

Accident Victim Sad Improved

Six-year-old Howard James McKenzie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKenzie, of St. Peter's Bay was reported to be "slightly improved" by his attending physician last night.

The young lad was taken to the Charlottetown Hospital in critical condition Monday, following an accident near his home, which claimed the life of his five-year-old brother, Edward Charles.

His injuries include a fractured skull, leg and arm, and other lesser injuries.

The accident occurred when the young lad coasted into the path of a school bus.

Members of the jury are, R.D. MacGillivray, foreman; Walter Burdick, Keith Myers, Donald Langille, all of Charlottetown; Preston MacLeod, West Valley; Gordon Mulrow and James Wilkins, both of Parkdale.

The remains have been transferred from the Perry Funeral Home in Souris to the home of his parents in St. Peter's Bay, from where the funeral will be held today at St. Peter's church for mass at 8:30 a.m. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Carleton Sliding Resident Passes

CARLETON SLIDING — The death of Harry C. Muttart, well known resident of Carleton Sliding, occurred suddenly at his residence, about 10 years ago.

He leaves to mourn his wife, the former Tess Howatt; one daughter, Mrs. W. B. Stewart, Moncton, N.B.; four grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Arthur Dawson, Tryon.

Funeral services will be held at the late residence on Thursday, March 22, at 2:30 p.m. Interment will be in the Free-Prbyterian Church cemetery, North Tryon.

New Dems Start \$25,000 Drive

A financial drive to raise \$25,000 which will go toward the administration of the provincial office and pay part of the cost of the next federal election campaign was launched by the executive members of the Prince Edward Island New Democratic party at a meeting in the Charlottetown Hotel last night.

Steven Lewis, Ottawa, the party's national fund raising manager, attended. A committee consisting of Brendan Dunphy, Peakes; Gregory MacLennan, Tignish; Douglas MacFarlane, Bequec; and Al MacLean, Charlottetown, was formed to set up zone and pool organizations throughout the province which would do a door to door canvass during the drive which lasted until April 15.

At last night's meeting, presided over by Ian Webster, Parkdale, a resolution was passed which stated that upon election, Island candidates of the New Democratic party will demand a calling of tenders for the immediate construction of a

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capable of efficient handling the traffic demand both in summer and winter between Borden and Cape Tormentine.

Thomas Dunphy, provincial secretary-organizer, said following the meeting that the party's Prince County office will meet in Summerside Friday to set a date for a convention to choose a candidate to contest the constituency in the next federal election.

Kensington Crib Prizes Awarded

KENSINGTON — The Kensington Legion Cribbage tournament concluded Monday evening with prizes presented to winners.

Top honors went to the team of William Simmons and James Clark, while second place winners were George Watson and Mrs. George Douglas.

Twelve teams were entered in the competition, and the top teams will compete with teams from other branches at Kensington on Thursday night for the zone championship.

CREST LANES BOWLING ALLEYS NEAR COMPLETION

The 15-lanes at Crest Lanes are nearing completion for the opening date March 31 when Mayor J.E. Morrison will cut the ribbon and declare the bowling pavilion officially open. Following the ceremony the public will have an opportunity to try out the new alleys, which are located on

Soed Program Closes Tonight

SUMMERSIDE — The final Soed program for the year at being held at the Civic Auditorium in Summerside this evening, which will close dancing at 10 p.m.

As was the case in the previous four weekly programs, the first hour will be taken up with the educational interest groups on bridge, ballroom dancing and first aid.

Immediately following this, Ted Absary, who will be the featured attraction, will take the spotlight and provide the dance music for the expected large crowd.

As an added attraction lunch will be served to all guests.

CURRENT DEFICIT

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Costs of operating the department of welfare and labor will be up by \$716,820. Total appropriation for the department is \$2,764,785. The sum of \$656,000 is requested for old age assistance, \$62,800 for blind pensions, \$677,000 for allowances to disabled persons; and \$150,000 for mothers' allowances. "The minister of the department," said Mr. McQuaid, "is also requesting \$100,000 for the maintenance of neglected children; \$300,000 for social assistance; and \$120,000 for hospital insurance premiums for the indigent. The balance of the appropriation is requested for operation and maintenance of Beach Grove, the home for the aged, extramural T.B. assistance, the winter works program and administration.

LATE NOTICES

OXNER — At the P.E.I. Hospital on Monday, March 19, 1962, Aubrey E. Oxner of St. Herbert's in his 64th year, died at the MacLean Funeral Home from where funeral will be held on Wednesday, March 21 with services commencing at 2 p.m. Interment will take place at St. Michael's cemetery.

LEARD — At the Prince County Hospital on March 20, 1962, Hector Leard of Central Bedouque died at the age of 82. The remains will be forwarded from the Davison Funeral Home to his late residence Wednesday evening. Funeral announcement later.

McKENZIE — As the result of an accident, Monday, March 19, 1962, at St. Peter's, Charles Edward McKenzie, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKenzie, of St. Peter's Bay. The remains were transferred from the Perry Funeral Home to the home of his parents where the funeral will be held Wednesday, March 21 at 9:30 in St. Peter's Church, St. Peter's. Interment in the church cemetery.

MUTTART — Suddenly at the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Tuesday, March 20, 1962, Harry C. Muttart of Carleton Sliding in his 79th year. Resting at the Hamilton Funeral Home until Wednesday morning, then to his late residence where the funeral will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. Interment will be in the Free-Prbyterian Church cemetery, North Tryon.

MacDONALD — At the Charlottetown Hospital, Tuesday, March 20, 1962, Miss Catherine Macdonald, 74, formerly of Summerside, died at 3:30 a.m. on March 20, 1962. The funeral will be held at the St. Peter's Church, Summerside, at 9:30 a.m. on March 21. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Central Bedouque Resident Passes

CENTRAL BEDOQUE — One of Central Bedouque's most respected citizens, Hector Leard, aged 82, died suddenly yesterday at his residence in the home of his parents in St. Peter's Bay. He was a well known and popular resident of the community.

For many years a farmer in Lower Bedouque, Mr. Leard was a farm machinery agent.

As a member of the Central Bedouque United Baptist Church and the Orange Lodge, he was well known in the area, and his services were carried out right through until his death, at which time he was a director of the Bedouque bank.

He is survived by his wife, the former Jean MacKay of Halifax, N.S.; one daughter, Mrs. Ann, a teacher in St. Eleanor, P.E.I.; and Harold, a student at Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B. One brother, Harold predeceased him.

Funeral arrangements had been completed last evening.

Supplementary

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This covers payments in the month of January 1961 on account of claims submitted under an agreement entered into between the federal government and P.E.I. pursuant to the Unemployment Assistance Act. The payment is being made notwithstanding the fact that the claims were not made within the time required as provided in the agreement.

Final amount provided for \$1,000,000.

AGRICULTURAL SPENDING

Department of agriculture expects to spend \$100,000 for the maintenance of neglected children; \$300,000 for social assistance; and \$120,000 for hospital insurance premiums for the indigent. The balance of the appropriation is requested for operation and maintenance of Beach Grove, the home for the aged, extramural T.B. assistance, the winter works program and administration.

HIGHWAY SPENDING

Proposed expenditures for the department of industry and natural resources are \$501,400, an increase of nearly \$100,000 over the forecast expenditure of the current year. "As our province develops economically," said Mr. McQuaid, "additional resources for the department for the furtherance of its programs. A new appropriation for the development research has been added and a vote of \$125,000 is requested. You will note that the minister is proposing \$29,160 for farm improvement services; \$50,000 for market, \$27,150 for town and professional planning; and \$12,770 for design for the acquisition and preservation of property.

SIX-FOLD OBJECT

Mr. McQuaid said that the objectives of his budget are six-fold: "to further educational opportunities in the province; to increase the government's investment in the agricultural industry; to stimulate economic growth and resource development; to maintain and extend health and welfare services; to lighten the financial burden borne by local governments; and, finally, to do everything possible to maintain the economy at a high level."

Summarizing the final figures for the budget that closed last March, Mr. McQuaid said "the actual operating results for the year, after providing for all

Coin Collectors To Have Auction

SUMMERSIDE — Plans for a coin auction to be held at the second meeting of the newly organized Summerside Coin Collectors Club.

Treasurer Wallace Moore presided at this meeting, and membership cards were distributed. Several members displayed interesting collections of coins and old bank bills, and an exchange of duplicates took place among the members in attendance.

P.E.I. in the estimates is \$3,000 for administration of the program and maintenance of the Prince Edward Island national Park.

Ferry Runs Good Yesterday

The CNR train dispatcher reported last night that crossings on the Borden-Terminus route were "very good" yesterday. One trip required two hours and five minutes, while another took only 55 minutes — almost the same as regular summer crossings.

Speeders Fined In S' Side Court

TWO speeders were fined in police court yesterday after pleading guilty to charges of driving without due care and attention.

Penalty for Driving Without Due Care

DAVE GEAC, RCAF stationer, pleaded guilty but maintained he was not going 45 m.p.h. as was stated in the report by the apprehending police officer. George stated he was "doing about 40".

Archie Williams, St. Eleanor, Also Demanded Driving his Car

Archie Williams, St. Eleanor, also demanded driving his car at 40 m.p.h., which was claimed in the police report. He said he was travelling between 30 and 35 miles per hour. Each was fined \$10 and costs by Magistrate Richard Hinton Q.C.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the United Church Hall in Alberton, to be removed from its present site. Tenders shall close on Monday, March 26th, 1962, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Inspection of the premises may be made by appointment.

JAMES H. MACINTOSH, Chairman of Building Committee.

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