



THE FIRST industrial safety conference for Prince County was held in Summerside yesterday with more than 70 persons taking part in the program. Apparatus for "eye safety", one of the conference's main points, is studied by left to right, guest speaker A. E. Pieroway, safety director, New Brunswick Electric Power Commission; L.D. Kehoe, safety engineer, HMC Dockyard, Halifax, and Mike Campbell, conference host and secretary of the P.E.I. Workmen's Compensation Board.

Safety And Productivity Go Together Says Speaker

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN—The last in a series of three industrial safety conferences sponsored by the P.E.I. Workmen's Compensation Board was held at the Canadian Legion home yesterday with a registration of more than 70 persons.

"This being the first conference of this type ever held in Summerside," Mike Campbell, safety supervisor said, "we feel that it has been most successful. Those attending showed their concern for industrial safety by staying at the conference for all the lectures, films and the banquet, and most important they asked questions and took part in the discussion periods."

Alan E. Pieroway, safety director, New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, addressed last evening's banquet on "Safety and productivity are synonymous."

"Despite the apparent support being given industrial safety in the Atlantic Province," he said, "there still is a tremendous lack of safety."

"The annual cost of compensable claims in the Atlantic provinces amounts to some \$50,000,000. This economic and human loss can be prevented by a revitalized effort on the part of management, supervision and the worker, to produce a greater efficiency."

"When work is performed properly," Mr. Pieroway said in conclusion "it is also performed safely."

COMMON SENSE

In an afternoon lecture-movie titled, "Mr. Pieroway examined a film 'Electric Power And Common Sense'." He said: "The application of common sense, guided by two simple rules, will help people use electricity with maximum safety."

"The rules stressed were for a person never to become part of an electric current between two wires and to never to place themselves in an electric current between an electric wire and a lecture on 'Industrial efficiency in accident investigation' was given by L.D. 'Red' Kehoe, safety engineer, HMC Dockyard, Halifax.

"It should never be a thought of finding fault in accident investigation. The object should be to find preventive measures whereby the same type of accident would not re-occur."

Mr. Kehoe said he believed that accidents could be prevented by studying accidents that have happened and stressed the point that accident investigations should not be kept secret from foremen, management or workers.

Frank Belliveau, safety director of B.C. and Yukon Chamber of Commerce, spoke on the responsibility of the supervisor in the promotion of accident prevention and how good working relations could be established among employees.

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Mayor Heads Borden's Centennial Committee

BORDEN—Mayor Gilbert Bell last night was named chairman of a centennial committee formed here. Action was taken at a general meeting in the Town Hall.

Reginald MacAfee was made chairman of sub-committees were named also. They include: For athletics and sports, the president of the Athletic Association when named; Special projects, Mrs. Reginald Rodgers; Decorations and Illumination, Calvin Howatt, president of the Royal Canadian Legion branch; Community activities, Cpl. W. J. MacDonald, RCMP; Educational activities, William Matthews; Religious, Rev. R.M. Cameron and Rev. Arthur Pendergast. Suggestions at the meeting included one to have streets in the town marked with their names and one, by Mrs. Hazel MacAfee, principal of the school suggesting improvement of school grounds as a centennial project. The proposal was in the form of a letter, handed by teachers of the school.

The next meeting of the committee is scheduled for Dec. 8.

SPCA's Vigilance increased On Arrival of Cold Weather

With cold weather approaching, the P.E.I. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has expressed concern for the well being of farm livestock and domestic animals in the province.

President Stanford Bigger has issued a warning that with the decline in temperature the society is stepping up its watch for instances of the mistreatment of animals.

Mr. Bigger said the society will be paying particular attention to the practice of transporting cattle to packing plants.

Bandsmen Vie For Scholarships

KENSINGTON—Scholarships are announced by the Lions Club for members of the Kensington Legion for 44 veterans' child, one by the Foreman's Club, and one by the Gentlemen's Club. Each scholarship covers a 12 day music instruction camp held annually in July at Mt. Allison with all expenses paid.

The Lions Club is hoping more scholarships will be offered by other organizations in the town.

The band is practicing for a Christmas concert which will be advertised shortly.

WESTERN BREEFS

RECEIVES WORD

Mrs. Joseph Sheen has received the sad news of the passing of her sister-in-law, Amy Louise, wife of Frank E. Woodside of Vancouver, former manager of the B.C. and Yukon Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Sheen is a daughter, Valerie, three sons, Erskine, Keith, Maxwell. Mrs. Sheen and her husband, Joseph, are living in Vancouver, also two brothers, Fred and George Griffith of Vancouver. Following cremation burial will be in Vancouver.

'Hold Spuds' Is Advice

Agriculture Minister Andrew B. MacRae, said yesterday that potato growers should be receiving at least \$1 per 75 pound bag, and he advised that "any grower who is not getting at least \$1 a bag should hold his potatoes until he gets a better price for this year potato shipments have continued to rise well above that of last year, with 970 carloads having been shipped to date as compared to the same period a year ago."

Retired Army Officer Opens Practice Here

LT. COL. A.R. SMITH, CD, DDS, BA, (ret.) is opening an office for dental practice in the Bruce Block, 160 Queen Street.

Col. Smith served with the Canadian Dental Corps from 1940 to 1945 enlisting with the rank of lieutenant.

Following the end of the Second World War, he practiced in Charlottetown for two years, then re-enlisted in the Dental Corps in 1946 and served until his retirement in 1952.

Col. Smith attended West Kent School and Prince of Wales College in Charlottetown. He received his BA degree from Dalhousie University, Halifax, and later his DDS from the same institution.

Col. Smith is the son of Mrs. A.E. Smith, Richmond Street. He is married to the former Margaret Crawford, RN, of Wood Islands. They have four children.

LIGHTNING FLASHES OVER SOUTH KINGS

MONTAGUE—Rolls of thunder and flashes of lightning were quite prevalent in the Montague area last evening. The storm which was of short duration began about five o'clock.

Following the storm high winds and cooler temperatures turned wet streets to a slippery slipperiness and created a bit of a hazard on hills of the area.

No property damage from the electrical storm was reported.

Connolly Describes Shooting

DALLAS (AP)—Texas governor John Connolly, wounded during the assassination of President Kennedy, said Wednesday that after being shot the president "slumped over and said nothing."

He continued:

"As I turned to the left, I was hit. I knew I was hit badly. I said, 'My God, they are going to kill us all.'"

"Then there was a third shot and the president was hit again. Mr. Kennedy said 'Oh, my God. They killed my husband. Jack... Jack.'"

"In the space of a few seconds, great joy and anticipation was turned to great tragedy."

Connolly, in an interview from his hospital bed—the first since he was shot while riding with Kennedy last Friday, said he has had many thoughts since the tragedy and one of the most important was why Kennedy's life was taken and his was spared.

Lib. Women Will Hear MacNaught

At this afternoon's session of the annual meeting of the P.E.I. Liberal Women's Association, being held in the Bastion Recreation Centre, the guest speaker will be Solicitor-General J. Watson MacNaught, who is also MP for Prince County.

The presentation of an honorary life membership in the National Federation of Liberal Women Canada to Mrs. John M. Rattenbury will be one of the highlights of the program. Mrs. Rattenbury is a charter member of the Liberal Women's Association of this province, having joined on its formation in 1916.

Mrs. Aden Mulligan, Kinross, is president of the association.

Other officers include, Mrs. S. George MacKay, Albany, vice-president; Mrs. Eugene Gillen, Charlottetown secretary and Mrs. Russell Roper, Central Royalty, treasurer.

County vice-presidents are: Kings, Mrs. Major Reid; Queens, Mrs. Benjamin Rogers; and Prince, Mrs. W.E. Smallman.

Magistrate Orders Arrest

A bench warrant was issued for Rodolphe J. MacDonald of Bristol, in city police court yesterday. Magistrate A. J. Hanson, QC, issued the warrant when MacDonald failed to appear to answer a charge of drunken driving.

David Warren Road, Charlottetown, was fined \$35 and costs or 15 days for speeding.

A motorist was fined \$10 and costs or five days for failing to stop at a red traffic light.

Three men, charged with being drunk and incapable, were fined \$20 and costs or 20 days. Another man facing a similar charge was given a 20-day suspended sentence, while another pleaded not guilty was remanded until this morning.

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LITTLE THEATRE SEASON OPENS

The Little Theatre on Wallow Street opened again last night with another in its winter series of one-act plays. The three plays presented last night were "Murder on the Farm," "This Night Shall Pass," and "Gloria Mundi." The plays will be repeated again this evening beginning at 8:15. Here we see the behind-the-scenes action as the players are helped with their make-up. Actor Eric MacGregor, left, gets some color from Betty Hill while Jean Giddings applies some powder to the chin of Cathy Comdroy.

MOVES IN ROCKER

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson, following the example of the late John Kennedy, moved a rocking chair into his office from his home and sat in it Tuesday—his first day of business there. The rocker is in the same spot where Kennedy's used to be in a comfortable arrangement between two light-colored couches.

A-SCIENTISTS MEET

CHALK RIVER, Ont. (CP)—Representatives of the United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority and Atomic Energy Canada Limited began their annual meeting here Wednesday, discussing the recently signed agreement which extends collaboration between the two groups on research and development of heavy water moderated reactors.

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