HOLSTEIN ENTRIES JUDGED AT EGMONT BAY FAIR

Louis W. Roper, livestock director for the department of agriculture was one of several judges taking part in the Egmont Bay and Mt. Carmel Exhibition that went off with such success in Abrams Village yesterday. Above Mr. Roper looks over a section of the Holstein entries, after which he commented on the excellent standard of the class in comparison to other years.

Immediate Pension Hike Advocated By P.E.I. Gov't

An immediate $10 increase in old age pensions will be requested by the Island delegation to the federal-provincial conference on a national pension plan in Ottawa Monday.

The Hon. Henry Wedge, minister of welfare and labor, will head the delegation which will include, Provincial Treasurer Alban Farmer and deputy welfare and labor minister W. W. Reid.

"This government feels," Mr. Wedge said yesterday, "that the present $65 per month pension of old age assistance, blind and disabled persons allowance should be raised to $75 and this amount made a basic figure for any new pension plan decided on."

The Island delegation will also ask that the widows' and unmarried women's pensions be paid when recipients reach 60 years of age, instead of 65 and that the pension be $75 a month.

RECEIVE NO BENEFIT

Mr. Wedge pointed out that "50 per cent of our people qualifying for pensions are either self employed or unemployed and would receive no benefit from a national pension plan that they had to pay into. "For this reason," he said, "we feel the basic pension should be $75 a month. If persons want a higher pension, they can contribute when the national plan comes into effect."

The minister said the Island delegation has been instructed to seek full details on the federal plans for a national pension scheme. "We particularly want to know," he said, "how the plan can be financed at two per cent. We feel the percentage will skyrocket in the years to come. Cost of the United States pension plan now is about nine per cent. There would be a limit to finance costs, especially in this province where income is low in comparison to other provinces."

Prince County Plowing Match Slated Tuesday

O'LEARY — The Prince County plowing match will be held next Tuesday on the farm of Clair MacNeill, Knutsford, a mile west of O'Leary.

The first Prince County plowing match was held in O'Leary in 1958 and the event has continued to expand each year. Last year the provincial plowing championships were run off in O'Leary in conjunction with the Prince County match. Stanley Willis, veteran plowman from Cornwall won the championship against six other contestants.

Arthur Hudson of Cascumpec, two times Prince County winner was fourth in the Island championships.

Eleven plowing classes will be run off next Tuesday with the provincial minister of agriculture Andrew MacRae officially opening the match at 2 o'clock. Plowing gets going at 9.30 in the morning.

There will also be a team pulling contest, a tractor roadeo and achievement day for the O'Leary 4-H Calf Club.

Prizes and trophies will be presented at a banquet in the evening. Judge of the plowing will be D. M. Gilchrist, Fredericton, N.B.

Tignish Will Be Host To Legion Convention

TIGNISH — Royal Canadian Legion delegates from 22 Island branches will meet in Tignish Saturday for the annual provincial command convention.

It is expected that the 32 accredited delegates will be swelled by a large number of unofficial representatives from the various branches. Charlottetown No. 1 Branch is expected to send a delegation of 20 headed by President Freeman Miles, and also a color party of four.

Guests at the convention will include Lieutenant - Governor W. J. MacDonald, and Chester M. Merriam, Dominion chairman from Tara, Ont., who will represent the Dominion president, Mr. Justice J.C. Sparling.

Tignish No. 6 Branch will play host to the visitors. It will be the first Legion convention in the village since 1956. E. C. Perry, vice-president of the Tignish Branch will welcome the delegates and E.C. Gaudette, chairman of the village commission will welcome the visitors.

Registration will get underway at 9 a.m. Saturday following by a business session at 9.30 At noon a memorial service will be held in Tignish High School and a wreath will be laid in memory of fallen comrades at the war memorial. The Lieut. Governor will take the salute on the march past of the veterans on their return to the branch home for a reception.

Business sessions will be held in the afternoon followed by a banquet in the evening at which Hon. J. Watson MacNaught will be the guest speaker. Premier Walter Shaw will be among the guests.

Officers of the provincial command include, Hon. President, F. Walter Hyndman; president, J. Hamilton Douglas, Mt. Stewart; 1st Vice-president, Ben Champion, Summerside; 2nd Vice-President, F. Pius Smith, Charlottetown; Chairman, Mercier J. Mullin, Summerside; Vice-Chairman, Cyril Williams, Ellerslie; Hon. Treasurer, A.C. MacEachern, Charlottetown Chaplain, Rev. R.F. MacDonald, Seven Mile Bay; Past president, Frank A. Rush, Charlottetown; Dominion representative, Bruce L. Stewart, Souris, and Provincial Secretary James Walker, Charlottetown.

DEATH NOTICES

(Received too late for Classified Death Notice column).

LOWTHER — At Searletown, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1963, Major H. Lowther, in his 90th year. Remains will be forwarded from the Chisholm Funeral Home today (Friday) to his late residence where they will rest until noon Saturday, Sept. 7, then to the United Church, Bedeque for funeral service at 2:30 p.m. Interment in Searletown cemetery.

GALLANT — At the Prince County Hospital, Sept. 4, 1963, Mrs. Mary Stelle Gallant, wife of the late Joseph Gallant, Urbanville, in her 82nd year. Her remains were forwarded from the Compton Funeral Home Thursday afternoon to the home of her son Octave Gallant, 375 First Street, Summerside, from where the funeral will be held Saturday morning, Sept. 7, to St. James' Church, Egmont Bay, for Requiem High Mass at 9:30 a.m. Interment in the church cemetery.

TOOMBS — At the Livingston and MacArthur Nursing Home, Sept. 1, 1963, Mrs. Edith Toombs, widow of the late A.E. Toombs, in her 89th year. Remains are resting at the Cutcliffe Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held this afternoon, service commencing at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the People's cemetery.

INGLIS — At the Prince County Hospital, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1963, Mrs. Evans Inglis, in her 81st year. Remains were forwarded from the Davison Funeral Home to her late residence this evening. Funeral service will be held from the Kensington United Church, Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Interment will be in Peoples Cemetery, Kensington.

STEWART — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1963, John Angus Stewart of Charlottetown and Belle River in his 98th year. Resing at the Murray River Funeral Home until 2 o'clock Saturday, then to the Wood Islands Presbyterian Church for funeral service commencing at 3:30. Interment will be in Belfast cemetery.

Tax Director Assumes Duty

H. Raymond Hennessey on Wednesday assumed the duties of director of taxation at he District Taxation Office, Charlottetown, succeeding T.E. Evans who has been transferred to Sydney, N.S.

Mr. Hennessey, son of Mrs. George Hennessey, Charlottetown, joined the department here in 1947, and was transfered to the Inspection Services Branch at the head office in Ottawa in 1958. Prior to his transfer here he was supervisor of Administration at Saint John, N.B., for two and one half years.

He is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Prince Edward Island, and during his former service here held the rank of Major in the 5 Signals Regiment. He was educated at West Kent School, Prince of Wales College, and Maritime Business College in Halifax.

He is married and has four children.

Former Islander Dies In Mass.

A former Island resident in Massachusetts for the past 70 years, Mrs. Elmira Dill (nee Andrews), 90, died Thursday, Sept. 5, at her home at 947 Great Pond Road, North Andover, Mass., after a lingering illness.

She was born June 2, 1873, at Ebenezer, P.E.I.

Survivors here include a brother, Ashford Andrews, Milton, and a sister Mrs. Ada Johnston, also of Milton. Two other sisters also survive, Mrs. Hannah Chapin, Andover, Mass., and Miss Emma Andrews, Oshawa, Ont.

A member of the Calvary Baptist Church, Lawrence, Mass., she is also survived by three daughters: Mrs. Lena Long and Mrs. Gladys Kleiner, of North Andover, and Mrs. Ada Chapman, R.N., Rye, N.H.; and by two sons, Robert S. Dill and Raymond C. Dill, North Andover; as well as two grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Saturday from the R. George Citron Funeral Home, 30 Main Street, North Andover, with Rev. J. Walter Sillen officiating. Burial will be in the Ridgewood Cemetery, North Andover. Calling hours Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9.

Island Gov't Stays In Fund

The provincial government apparently has decided not to contract out of the federal-provincial municipal loan fund development program.

Premier Walter R. Shaw said yesterday "as it stands now I think we will stay in the program, letting the federal government administer the fund in this province."

Out of the $400,000,000 fund, about three million dollars would be available for municipal borrowing to this province.

Freak Accident Injures City Man

In a freak accident at the store of Moore and McLeod Ltd., William Henry, vice-president of the firm suffered a fractured jaw, a cut cheek and the loss of several teeth yesterday morning.

It was learned that Mr. Henry was looking down the freight elevator shaft when the elevator came down and wedged his head between it and the gate.

He is now a patient in the Prince Edward Island Hospital, where he is expected to remain for about a week.

Tignish Asks For Curbing On Main St.

TIGNISH — The September meeting of the Tignish Village commissioners was held in the fire hall Tuesday evening, with chairman E. C. Gaudette presiding.

New signs for the village have been completed and will be erected during the week.

A motion was passed requesting the government to place curbing from the Post Office to the Roman Catholic Church.

Complaints were aired at the meeting on the poor condition of several streets in the village, that are not hard surfaced. Constable Howard Foley gave the police report for the month.

Everett Broderick, village clerk read the minutes of the previous meeting.

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vincial views may form part of the basis of a federal conference on highways later this year.

CAUSEWAY TALKS

The federal minister planned to meet late yesterday with representatives of Northumberland Consultants Limited, the firm doing the preliminary work on the proposed Northumberland Strait Causeway.

Mr. Deschatelets declined to comment on the progress of the causeway survey work, except to say "we have gained considerable information on the feasibility of such an undertaking and know the basic problems involved. We are now seeking details on the specific kind of crossing that would be most feasible."

The minister was accompanied by his deputy, G. B. Williams and was scheduled to leave the province last evening.

Yesterday, a luncheon in his honor was held at Dalvay. Premier Walter R. Shaw was in attendance.

Premier Shaw said "it was a pleasure to have a federal minister visit the province."

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Driver Is Exonerated By Coroner's Inquest

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

A coroner's jury here last evening exonerated the driver of a car from all blame in the deaths of three Waterdown, Ont. persons at the Carleton cross-roads on Aug. 2 when the car he was driving collided with the vehicle in which the persons killed were travelling.

James Frederick Spencer, 51, his wife, Wilhelmia Elizabeth, 52, and their daughter Sharon, 18, of RR 1, Waterdown, Ont., lost their lives when the car Mr. Spencer was driving collided with a 1963 model vehicle driven by LAC Herbert David Olson, RCAF Station Summerside.

The jury recommended that a flashing light be placed at the intersection in question with a yellow signal facing the Trans-Canada entrances and red signals be given as a warning to vehicles travelling on the secondary road.

A speed limit of 40 miles per hour was also suggested for the secondary road.

Dr. Daniel L. Stewart, Bedeque, said he was called to the scene of the accident at approximately 12:30 p.m. and found James Spencer lying on the side of the road, barely breathing. He said artificial respiration was given but it was very difficult because Mr. Spencer had several broken ribs. He said the man stopped breathing after approximately three minutes.

He said Mr. Olson sustained facial lacerations but other than small cuts, was just shaken up.

Dr. Stewart said that Miss Spencer, who had been travelling in the rear of her father's small European car, was dead upon his arrival. He was not aware of the condition of Mrs. Spencer at the time, except that it was serious.

The fourth passenger in the Spencer-driven vehicle, Dianne Robertson, also of Waterdown, was not seriously injured but was taken to hospital for a closer check-up. Mrs. Spencer died on the way to the hospital.

Mr. Olson testified that he was travelling at approximately 50 miles per hour in a westerly direction when he came to the Carleton intersection. The first thing he saw was the small car directly in front of him he said and he struck it side on. He said he was knocked unconscious but was still in the car when he came to because he had been using his safety belt.

Diane Robertson left a statement with the RCMP before her return to Ontario in which she said she could remember the car slowing up because they were looking for a service station, but she did not remember anything about the stop sign or the car coming from their right.

SIGN KNOCKED DOWN

Cnst Alan D. Burchell, Borden detachment RCMP, said that there was a stop sign at the intersection facing the Ontario car and that there was a stop-ahead-sign several yards from the intersection that had been knocked down. It was not visible to the driver of a vehicle he stated. Visibility was fair to good he testified and there was a light mist when he arrived at the scene.

A mechanic who had examined both vehicles involved in the accident said that both cars were in good condition.

Coroner Dr. W. R. Gillis of Summerside presided and George McMahon represented the Crown.

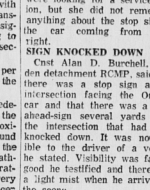
The jury members were Donald A. MacDonald, Carleton, foreman; Neil G. MacFarland, Summerside; Thomas E. Gallant, Borden; Arthur R. Sherren, Borden; Peter Austin Hamill, Central Bedeque; Frank P. Howatt, Carleton Siding; Charles F. Leard, Borden.

Baptist Men's Conference At Dalvay Set For Weekend

Dr. W. B. King, Toronto, will be the theme speaker at the fifth annual Baptist Men's Conference at Dalvay-by-the-Sea on Sept. 7 and 8.

The conference will begin Saturday morning with registration at 9 o'clock. The chairman this year will be Ira Lewis while the devotional speaker will be Charles M. Welsford, Saint John, N.B.

Dr. King was born in Philadelphia and attended college in Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Kentucky. He served as a Baptist pastor in Washington, D.C. for nine years, in Atlanta, Ga., for 13 years, and on the home mission board of the Southern Baptist Convention for six years. He then came to Canada as a Southern Baptist liaison representative. He has been in this country about six years.



DR. W. B. KING

He has spoken at some 170 different churches and on Sunday evening will speak at the regular worship service at the First Baptist Church.

Special music at the convention will be supplied by Rev. Lew D. Farrell of Shag Harbour, N.S., with Fred Lloyd of Moncton, the song leader.

A highlight of the conference each year is the joint supper with the United Church men at the Stanhope Beach Inn. The conference then follows back at the Dalvay Hotel where both conferences are again united.

The speaker then will be Dr. C. M. Nicholson, president of Pine Hill Divinity Hall.

2-Year Sentence Given On Possession Charge

SUMMERSIDE — A 26-year-old North Sydney, N.S., man was sentenced to two years in Dorchester Penitentiary by Magistrate R. S. Hinton, QC, in town police court yesterday morning after pleading guilty to possession of stolen goods.

Frederick Graham Bugden, arrested by the town police on the Green Road Tuesday, was charged with possessing a jacket stolen in a break at Smallman's department store over the Labor Day weekend.

A second person, Willard Mark White, 30, of Summerside, charged with possession of a suit, the property of Smallman's was remanded in custody until Sept. 11 when sentence will be given.

White testified he had bought the suit along with a jacket and a tie for $11, from a stranger.

It was noted that this was his first offense under the Criminal Code. Bugden, on the other hand, admitted serving a previous term in the federal penitentiary for theft.

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Agents Throughout The Province

ANDREW HUMPHREY, (right) is shown receiving the gavel from the past president, Kenneth Yeo to become the new president of the Charlottetown Kinsmen Club. The presentation took place last night at the club's first autumn meeting held at the Charlottetown Hotel. Mr. Humphrey takes office immediately for the 1963-1964 year.

Senior Citizens' Centre Facilities Well Used

A total of 1,560 persons used the facilities at the Kinsmen Senior Citizen's Centre in Charlottetown from the time of its opening to Aug. 20, it was learned last night at the first meeting of the club in the fall season.

It was also learned that Charlottetown has a very good chance to be host to the national convention of the Kinsmen Clubs in 1967.

Being the first meeting of the year the new president was presented with the gavel. Andrew Humphrey accepted the symbol of office from the immediate past-president, Kenneth Yeo.

The national convention held this year in Hamilton, Ont., received its share of attention at the meeting. It was learned that the Island delegation of 10 persons was the largest of all the Maritime provinces. The convention included both Kinsmen and Kinettes.

The P.E.I. delegation also provided a float to display at the convention.

The Charlottetown Club also received the trophy for winning the National Gemil Bowling Championship.

Coming events were discussed and it was decided that the opening dinner-dance would be held Sept. 14, with music provided by Red Soy and his orchestra. Prices will be $2.50 a plate.

Kingo tickets will soon be on sale and the September dollar-a-month tickets are on sale now and can be purchased from any club member.

The new team captains were announced. They are Louis Gaudet, Kenneth MacLean, Robert Inkpen and David Hyndman.

WEATHER

TORONTO (CP) — Temperatures issued by the weather office:

	Min.	Max.
Toronto	51	67
Ottawa	40	64
Montreal	42	66
Quebec	34	66
Fredericton	33	63
Saint John	34	66
Moncton	35	61
Halifax	41	63
Charlottetown	42	58
Sydney	49	58
Yarmouth	42	63
St. John's	49	55

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says sides were nearly clear and winds light in all Maritime areas Thursday night. A slow-moving disturbance east of Cape Hatteras will bring increasing cloudiness to the southern Maritimes today, with showers in the evening. The northern half should remain sunny and a little warmer.

Regional forecasts:

Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick: Sunny and warmer. Winds light. Low-high at Sydney 38 and 65, Charlottetown and Moncton 40 and 65, Fredericton 40 and 70, Saint John 40 and 65, Edmundston and Campbellton 37 and 65.

Decline In Unemployment Noted For Prince Co. In Aug.

SUMMERSIDE — Statistics for August show that unemployment fell off in Prince County, Earl Cannon, Summerside manager of the National Employment Office said yesterday.

During the month there was a drop of 105 men and women from the ranks of the unemployed from the end of July figure of 677. At the end of August, 400 men and 172 women were still without work compared to 484 men and 193 women at the end of July.

This total is still above the number of unemployed at the same time last year. On Aug. 31, 1962, unemployment stood at 348 men and 156 women, five less than this year.

The situation will improve for a short time during the potato picking season, said Mr. Cannon, but one of the reasons the unemployment still remains high is the employment situation in the fish plants.

The plants have only light crews working due to the lack of fish he said. Unemployment would be given a boost, he said, if they started work immediately on the RCAF housing project at Slemon Park.

The branch manager was optimistic about the month of October, which "is always our peak employment month here," he said.

Tracadie Cross Takes Contest

Tracadie Cross CYO baseball team trounced Dunstaffnage 16-9 Sunday afternoon in the second game of the finals of 'B' section in the Southern Queens Baseball League.

Coach Joe McNally, brought his squad through the semi-finals with two straight wins over the Johnston River gang and repeated the performance over Lloyd MacCallum's squad. Joe now waits for the final playoff with the 'A' section.

Merlin MacBride tossed a fantastic game for the winners leading them to a 16-1 lead to the bottom of the ninth. The Bombers then made a run-away for eight runs before they were tamed. Leo Sheehan took the loss for Dunstaffnage.

Ed Lund turned in an almost perfect day for the winners as he took four hits in five appearances and gained three tallies.

The longest hit of the game was a long homer by Ken Fitz-Patrick in the third inning. Leith Dover led the losers at the plate with a three for three day.

WINNERS IN HOLMANS AUGUST BRIDE CONTEST

Charlottetown winners in Holman's August Bride Contest were photographed yesterday at Holman's Charlottetown sto re. Left to right they are Judy Nelson of Cherry Valley (Mrs. Wilfred Jay) first with 2,040,285 votes; Patricia Leighitzer, Charlottetown (Mrs. James Garrity) sec ond with 1,485,372 votes, and Pauline Bears, Wood Islands (Mrs. Garnet McIn tyre) third with 1,016,252 votes. (Advt.)