



RECEIVES AWARD

John Bell of Charlottetown, (RIGHT) is shown receiving the Don Norton Award from vice-president Mount Allison University Dr. W. S. H. Crawford.

The photo was taken at the senior class banquet held at Mount Allison University. The award is given annually to the male student who has

made the greatest overall contribution to the university in his final year. He plans to attend Dalhousie Law School next year.

Labor Chairman Gives Statement

The provincial labor relations board chairman has charged that irresponsible labor "leadership" from time to time makes the task of improving the cause of labor more difficult and frustrating.

C.R. MacQuaid, Charlottetown, issued a statement yesterday morning in which he suggested a leading labor official in the province "deliberately" played a "distorted interpretation" on remarks made earlier by Mr. MacQuaid.

Mr. MacQuaid's statement is as follows: "According to a press report of a meeting of the P.E.I. Federation of Labor appearing on April 2 the president of the federation J. C. Carroll took strong exception to remarks reported to have been contained in a talk given by me a short time previously.

He quotes these remarks, out of the context as follows: 'Unions have the worst possible public relations — but a voluntary association of employees with

common interests can lead to much greater efficiency and lends a degree of stability to labor, management relationships.'

The report of the meeting continues: "Mr. Carroll said he feels this is rather a strange statement from the chairman of the Labor Relations Board, if he means advocating company unions with the subsequent views of employees controlled by management, unions need more than public relations to overcome this sort of 19th century thinking. Mr. Carroll added he is concerned with the unanswered question: is this the policy of the Department of Labor?"

The expression used by me, "a voluntary association of employees with common interests" can be open to only one possible interpretation, and I know of no better way of describing in non-technical, non legal, terms the true nature of a trade union. A company union with views controlled by management is not only an organization unrecognized by the laws of this province, but is also the absolute antithesis of a voluntary association of employees.

That such a voluntary association of employees with common interests can lead to much greater efficiency and lend a degree of stability to labor management relationships is, as I understand it, one of the basic cornerstones of the philosophy of the trade union movement.

As to the public relations of the trade unions, Mr. Carroll well knew to what this referred, since I have many times made the same comment to labor groups. By the large, the public judges unions by their publicity, and much of the press coverage given to unions relates to strikes, violence, and conflicts with the law by the black sheep of the movement. Those unions, and they are by far in the majority, which work quietly and effectively to attain their legitimate objectives, seldom, if ever, make the headlines.

When Mr. Carroll, as quoted above makes the gratuitous observation: "if he means 'I suggest that he is deliberately placing as distorted interpretation upon remarks which are in no way subject to such a construction. There are many people myself included, who have been and are interested in improving the cause of labor, both organized and unorganized. It is unfortunate that, from time to time, irresponsible labor 'leadership' makes that task the more difficult and frustrating."

City Resident Passes Away

Mrs. Robert Duncan MacCannell of 252 Kent Street, city, passed away on Saturday evening after a brief illness.

Mrs. MacCannell, the former Beatrice Hamm, was born at Southport, daughter of Allen and Eliza MacNeill Hamm. She was in her 85th year.

John Evans Is Appointed

General secretary of the Charlottetown YMCA, John L. Evans, has been named a member of the National Advisory Council on Fitness and Amateur Sport. It was announced recently by Hon. Allan J. MacEachern, national health and welfare minister. He joins ten other members named by Mr. MacEachern. Among the other members include such well known national sports figures as Max Bell of Calgary, internationally known for his interest in horse racing; Bill Crothers, Toronto, track star; and others whose sport interest range from football to hockey, writing and coaching.

City Resident Assessed Fine

In city police court yesterday morning, Leo Matthews, city, received a fine of \$30 and costs or 20 days for disorderly conduct and street fighting. Magistrate A. James Haslam, QC, presided. Lester O'Donnell acted as counsel for the accused.

Island Native Passes Away

INGRAMPTON, N.S. (CP) — A former mayor of Dartmouth, N.S., Charles A. MacLean, 88, died at his home here Sunday following a lengthy illness.

Until his death Mr. MacLean had been the oldest living former mayor of Dartmouth. He was mayor in 1925-27 and also served as a councillor for several years. It was during his term as mayor that the town first paved streets.

Martin Mitchell Returns Home

Martin Mitchell, Rocky Point, has just returned home after attending a conference in Amherst, N.S., regarding plans for the big Indian pavilion for Expo 67. Mr. Mitchell represented the Island Miqmaqs at the gathering of Indians from the Maritimes. They were all selected for their special knowledge of Indian crafts.

The Maritimers met in Amherst with Chief Andrew Delisle, Caughnawaga, who has been named commissioner general of the Indians of Canada pavilion, to discuss plans for the \$100,000 building.

Mr. Mitchell is well known in this province, particularly through his close association with the re-created Miqma Indian Village at Rocky Point.

Annual Service Is Scheduled

The Queens County Ministerial Association will hold the annual Good Friday service in Zion church on Friday April 8th, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The speaker will be the Reverend Malcolm A. McCuaig, B.A. B.D., minister of the Kirk of St. James. Mr. McCuaig's sermon is entitled "Were You There?"

The service will be conducted by the Reverend Malcolm Harlow, President of the Ministerial Association and will be assisted by Rev. D.A. Campbell minister of the host church.

TIGNISH

Mr. and Mrs. John Smythe, Tignish have their son, Roger, visiting them from Toronto, and their son OS, James Smythe, of HMCS Restigouche, who has just returned from a tour of duties that included visits to Rio de Janeiro, Puerto Rico and Bermuda.

OS LeRoy Doucette, Halifax, is spending a few days leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Doucette, DeBlouis.

Mrs. Anthony Doucette and daughter Doris returned to their home in DeBlouis after attending the wedding of her son Gerard that took place in Toronto.

Mrs. Alfred Handrahan is a patient in Western Hospital, Alberton.

Mrs. Ferdinand Gaudet, Tignish is a patient at Western Hospital, Alberton.

He expects a number of proposals now he's available once more.

Port Project Is Due For Town

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal government will pay \$1,600,000 towards development of Port facilities at Marystown, Nfld., the Commons was informed Monday.

The money will provide ship haulout facilities under an arrangement with the province which also provides for development of shipyard facilities, said James Byrne, parliamentary secretary to Transport Minister Pickersgill.

He tabled a written return for Lloyd R. Crouse (PC—Queens-Lunenburg).

In another reply, Mr. Pickersgill told H. Russell MacEwan (PC—Pictou) that the Atlantic Development Board is not making a contribution toward the Marystown shipyard.

Mrs. J. Coles Dies Suddenly

Mrs. James Coles, the former Margaret Jean MacMillan, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. MacMillan, Brackley Point, died suddenly at her home in Winsloe on Saturday, April 2, in her 65th year.

Her husband predeceased her in 1964. Left to mourn are six sons and four daughters: Joseph and Parker, Roma (Mrs. Hollis Crews) and Margaret (Mrs. Clint Hall), all of Oshawa, Ontario; Wallace of Charlottetown; Chester of Calgary; Alberta and William at home Helen (Mrs. Vernon Gillispie), Milton, Audrey (Mrs. Raymond MacCallum), Marshfield; one brother, Claude MacMillan, and a sister Helen (Mrs. Earl Baker), both of Charlottetown.

The funeral will be held Tuesday, April 5, from St. John's Anglican Church, Milton, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Church cemetery.

FIND NEW CENTRE
The geographic centre of the United States' 50 states is near Castle Rock, S. D.

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Unrest In South Viet Nam Sparks Deep U.S. Concern

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States expressed deep concern Monday at civil unrest and demonstrations in South Viet Nam, but said it is a matter for the Saigon government to resolve.

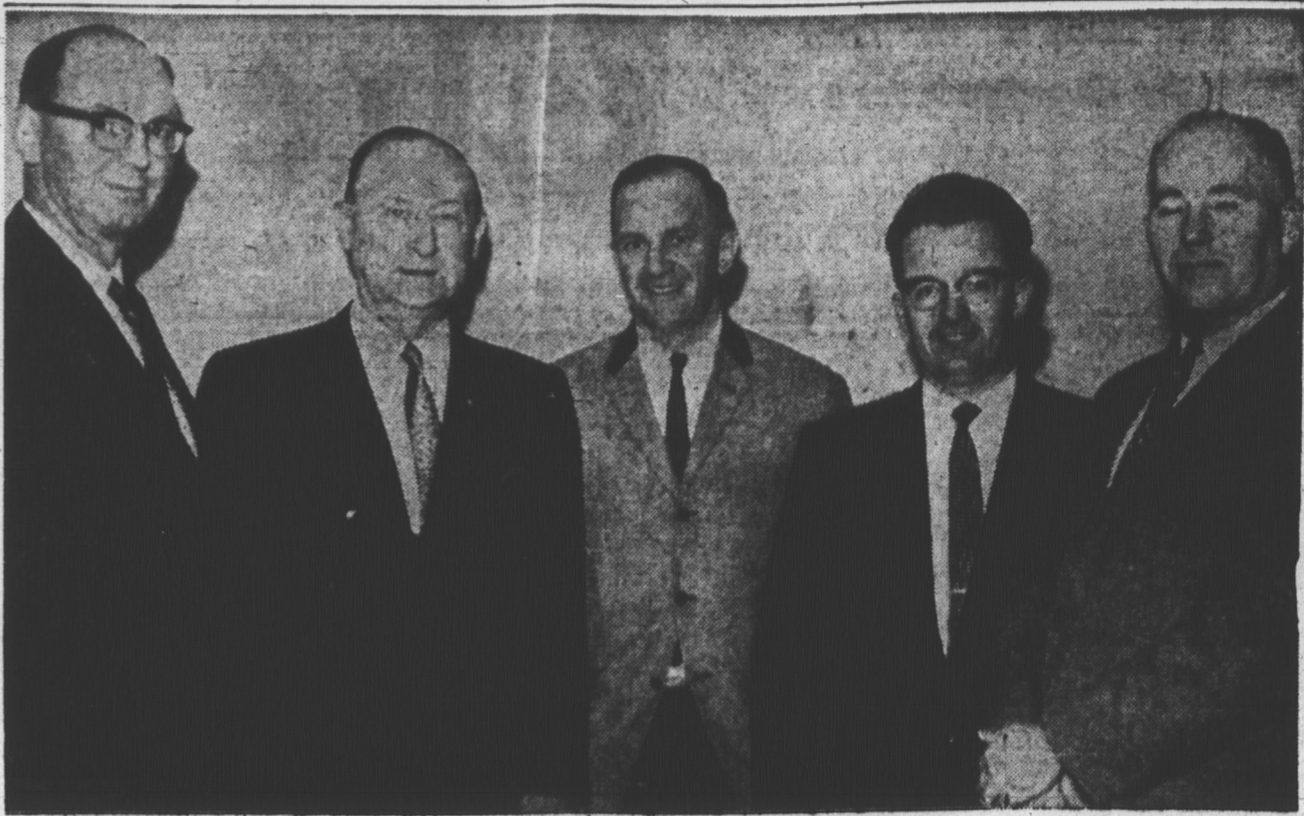
State Secretary Dean Rusk blamed the disorders on age-old factions seeking power in a future civilian government. Rusk said the civil strife in Da Nang, Dalat and Saigon thus far has not hampered the war against Viet Cong guerrillas.

"It hasn't affected the military operations in the field at this point," he said, "but obviously anything that detracts from the solidarity of the South Vietnamese people is a diversion of effort from the main job at hand."

The U.S. position was outlined in a statement read to correspondents by Marshall Wright state department press officer. Rusk talked to reporters after attending a closed session of the Senate foreign relations committee. Asked about the possible use of U.S. forces to aid the beleaguered government of Premier Nguyen Cao Ky, Rusk replied:

"That question hasn't come up. This is basically a South Vietnamese problem."

ECHOES RUSK'S VIEWS
This view was echoed in the formal statement by Wright, which said the U.S. is following



ANNUAL LECTURE DELEGATES

Delegates to the annual lecture series of the Maritime Christian College are seen at the Central Christian Church

on Kent Street Monday evening. Pictured here (FROM THE LEFT) are Kenneth

Norris president of Maritime Christian College; Dr. James DeForest Murch, Washington, D.C.; Clayton Nicholle, Saint John, N.B.; elder of Douglas Ave. Christian Church; Merle Zimmerman, Fredericton, P.E.I.; and Cecil Fletcher, Saint John, N.B., minister of Douglas Ave. Christian Church in Saint John.

ELMSDALE

Ralph Rennie is continuing to improve in Western Hospital, where he has been a patient for several weeks.

Mrs. Wilfred Griffin was a patient in Western Hospital for a week suffering from an attack of flu.

Stirling Matthews is a patient in Western Hospital.

PISQUID EAST

Mrs. Lloyd Jay has sold her home in Mount Stewart and moved to Charlottetown with

her daughter, Mrs. Jay, the former Emma Leard was born in Pisquid East and lived here until her son took over the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jay were recent visitors to Charlottetown.

Floyd Jay was a visitor in Summerside recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Atleek Mrs. Garth Atleek and family were visitors in Pisquid East.

Robin Curran spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Curran, Stanhope Road.

DEFIES SCIENTISTS
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