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Conference Delegates Register For Opening

Early registrations moved in to high gear last night when by air, train and car the delegates to the second annual conference of the Canadian Association for Retarded Children arrived at the Charlottetown Hotel where the four-day meetings will be opened officially by the conference chairman, Mrs. M.J. McGrath of Montreal at 9 a.m. today.

Yesterday afternoon a pre-conference directors' meeting brought together the 15 members of that important body, resulting in the discussion of many aspects of the work being undertaken from coast to coast, with a view to consolidating and co-ordinating the efforts of all to the betterment of the movement.

At "get together evening at the Charlottetown at which the Prince Edward Island Association was host to all attending the conference brought together more than 150 persons, all imbued with enthusiasm and a forward look in the interest of retarded children through the accepted mediums.

The annual report of the president, L.H. Hall of Montreal, will be the first item on the agenda following the official opening this morning.

Election Act Changes Urged By Women's Club

The Charlottetown Business and Professional Women's Club at their September meeting passed a resolution advocating the revision of the Election Act and the instruction of capable returning officers previous to an election.

Mrs. Gordon Holmes presided over this meeting which was held at Gregor's Hotel on Monday night. Mrs. Holmes succeeded to the presidency of the club on the resignation of Miss Lena MacLure who is now living in Toronto. Miss Madelyn Clarkin was elected as vice-president to replace Mrs. Holmes.

The meeting also deplored the lack of civic pride displayed by so many citizens who carelessly and thoughtlessly litter the streets and in this way detract from the natural beauty and tidiness of our towns and countryside.

"Business Women's Week" to be held throughout Canada and the United States October 4th—10th has Dorothy Cullen as the Charlottetown chairman. As part of its activities during this week, the Charlottetown club will sponsor a public meeting for Dr. Lotta Hirschmanova, executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee, on October 5th.

The Charlottetown club will join with the Summerside club for the provincial annual meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 6th, when Miss Isabel Menzies of Montreal, national president of the Canadian Federation of B. and P. Clubs will be the guest speaker. Helen Yeo and Bessie Prowse who recently returned from Europe, where they attended the 8th Triennial Congress of the International Federation of B. and P. Clubs held in Paris in July, showed pictures taken in the countries visited and gave some highlights of the congress which was attended by 1,000 women from 20 national federations.

The clubs in Prince Edward Island were highly honoured to have Miss Yeo chosen as one of the six Canadian delegates—all other Canadian representatives were observers only.

The theme of the congress was "Building Bridges Between Nations" and a great deal of the discussions carried on throughout the week centred on the status of women.

Bahai's Congregation Hears Address By Winston G. Evans

Winston G. Evans, of Nashville, Tenn., in his lecture at the Charlottetown Hotel Monday evening, said "All loyal Christians long for a better understanding of the Scriptures, and they also want proofs".

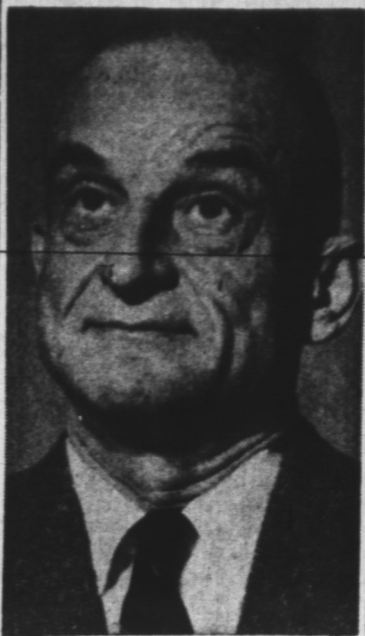
"He drew attention to the fact that we have been given two yard sticks in the Bible whereby we can measure the claims of any prophet.

One: In the Old Testament we are told "If any one prophesied in the Lord and it does not come to pass have no fear of him, he is not a prophet". Baha'ullah made several prophecies which have all come to pass, one of which concerned Germany, he stated.

Two: In the New Testament Christ warned against false prophets. Baha'ullah was a prince in his own right and gave up everything the world could give, while the false prophet is always after something the world can give, Mr. Evans pointed out.

Mr. Evans said, "there were many qualities of the spirit, Christ said 'Before Abraham was I Am' meaning that the dynamic Spiritual Reality of the Christ Spirit existed before Abraham and is remanifested from age to age, this is why Christ stressed the great love of the Father who He said doeth the works."

Christ also said "By their fruits ye shall know them". The speaker declared the greatest proof of Baha'ullah's claim to be the return of the Christ spirit was the words he revealed. It is impossible to read the creative words of Baha'ullah and feel that he is an imposter, he stated. He revealed prophecies concerning world conditions, stripped the literal meaning from symbolism, and wrote letters to all the rulers and religious leaders of the world, summoning them to turn unto the Father who had come, Mr. Evans concluded.



WINSTON G. EVANS

Kenneth Parker Is Vice-President

SASKATOON (CP)—R. E. E. Harvey, district superintendent of schools for Nipawin, Sask., Monday night was elected president of the Canadian Association of School Superintendents and Inspectors.

He succeeds K.B. Woodward of Cloverdale, B.C.

Regional vice-presidents included Kenneth Parker, Charlottetown schools superintendent.



FIRST CHINESE

Grace Maria Au-Young, will have the honor of being the first Chinese girl to be enrolled at St. Dunstan's University. The 19-year-old Hong Kong student has not as yet arrived in the province but is expected to arrive within the next few days. The daughter of a Chinese architect, Grace Maria made application to the university in November of 1958. Since 1953 she has been attending St. Mary's School in Kowloon, across the harbor from Hong Kong.

Large Number Enrol At PWC

A total of 552 students have registered in the four senior years at Prince of Wales College, registrar and director of studies, Gordon R. Bennett announced last night. Last year's total registration in the same grades was 510, professor Bennett added.

By years the number of student registered was as follows: 1st year academic, 177; 1st year commerce, 31; 2nd year academic, 116; 2nd year commerce, 49; 3rd year academic, 68; 4th year academic, 33; normal training, 78.

The college official pointed out that the number registering for teacher training was more than double the number registered for this course in 1958-59.



STUDENTS FROM KENYA REGISTER

"Prince Edward Island is very beautiful—but it is so cold" were the words of two students from Kenya, East Africa, who enrolled yesterday at St. Dunstan's University, Stephen Macharia Murai, left, and Charles Muchoki Mwangi, right. The two students were also quite fascinated with the central heating system of the college. It was the first time they have seen a radiator, having lived in unheated dwellings in their native village.

Local Contractor Replies To Complaints About Port

Shortage of manpower and unfavorable weather nullified plans to unload the motorship OK Service X which arrived in the Port of Charlottetown early Saturday with 3,000 bags of cement consigned to local dealers, Arthur Gormley, president of Gormley Stevedoring Company said yesterday.

Mr. Gormley emphasized that the stevedores at no time refused to handle the cargo. "It was simply a physical impossibility to do so before Monday," he said. "The only available crews were engaged in loading the M.V. Fergus, and this operation was delayed several hours due to heavy rain which continued most of Friday afternoon and evening."

SATURDAY START

Mr. Gormley stated that at 1 p.m. Friday he had informed Mr. Duce, the ship's Montreal agent, that he might be able to start unloading with one gang Saturday morning. The unfavorable weather which set in almost immediately forced him to amend this decision later.

The labor contractor said he had approached the local employment office for additional help and had been told that there were less than five men available for this type of work.

He pointed out that the Fergus was carrying a considerable quantity of perishable goods and would not therefore be held up.

"Had Mr. Duce seen fit to act in a reasonable manner I feel sure a solution to the problem could have been worked out," Mr. Gormley observed.

Mr. Gormley expressed the view that Mr. Duce's action in diverting the ship to Montague plus his remarks published in



PANELIST

Bert W. Schmickel, superintendent of the training school, Southbury, Conn., will be one of the panelists in the "Institutions Panorama" presided over by C. J. Bovey of Ottawa at Thursday morning's meeting of the Canadian Association for Retarded Children. Mr. Schmickel has been administrator of this internationally noted school for retarded children since 1956. The school occupies 1,500 acres on which 100 buildings are located including 35 cottages for over 1,750 boys and girls, a large modern school, a 30-bed hospital and administration buildings and many other facilities essential to maintaining a small community of approximately 2,500 persons.

LOCAL BRIEFS

SPENT WEEK HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flood, Jr. and daughter, Jeanne, left Saturday on return to their home in Hamilton, Ont., following an enjoyable week's vacation spent with Mr. Flood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.J. Flood of Charlottetown.

HOLIDAY TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas 96 Upper Queen St. left today for Toronto to visit with members of their family in that city. During their holiday they expect to visit Niagara Falls and other Canadian cities.

SPECIAL MEETING

The Charlottetown City Council will hold a special meeting Monday evening to discuss a working agreement sought between the two separate branches of civic administration and the union.

The special meeting was decided upon at the regular monthly meeting of the city fathers Monday evening.

BEGG FUNERAL — The funeral for Bert Beggs took place Tuesday morning from the Hennessy Funeral Home to Saint Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Clarence Roach, who also conducted the service at the grave. The Canadian Legion graveside service was conducted by Harry Mortimer with the "Last Post" and "Reveille" sounded by bugler Frank Smith. Pallbearers were Herbert Connolly, Daniel Garnhum, Forde Young, Louis Butler, Frederick Doyle and F.N. Kays. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery.

10 Fire Calls Are Answered During Month

A total of 10 fire calls were answered during the month of August with only three of these being general alarms. Councillor F.W. Boyles, chairman of the fire committee reported to City Council Monday evening.

The chairman also reported that the fire loss for that month amounted to only a few hundred dollars with the total loss for the first eight months being much below average.

Near all the new equipment for the fire department which was in the estimates for the department for this year has arrived or is on order. Fire Chief H.H. Jewell noted that the short handled axes which are supposed to be carried in a fireman's belt are not satisfactory and should be returned.

\$75 Fines Are Assessed

Aubrey Nelson Brookings of Kensington and Lloyd William Campbell of Alliston were each fined \$75 and costs or 20 days on pleas of guilty to impaired driving charges when they appeared before acting Magistrate Allison Gillis in the City Police Court yesterday.

Ronald MacPhail of New Dominion was further remanded until this morning on a drunken driving charge after the evidence of another witness for the prosecution was heard and he had testified on his own behalf.

A common assault case with Charles Curtis as defendant resulted in the Charlottetown man being remanded until Friday. A Charlottetown man and woman, each charged with using insulting and abusive language had their cases adjourned until the 17th.

Two Charlottetown drunk and incapable were each fined \$10 and costs or five days while a third was fined \$5 and costs or five days.

being recovered; 13 private yards inspected and the answering of 248 telephone calls.

THANK YOU

Sincere thanks to the electors of Charlottetown, Parkdale and the Royals for your generous support on election day. A special thank you to our many workers for all their assistance.

DAVE STEWART
ALBAN FARMER

Cronies Of Youth Object Of Search

MONTREAL (CP) — George Black, a weather-beaten veteran of the great Klondike gold rush and former Speaker of the House of Commons, is to make a sentimental journey to the country of his boyhood in search of cronies of his youth.

Th twinkling eyes that saw all the "good old bad days" of Dawson City at the height of the most famous gold rush in history will search the Maritimes for faces that will bring back memories of a youth that passed before the 20th century was born.

The Hon. George Black is 86 now. For more than half a century he has been known as "Mr. Yukon." He and his bride of two years, the former Sadie O'Rourke, sister of First World War hero Mickey O'Rourke, V.C., are to leave Montreal in a few days to travel to his native New Brunswick. They are to visit Fredericton, Saint John and Woodstock.

STUDIED LAW AT U.N.B.

Born in Woodstock in 1873 he spent most of his early days in Richibucto and studied law at the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton. He was admitted to the bar in the province in 1899.

No sooner had he opened an office than news of the gold rush swept the world. It seemed there was gold for everybody.

"I packed up immediately and headed for Vancouver," said Mr. Black in an interview.

In spring, 1898, Mr. Black saw Dawson City.

By then most of the area was staked and claimed. But a little mining gave him enough to set up practice in Dawson, by then 30,000 in population.

Yukon politics in those early days were as wild as the Yukon itself, with ballot stuffing and terrorizing of voters. A vigilante committee was formed and Mr. Black became its legal adviser. In spite of threats he succeeded

UN Sees Storms Ahead In Session

By JOSEPH MACSWEEN
Canadian Press Staff Writer
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (CP)—The 14th General Assembly of the United Nations opened Tuesday in an atmosphere of genteel ceremony—but with the prospect of stormy days ahead.

Dr. Victor Andres Beland, 75-year-old Peruvian professor-diplomat who is known to UN old-timers as "Mr. United Nations," was elected president by an unanimous vote of the 82-member assembly.

That was the main event here Tuesday but another event—the arrival in Washington of Soviet Premier Khrushchev—had a big place in the background of the assembly opening.

Premier Khrushchev, who acted briefly as chairman before Beland's election, apparently referred to it when he declared:

"Interpreting, I think, your unanimous feelings, I shall not end these few words, gentlemen, without underlining the hope which today's great meeting is inspiring among all the nations of the universe."

CAUTIOUS OPTIMISM

Beland, in his inaugural speech, made no reference to the talks between Khrushchev and President Eisenhower but spoke with "cautious optimism" about UN progress.

He expressed the hope that the "great problem of disarmament will, under the auspices of the General Assembly and the Security Council, together with the determined co-operation of the great powers, start a process which will lead to a final solution."

External Affairs Minister Howard Green headed Canada's delegation to the assembly for the first time.

DECIDE ON AGENDA

The 21-nation steering committee will decide today on an agenda for the session, and this is expected to set off sharp exchanges over India's proposal that the assembly take up the question of admitting Communist China at the expense of Nationalist China.

Also before the UN are charges

Union Officer Is Acquitted

GRAND FALLS, Nfld (CP)—Harry Thompson, former president of the Independent Longshoremen's Union at nearby Botwood, was acquitted here Monday on charges of converting union funds to his own use. The amount involved was in the vicinity of \$1,000.

The charge was laid last December by Alfred Evans, a Teamster's Union official. Evans charged that Thompson used union funds for personal use in 1957 after he was hired to organize the Botwood Longshoremen. Evans charged that instead, Thompson led the Longshoremen out of the Teamster camp and formed his own independent union.

The jury deliberated 40 minutes after hearing 13 witnesses.

CANADIAN FALL FASHIONS FOR '59

What will you be wearing in the cool months ahead? Be sure to see the colorful fall fashion collection in this week's Star Weekly before planning your own wardrobe.

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