

# ISLAND NEWS PAGE

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## Former Summerside Man Receives CNR Promotion

MONCTON — Three appointments in the express freight department of Canadian National Railways in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, have been announced by J. G. Davis, CN's Maritime area manager.

Sherman S. Parlee, a native

## Nine Added To Faculty At St. Dunstan's

Seven full-time and two part-time professors have been added this year to the staff of St. Dunstan's University. It was learned last night from SDU president, Very Rev. G. A. MacDonald.

The full-time professors are Ismet Abu-Isa, who obtained his PhD from Northwestern University in Chicago, and is in the chemistry department; Edward Benson, M.S. from Catholic University in Washington, D.C.; and J. O'Connell, MA (Toronto), economics; Gary Thessing, MSc (Notre Dame), mathematics; and Winston Pineau, B.Sc., D. Ed. (SDU) mathematics.

The part-time professors are Douglas Boylan, BA, BLS (McGill) history; and Rev. Father MacDonald, B.Comm. (SDU) religion.

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Father Roche is attending the meeting in his capacity as executive director of the Canadian Catholic Education Council.

The task of the council is to encourage and co-ordinate activities of Catholic organizations dealing with education in Canada. It is not confined to church activities, but is concerned with all educational areas in Canadian high schools.

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## McNAMARA

(Continued from page 1) ers and the pilots of U.S. planes that had been in the air over the scene.

It was hoped daylight would provide some affirmative evidence.

The Gulf of Tonkin, on the east side of the Indochina Peninsula, is enclosed on the west by North Viet Nam, on the north by China's Kwangtung province and on the east by Hainan province of China.

Informants said the U.S. destroyers did not report seeing any attacking craft, but that what appeared to be vessels, possibly torpedo boats, were observed on radar from several miles.

There was every indication that the government was proceeding cautiously before making up its mind about the significance of the incident, if any.

George E. Reedy, White House press secretary, told reporters the defence department "has made the only statement on this matter" and "is not anticipating any other at this time."

Reedy said President Johnson has been kept fully informed. He declined to specify when the president got first word of the incident.

Johnston's Republican opponent for the presidency, Sen. Barry Goldwater, commented when he landed in Charleston, W. Va., for a campaign speech.

"I hear Lyndon's in more trouble something happened in the Gulf of Tonkin and with this big communications system that says McNamara has been bragging about, they're waiting for an air mail letter just to find out what happened."

Goldwater said he planned to head back to Washington later Friday night "to see what I can do to help out."

Officials in Washington indicated that they do not consider there is any new crisis at this time.

The Pentagon said the incident occurred at 9:30 p.m. Friday night in the Gulf of Tonkin which would have been 9:30 a.m. in Washington.

## JAIL EIGHT SABOTEURS

PRITORIA (Reuters)—Eight South African Negroes convicted of committing and conspiring to commit sabotage in Pretoria between June, 1962, and January, 1964, were sentenced Friday to prison terms ranging from five to 15 years. Two of them were sentenced to 15 years, one to 12, four to eight and the other to five years.

## GALACTIC PROBLEM

Scientists are trying to work out a method of classifying the 100,000,000 stars in the Milky Way into starry groups.

# Noted Irish Playwright O'Casey Dies in London

TORQUAY, England (Reuters)—Sean O'Casey, the Irish playwright, died in a nursing home after a heart attack Friday night.

O'Casey, 84, was born in a Dublin slum of Protestant parents. Compulsory education was unknown in Ireland when he was a boy, so he had no formal schooling.

"Born in a tenement house, I write about them," O'Casey once said.

O'Casey's plays were a mixture of anger and pity, laughter and tears.

In his native Ireland, some of his works provoked violent riotous and even riots because of his satirical perception of Irish foibles and of his individual approach to the subject of nationalism and religion.

CHARACTERS WERE VIVID  
His intimate knowledge of the people he depicted gave his characters a new vitality which established him as a master of his craft.

O'Casey taught himself to read and write with the aid of an old dictionary and schoolbooks formerly used by his older brothers and sisters.

As a young man, he seldom missed a new play at Dublin's Abbey Theatre, going without a meal to buy a seat in the pit.

His next play, The Plow and the Stars, was a drama of the Irish Easter rebellion of 1916, where it was produced as the largest spectacle of its kind in London, largely because it was considered unbecomingly vulgar.

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## WEEKEND SALES CONFERENCE BEGINS

Approximately 30 representatives of the brokerage firm, Nesbitt-Thompson Company, began a weekend sales conference for the Atlantic region with a reception last evening at the Charlottetown Hotel.

## S'ide Christian Church Celebrating Anniversary

SUMMERIDE — This coming Sunday, Sept. 20, the congregation of the Christian Church in Summerside will observe the 106th anniversary of the congregation in this area.

This Christian Church influence dates back as far as 1811 when Alexander Crawford founded a work on the island which eventually established a Christian church at Cross Roads, P.E.I.

## Industrial Award To Be Presented Vancouver Man

V. M. Knight, chairman of the Provincial Government's Trade and Industry convention at Dalway this week, has announced the winner of the Canadian Industrial Award for 1964 has been awarded to Col. (Hon.) Frank Macrae Ross, C.M.G., M.C., Knight of St. John.

## Nova Scotian Is President Of Hwy Group

At the final business session of the Eastern Canada Association of Highway Officials Thursday B. E. Langley, Bridgewater, N.S., was elected chairman for 1965.

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## DIES IN MASS.

Mrs. Ella Huggins, 72, of Summerside, died in a nursing home in Boston, Mass., after a long illness.

## TO STUDY AT DAL.

Reginald Macdonald, Jr., Bloomfield, left Tuesday for Halifax where he will begin studies at Dalhousie University.

## RETURN FROM U.K.

Miss Mary Dyer, 62, of Summerside, returned from a trip to London, England, accompanied by her daughter, Sylvia, recently visited his cousin, Mrs. J. W. Waugh, Alberton.

eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 6:57 and sets at 7:16 p.m. Rises Sunday at 6:58 a.m. and sets at 7:14 p.m. All times ADT.

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