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## Double Drowning Near St. Eleanors

### Graduates Of The Library Institute Win Diplomas

Value Of Handicraft Study Stressed By Sir Andrew Macphail At Convocation Exercises.

Strong emphasis on the importance of handicraft as a new factor in the educational system of the Province was placed by Sir Andrew Macphail in his address to the graduating students at the convocation exercises of the Prince Edward Island Library Institute on Saturday morning.

There was a good attendance at the convocation exercises, at which Hon. W. J. P. MacMillan, M.D., P.A.C.S., Minister of Education, presided. Seated with him on the platform were: His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, Sir Andrew Macphail, Kt., LL.D., The Chief Justice, G. R. Lomer, LL.D., J. A. Nicholson, LL.D., S. N. Robertson, LL.D., Rev. J. A. Murphy, D.D., Mr. Justice Hassard, Hon. W. M. Lea, Messrs. W. C. S. McLeure, M.P., C. H. B. Longworth, B.Sc., H. H.

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#### Chairman's Remarks

The present occasion, said the chairman in his opening remarks, was a unique and memorable one in the history of education in this Province. He wished to express the gratitude of the Government, of the Department of Education and of

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### NATION WIDE HUNT FOR KIDNAPPERS

Bandits riddle home of W. B. Ellsworth Whose Wife Supplied information to Police.

(Associated Press)

DENVER, July 30—A fusillade of shots that last night riddled the home of W. B. Ellsworth, narrowly missing him, offered a clue today which police hope will lead to the capture of the notorious Canadian Charles Boettcher 2nd, kidnapping Ellsworth's pretty brunette wife, Frances, supplied police with the information which resulted in solution of the Boettcher case and started a nation-wide hunt for Sankey, alleged leader of the abduction gang and a former rail-roader of Melville, Sask.

#### Threatened

Mrs. Ellsworth says members of the Sankey gang made threats against her life after she had confronted Mrs. Fern Sankey, wife of the ringleader, in the county jail here.

With her husband she was seated last night in the kitchen of her home, chatting with neighbors. Ellsworth stepped into the dining room for cigarettes. As he reached to pick up a package four shots rang out in quick succession and shattered the window a few feet from where he stood. Bullets spat around him. The gunmen escaped in a car. Police ballistic experts were given the bullets.

Sankey and Gordon Elkhorn, another alleged member of the gang and also a former Canadian rail-

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### Flying Mollisons Are Received By Pres. Roosevelt

Amelia Earhart Putnam And Her Husband Attend Roosevelt Reception To Flying Family.

HYDE PARK, N. Y., July 30—(A.P.)—The flying envoys from Great Britain—Captain and Mrs. Mollison—were received today by President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the family home here.

Despite his intentions to spend the first week end at home alone, Mr. Roosevelt happily cancelled plans in order to welcome the darling flying family from overseas for luncheon at Krum Elbow.

The only woman to cross the treacherous Atlantic alone—Amelia Earhart Putnam—and her husband accompanied the Mollisons here from New York.

Standing on the spacious front porch, Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt gave a hearty welcome to the visitors. Captain Mollison and Amy Johnson Mollison smiled at their reception. The fliers remained for luncheon and early in the afternoon departed by automobile with a motorcycle police escort for New York.

Other speakers

Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways, Hon. Alfred Durand, Minister of Marine, and Hon. Maurice Dupres, Solicitor General, were the three main speakers. All three discussed the day while Mr. Saave confirmed himself to expressing thanks for the compliments paid him by his fellow ministers and the acclaim given him by party supporters. He assured his hearers the demonstration would spur him on to continue to give "my best for the country and the Province."

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### ALTERNATIVE COMMISSION SAY SPEAKERS

Clear Cut Issue Between C. C. F. and Conservative Administration Is Defined.

(Canadian Press)

ST. EUSTACHE, Que., July 30—Canada will have to choose between the "Communism" of James S. Woodsworth and his Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, with whom the Liberal party is "flirting," and the capitalist system now prevailing in Canada which the Conservative party will seek to maintain and improve, three cabinet ministers yesterday told thousands of Conservative supporters who gathered here for a picnic on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the entry of Hon. Arthur Sauve, Postmaster General, into public life.

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### Two Drowned While Bathing

Lloyd Compton, 16, And Alder Small, 17, Victims Of Tragic Accident At Compton's Shore, On North Side Of The Island.

A very sad drowning accident occurred yesterday afternoon at Stanley Compton's shore at the north side of the Island near North St. Eleanor's when two young men lost their lives. They were Lloyd Compton, aged 16 years, son of Ralph Compton of St. Eleanor's, and Alder Small, aged 17 years, son of Lloyd Small, of Sherbrooke.

The young men were out bathing with a companion named Connolly, none of whom could swim. After being in the water a short while, Mr. Connolly came in; the other lads said they would be in a minute. After Connolly had dressed he went back to the beach to tell the boys not to stay any longer, but could see no trace of them. He immediately went for assistance and Frank Winchester, George Harris, Frank Sweet and one of Stanley Compton's sons, swam out and located the boys just on the edge of the sand bar. It was about four o'clock when their companion left them and about twenty minutes after they were brought to shore. There was no sign of life in either of the boys when they laid them on the beach.

The water at this point is very treacherous as there is a long sand bar and beyond that a sudden drop into the channel. The tide was coming in and no doubt before the boys realized it they were out of their depth and being unable to swim they were helpless.

The affair has been a shock to the community as the boys were well known and very highly esteemed. Lloyd was the elder of a family of two boys and Alder was the eldest boy in a family of five. There are two boys and two girls left in the Small family. Much sympathy is being extended to the suddenly bereaved parents.

### P.E.I. Takes First Place In Grasses At Grain Fair

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

Announcements are inserted in this column at 2 cents per word strictly payable in advance.

See Palmer Road at Hope River Wednesday, Aug. 2nd. 2124-7-31-11

Oakwood Tea House, St. Peter's Road. Telephone 1587-13. (Over night guests.) 2063-7-28-31

Reserve Wednesday, August 9th for the Cavendish Tea. 1744-7-12-wfm-121

Moonlight Sail, S. S. Harland, under auspices Holy Name Tennis Club, August 3rd. 2085-7-29-21

Harland excursions Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. For further information phone 773. 1484-7-3-14

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, bargain days at Jenkins Bros. Cash and Carry Store, Vernon. 2073-7-28-31

Reserve Friday night, August 4th, for dance in Kinkora Hall. Excellent music furnished by Wellington Orchestra. Lunch served. 2126-7-31-31

Three act comedy drama by one of our best amateur clubs. Specialties and dancing, Hope River, August 2nd. 2125-7-31-11

Ice Cream Festival—Bingo, etc., in aid of St. Mary's Church, Montague, Tuesday evening, August 1st. If not fine, next evening. 2085-7-29-21

Come to charity dance in G.M.B.A. Hall, Vernon River, Wednesday evening, August 2nd. Admission 25c. Lunch free 2118-7-31-21

Reserve Wednesday, August 2nd for grand picnic on the beautiful grounds of St. John's Presbyterian Church, Belfast. Come and enjoy a home-like meal. 1935-7-21-25-28-31-41

MacLean's Magazine contains a fine article on "The Value of Life Annuities." You should read it. For large returns buy "Sun Life Guaranteed Annuities." See J. A. Moore, Manager, Charlottetown Office. July 31-31.

Fowl Wanted, empty crops, Tuplin's Warehouse, Kensington, July 31st to August 4th. McKay's store, Clifton, Tuesday, August 1st. Culliffe Bros., Fredericton, Thursday, August 3rd. Highest market prices. Darrach & Webster, Kensington. 2096-7-29-31

Sale of reserved seats for "The Jollies" will open at Jamieson's Drug Store to-morrow at 10 A. M. A limited number of seats will be reserved. Play safe and make reservations early. Send the Kiddies to the Matinee Thursday at 3 P. M. 2109-7-31-11

### Seven Provinces in Canada Take First Places at Grain Exhibition.

(By Same G. Ross)

(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

REGINA, July 29—(C.P.)—Seven provinces of Canada and three countries took all of the 57 first place awards at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference.

Including wheat, oats, barley, corn rye, buckwheat, rice, miller, field peas, field beans, soy beans, flax, hemp, grasses of all kinds, and field roots, the competitive classes were all judged during the first week of the show. Today the list of first place winners showed:

United States 13; British Columbia 12; Alberta 8; Ontario 7; Saskatchewan 7; Manitoba 3; New Brunswick 2; Australia 1; Prince Edward Island 1; Northern Ireland 1; Siam 1. Total 57.

Victories in flint corn and buckwheat gave New Brunswick its two wins, while Australia scored in white spring wheat. Prince Edward Island in the grasses, Northern Ireland in flax and Siam in rice.

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### ITALIANS ARE FORCED TO MARK TIME

Unfavorable Weather Conditions Over Atlantic Delay Ocean Hop.

(Canadian Press)

SHOAL HARBOR, Nfld., July 30—Nearly a full month out of Orbetello, and with more than 8,000 miles of flying behind them, General Italo Balbo and his men were forced to mark time again today. Bad weather precluded a take-off for Valentia, Ireland, proposed next stop on the homeward journey of their history-making formation flight from Italy to Chicago.

Fog Bound Wednesday

The squadron has lain at moorings since Wednesday, when the 24 big flying boats raced down from the glacier of the World's Fair and plaudits of New York.

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### Rain Quenches Newfoundland Forest Fires

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., July 30—Rain came as a godsend to southeastern Newfoundland today as a deluge checked several threatening forest fires.

Several areas along the Conception sand Trinity Bay shores were menaced yesterday and last night. A fierce blaze raged on the north side of Bell Island. Pilot Douglas Fraser, flying in to St. John's from Shoal Harbor across the northern Avalon Peninsula saw eight fires. An outbreak on south side hill, not far from the Imperial oil works was quickly quenched, and the rain today was believed to have ended any danger from the others.

### Mother Will Aid In Son's Arrest

MOUNTAINAIR, N. B., July 30—With one son under arrest and another sought as a slayer, Mrs. A. B. Layman has pledged aid to a posse so she may persuade the second son to give himself up without further bloodshed.

Mrs. Layman, whose son, Jack, an ex-convict, fatally wounded Deputy Sheriff Bill Meadow Friday night when the officer sought to arrest him on an assault charge, had verbal consent of Sheriff Red Meadow, father of the dead deputy, to make the ride.

"I will use every effort to locate him," the grey-haired mother said. "I can make him surrender."

### Poachers Fined

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, July 30—(C. P. Cable)—Determined to protect Trinidad's fisheries from depletion authorized officers arrested 14 poachers on a prohibited area near San Fernando Harbor. The prisoners were fined a total of \$1 pound sterling.

### SCHOONER STRANDED OFF SOURIS

The Gorton Pew, fishing schooner, Thomas S. Gorton, Captain, Dan McCullish, was driven ashore at Souris about 3:30 Saturday morning. The schooner, a 130 ton flag ship of the Gorton Pew fishing fleet of Gloucester, Mass., was riding at anchor when a stiff south-east wind broke the anchor and the schooner drifted helplessly ashore at a point about the middle of the town of Souris. The craft is about 100 yards from the water's edge.

The schooner was loaded with salt for Souris and the Magdalen Islands and arrived in Souris Harbor about midnight in a heavy sea. Yesterday the schooner was reported to be in the same position. An attempt made to move her with motor boats at high tide was unsuccessful. Work was begun unloading the schooner in order to lighten her. The S. S. Lovatt, which plies on the Souris-Magdalen route is expected in port today and will probably come to the assistance of the stranded craft. The schooner is not leaking and is in no immediate danger, as the sea is comparatively quiet.

### Fatally Wounded While Marking Targets

WOODSTOCK, N. B., July 30—Marking targets for the Goldstream Rifle Association yesterday ended fatally for Berton Shaw, 17, of Coldstream, when he died in hospital here today from a bullet wound in the head. An inquest will be held at Hartland tomorrow night.

Shaw and three companions were acting as markers while a detail at the weekly shoot fired over a 500-yard range. The markers were facing their targets when Shaw suddenly fell forward. Firing ceased, and an examination revealed a severe head wound.

The butts are protected by the usual seven-foot mound of sand. Marks on a wooden shelter over the pit indicated the bullet struck a nail and was deflected downward at Shaw.

### Convict's Thrilling Dash For Freedom Is Ended

Sixteen Days Liberty Comes to end at River Bank.

(Canadian Press)

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana July 29—(C. P. Cable)—Convict Oscar Walker's thrilling dash for freedom was ended today when the rushing tides of Corentyne River swept him into the drag-net of the police.

For 16 days he had eluded his pursuers, exciting the countryside with reckless efforts to get through to his native Dutch Guiana.

Walker and a Chinaman called Ighom escaped from the French penal colony at Cayenne. Ighom was caught about a week ago but Walker disappeared, later turning up in Georgetown.

He slipped through a cordon of police placed around Georgetown, tramped 80 miles to New Amsterdam, stole a policeman's bicycle, and rode 40 miles to the border town of Springlands, stole a boat and attempted to cross the Corentyne River to Nickerie.

The tide cut short his flight, however, carrying him down the river to where the police were waiting for him.

### Grounded Ship Refloated

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., July 30—The Newfoundland coastal steamer Kyle, which grounded at Wesleyville yesterday was refloated successfully at high tide with the aid of the steamer Argyle.

The Kyle was bound for Labrador ports with several passengers, including prospectors bound for the gold fields of the interior. She was believed to be undamaged.

### Moncton Lad Drowned

MONCTON, N. B., July 30—Jack Trites, 22 son of Mrs. Walter Lewis, 119 Cornhill Street, this city was drowned in Jonathan Creek within the city limits Saturday night about 9:30 o'clock. He went in swimming alone in a deep hole near a road which runs through Natural Park and it is believed was seized with a cramp.

### Motor Cyclist Dares Death

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad July 30—(C. P. Cable)—A daring motorcyclist who attempted to cross a flooded bridge on Maracas River today was carried away by the swirling waters. He was near death when passing villagers rescued him.

### The Weather, Etc



Moderate to fresh winds; partly cloudy and probably a few light scattered showers.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, July 30—Minimum and maximum temperatures—

Dawson	52	81
Edmonton	54	71
Victoria	59	71
Vancouver	58	71
Calgary	59	71
Saskatoon	58	71
Regina	57	71
Winnipeg	56	71
Montreal	57	71
Ottawa	56	71
Quebec	56	71
St. John	56	71
Halifax	56	71
Charlottetown	56	71

FORECAST  
Maritime West—Moderate to fresh winds; mostly west and northwest; partly cloudy and probably a few light scattered showers.  
High tide this afternoon at 5:44 and tomorrow morning at 4:30. Sun sets this evening at 7:29 and rises tomorrow morning at 4:43.  
Full moon Saturday, Aug. 5, 7:53 p. m.  
Summer tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.  
CAR FERRY SCHEDULE  
Week days—Leaving Borden 9:15 a. m.; 1 p. m. (Extra) 5:15 p. m.  
Week days—Leaving Cape Tormentine 10:50 a. m. (Extra) 2:55 p. m.; 7