen with, left to right, Prince County candidate Arnold Wood, Mrs. Muriel MacInnis, secretary at NDP headquarters in Summerside, and Miss Marjorie McGee, extreme right, secretary at the home of Mrs. D.J. Mullin where she was presented with an autographed copy of "Our Island Story" by the authoress, Miss Carrie Holman.

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P.E.I. Militia Inspection Said 'First Class Show'

A "first class show" was the annual inspection in the absence of Major General M.P. Bogert, CRE, DSO, ED, general officer commanding Eastern Command, unable to be present because of illness. The large turnout of more than 350 officers and men included the P. E. I. Regiment, 5 Signal Regiment, 8 Medical Company, and 1 Provost Detachment. The band of the P. E. I. Regiment and the Queen Charlotte High School band also presented fine appearances on parade. Following the inspection and march past on Grafton Street, the units were inspected on training and administration, in

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Howlan Man Found Guilty On Reduced Count By Jury

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN A Supreme Court jury at Summerside yesterday found Henry Joseph Gallant of Howland guilty on the reduced charge of criminal negligence in the operation of a motor vehicle. Gallant had been originally indicted and tried on the charge of criminal negligence in the operation of a motor vehicle resulting in death. The verdict included a strong recommendation for mercy and for reducing the charge to manslaughter.

LATE NOTICES

(Also see announcements on columns adjoining Classified Advertising section.) CLARKE — At Charlottetown May 18, 1962, Miss Lulu Gladie, formerly of Summerside, in her 76th year. Resting at the Bonwell Funeral Home where funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 19. Interment will be in the North Bedouet cemetery. DOUGLAS — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, May 18, 1962, George H. Douglas, 36 Upper Queen Street, in his 80th year. Resting at the Cutcliffe Home until Friday, then to Zion Presbyterian Church for service, commencing at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 19. Interment will be in the church cemetery. McDONALD — At Kinross, Thursday, May 17, 1962, Malcolm D. MacDonald, in his 3rd year. Remains will be transferred this afternoon from the Orlin Funeral Home to the late residence at Kinross. Funeral Saturday, May 19, 10 a.m. from Orlin Funeral Home. Burial in Orlin cemetery. Commencing at 2 p.m. (Advanced Summer Hours). Interment will be in the church cemetery. MCGARRY — At the Charlottetown Hospital, Wed., May 16, 1962, Mrs. Owen McGarry, 47 Dorchester Street and formerly of Southport, in her 77th year. Resting at the Bonwell Funeral Home from where the funeral will take place Monday morning at 9:45 a.m. to St. Dunstan's Basilica for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock. Interment in the Roman Catholic cemetery. CLOW — At the Kings County Memorial Hospital, Thursday, May 17, 1962, Thomas Loren Clow in his 64th year. Resting at the Murray River Funeral Home until noon today when they will be taken to the residence of his brother, Cameron Clow, Murray River North, Funeral Saturday from Murray River North Presbyterian Church. Burial service commencing at 4 o'clock advanced summer hours. Interment will be in Murray River North cemetery.

Witness heard yesterday of the Alberton RCMP detachment, who investigated the accident, and Col. Bob MacKenzie, of the RCMP identification section, who identified photos taken at the scene. Cpl. William Robertson of the crown detection laboratory in Sackville, N.B., testified that a blood sample from the defendant, taken two hours after the accident, showed 1.79 parts per thousand alcohol in the blood stream. He said a person would be considered drunk with the lesser amount of 1.06 alcohol in the blood. He had also analyzed some fibres taken from the 1959 Motor and found they were identical to fibres in the collar of a green jacket worn by the deceased on the night of his death. Cpl. Ronald Pettit testified that the defendant was wearing a Vincent Gallant of Piusville told of the accused visiting his home on the evening of the accident and of giving him a drink from a pint of whiskey, and repeating the same thing later that evening in the basement of St. Anthony's Church hall, with out himself (the defendant) taking a drink. The witness said the defendant was not showing any signs of having consumed liquor and was "in perfect control of his faculties."

TOOK STAND Taking the stand in his own defence, the defendant Henry Joseph Gallant said that on the day of the fatality he had gone to an Aberdeen bottling in a bottle of beer. Before going a pint of whiskey and had purchased a pint of whiskey and a bottle of beer. Before going he went to O'Leary to eat a sandwich at a restaurant, and had a drink behind the old building is O'Leary before going to the restaurant.

After eating he went home, did the chores, and had a couple of drinks before going to the home of Vincent Gallant in Piusville. He stated he had given Vincent Gallant a drink at his residence and another in the church hall, but had none himself on either occasion. He left the church hall where O'Leary was at a standstill, between 30-35 miles per hour and had followed a car for about five minutes before deciding to pass it in the Unionville driveway. He said after pulling over to the left side of the road to pass the car he felt his own car strike something and the engine hood flew up and out of his vision through the windshield. He said he pulled the car back to the right side of the highway, stopped it, and got out of the car. He said he did not see any sign of a car he had been passing, and did not know where it had gone.

In cross-examination by Mr. McMahon the witness said he had been passing just as the accident occurred, was a 1930 Dodge driven by Wilford Arsenault of West Devon. He said he had not talked to Mr. Arsenault about the accident, although he had conversation with him on one occasion since the accident. He said Mr. Arsenault had recently moved to Moncton, N.B. McMahon asked the defendant if he wished to ask for an adjournment of the trial so that he could have Mr. Arsenault brought back to testify on his behalf, and the witness did not reply to the question. Questioned concerning his purchase of liquor at a bootlegger the witness said he did this because he did not have a liquor permit because he did not buy enough liquor in the run of a year to make it worth while purchasing a liquor permit, and maintained that he had three or four drinks in the course of the day on which the accident occurred.

"The Supreme Court will resume sitting on Tuesday, May 22, at 9:30 a.m. Standard Time when Leo Austin MacLeod of Albany will go on trial on an indictment for rape.

EARLY ACTION

(Continued from page 1) here and said "I'm for it, too. I always feel kindly toward those who reform." He pointed out that "the Liberals in Ontario said that the money for the casewary should go for development in Ontario, that's what the Liberals of Ontario said." Commenting on Mr. Pearson's pro-election speeches, Mr. Diefenbaker said he is using certain words such as the "wasted years" and going across Canada with a accredited look, saying "aren't things awful?" "In the last year of Liberal rule, federal payments to this province were \$2,000,000. This year they are \$4,500,000 and he says 'aren't things awful'."

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TALKED TO DRIVER

Speaking briefly on Commonwealth affairs, Mr. Diefenbaker said that it is imperative that "Commonwealth trading advantages be done away with, 5.0 m countries, such as the United States, object to preferences in trade—how they want them removed. I don't."

NOTICE

Kensington Elementary School books will be audited after May 26th. All unpaid taxes after that date will be handed in for collection. Signed, Board of Trustees, Kensington Elementary School

LIBERAL PUBLIC MEETING

PALMER ROAD TONIGHT AT 9 P.M.

There will be a Liberal public meeting tonight, in Palmer Road Hall. Speakers will include — Mr. J. George MacKay, Liberal candidate, Dr. A. R. Grant, Mr. Prosper Arsenault and other prominent speakers. EVERYONE WELCOME

MUSHROOM CAVES

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STRONG LUNGS

Pearl divers in French Polynesia in the south Pacific can remain submerged nearly two minutes without any apparatus. "There is hardly a farm product grown in P.E.I. which returns the cost of production," he said. "Farmers have never been in such a state since the hungry thirties, and if it were not for the social services introduced by the Liberal Party the Tories would go vigorously, calling it ingenious legislation, farmers could not carry on. In fact, the local minister of agriculture suggested that he should build more public parks to give farmers a day in town. In effect, the minister of agriculture told me that he could do nothing for us," he said.

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