

# ISLAND NEWS PAGE

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## Queens MP Will Serve Again On Canada's UN Delegation

Heath Macquarrie, M.P. for Queens has again been named to the Canadian delegation to the General Assembly of the United Nations which opens at United Nations headquarters New York on Sept. 15.

Mr. Macquarrie will serve as Canadian representative on the fourth committee which deals with questions concerning the trust territories of the U.N. and other non-self-governing areas. Mr. Macquarrie is a Canadian spokesman on this committee at last year's General Assembly session, and was asked by the Secretary of State for External Affairs, Hon. Howard Green to serve in the same capacity this year.

With nationalism rising rapidly in the continent of Africa and new nations taking their place in the world community the importance of the fourth committee is greatly emphasized in modern diplomacy.

The Queens member left Monday for Ottawa where he will contact a number of Dominion departments on constituency matters. He will also attend a planning committee meeting making arrangements for the meeting of the Progressive Conservative party of Canada to be held in Ottawa in December. Mr. Macquarrie, a vice-president of the national organization is also a member of a special constitutional committee for the December meeting.

During the recent provincial campaign Mr. Macquarrie played an active role and spoke on behalf of Progressive Conservative candidates in all three counties and on television and radio.



CANADIAN LEGION OFFICERS

Discussing the agenda for the 28th annual convention of the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion held at Morell yesterday, are J.J. MacIsaac, (centre), president; Borden; Ben Champion, (left), 2nd vice-president; Summer-

## ISLAND S'ide Enrolment BRIEFS To Exceed 2,000

**SUMMERSIDE** — Advance enrolment of students who will be flocking to Summerside elementary school, is expected to increase to 2,000 by the time the doors are flung open today after the summer holiday.

**SCHOOL SUPERVISOR** Clarence Mercer and members of his teaching staff were busy Friday on the advance enrolment of students from grades 8 to 12 and the commercial classes.

Some of the grades had reached up to seven or eight classes each and the actual count by grades, as of Friday was: Grade 1 — 190, 2 — 215, 3 — 217, 4 — 222, 5 — 170, 6 — 175, 7 — 190, 8 — 160, 9 — 120, 10 — 100, 11 — 82, 12 — 58, commercial 30.

**TO VISIT BRNO FAIR** PRAGUE (Reuters) — A delegation of 24 industrialists and businessmen from Montreal has arrived in Czechoslovakia, the Czech news agency Ceteke reported Friday. The group had talks with representatives of the Czechoslovak chamber of commerce and senior officials in the nation's foreign trade ministry. It will visit the Brno trade fair, opening Sunday.

**PAUL BEARERS** were: Eric Robinson, Al Barlow, Sterling Lord, Harold Milligan, Kenneth Ford and Robert Dewar.

**VISITS PARENTS** Mr. and Mrs. William M. Horton, Kentville, are visiting the latter's parents Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Parkmas, Summerside.

**FROM SUSSEX** Mr. and Mrs. Burton MacKenzie and son, Bobby, of Sussex, N.B. spent the Labour Day weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fraser, Alberton South.

**LEAVE FOR HOME** Mr. and Mrs. William McMurdo and their son, Donald, leave today for their home in Kentville, N.S., after spending a week at the Pridham Cottage in Montrose.

**VISITED PARENTS** Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin have returned to Toronto after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gaudin, Alberton South. They were accompanied by Miss Noreen Gaudin who will be their guest for a time.

**RETURN TO TORONTO** Mrs. Byron Weeks has left on return to Toronto after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends in Alma, Alberton and Charlottetown.

**GALLANT FUNERAL** — The funeral for Jeremiah Gallant was held Saturday morning from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. John L. Doiron, North Rustico, to Stella Maris Church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by his pastor, Rev. Leonard Ayers, who also conducted the service at the grave. Pall bearers were: Jerry Gallant, Archibald Harting, Rudolph Fleming, Howard Gallant, Andrew Gallant, Angus Doiron. Interment was in the church cemetery.

**FISHER FUNERAL** — The funeral for Mrs. W. J. Fisher was held yesterday afternoon from her residence at Peake's Road to Mount Stewart United Church, where service was conducted by Rev. J.M. Sheen. Interment was in Mt. Stewart cemetery. Pallbearers were: Denton Fisher.

**LATE NOTICES** (Also see announcements in columns adjoining Classified Advertising Section.)

**GILL** — At Elliofvale, Monday, September 7, 1959, Mrs. James G. Gill (nee Annie McKenna) in her 80th year. Her remains will be forwarded from the Jenkins Funeral Home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock to her late residence, from where the funeral will be held for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock. Interment in the church cemetery.

**LYONS** — At the Sacred Heart Home on September 5, 1959, Mrs. Stella Lyons, formerly of Montreal, and sister of J. Frank Hughes, 138 King Street, age 51 years. Her remains are resting at the Hennessey Funeral Home from where the funeral will take place this morning at 8:45 to St. Dunstan's Basilica for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

**PROUD** — At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Redvers Stewart, New Wiltshire, September 7, 1959, Mrs. Fred Proud in her 89th year. Her remains will be transferred this afternoon from the Cutcliffe Funeral Home to her late residence from where the funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon, service commencing at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Hampshire cemetery.

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## Actor Edmund Gwenn Died Sunday At Age 84

**HOLLYWOOD** (AP)—Actor Edmund Gwenn, a veteran of 60 years on stage and screen, died Sunday at the age of 84.

He won the Academy Award for the best actor in a supporting role for his part in the 1947 film *Miracle on 34th Street*. He played the elderly counterfeiter in *Mr. 880* and his other films included *Lassie Come Home*, *Keys to the Kingdom*, *Pride and Prejudice* and *Foreign Correspondent*.

Death came at the Motion Picture Country Home in suburban Woodland Hills, where he had been in ill health for 18 months. "He had arthritis, and then a stroke," said a close friend, director George Seaton. "Then he had pneumonia, and his heart couldn't take it."

"He was a wonderful actor and was loved by everybody."

In his recent Hollywood roles the British-born actor was nearly always cast as a benevolent old gentleman — in his academy award-winning role he played a department store Santa Claus.

But he started out as a juvenile lead on the London stage of the late 1890s. "He was one of George Bernard Shaw's favorite leads," said Seaton. "His first success was in 1895 in Shaw's *Man and Superman*."

"Later — in 1910 and 11 — he played Eliza Doolittle's father in Shaw's *Pygmalion*."

Gwenn served in the First World War, rising from private to captain in the British Army. He appeared in a New York stage production in 1922, returned to London, and later came to Hollywood in the 1930s to start a long series of character and supporting roles which lasted until he retired in 1956.

Survivors include two sisters and a brother in London, his birthplace.

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## Two Injured At Montague

**MONTAGUE** — An accident at Poole's Corner, near Montague, yesterday about noon resulted in two Georgetown residents being sent to the Kings County Memorial Hospital for treatment.

The accident occurred when a gravel truck thought to be driven by George McKenna was in collision with a 1958 Chevrolet, owned and driven by Ferd McCullough. Although both vehicles went into the gutter side by side considerable damage was done to the car.

Mr. McCullough was released shortly after entering the hospital while Mr. McKenna remained for further treatment to cuts and lacerations.

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## Lightkeeper Dies On Election Day

**LITTLE SANDS** — The funeral for John Daniel MacLean of Little Sands who passed away shortly after he had cast his ballot in the recent provincial election, was held Thursday.

Mr. MacLean, who was in his 83rd year, collapsed and died in the polling booth seconds after depositing his ballot in the ballot box.

Mr. MacLean had been the lighthouse keeper at Little Sands for many years and had also been engaged in fishing.

He leaves to mourn five sons, Archie and Leonard, at Murray River; MacPhee in Cornwall, Chester at Tormentine, N. B., and Cecil at Caribou, N.S. and one daughter, Mrs. George Blue, Little Sands.

The funeral was held Thursday from the Little Sands United Church, conducted by Rev. F. MacKinnon.

The pall bearers were: Alex Blue, Donald MacLennan, Neil D. MacNeill, M.A. MacKenzie, Edwin MacKenzie and Carleton Hume.

Flowerbearers were: Malcolm Livingstone, Stanley Livingstone and R. L. MacLean. Interment was in the Little Sands cemetery.

## Pontiff Praises Heroic S.F. Girl

**CASTEL GANDOLFO, Italy** (AP) — Shirley O'Neill, the 19-year-old San Francisco girl who baptized her dying boyfriend, received a word of praise Monday from Pope John.

The pontiff, who had heard of the girl's heroic act, received her and her father, Timothy O'Neill, in special audience Monday. He gave a rosary to Shirley and a medal to her father.

The pope recalled Shirley's action on a California beach last May when she pulled the shark-bitten young man ashore and gave him the sacrament of baptism before he died.

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## WEATHER

TORONTO (CP) — Observed temperatures issued by the public weather office.

|             | Min (Night) | Max (Day) |
|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Dawson      | 29          | 51        |
| Vancouver   | 52          | 54        |
| Victoria    | 51          | 55        |
| Edmonton    | 33          | 59        |
| Calgary     | 40          | 56        |
| Regina      | 42          | 64        |
| Winnipeg    | 37          | 70        |
| Toronto     | 71          | 86        |
| Ottawa      | 64          | 84        |
| Montreal    | 63          | 84        |
| Quebec      | 58          | 84        |
| Fredericton | 55          | 83        |
| Saint John  | 50          | 74        |

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**Moncton** ..... 54  
**Halifax** ..... 59  
**Charlottetown** ..... 57  
**Sydney** ..... 51  
**Yarmouth** ..... 54

**HALIFAX (CP)**—The weather office says continuing fine, 80-degree weather is in prospect for all areas today, although a few showers may be expected in northern New Brunswick.

**Forecasts:**  
Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Eastern N.B. counties and lower St. John River Valley: Clear. Continuing very warm; winds southwesterly 15. Low-high at Halifax 60 and 82, Yarmouth 55 and 70, Kentville 55 and 85, New Glasgow and Goshen 55 and 85, Sydney 55 and 82, Charlottetown 58 and 80, Moncton 58 and 85, Fredericton 60 and 87, Saint John 55 and 77.

Upper St. John River Valley, Bay of Chaleur: Clear with cloudy intervals; widely scattered showers; continuing very warm. Southwest winds 25. Low-high at Edmundston 60 and 85, Campbellton 58 and 85.

Bay of Fundy: Southwesterly winds 15, increasing in the afternoon to 20. Mostly clear except for widely scattered fog patches. Visibility 10 miles, lowering in fog patches to near zero. Temperature in the 60s.

High tide today at Charlottetown at 1:52 a.m. and 2:42 p.m. At Rustico at 9:37 a.m. and 9:54 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown. Sun rises today at 5:43 a.m. and sets at 6:39 p.m.

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