

Snowfall Hits S Side Area

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU — THE GUARDIAN The blizzard which struck P.E.I. this weekend dumped 5.9 inches of snow in this area, an RCAF met' section spokesman said last night.

Yesterday some two inches of snow fell. The rainfall on the weekend measured 0.9 inches, the spokesman said. High winds accompanying the storm made visibility almost all on the highways and last night they were continuing to blow from the north-west at 35 miles per hour with gusting to 45 with gusts to 25.

The spokesman said that the storm centre was practically stalled as a result the winds would diminish slowly. He predicted a wind decrease of 30 to 45 miles per hour overnight and today an additional decrease to 25 with occasional gusts to 35. The snow is expected to cease during the night but blowing snow and heavy ground drifting will continue until the winds have abated.

The low temperature yesterday was expected to ease to the high, 18. The mercury, however, is expected to dip to between five and seven above zero and to climb to between 12 and 14 above today.



BUT WHERE'S HERE?
Well, here I am but (where's here is just one of the problems of the 1,400-mile Canadian Winter Rally, Linda Hunt demonstrates dilemma as she poses on the front of one of the 130 cars which will start from Toronto Friday. (CP Wirephoto)

"A LEGEND in his own time" is how James Pendergast (right) was described by one of his supporters for the honor of being 'Islander of the Year' for 1963. 'Big Jim' was presented with the award yesterday at the Charlottetown Rotary Club luncheon by Lieutenant-Governor W.J. MacDonald (left). The 'Islander of the Year' award is

'Islander of Year' Plaque is Presented To 'Big Jim'

Presentation of The Evening Patriot's 'Islander of the Year' plaque to James Pendergast, and an address on the plans for the 1967 World's Fair in Montreal featured yesterday's luncheon of the Charlottetown Rotary Club. The presentation of the 'Islander of the Year' plaque was made by Lieutenant-Governor W.J. MacDonald and the address on the plans of the World's Fair was given by R.F. Shaw, deputy commissioner general of the exhibition corporation.

Dr. Gilbert Houston was a chairman for the meeting and co-chairman was Dr. John Craig. Requested by Dr. Houston "to take over" for the presentation of the 'Islander of the Year' award, was the Evening Patriot's editor, James Pendergast. "This is the first time that the award is presented by the Evening Patriot," he said.

"At the paper we feel something deeper and richer than pride over the high meaning that has become associated with it-over the day in which an Island tradition is developing around the award."

"Instead of pride, what we feel, is a joyful appreciation of the privilege of serving as an instrument through which are expressed some of the kindest, warmest feelings that ever get voiced in the province. It is an enriching experience to be brief, in the annual outpouring of the good feelings of Islanders, one that is occasioned by this award."

ENHANCE AWARD
The caliber of the selections and judging always has been such as to enhance the award and add to the satisfaction of being associated with it. That feeling has been strengthened again this year not only by the distinction but by the sincerity and wise judgment carried to the judging by Miss Arsenault and Mr. Pendergast.

Unhappily, due to today's weather, only one member of the public was present.

DEATH NOTICES
(Received too late for Classified Death Notice column.)
CURLEY — Suddenly at her home, Malpeque Road, Feb. 3, 1964. Mrs. Joseph Curley, aged 77 years. Resting at the Henessey Funeral Home pending completion of funeral arrangements.

MACDONALD — At the Charlottetown Hospital, Feb. 3, 1964. Leonard I. MacDonald, 33 Elm Avenue, aged 52 years. Resting at the Henessey Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

MACMILLAN — At the Charlottetown Hospital, Feb. 3, 1964. Mrs. May C. MacMillan, 5 Easton Street, widow of the late L.B. MacMillan. Resting at the Henessey Funeral Home. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer for Requiem High Mass at 9:15. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

BLANCHARD — At the Charlottetown Hospital on Sunday, Feb. 2, 1964. Mrs. Stanislaus Blanchard Oyster Bed Bridge in her 77th year. Remains resting at the Charlottetown Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held Wednesday morning leaving the funeral home at 8:45 a.m. for Requiem High Mass at St. Augustine's Church. South Bridge at 9:30 a.m. Interment in the church cemetery.

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P.E.I. FARMERS GATHER TODAY

SUMMERSIDE — The second annual Island farmers' conference which was slated for the Royal Canadian Legion Home here yesterday, but was postponed because of the storm, will be held with the same schedule today, Don Wood, Kensington said last night.

The conference is being sponsored by Prince Fertilizer Ltd. and Seenan Bros. (Canada) Ltd., in co-operation with the I.L.D. department of agriculture.

BIG CHALLENGE
"The 1967 World Exhibition is a tremendous challenge for the Canadians. We will be host to the nations of the world, to 30,000,000 visitors, including hundreds of thousands of business men, educators, journalists, to the people of the world."

Guests of Rotary were, Lieutenant-Governor MacDonald, Premier W.H. Shaw, Dr. E.M. Fourn, Philip Bower, Stanley Warwick, Mrs. James Pendergast, Miss I. Arsenault, Burton Lewis, Claude Morris, Walter deSilva, all of Charlottetown and Inspector John Nudge, RCMP, Fredericton, N.B.

HEADS PACKERS

W. Yarem, Hamilton, Ont., yesterday was elected president of the Meat Packers Council of Canada at the annual meeting being held this week in Windsor, Ont.

Albertain Native Dies in Manitoba

The death occurred at the St. Boniface Hospital in Winnipeg. Gerald Ernest Beairto, in his 70th year.

Mr. Beairto was born at Alberton, P.E.I., and was the son of Walter F. Beairto, a well-known electrical line worker. He spent his early years in Lakeville, Charlottetown, N.B., and later moved to Western Canada where he was engaged in the construction of telephone and electrical lines.

He was also a successful farmer and former director of the Anglo-Canadian Oil Co. He is survived by his wife Charlotte and one sister, Miss Mae Beairto of Kamloops, B.C., and Harold Beairto of Vernon, B.C. Another sister, Mrs. Colin King, died at Kamloops, a week later.

Mr. Beairto had been earlier in the day. Plow dispatcher Brian Scott said last night that plows would move as soon as the winds died down. He said that no major emergencies had arisen during the day. Two people had to be moved to hospital and a lab worker's hand was taken to hospital.

SPENDING ON HEALTH
Annual expenditure on British Columbia's national health service amounts to about 3 1/2 per cent of the total national income.

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Red Cross Annual Meeting To Hear Campaign Chairman

Guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Prince Edward Island Red Cross on Thursday, will be Oskell Jones of Toronto, who is the 1964 national campaign chairman of the Red Cross Society.

Mr. Jones in his capacity as president and general manager of Consumers Gas Company, Toronto, is making a business trip to the Maritime Provinces also visiting the Red Cross divisions at the same time.

Mr. Jones had a long association with the Red Cross in the United States before coming to P.E.I. in 1954. He is a former vice-president of the Tulsa County chapter of the American National Red Cross.

Mr. Jones is also a member of the Red Cross Executive Council of the United States and has served on the executive of Toronto Red Cross since 1954. He is a former director of the Ontario Industrial Relations Institute and of the Boy Scout Association of Greater Toronto.

Former Resident Of Alberton Dies
The death of Mrs. Colla M. King occurred at Kamloops, B.C. on Monday, Jan. 28. Mrs. King was the widow of the late P.E.I. C. King and the mother of three children. Her daughter, Dr. James Beairto and Helen Higgins Beairto, are both medical students at the time of her death.

BLADDER IRRITATION MAY DISTURB SLEEP
Many people who suffer from bladder irritation are made miserable by common urinary ailments caused by a virus, bacteria, fungus, or parasites. These ailments, which are often accompanied by pain, may be relieved by the use of a new medicine, C-TRIX, which is available in all drug stores.

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Commercial Trust Appointments

JOHN G. MCCONNELL WILSON G. MCCONNELL
John G. McConnell has been elected President of the Commercial Trust Company Limited.

Mr. McConnell is president and publisher of The Montreal Star Company Limited, president of the Montreal Standard Publishing Company Limited, publisher of WEEK-END/PASSPORTS magazines, president of Canada Wire Feature Service Ltd.

At the same meeting Wilson G. McConnell was elected vice-president of the Commercial Trust Company Limited. Mr. McConnell is president of St. Lawrence Sugar Refineries Ltd. and vice-president of The Montreal Star Company Limited.

ADMINISTRATORS FUNDS
Britain's Medical Research Council, 50 years old in 1963, administers funds of some \$20,000,000 from government sources alone.

Travel bargains

Charlottetown to:	
Sackville	\$2.20
Moncton	\$2.90
Truro	\$3.70
Saint John	\$4.30
Halifax	\$4.80
Antigonish	\$5.20
Sydney	\$9.50
Quebec	\$12.15
Montreal	\$13.00
Ottawa	\$15.70
Winnipeg	\$35.00
Edmonton	\$47.00