



ADDRESSED BEEF PRODUCERS

R.C. Parent (centre) superintendent of the Experimental Farm, Charlottetown, was featured speaker at a Beef Producers Association meeting in O'Leary on Wednesday. About 75 farmers attended the gathering which was addressed by the provincial president, Leo P. McIsaac, Eddie Clark

AT ANNUAL COUNCIL MEETING

Committee Chairman Reports \$4,304 Surplus

SUMMERSIDE — The chairman of the finance committee, Frances Perry, reported a surplus of \$4,304 for the year ending 1965 at the annual meeting of the town council last night. E.T. Hickey of the auditing firm of T.E. Hickey and Com-



COUNCILLOR PERRY

pany, read the town's financial statement for the year. The report indicated that the total expenditures for the year were \$1,068,012; surplus for the year was \$4,304, and the annual revenue was \$1,072,316. The decrease in town net debt was \$3,724.

In closing the report Mr. Hickey said he felt the financial position of the town was very satisfactory. Immediately after the report was read Councillor Eric Johnston objected to the report being filed as he said he and the other members of the council were not presented with the financial report until a few minutes before the annual meeting, and he did not have time to study it. He requested that the meeting be held over to tonight (Friday). His request was not acted on.

It was moved by councillor Perry and seconded by councillor Grant Mollison that the statement of revenue and expenditures for the year be received and filed, and the motion passed with Councillor Johnston recording the only negative vote.

He expressed his gratitude to the Summerside Board of Trade for the brochure on the industrial park, the traffic study completed by the board in 1965 and expressed his hope that the new council would take action immediately after the civic election on the downtown parking problem.

He further noted that the board of trade has been co-operating with the town on the new modern tourist information bureau near the eastern entrance of the town, and that barring unforeseen circumstances, the construction of the bureau will begin this spring.

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WESTERN BRIEFS

RETURNS HOME — Gerald Rooney, Alberton, has returned to his home after being a patient in the Western Hospital.

LEAVES FOR ONTARIO — Mrs. Charles Mallett, Miscouche, left recently for Hamilton, Ont.

EXPECTED HOME — Rev. R.M. Cameron, Bedeque, who is a patient in Prince County Hospital, expects to return home this week.

UNDER TREATMENT — Ernest Johnson, Bedeque, has been under treatment at the Prince County Hospital for a few days.

EGG PRICES — Dealers were quoting producers Thursday for ungraded eggs delivered in Charlottetown — 36 cents per dozen for grade A large, 29 cents for grade A medium and 25 cents for grade A small.

CARD WINNERS — The Miscouche Firemen's weekly card play was held on Tuesday with 14 tables in play. Following were the winners: ladies' first, Mrs. Frank DesRoches; consolation, Mrs. John C. Poirier; men's first, Neil Peters; consolation, Francis DesRoches; door prize, Mrs. A. DesRoches. A cake draw was won by Mrs. Bridget Arsenault.

DEATHS

FYFE — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital Feb. 10, 1966, John M. Fyfe of Stanley Bridge, in his 62nd year. Remains resting at the Davison Funeral Home until Saturday noon then to Stanley Bridge United Church where funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Interment in Floral Hills Memorial Gardens. Visiting hours Friday 2-4, 7-9.

CLINTON — At the Charlottetown Hospital Thursday, Feb. 10, 1966, Artemus Clinton, 95 Fitzroy Street in his 63rd year. Resting at the Charlottetown Funeral Home from this evening at 7 o'clock. Funeral Saturday morning, leaving funeral home at 8:45 for Requiem High Mass at St. Dunstan's Basilica at 9 o'clock. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

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CANN FUNERAL — The funeral of Mrs. Nelson Cann was held Thursday morning from the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Gabriel Bulger, Foxley River, to St. Bridget's Church, Lot 11, where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Nazaire Gallant. Pallbearers were Winston Barlow, Charles Stewart, Orville Cann, Clarence Fraser, Peter Lynch, Cyril Bulger. Interment was in the church cemetery.

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Island News Page

Western and Central Districts

The Guardian, Charlottetown, Fri. Feb. 11, 1966. 3

Summerside Native Named CNR Supervisor

MONCTON — A maritimer whose railroad experience with Canadian National has carried him throughout the Atlantic Provinces has been named supervisor of automotive equipment for the Atlantic region.

William C. MacLean, a native of Summerside, P.E.I., is now responsible for the maintenance of all the regions automotive vehicles — approximately 1,000 of them. The appointment was announced by S.T. Cooke, general superintendent of express freight for the region.

Mr. MacLean joined CN in 1951 at Borden on a temporary basis, working on the Northumberland Strait ferry service during summer months. He worked throughout his

summers until graduation from the University of New Brunswick in 1952 with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering.

ON PERMANENT — Mr. MacLean then joined the railway's regional equipment office in Moncton on a permanent basis and the following year, went to Newfoundland as assistant mechanical engineer in the equipment department.

He operated out of St. John's covering the Newfoundland area and, as of February 9, was promoted to the region position in Moncton. Mrs. MacLean is the former R. Frances Crawford of Moncton. They have two children. Mr. MacLean's interests range from model trains to boating and from water sports to bowling.

U.S. COLD WAR

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Dulles, after rejoining the state department. Kennan repeated time and again Thursday, to largely-sympathetic questioning, that there was little similarity between the European of the late 1940s and Asia today or any other underdeveloped area.

VIET NAM EXPENDABLE — The U.S. cannot waste its substance in global interventions everywhere, he said, putting Viet Nam in that expendable category.

He was the latest witness summoned by the committee, which is conducting an inquiry into the Viet Nam issue in direct opposition to the wishes—and often the policies—of President Johnson.

Viet Nam is harming relations with Japan, "the greatest asset we have or could have" in Asia, Kennan said. This was especially true of American strategic bombing of North Viet Nam, which had harsh memories for Japan.

There was increasing deterioration of relations even with friendly nations as the war escalated and there would be, especially in Europe where numerous countries had so recently shed colonies, more respect for a U.S. policy leading to a "resolute but courageous liquidation of an unwise position."

Land war with China might force Russia to resurrect Berlin or other issues for which the U.S. would be ill-equipped militarily. If nuclear arms were used on China, there was literally no way to predict what might happen on this "fringe of apocalyptic danger . . . it is indeed a brink, but in a terribly serious sense."

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Births Decline For Eighth Year

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's birth rate fell last year for the eighth consecutive year, dipping to its lowest level since 1939, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported Thursday.

The year's 419,000 births were down 34,000 from 1964 and represented a rate of 21.4 per 1,000 population. The rate was 28.2 in 1957.

Marriages, however, increased by nearly 5,000 to a record 143,000. The previous high was 138,100 in 1964.

This represented an increase in the marriage rate to 7.3 per 1,000 population, up from 7.2 in 1964. Before 1964, the marriage rate had declined steadily from a record 10.9 in 1946.

Deaths in 1965 were estimated at 147,000, up slightly from 1964. The death rate was a record low of 7.5 per 1,000 population.

The bureau's figures were estimates based on reports from provincial registration offices. DBS said final figures for 1965 are expected to show a lower birth rate in all this provinces, a higher marriage rate except in Quebec, and a lower death rate everywhere except Prince Edward Island, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

Parliament At A Glance

THURSDAY, Feb. 10, 1966

Debate on another television channel for Toronto again took the spotlight as the Commons studied transport department estimates.

Transport Minister Pickersgill was the target of criticism by Opposition Leader Diefenbaker and New Democrats.

He protested everything was normal in the application by three Liberal broadcasters to move channel 3 from Barrie, Ont., to Toronto.

"This means of making a fortune by an under-the-table arrangement cannot be accepted," Mr. Diefenbaker said.

Reid Scott (NDP—Toronto Danforth) said, a back-door method was being tried to get a new channel in Toronto.

Justice Minister Cardin announced a three-lawyer committee will make recommendations for Bankruptcy Act revisions.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported unemployment at 359,000 in January, up 107,000 from December.

Several MPs continued criticism of the railways for what they maintain is slow shipment of wheat to terminals.

The CPR also came in for more criticism about its moves to trim passenger service.

FRIDAY, Feb. 11

The Commons meets at 11 a.m. to continue study of transport department spending. The Senate stands adjourned until Feb. 22.

At the recent annual meeting of the Central Christian Church much interest was evinced in the reports of the two missionaries who have gone out from this congregation to serve in the foreign field.

Mrs. Vida Cass, RN, (nee Vida Stewart) who formerly served in India, is now with her missionary husband, Lew Cass, working in the Brazilian area of Brazil. They are at present planning to work with one of the native tribes who live deep in the Amazon jungle and who, as yet, have never heard the gospel.

The other missionary, Miss Heather Matheson of this city, is engaged in teaching in the Jamaica Christian Boys Home near Kingston, Jamaica. This is a home for homeless boys and offers a great challenge which is ably met by this young lady.



IS PROMOTED

Fred Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Nelson, Montague, who was in the Bank of Nova Scotia in Campbellton, has been promoted to accountant in the Sackville branch.

Firemen's Club Elects Officers

MISCOUCHE — A new slate of officers was installed at the annual meeting of Firemen's Club here recently.

Following are the officers for the coming year: Gerard Poirier, president; Roy Lamoureux, second vice-president; Fred Mallett, treasurer; Claude Gallant, secretary; Maurice Gaudet, sergeant-at-arms.

The following directors were named: Alfred Arsenault, Gabriel Arsenault and K. Dugoy.

Ass'n Holds Annual Meet

The annual meeting of Unit No. 7 of the Public Servants Association was held in the Board Room of the Health Centre Thursday Feb. 10. John MacAleer was chairman.

Regular business of the unit was discussed and three candidates to contest the forthcoming election as unit director in the Public Servants Association were nominated. The three candidates are: Dr. John Craig, Charles E. Praught, John MacAleer.

The election will be held within the unit sometime within the next two weeks. John MacAleer is presently the director of Unit No. 7.

Guest speaker at the meeting was J. Eldon Green, director of old age security and family allowance. He spoke on the Canadian Pension Plan and gave an outline of benefits derived from this plan. He also outlined how this plan might fit in with the plan that public servants are now contributing.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Green by John MacAleer, chairman.

Unit No. 7 is composed of public health nursing, dental health, sanitary engineering, division of vital statistics, provincial laboratories and the administrative branch of the department of health.

The annual meeting of all units of the Public Servants Association will be held in April.

Break Made At Restaurant

GEORGETOWN — During the early hours of Thursday morning, the Coozy Corner Restaurant in Georgetown was entered and approximately 10-12 cartons of assorted cigarettes, one carton of pipe tobacco and a pie were stolen.

The restaurant was located in a part of the B-A Service Station on the corner of Kent and Grafton streets and is operated by Yvon and Maurice Bouchard who also operate the service station.

Entry was made by breaking glass in a window on the Grafton Street side of the restaurant and removing the lower half of the window sash leading into the kitchen.

On leaving, the thief or thieves, replaced the window sash backwards.

The incident is being investigated by town policeman, Allison Grover, who is being assisted by members of the Montague detachment of the RCMP.

OPPOSES GUILLOTINE

PARIS (Reuters)—The senior member of the Paris municipal council called on France Thursday to replace the guillotine with the electric chair. Armand Massard, 81-year-old member of the council since 1932, said the electric chair was less "repugnant" than the "ignoble" guillotine. Massard described himself as one of the last supporters of capital punishment in order to repress rising crime.

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which is a denial of every democratic principle this country stands for. "CANNOT BE ACCEPTED"

"This means of making a fortune by an under-the-table arrangement cannot be accepted by this House."

Mr. Pickersgill said he agrees with much that Mr. Diefenbaker had said about the concentration in the communications field. SAYS VIEW CHANGES

But Mr. Diefenbaker hadn't taken the same view when John Bassett, publisher of the Toronto Telegram, and Joel Aldred were applying for a television channel in Toronto.

Mr. Pickersgill said nothing can be done about the Snelgrove application by the government without it going before the Board of Broadcast Governors.

He said Mr. Diefenbaker is suggesting that because the three men involved are Liberals they should be denied rights otherwise receive.

Reid Scott (NDP — Toronto Danforth), who opened the subject Wednesday, said Mr. Pickersgill had offered no reasonable reply to the main point. He had been specious and roundabout.

The main point was that a "back-door, behind-the-scenes" method was being used to open up a new channel in Toronto without any public knowledge.

Nobody except Mr. Snelgrove and his associates was being allowed to compete for this "melon or melon" or whatever you call it."

But Mr. Pickersgill, whose department received broadcasting applications, refused to take any responsibility for this "back-room deal."

DOES NOT LIKE 'DEAL' — "I don't like the looks of the deal," Mr. Scott said.

Mr. Pickersgill said there had been no deal of any description. All that had been done was to apply for a channel transfer.

He said he has received a telegram from Mr. Aldred, who ran a gainst Prime Minister Pearson in Algoma East in the last election for the Conservatives, asking how to apply for a Toronto channel. He had also received a letter from CFRB Toronto on the same subject.

Mr. Pickersgill said he is confident the BBG will hear every interested party.

Mr. Diefenbaker said the board exists in name but not in personnel. There were unfilled vacancies on the board.

Mr. Pickersgill noted later in the debate that the board has only one full-time member—Dr. Andrew Stewart, the chairman—instead of the three it normally has.

Mr. Diefenbaker said Mr. Pickersgill had referred to the "technical qualifications" of the Snelgrove group.

"They certainly have the political ones," Mr. Diefenbaker said.

Mr. Diefenbaker said Royce Frith, an outstanding Liberal, had applied for a station in Windsor, Ont., and received a licence with the words that this was a "rare and exciting opportunity for Canadianism."

Mr. Frith then had disposed of the station to the Striking interests.

Before he sat down, Mr. Diefenbaker said: "I'll have more to say later."

Outlining his position, as the Commons debated transport spending estimates, Mr. Pickersgill said a three-point application for TV channel allocations was submitted by Ralph Snelgrove Ltd. and he had not reached any decision on it.

Mr. Snelgrove was Liberal

RCAF Band Provides Delightful Programme

By CHRISTOPHER GLEDHILL

The Central Band of the RCAF provided a thoroughly delightful evening of music-making in the Confederation Theatre last night. There was something for everybody. For the "man in the street" there were tuneful excerpts from Broadway musicals and the grand old Sousa marches, which, to my mind, have never been improved upon for sheer vigour and breadth. The connoisseur, for his part, could enjoy to the full the delicacy, the rich and mellow power of the brass, the precision and tact of the percussion and the agility and ensemble of the woodwind, for this is a collection of some fifty superb and versatile musicians.

This band plays like one man — I did not spot one ragged entry throughout the whole programme. As for intonation, it was about as perfect as it could possibly be. Best of all, the tone of the full band was wonderfully rich and full, the instruments blending together without harshness of any kind.

The programme was well thought out on the whole, though in the "serious" department I felt that Massenet's overture to Phedre, though superbly played, is scarcely worth the trouble of exhuming. Another weakness was the scarcity of works originally written for wind orchestra, though admittedly the arrangements were all expertly and imaginatively done. I particularly enjoyed the arrangement of Strauss's Allegretto and the introduction to "una furtiva lagrima".

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Dr. Reddin was the son of the late Louis J. Reddin of Charlottetown and the late F. Beatrice Dickson of Truro, N.S.

Born in Truro, N.S., Dr. Reddin attended Queen's University, St. Francis Xavier College, St. Dunstan's University and St. Francis Xavier University, Halifax.

Dr. Reddin taught school at Southport for two years prior to graduating from Dalhousie Dental School in Halifax in 1933.

He later practiced in Mt. Stewart, St. Peter's and Souris until 1939 and in Moncton from 1939-1945 before he returned to Mt. Stewart where he practiced his profession until the time of his death.

Surviving are his wife, the former Agnes MacDonnell of Mt. Stewart, five children, James, Ellen, Eunice, Louisa and David.

Also surviving are two brothers, Frederick of Lunenburg and William of Montague, and a sister, Louisa (Mrs. Simon Poit) of Kingsville, Ontario.

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