

# Many Conventions Slated For Centennial Here In '64

By NEIL A. MATHESON  
(Provincial and Farm Editor)  
Early success in lining up major conventions and competitions for Charlottetown's Confederation Centennial celebration in 1964 was revealed yesterday by Mayor A. Walthen Gaudet, reporting on behalf of the centennial convention committee, which is under the chairmanship of R.D. MacGillivray.

Mayor Gaudet also revealed it is expected that the federal cabinet will be here for the event and will probably hold a meeting in the historic Confederation Chamber. He considers it likely that Canada's 10 provincial premiers will also be invited here, as all provinces are contributing to the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Building, which is expected to be under construction later this year.

The possibility that Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth will be here to open the structure was suggested a year ago by Hon. J. David Stewart, provincial secretary.

Opening of the Memorial structure is scheduled for the first week in September, possibly Sept. 1, and it is planned to keep that week clear of conventions, as there will be enough people and events of unusual importance here that week to make a full schedule, Mayor Gaudet explained.

Fourteen conventions or other special events have been settled with dates, approximately a dozen others are assured, although dates have not been chosen, and more than 30 other major events are being sought by the convention committee, which is constantly expanding its field of operations.

In addition, a number of groups are being invited to hold semi-annual meetings or national executive meetings here.

His Worship is asking citizens, generally, to get in touch with members of the committee, if they have any suggestions regarding other organizations which could be invited here for the centennial year.

"We are trying to avoid the months of July and August as far as is possible," Mr. Gaudet explained, "as normally there are capacity crowds here in those months."

The Fisheries Council of Canada will meet here April 6-9, the Dominion Drama Festival dates are May 11-16, and the Canadian Ploving Championships have been scheduled by Dundas people for Sept. 9 and 10, with Sept. 11 also set aside, if three days should be necessary.



**HONORED ON RETIREMENT**

At the department of education offices in the Cabot Building, members of the land valuation board and education department officials gathered to honor former board member, Charles

Walker, Caledonia, on his retirement. Mr. Walker, right, was presented with a gold watch on the occasion. Left is Malcolm MacKenzie, deputy minister of education, who made the presentation on behalf of Mr. Walker's co-workers yesterday afternoon. Mr. Walker, former teacher and farmer, and veteran of two world wars, joined the board in 1950.

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the age of 70 receiving treatment at the sanatorium; consequently, the search continues for the presence of the sporadic case of tuberculosis which may be lurking among a group of aged in an effort to prevent the spread of tubercle bacilli not only among themselves but also to young personnel attending them.

Commenting on the role of voluntary organizations in tuberculosis control, Hon. H.B. MacNeil, M.D., minister of health, expressed his praise and satisfaction for the co-operation of the Prince Edward Island Tuberculosis League, which is concerned not only with case-finding but also with health education, rehabilitation and research relative to the disease.

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### Elderly Patients To Receive Tuberculosis X-Rays In Feb.

Patients and staff of Beach Grove Inn, the Provincial Infirmary and the Sacred Heart Home will be x-rayed during February by the new x-ray unit purchased last year by the P.E.I. Tuberculosis League.

The x-ray unit has been removed from its van for the winter and can be set up in each of the institutions.

According to H.T. Holman, president of the TB League, all expenses involved in moving and installing the x-ray equipment in the various institutions will be borne by the league.

"Prior to 1960," said Mr. Holman, "the mobile unit was placed in close proximity to these institutions but it was found that many old people were unable to enter the van

to be x-rayed; under the present system, patients who are unable to walk can be taken by stretcher or wheel chair to a comfortable room for their x-ray, with the result that a greater number can be screened.

"In tuberculosis case-finding programs, the mass x-ray survey of selected groups has remained one of the most effective means of detecting not only tuberculosis but other abnormal chest conditions which require further investigation and treatment.

"According to the annual report of the division of tuberculosis control for 1961, out of the 92 admissions to the Provincial Sanatorium, 28 were over 60 years of age; at the present time, there are 11 patients over

### STEVENSON

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He declared that the U.S. delegation went to the recently concluded meeting of the Organization of American States at Punta del Este, Uruguay, "with a bag of gold in one hand and a bloody dagger in the other."

The conference voted to exclude Cuba from the inter-American system.

The Cuban delegate said his country's political system based on Marxist-Leninist doctrine "is not negotiable."

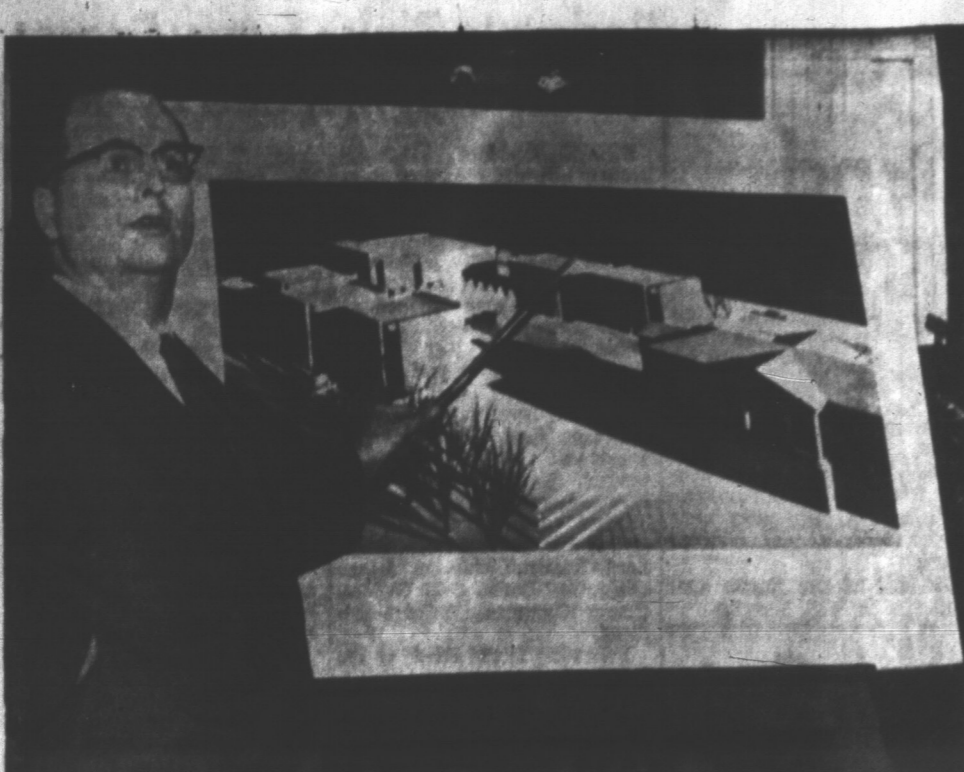
### Dave Pinkney Is Top Driver

MONCTON (CP) — Dave Pinkney of Truro, a 30-year-old horseman who has been driving horses since he was 15, received a plaque as the leading dash driver in the Maritimes for 1961 at the United States Trotting Association's district 11 meeting here Monday.

Pinkney reined horses to 92 wins during the past season, placing him in 13th position in the over-all standings for the no. 11 district, comprising the Maritimes.

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**PREVIEW OF BUILDING PLAN GIVEN**

A preview of colored slides and enlarged photographs of the winning model of the proposed Confederation Memorial Building was given city councillors, city employees, firemen and Charlottetown

businessmen yesterday at City Hall. Dr. Frank MacKinnon, (above), principal of Prince of Wales College, described the many features of the winning design and outlined the reasons for the

judges' decision. Slides of the other building designs entered in the contest were also shown. The enlarged photographs are soon to go on display in a store window in the business section of the city.

## Resources Development Expansion Seen By Shaw

By DON MACLEOD  
(Guardian-Patriot Staff Writer)  
Premier Walter R. Shaw said yesterday that an expanded program of resources development will be applied in the province, through co-operation at the federal and provincial levels.

The premier returned during the weekend from Ottawa, where he and several provincial cabinet ministers conferred with officials of several federal government departments.

"Our discussions," he said, "covered a wide field of problems of importance to the economy of the province, but centred chiefly in provincial resources development projects. FORESTRY PROGRAM

are not yet outlined, we can state that extensions to the forest nursery to provide extra seedlings, tree planting in new and burned areas, and thinning in natural growths will be part of the program, while research in forest maintenance and protection will be enlarged during the present year. A decided important step in this important resource will be initiated."

Premier Shaw said that as a result of Agriculture Minister Andrew MacRae's talks with department of agriculture officials, a number of problems in connection with livestock and crop production were ironed out.

Talks also centred around the federal Agricultural Rehabilitation and Development Act.

"As a result," the premier said, "this province should receive very fine assistance under ARDA provisions."

ward, and Northern Affairs Minister, Walter Dinsdale. "Further consideration will be given to an extension plan submitted, and Mr. Stewart will engage in further plans with federal authorities," the premier said.

Pointing out that he had noted a recent reference to provincial transportation problems and the Causeway, the premier continued: "I repeat," he said, "the statements I have made on a number of occasions that the causeway project is of tremendous magnitude and complexity, but steady and encouraging progress has been made of all factors involved, on the basis of an engineering and practical research."

## EASTERN BRIEFS

**AT MONTAGUE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose, Kingsboro, were visitors to Montague on Friday.

**TO FLORIDA**  
Miss Edith MacDonald, Montague, leaves this morning for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where she has accepted a position.

**IS IMPROVING**  
Mrs. Otto Irving, Peters Road, who has undergone surgery is steadily improving in hospital at Montague.

**SPENT WEEKEND**  
Miss Faye MacDonald and Miss Dianne Shaw, Charlottetown spent the weekend at their homes in Montague.

**HAD GUESTS**  
Mrs. M. MacDonald, Montague, had as her Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Reid, Charlottetown, and their young sons Barclay and Malcolm.

**AT BRUDENELL**  
Miss Vera Dewar, RN of the Prince Edward Island Hospital staff spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Becher Dewar, Brudenell.

**IN HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. Kenneth MacKenzie, assistant matron of the P.E.I. Protestant Orphanage, Mount Herbert is a patient in the Kings County Memorial Hospital.

**HAD HOLIDAY**  
Mrs. Malcolm Paterson and her young daughter, Nella returned to their home in Ormoco, N.B. after a holiday spent with Mrs. Paterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.K. Clements, Montague.

**SISTER IN HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. John Dean, Woodstock, Ont. arrived on Saturday by plane to be with her sister, Mrs. Nell Hooley who is a patient at the Prince Edward Island Hospital.

**CALLED HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacNeill, who were called home on Monday by the death of Mr. MacNeill's father, the late J. Arthur MacNeill, Montague, returned to their home in Halifax on Saturday.

**KEEFE FUNERAL** — The funeral for Ivan Henderson Keefe was held from St. James' United Church, Souris with service conducted by Rev. D.E. Adams, who also conducted service at the grave. Hymns sung were "Glory be to God the Father" and "Lead us, Oh Father, in the Paths of Peace. Pall bearers were Jack George MacDonald, Elmer Peters, Alphonso Peters, Lester Burke, Clarence Burke, Alfred Higginbotham. Interment was made in Souris West cemetery.

### Gilbert Clements Takes CD Course

MONTAGUE — Gilbert Clements returned on Saturday morning by plane from Arnprior, Ont., where he had taken a course in emergency rescue work at the Civil Defence College. Students taking this course were young men from Dawson City to Cape Breton.

Roy MacLeod, Tignish, and James Gallant of Rustico were also enrolled in the course.

Mr. Clements who is one of Montague's young businessmen trained under Ed Carroll syndicate instructor. This course is applicable to any emergency rescue work, drownings, exposure or fire.

Mr. Clements has expressed his willingness to conduct a course in Montague where those enrolled may take advantage of the training he has received.

On return Mr. Clements spent some time in Ottawa where he sat in on a session of the Young Liberals University Association meeting. He also visited the Russian embassy on Saturday.

### Flying Club Has Dinner

MONTAGUE — Twenty-four members of the Tween Rivers Flying Club recently enjoyed a dinner meeting at the Kingsway Motel, near Montague.

The president of the club is Harold Kemp; vice-president, Cyril Johnston; Joseph McKenna, secretary, and Gordon Lord, treasurer.

Following addresses by guest speakers Emmet Brazil and Russell Driscoll, M.L.A., a National Film Board movie on aircraft was shown by entertainment chairman, George Dewar.

The Tween River airport is located on the property of Mr. Brazil. New members are receiving instructions from Urban Murphy of Charlottetown.

### Albany Downs Carleton 5-2

SUMMERSIDE — Albany defeated North Carleton 5-2 in the first game in a best of five series of the Prince County Intermediate "C" playdowns last night at the Borden rink in a rugged tilt.

Scoring for the winners were Lee Wilson, Warren Eldred, George Murray, Everett Warren and Walter Warren.

For North Carleton the markers were Ralph Murray and Everett Stewart.

### Entries Named For Race Card

Entries for Victoria Driving Club's third ice racing card of the season at North River Causeway Wednesday afternoon were released last night and are as follows:

A Trot and Pace: Winston's Wish, Jollity's Pride, My Hero, Hickory Doc.

B Trot and Pace: Bob Clegg, Chesterway Thomas, Esso, Dawn Harvester, Time Will Tell, Sandy McDuff, Tom Day.

C Pace: Ms. Jeannie, J. W. Abbe, Partner's Dream, Miss Ellis, Myrna T. Clegg, Cash Money, Nancy H Lee, Garth's Best.

D Trot: Rowdy Dow, Kilmac Kity, Tom Collins, Payroll, Harless Abbe, Michael Peter, Titian Ward.

The first race gets underway at 2:30 sharp.

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