

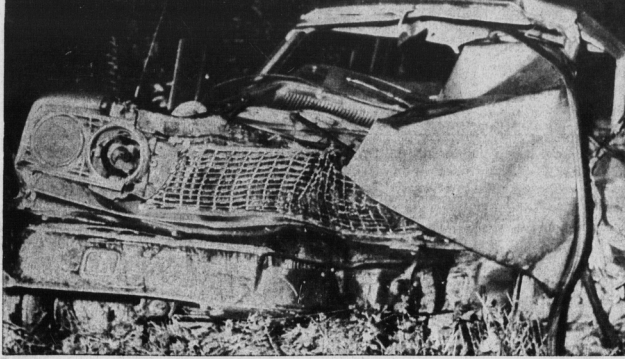
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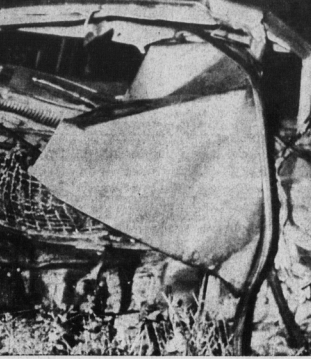
## One Killed, Four Injured In Accident Near Northam

SUMMERVILLE (CP)—A head-on collision on the Western Road near Northam on Tuesday night resulted in the death of one person and the injury of four others. The accident occurred at approximately 7 o'clock last evening.

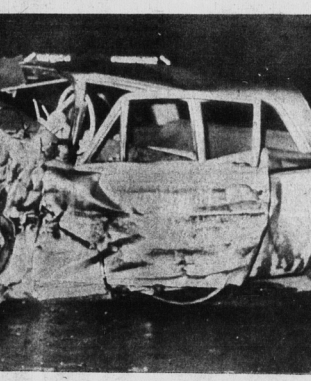
Dead is Herman Adams, 30, an Island native, who had been residing in Spryfield, a Halifax, N.S. suburb. Mr. Adams is formerly from Ellerslie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Adams.

In hospital are Lowell Cotton, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cotton and David Aresmull, all of Summerside. All four people were in a 1961 model car driven by Lowell Cotton and travelling west on the Western Road.

The deceased, an employee of Guidford's Insulation Company of Halifax, had been working at the fish plant being constructed at Queen's Wharf in Summerside. Alone in the car at the time of the accident, he was returning to town from visiting his parents and had planned to return to Halifax today.



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## Lennox Island Resident Held In Maine Fight

HOULTON, Me. (AP)—Sterling Bernard, 21, of Lennox Island, P.E.I., is being held here pending district court hearing next Monday on a charge of assault and battery on a fellow townsmen.

Louis Mitchell, about 45, is reported unconscious and paralyzed from a head injury suffered in a fight at Bridgewater Sept. 29. He and Bernard were members of a potato-picking crew.

Bernard pleaded not guilty Monday and was unable to meet \$4,000 bail.

and Bowness's of Summerside along with the Summerside fire department ambulance.

Conner Dr. W. E. Callaghan empaneled a jury at the hospital where they viewed the remains. On the jury are Jack Schurman, foreman; Harold Milligan, John Hopkirk, George Smith, Windsor Corry, Edward MacInnis and John Walker, all of Summerside. The inquest is scheduled for Oct. 14.

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British's PM Faces Operation

LONDON (Reuters)—Prime Minister Macmillan was admitted to hospital for an operation Tuesday night.

## Government Can't Return to Increased Majority

### Commons Okays Pension Boost

OTTAWA (CP)—Legislation to implement a \$10-month increase in the \$65 old age pension was passed by the Commons Tuesday night after less than three hours of debate.

The government measure, which passed two days of debate last week, was moved through second and third reading after a last-minute flurry of opposition to an income tax increase planned to finance the extra pension cost.

The New Democratic Party forced a vote on the taxation section of the bill, and this section was carried 127 to 25 on a standing vote. Liberals were supported by the Conservatives and two Social Credit members while the NDP found backing from Creditiste members and one other Social Credit MP in the House at the time.

The bill now goes to the Senate for approval. The government has expressed hope it will become law in time to permit the increase to be included in the October pension cheque.

To finance the higher pension, the bill provides for a rise in the special personal income tax earmarked for the pension fund to four per cent from three per cent starting next Jan. 1.

The ceiling on tax payments by any individual would rise to \$10 from \$80. The government has estimated this will produce an extra \$100,000,000 in revenues in a full year.

RULED OUT OF ORDER  
The vote on this taxing measure was called after chairman Lucien Lamoureux ruled two opposition amendments out of order.

—Skeena, would have removed the ceiling on individual tax payments and left the tax at three per cent.

The other amendment, by Gerard Parro's (Beauce), proposed that the money be provided through the Bank of Canada's central theory of Social Credit.

## Conservatives' Tide Smothers Opposition

### PETS THREATEN TERM IN JAIL

TORONTO (CP)—An Oakville, Ont., man was threatened Monday with a 10-day jail term unless he can keep the smell of his pet alligators and crocodiles away from his neighbors.

Mr. Justice Stanley Schatz ordered Peter Stickland, owner of the reptiles, to shut the basement windows of his home within 15 days and to restore the support of a neighbor's fence.

He also ordered Mr. Stickland to pay \$100 court costs to counsel for a neighbor, A. P. Croote, who had complained of unpleasant odors from the reptiles.

Mr. Stickland had been allowed to keep his reptiles under the terms of an earlier order from the Ontario Supreme Court. But he was ordered to keep them in his basement behind closed windows and doors, so the smell "did not offend the n eighbors."

## Flora Aims New Blows

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Hurricane Flora, leaving a trail of death and destruction in the Caribbean, bore down Tuesday on sparsely populated islands in the southern Bahamas.

The eye of the hurricane moved out of battered and flooded Cuba and into the Atlantic where it could be expected again to pick up in intensity. High winds and torrential rains continued in Cuba.

The northeast course of Flora took ease the threat to Florida and the rest of the U.S. mainland.

Tuesday afternoon Flora was 270 miles south-southeast of Nassau, Bahamas, at 440 miles southeast of Miami.

## Creditistes Lose Fight On Seating

OTTAWA (CP)—Real Creditiste MPs lost their fight Tuesday in the Commons to have the committee reference in the House of Commons over Robert Thompson's Social Credit group.

They immediately served notice they consider the committee's decision their first battle of the campaign.

By a vote of 44 to 8 the Commons rejected the committee's recommendation that the Commons refer Thompson's 11-member group instead of the 13 Creditiste members who broke with Mr. Thompson in August.

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## Party Gains

CP Nova Scotia party vote from 1,908 of 1,982 polls—56 per cent (percentages bracketed):  
Prog. Con from NDP 1, 192,420 (40); NDP 15,877 (41); Total 328,117.

MAJORITY GREATER  
The Conservatives, in their third victory since ending 23 years of Liberal rule in 1958, grabbed an increased majority in the 45-seat legislature and

Majority Minister Smith re-elected in Colchester seats.  
Industry Minister E. A. Manson elected to third term in Cape Breton West.  
New Democratic Party House Leader Michael J. MacDonald, defeated in Cape Breton Centre, a seat he had held since 1945.  
Welfare Minister W. S. K. Jones elected for fourth term in Queens.

Agriculture Minister Halburton, member since 1953, re-elected in Kings South.  
Liberal Leader Urquhart defeated by Conservative Gerald Duquet in Richmond, a seat held by Mr. Urquhart since 1956.

How Prominent Candidates Fared In N.S. Election

HALIFAX (CP)—How prominent candidates fared in Tuesday's Nova Scotia election.

## Queens MP Sees House On Dangerous Ground

By FARMER TISSINGTON  
Capital Bureau, The Guardian  
OTTAWA (CP)—The House of Commons is on a dangerous ground in referring the split between the Social Credit party to its committee on privileges and elections, Health Macquarrie, MP for Queens, told the committee on Tuesday.

Mr. Macquarrie, chairman of the committee in the three preceding parliaments, spoke during the committee's Tuesday session when it sought to resolve the problem created by the splitting away of Real Creditistes and 12 other Quebec Creditistes from the national Social Credit party headed by Robert Thompson.

Mr. Macquarrie, a political scientist, warned that it would be dangerous to make more rigid and brittle a system which works must be based on flexibility, tolerance and good sense.

## Twin Girls Murdered

ENDERBY, B.C. (AP)—A 25-year-old man was charged with capital murder Tuesday in the bludgeoning to death of attractive 15-year-old twin girls.

Lawrence Herman Haase, 25, Kelowna was charged after the battered bodies of Donna and Donna Ring were found in heavy bush near this north Okanagan community 40 miles north of Kelowna.

The identical blondes, described by neighbors as "beautiful, wonderful little girls," had been missing since they got off a school bus at 4 p.m. Monday.

Warehousemen For Spuds Get Minimum Wage

A minimum wage for potato warehousemen of 65 cent per hour was announced last night by Hon. A. B. MacFarlane, minister of agriculture, following a meeting of the Executive Council.

The Minister said the order passed yesterday covered any employee in the handling, grading, bagging or packing of potatoes in a potato warehouse other than on farm premises.

It supersedes any other minimum wage order and will become effective on publication in the Royal Gazette.

## ISLANDERS ON EXECUTIVE

### B.C. Man To Head Commerce Chamber

QUEBEC (CP)—Howard T. Mitchell of Vancouver Tuesday was elected president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, succeeding Victor Oland of Halifax.

Mr. Mitchell, 61, founder and president of Mitchell Press Limited, publisher of business directories and books chiefly in the business and industrial fields, served last year as first vice-president of the national businessmen's organization.

Elected first vice-president to succeed him was A. J. Little of Toronto, a partner in the Clifford accountants firm of Clarkson, Gordon and Company.

H. Maj-Gen. R. H. Keffer of Montreal, president and chairman of the board of Northern Electric Company Limited, was elected second vice-president.

Mr. Mitchell, a native of Ship Harbour, N.S., was educated in Vancouver and worked as a reporter on the Vancouver Province and as business editor of the Vancouver Sun before founding Mitchell Press in 1928. Other national officers elected

## Frigate Program Cancellation Due

OTTAWA (CP)—Cancellation of the \$274,000,000 eight-ship frigate construction program announced by the former Conservative government in April, 1962, is expected to be announced in about a month, informed sources said Tuesday.

Only \$6,000,000 was allotted for the program in the current fiscal year, mainly for drawings and specifications.

Informants said the government likely will substitute another shipbuilding project, not necessarily military, to keep the shipyard's working.

One possibility being studied, it was learned, is construction of flat-topped freighters which could also be used as anti-submarine helicopter carriers or as troop carriers.

Defence Minister Holtby, who has had the frigate program under review since he assumed his portfolio April 26, told the Commons defence committee Tuesday a decision will be reached "very soon."

## PM Macmillan

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