

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

GILLIS - At the Souris Hospital on November 10, 1965 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillis, a daughter, Margaret Ann. Weight 7 lbs., 3 ozs.

DOWNIE - Andrew and Gus are happy to announce the arrival of their son Michael Scott, at the Calgary General Hospital on October 29, 1965. A brother for Danny and Steven.

CARRAGHER - At the Charlottetown Hospital on November 1, 1965 to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carragher, a daughter, Lori Elizabeth, weight 8 lbs., 4 ozs. A sister for Joyce, Sharon, Tommy, Ricky and Gary.

CLOW - Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clow, (nee Lucy Bunn), Pleasant Grove, are happy to announce the arrival of their baby daughter Lu-Ann Marlene at the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Thursday, November 11th, 1965. Weight 8 lbs., 13 ozs. A sister for Darryl and Randall.

IN MEMORIAM

GASS - In loving memory of Douglas Gass who departed this life on November 14th, 1964. Gone is the face we loved so dear, silent is the voice we loved to hear. Too far away for sight or speech, but not too far for thought to reach. Sweet to remember him who once was here, and who though absent, is just as dear. Lovingly remembered by sister-in-law, Bernice and brother-in-law, Rob and Bremner.

MATTHEWS - In loving memory of my dear husband Joseph Matthews, who passed away November 13, 1964. His cheery ways and pleasant face are a pleasure to recall. He had a kindly word for each. And died beloved by all. Some day we hope to meet him. Some day, we know not when. To clasp his hand in the better land. Never to part again. Our hearts still ache with sadness. And sweet tears still flow. What it meant to lose you Joe No one will ever know. Always remembered by his wife and second family.

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MISDOINGS

In loving memory of my husband Charles A. MacDonnell who passed away November 14, 1961. Asleep in God's beautiful garden. Sheltered from sorrow and pain. Some day when life's journey is over I will meet you darling again. Always loved by his wife Mary J., and family.

CARD OF THANKS

THE FAMILY of the late Mr. James McCordie wish to thank Rev. E. J. Crokes, Rev. Walter Reid, Miss F. Hughes, nurses and staff of the Charlottetown Hospital, the Reverend Cheryl and Sisters, their friends and neighbors, the Monaghan Funeral Home and all who expressed their sympathy in so many ways during their bereavement. They wish also to thank all those who sent mass cards, floral tributes and messages of sympathy.

THE FAMILY of the late Mr. Sterling Tucker wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their sincere expressions of sympathy. Also those who sent floral tributes, letters, cards of sympathy during their sad bereavement.

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MR. AND MRS. Harry Woods, Charlottetown, wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to their many relatives, friends and neighbors who remembered them on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Announcements

CITY & QUEENS

ALL DANCES at Fortune Bay Hall are cancelled until further notice.

THE ANNUAL meeting of the P.E.I. Drama Festival Association, Prince of Wales College, November 16, 8 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

DANCE AT Maple Grove Dance Hall, St. Patrick's Road, every Saturday night. Music by Ed Matthews.

THE MONTHLY meeting of Cornwall Men's Club Wednesday Nov. 17, 8 o'clock. Miriam Hyde showing slides.

THE ANNE Shirley Beauty Salon corner of Queen and Kent Streets. Student cold waves \$4.00. Telephone 4-4338.

A DEMONSTRATION of cake decorating will highlight the regular meeting of The P.E.I. Hospital Nurses' Alumnae Association at the Cundall Home on Tuesday, Nov. 16th, at 8:15 p.m.

PRINCE COUNTY

RESERVE NOVEMBER 27, hot turkey supper Newton School. Supper 3-4 p.m.

AT HOME - Mr. and Mrs. Heber Card will be at home to their friends at the residence of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Matheson, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on November 17th, from 2 to 4 p.m.



COLD SNAP COMING All parts of Canada will have temperatures below or much below normal from mid-November to mid-December, according to the 30-day outlook of the United States weather bureau. Precipitation will be moderate for all areas except the Atlantic provinces, where it will be light.

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ATTENTION CARPENTERS

Local 1338 will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday, November 17th at the Labour Hall, 162 Richmond St. All members please attend.

ATTENTION MILLVALE TAXPAYERS

A special meeting is to be held on Monday, November 22nd, 1965 at the home of Oswald Murphy at 8 p.m. concerning the construction of a High School Auditorium for Central Queens Regional High School as a 1967 Centennial Project. Ronald J. Bolger, Secretary.

AUCTION SALE AT FRENCH RIVER

Saturday, Nov. 20th—1:30 p.m. Owing to ill health, I will sell by public auction all fishing equipment: 33 ft. boat with Chevrolet engine, hauler, 380 lobster traps and rope, herring nets, mackerel nets, smelt nets, seine, life belts, buoys, dory, anchors, trawls, floats, oyster rakes, bait grinder, table saw, Briggs and Stratton engine 2 1/2 H.P., International engine 2 1/2 H.P., compass, 12 gauge Belgian gun, also building 16' x 21'. TERMS: CASH. Heath Harding Owner Arthur J. Stewart Auctioneer Tel. 4-4591

THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RURAL BEAUTIFICATION SOCIETY extends a sincere "Thank You" to all those who made our 1965 year an outstanding success.

1966 CONTEST Those planning to enter our 1966 Contest are advised that work done this fall will be given full credit by the Judges, provided the Secretary of the Society is notified. Pictures should also be taken and these forwarded to the Secretary along with the intention to compete.

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Some Taking Second Look At Gordon's Resignation

By KEN SMITH

Canadian Press Business Editor Businessmen who had rallied against the policies of Walter Gordon last week when he resigned as finance minister following the failure of the Liberal party to obtain a clear majority in Parliament. Initial approval of his stepping down appeared, however, to be tempered by later thoughts as to whether his resignation will mean any significant change in the basic policies he adopted.

While some businessmen expressed hopes for an easing of Mr. Gordon's nationalistic attitude toward ownership of industries in Canada and for a quick repeal of his controversial 11-per-cent sales tax on building equipment and production machinery, others took the attitude of "let's wait and see what develops."

One construction industry official went so far as to say the 11-per-cent sales tax, almost unanimously condemned by business, is becoming acceptable and hasn't affected the amount of construction in Canada.

Summed up one financial official: "Everything is still political—let's wait for some facts before trying to say what will happen next."

Ironically, one of Mr. Gordon's last official public acts dealt with the importing of United States capital, one of his favorite subjects.

He asked that Canadian borrowers stay out of the U.S. money market for the rest of this year to help ease the drain on the U.S. balance of payments.

The delay is expected to affect mostly municipal and provincial agency borrowings and not business or industry plans.

Elsewhere on the business scene, U.S. government actions were felt on the Canadian metal scene when Aluminum Ltd. of Montreal cancelled a price increase following similar moves by U.S. producers.

U.S. aluminum producers had raised the price of ingot to 25 cents a pound from 24 cents Oct. 28, and promptly ran about of the government which described the move as inflationary. The U.S. also announced

OBITUARY

MRS. WILLIAM J. POOLE The death of Mrs. William J. Poole occurred suddenly in the Souris Hospital on November 6th. The former Beattie Garrett, she was born in Souris April 19, 1883. She married William J. Poole on September 1, 1908. Mr. and Mrs. Poole were married 62 years.

A wonderful neighbor and friend she was noted for her kindness and generosity and was a member of St. James United Church, Souris.

Mrs. Poole is survived by two sons, Russell of Souris and Hudson, Lakeville, N.S. and three daughters, Mildred of Schreiber, Ontario, Emily of Belleville, Ontario and Ella of Winsloe, P.E.I., a granddaughter, Dorothy and a great granddaughter, Gail, lived with her.

The funeral was held in the St. James United Church and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Phinney. Pallbearers were Robert MacKenzie, Harvey Poole, John Jarvis, Vernon Poole, Hugh Sotheland, and Bruce Stevenson. Interment was in the Church of England Cemetery, Souris. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Sherron, Charlottetown.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. William J. Poole wish to express our sincere thanks to Dr. Kasser, nurses and staff of the Souris Hospital, to friends and neighbours and to those who sent flowers and messages of sympathy and memorial cards during our recent bereavement.

that part of the 1,400,000-ton U.S. stockpile would be released for the ordinary market.

After U.S. makers dropped prices to the old level in the face of the U.S. government opposition, Canadian producers had to follow suit to remain competitive. The increase lasted less than a week in Canada.

Another metal area where prices have been moving up so far without governmental action is copper.

Canada's two largest copper producers, International Nickel Co. of Canada Ltd. and Noranda Mines Ltd., raised their price to domestic purchasers by 2 1/2 cents a pound to 40 1/2 cents.

Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd. later matched the increase.

Last month the price of the metal was raised to overseas purchasers by all Canadian and U.S. producers following increases by Chilean companies.

On the basis of last year's production of 800,000,000 pounds, the price increase will add about \$20,000,000 to gross revenue of copper producers in Canada.

Finance companies continued to report lower quarterly earnings, following the crisis touched off in June by the collapse of Atlantic Acceptance Corp.

Laurentide Financial Corp., an unsuccessful bidder for part of the assets of insolvent Atlantic Acceptance, said nine-month earnings declined to \$635,053 from \$934,814 in the similar 1964 period.

Coronation Credit Corp. earnings dipped to \$182,454 in the three months ended Oct. 31 from \$219,700.

Coronation said it was worried by "false rumors" of trouble for financial institutions and has vigorously tightened its operations. It said it has lowered its dependence on raising funds in the money market and at Oct. 31 its borrowings were down to \$5,000,000 from \$20,000,000 in May.

Meanwhile, the destiny of Atlantic remained clouded.

The Ontario Supreme Court granted a committee of subordinated holders of Atlantic notes leave to appeal last month's decision by the courts to allow General Acceptance Corp. to be part of Atlantic's assets.

Under the proposed GAC purchase, the way would be opened for senior noteholders with claims of \$106,000,000 to get most of their money back, but there would be little if anything left for subordinated noteholders.

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The vessel got only as far as North Brother Island, opposite 143th Street, where its burned hull washed ashore with 1,021 of its passengers dead.

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As chairman of the Liberal party's national campaign committee I believed that if you conducted a good campaign we would obtain a comfortable majority. Your campaign was superb in every way. You could not have done any better or any more than you did.

The conclusion is quite clear. I gave you bad advice, both as a minister and as campaign chairman. I accept full responsibility for this and therefore submit my resignation from the cabinet.

If there is anything I can ever do for you at any time, you know all you have to do is let me know.

With very best wishes, Yours sincerely, W. L. Gordon

Dear Walter: I have received your letter and I have also thought over the talk which, at my request, we had subsequently this afternoon.

I cannot accept your assumption of responsibility for the decision to hold the recent election while it confirmed our position as a government with considerably the largest support in the House of Commons did not give us the majority of members we sought. You and others advised me to hold the election at this time for reasons which seemed perfectly valid, but the decision was mine and the sole responsibility for the decision remains mine.

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I also want to express my deep appreciation for what you have accomplished as minister of finance in putting into effect fiscal policies which have done much to bring about and maintain the expansion and prosperity Canada at present enjoys.

And for your efforts to ensure that Canadians maintain the maximum control possible over their own economic and industrial development as essential to the development of the nation. You know that I share this objective with you.

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Kindest personal regards, Sincerely, L. B. Pearson

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REGISTRATION WEST PRINCE AUTOMOTIVE CARPENTRY PLUMBING WELDING O'Leary-Masonic Hall Time: November 17, 7.30 P.M. Alberton-Erskine Clark Shop Time: November 18, 7.30 P.M. These courses are conducted as a joint venture by the Federal and Provincial Governments.

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