

Imperial Service Medal Presented To Light Keeper

The award of the Imperial Service Medal for long and faithful service as lightkeeper of the Wood Islands main light, was made yesterday by Thomas A. Smith of Wood Islands by E. K. MacNutt, District Marine Agent, Department of Transport.

The presentation took place in Mr. MacNutt's office with the employees of the Department in attendance. Speaking on behalf of the Department, Mr. MacNutt, in a brief address, said, "We are aware that your position demands vigilance and punctuality during your keepership of the Wood Islands Main Light. We therefore join with His Majesty in thanking you for your long and faithful service and hope that you will have many more years to enjoy a well merited retirement."

Growers Advised Re Crop Movement

Producers would be well advised to begin moving a part of their crop at the prices now prevailing, which are the highest ever reached at this time of the year in this Province. Mr. D. A. MacDonald, chairman of the P. E. I. Potato Marketing Board said yesterday.

New Styles For Bathing Beauties

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30 (AP)—Bathing beauties of 1952 may be out in the open with their delectable, if any.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS: GREGORY—At the King's County Hospital, Souris, Oct. 28, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gregory, Parkdale, a son, 5 lbs.

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ART CLASSES for adults begin 7:45 P. M. Thursday, November 1st at the Art Centre. Register now. Telephone 2780-1.

CITY POLICE COURT—One of two drunk and incapable was fined \$10 and costs or ten days by the Stipendiary Magistrate yesterday morning and the other \$5 and costs or five days.

FUNERAL AT CHERRY VALLEY—The funeral of Garry Francis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Drake, Vernon was held Oct. 30, at 2 P. M. from Cherry Valley United Church. Service at the church and graves was conducted by Rev. John MacKay, Vernon. Pallbearers were: Mackay, MacRae, Lorin Drake, Winston Drake, Stanton Jenkins. Burial was in the church cemetery.

CHANGE IN TRAPPING SEASON—As announced in September by the Department of Industry and Natural Resources, the season on mink and muskrat opens on November 10th and closes on December 31st.

STOLEN PURSE FOUND—A lady's purse, stolen from a resident of the City when she was walking along Grafton Street during Old Home Week, was found last Thursday by City workmen in a catch basin they were cleaning at the corner of Dorchester and Hillsboro Streets.

TRINITY Y. P. U. MEETING—On Tuesday, Oct. 30, Trinity Young People's Union held their annual Halloween party. Approximately 120 young people attended the party, gaily dressed in their gypsy, pirate, and gynecities costumes.

PERSONALS: S. C. Wright, Senior Fieldman, Provincial Department of Agriculture, left yesterday for Amherst where he will help direct the Rural Youth programme at the Maritime Winter Fair.

Will Attend Hearing On Railway Appeal

The re-hearing on the question of abolishing the two-zone area for freight rates in this Province will be held by the Board of Transport Commissioners in Ottawa next Monday. Attending for this Province will be Mr. J. O. C. Campbell, K.C., deputy Attorney General, who leaves today for the capital.

DEATHS: RAYNOB—Suddenly at the P. E. I. Hospital, Monday, Oct. 29, Elton Raynor of Mt. Herbert in his 70th year. Funeral from his late residence at Mount Herbert today, Wednesday, service starting at 2:30. Interment in Mount Herbert Cemetery. Resting at his late residence.

DEATHS: ROBER—At the P. E. I. Hospital, Tuesday, October 30, 1951, Mrs. Frank H. Roper in her 62nd year. The remains were transferred to her late residence, Mount Edward Road yesterday evening. Funeral from Zion Church on Thursday, service starting at 2 o'clock. Interment in Sherwood Cemetery.

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NO ICE SHORTAGE: It has been estimated the Antarctic ice cap is big enough to cover the whole earth to a depth of 120 feet.

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Special Speaker At Federation Meeting



At the opening session of the Baptist Federation of Canada Council, which meets from Wednesday to Friday evenings of this week at the Charlottetown Baptist Church, the public meeting will be addressed by Dr. G. F. McNally, the Federation's President.

Dr. G. F. McNally has served in many capacities in the Baptist Union of Western Canada, including the presidency of that body. In the field of education he continues to serve on important National Committees. Dr. McNally will address a public meeting this evening at the Baptist Church.

Sees Loss

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them for working both ends against the middle, but we are getting a raw deal. I place the blame on the Government. If they were to fulfil the terms of the contract of 1973, we would not have to come here and plead for mercy or try to place the blame on the Canadian National Railways. It is up to the Government to give us some redress. Otherwise, they will drive our farmers out of the greatest cash market they have.

Mr. McLure charged that many members of the Commons misunderstood the Maritime Freight Rates Act. He deplored reference to these rates as a "subsidy" or a "gift" to the Maritimes. They were nothing of the kind. The Act, he said, was passed by Parliament to correct injustices which had been suffered by the Maritimes over many years.

On a point system, he continued, the Maritimes had been paying 192 prior to passage of the Act, compared to 153 for other parts of Canada. He further expressed the view that there should have been a cut of 37 and a half per cent instead of 20 per cent as the result of the Duncan Commission's findings.

Prince Edward Island, the Queen's member said, had suffered rather than gained as the result of Confederation. The trouble with the Confederation pact, he explained, was that it carried no penalties for non-fulfillment of its terms.

On the population decline: "Prince Edward Island, instead of reaping the benefits offered in the contract, began to go downhill," he affirmed. "Our population dropped from 113,000 to about 90,000. This was owing to the fact that the agreement as to transportation was never implemented according to the terms of union."

Mr. McLure admitted that as the results of pleas and representations, rates on the car-ferries had been lowered. They are not yet sufficiently low, and the Province will not receive justice in this respect until the Strait of Northumberland is treated as a highway, he added. He also complained that the C. N. R. deprived Prince Edward Island of its former railway repair shops, making for unemployment and causing a shortage of skilled labor.

In conclusion, the Queen's member demanded that there be a halt to mounting freight rates in the Maritimes, and no equalization scheme which would adversely affect the interests of the coastal provinces.

MR. MACLEAN SPEAKS: OTTAWA, Oct. 30 (Special)—Speaking later in the evening on the Maritime freight rates issue, J. Angus MacLean, joint Conservative member for Queen's said the Maritime producer even with favorable freight is not on an equal basis with a producer in central Canada. The former, he said, has been almost completely squeezed out of the markets of the central provinces.

Canada as a whole, Mr. MacLean said, cannot prosper when one part of her economy is suffering and is not prospering. Since a vital part of the country is affected by Maritime freight

Appeal Cases In Supreme Court

Six appeal cases appeared before Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell at the Queen's County Assizes yesterday. Four were adjourned until the January sittings of the Supreme Court and two were heard and adjourned.

Three of the adjournments until January were those of William Munn, appealing against conviction for vagrancy and damage to property, and Ernest Duffy against a conviction by Stipendiary Magistrate K. M. Martin for drunken driving. The fourth, against a conviction by Queen's County Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet under the Excise Act, was that of William Lannon. Appearing for the Crown in these cases was J. P. Nicholson, and for the appellants, L. P. O'Donnell.

The appeal of George Shepherd vs. The King, from a conviction under the Temperance Act, was heard and adjourned for judgment, and Irving MacKinnon vs. The King, from a conviction under the Excise Act, was heard and adjourned until December 7th. Both convictions were by Magistrate Gilbert A. Gaudet in the Queen's County Court. J. P. Nicholson appeared for the Crown and J. A. MacDonald for the appellants.

Obtains Details Of Department Officials

OTTAWA, Oct. 30 (Special)—T. J. Kieckham, Liberal member for King's, yesterday received answers to questions he had inscribed on the order paper, giving the names and salaries of officials and business in the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Veterans' Land Act division in Prince Edward Island.

There were 26 of the former and 13 on the Land Act establishment, all working in Charlottetown. Asked if he would explain the purpose of the questions, Mr. Kieckham told The Guardian that he would do so at a later date.

Presbyterian Y.P.S. Rallies Being Held

Monday evening, Oct. 29, the first of a series of district rallies or Presbyterian Young People's Societies was held at Caledonia Presbyterian Church. During the business part of the meeting Mr. Goodwill MacDougall was elected president of that rally. The Rev. George Cunningham of Alberton was the theme speaker.

The second of the series of rallies was held Tuesday evening, Oct. 30th, at the Kirk of St. James and was very well attended by Young People from North Tryon, Harrisville, Zion and St. James. The new President of this district is Miss Isabel Farquharson. The theme speaker was the Rev. D. A. Campbell of New London.

Two more rallies will be held this week, one at Kensington on Thursday, Nov. 1st, and one at Tyne Valley on Friday, Nov. 2nd.

Tour Arouses

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ions have not yet realized that what is a stir in Canada is "the same industrial upsurge that produced, almost overnight, the colossal industrial might of the United States."

A News Chronicle article today reviewed the story of the St. Lawrence seaway project, casting light on the effect as an impetuous David whose independent stand had made the American Goliath sit up and take notice.

Odd Effects: The tour has had some odd effects. A picture of the Princess doing a square dance in Ottawa started a British craze. As one result, 24 film stars will take part in the Canadian-style dance at the royal command performance Nov. 5.

A British orchestra leader interested in promoting the dance is London's most surprised man. Two weeks ago he said he was thinking of hiring a dance "caller" since then he's had letters from eight Canadians who are willing to throw up their jobs and cross the Atlantic to enlighten British tyros on the square dance.

The correspondents included callers from Toronto, Ottawa, New Liskard, Ont., and even a hotel manager in Virgintown, Ont.

In general, as seen through the mirror of the British press, Canada emerges as a country of vast spaces and vast potentialities, with a large population of Indians and an excessive interest in such rather eccentric entertainments as the Calgary Stampede.

The tour has also helped to focus attention on royalty as an institution. New Zealand-born Hector Bolitho, writing dolefully in a weekly magazine about the decline of British prestige, refers to the monarch as "one bailiwick against self-pity as a nation."

In contemplating the monarchy, Bolitho says, some may feel a reawakening of old courage that prompts the cry: "To hell with our enemies and our rivals; we hold their menaces in contempt, for we still enjoy one luxury that refreshes our own sick hearts and stirs the envy of the world."

The problem, he said, is of national importance. He read into Hansard the resolution of the Charlottetown Board of Trade opposing any freight rate equalization which would adversely affect the east coast area.

Death Of Former Ch'town Man In Saskatchewan

The death of Mr. Oliver C. Lawson, a native of Charlottetown, which occurred suddenly at his home on the outskirts of Saskatoon on Oct. 29th, is recorded in the Oct. 10th issue of the Windsor Star. A few hours before his death, Mr. Lawson had been combining wheat on his large farm.

He had married Florence Knox, a sister of Mrs. W. F. Herman, in Saskatchewan, and for many years he had been a director of the Windsor Star. A brother, Mr. Talmadge Lawson, had been a business partner of the late Mr. W. F. Herman and had been killed at Kemmel in 1915 when serving with the 28th Battalion.

Mr. Lawson was born in Charlottetown, where his father, Rev. Stephen Lawson was a Presbyterian minister. He graduated from Prince of Wales College and after leaving the island for the West, he attended normal school in Regina and taught school before commencing wheat farming in the Prairies.

An early settler of the West, Mr. Lawson had operated his wheat farm near Saskatoon for more than fifty years. He believed that the great need of the world was for food and more food, and growing wheat was his business and his pleasure. He had made a keen study of dry farming and his crops were generally among the best in the West.

Mr. Lawson was also a director of the Saskatchewan Mutual Insurance Company, and is survived by Mrs. Lawson and two daughters, Gene, Mrs. Donald Marsden of Ottawa and Grace, Mrs. Douglas Worcester of Saskatoon; one brother Newton of Saskatoon, and one sister Violet, of Vancouver.

Island Trout To Be Provided By Ottawa Authority

Mr. J. J. Larabee, supervisor of Dominion Fisheries for the Province has secured permission from Ottawa to provide trout for the royal banquet to be held in the Charlottetown Hotel on Nov. 9th.

Any trout caught will be taken under the supervision of employees from Mr. Larabee's office. It is understood arrangements have already been made to ensure that their Highnesses will taste the finest trout the Province can produce.

The open season on trout ended on Sept. 15th.

Cub Leaders Complete Course

Cub Leaders from Alberton, O'Leary, Summerside and Charlottetown successfully completed The Scouters Preliminary Course for Cub Leaders at Rocky Point during the past week-end.

Brig. W. W. Reid, President of The Boy Scouts Association, welcomed the candidates of the course and explained the need for more trained leaders if our standards of training are to be maintained. He also related the highlight of the meeting of the Dominion Executive Committee of The Boy Scouts Association held in Halifax on October 26.

The course consisted of two indoor pack meetings which covered the Tenderpad and First Star Cub tests with emphasis being laid on the methods of instruction. The third meeting took the form of an afternoon Cub ramble with a wool trail, treasure hunt, dramatization of short plays, physical training exercises and a nature hunt.

Candidates were quartered in cottages loaned for the occasion by Brig. W. Reid, Mr. C. H. Hodgson and Mr. William James. Provincial Commissioner, Mr. S. M. McInnis met the Leaders on their return from the outing.

The following attended: Miss B. Smith, Alberton; Mrs. M. Kennedy, O'Leary; Mr. A. Campbell, Summerside; Mr. L. Ramsay, Parkdale and Miss A. Trainor, Miss B. Coyle, Miss J. Storey, Miss T. Barwise and Mr. G. Wellmer all of Charlottetown.

The course was under the direction of Gordon Kerr, Executive Commissioner who was assisted by Miss Frances MacMillan and Miss Betty King. Scouters were Robert Hutcheson and Bill Reid.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—Planes of the 126th Light Bomb Wing began taking off from Langley Air Force Base, Va., at noon today for France. The unit has been assigned there as part of the Western defence forces. Brig. Gen. Frank Allen, wing commander, flew the lead B-26 bomber, the Air Force announced. The wing will be based at Bordeaux.

GUARD OF HONOUR

All personnel participating in Guard to be present at Armories at 7 P.M. Thursday, 1 Nov. '51.

Final Guard of Honour to be selected. New uniforms will be issued.

Transport will be provided to and from Souris and Summerside.

Rousing Welcome For Princess Likely In U.S.

By Arthur Edson WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh will get a rousing, though maybe a damp-welcome tomorrow on their first visit to the United States.

The President, Mrs. Truman, and Margaret will be at the airport at 4 p. m. EST to meet the Royal Couple.

The weatherman, often uncooperative at this time of year in Washington, says showers are likely.

Even so, thousands are expected to line Constitution Avenue for a look at the Royal Couple. A crowd was assured when Truman announced that federal workers who could be spared should be allowed to leave their work for an hour or so.

Millions more will watch the arrival on coast-to-coast television. Two items used in most receptions here will be missing tomorrow.

Elizabeth and Philip won't get the keys to the city and Constitution Avenue won't be lined with flags.

The explanation: Princess Elizabeth is the heir to the British throne, and the keys and the flags are reserved for actual heads of government.

But the Royal Couple probably won't miss this omission. They won't have time.

They have a heavy schedule for their 45-hour visit to Washington. Every minute is accounted for, with receptions and dinners almost overlapping each other.

The first of these dinners will come tomorrow night, with the Truman entertaining. It will be a small dinner, it has to be because the Blair House dining room will seat only 18 to 20 but it will be formal.

Although Elizabeth and Philip will be here for less than two full days, they are scheduled to meet practically every government official, diplomat and congressman who is in town.

Congress has adjourned, but many congressmen have stayed around, or will return, for a reception at the British Embassy Thursday afternoon.

In addition, Elizabeth and Philip will visit George Washington's old home, Mt. Vernon; the Unknown Soldier's tomb in Arlington Cemetery, the Washington Cathedral, the Supreme Court Building, the Library of Congress and the House and Senate.

Believe 10 Dead In Oil Barge Collision

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 30 (AP)—Ten men were believed dead tonight as the result of one of Buffalo harbor's worst disasters—the explosive collision of a Great Lakes freighter and a barge loaded with gasoline.

Three bodies have been recovered. The U. S. Coast Guard said the latest count showed seven seamen were missing.

One of the dead was still unidentified. Salvage efforts have begun on the Dauntless, the tug that was pushing the gasoline barge that was rammed last night by the 6,500-ton Great Lakes freighter, Penobscot.

Birth Control Move Planned In India

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30 (AP)—India's poverty-stricken millions are to be the subject of history's first country-wide experiment in birth control.

Dr. Brock Chisholm, director-general of the World Health Organization, said today an educational program under the auspices of the Indian Government will start soon.

The technique to be taught, he said, will be the rhythm method. "No religious objections have been expressed," the former Canadian

Receives Call To N.S.



At a meeting held in Wesley United Church, Springhill, N.S., a call was unanimously extended to Rev. Wm. T. Mercer, Mt. Stewart, to become the Minister of that church at the beginning of January. The call will be presented according to the regular rules of the church.

PEI Contenders In Youth Program At Maritime Fair

Prince Edward Island competitors at the Maritime Winter Fair Rural Youth programme were announced yesterday. Sixteen in number, they will compete in the judging competitions for livestock clubs, field crops and public speaking, today and tomorrow.

The following will judge classes of dairy cattle, two of beef cattle, one class of sheep and one class of swine: Martina Hughes and Bernice McGaugh of Bear River Calf Club; Alban Wood and James Mullally of the Farmington Calf Club; George and Vincent MacKenzie of the St. Catharines Calf Club; Norman Montgomery and Gerald Casley of the V. E. Calf Club; Beteque, and Cyrus Gallant and Henry Bernard of the St. Phillip Calf Club.

Field crops: Cyril Wood and Elmer Curran, Farmington Grain Club; Reggie McKenna of Tracadie and Keith Moosa of Kensington, who is the president of the P. E. I. Junior Farmers Federation.

Competing in the Public Speaking contest are Anne Keefe of St. George's and Adrian Decker of Sherbrooke.

U. S. POSTAL RATES UP

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 (AP)—President Truman today signed a postal rate increase bill which dooms the penny post card as a part of a \$117,000,000 annual boost in postal charges. The new two-cent rate on post cards goes into effect next Feb. 1. In addition, there will be a 10-per-cent boost in mailing charges for newspapers and magazines April 1.

adrian deputy health minister reported, indicating the rhythm method does not conflict with Moslem or Hindu doctrine.

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If you can sew you can look like a million on a shoestring! The Dry Goods Department has a marvelous selection of materials and all your sewing requirements. . . . This morning I want to tell you about the new very fine PINWALE CORDUROY! It will make up beautifully into smart garments for yourself or for your children. It's here in an array of lovely shades: navy, gray, scarlet, wine, brown, rust and hunter's green. 36 inches wide—priced 2.49 a yard. Choose your Corduroy—Choose your Pattern and Choose your Accessories—from the Dry Goods Department at Holman's.

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