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—**COME TO THE PICNIC**, Tryon Baptist Hall, July 5th, Wednesday.

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—**KENSINGTON** United Church Congregational Picnic, July 12th, at Mr. Parson's Shore, Chelton. All interested welcome.

—**KENSINGTON** Sports Day and Carnival at Kensington Community Sports Field, Wednesday, July 5th. Don't miss it.

—**VISITS IN KENSINGTON**—Mr. Wilfred Saunders of the Dominion Fisheries Biological Division with headquarters at St. Andrews, N.B., spent the week-end visiting his uncle, Mr. James L. Saunders, Mrs. Saunders and family at Kensington. K

—**RETURN TO ONTARIO** — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Callon, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. are leaving today on return after having spent a pleasant few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Inman, Bedeque. Before coming to the Island they had been in Newfoundland. They were much impressed with this province, particularly the Green Gables district which they admired greatly.—S.

—**MARINE BIOLOGISTS** — Dr. Smith and assistants, Messrs. Wilfred Saunders and Renwick Spence of the Dominion Fisheries Biological Division are at present working on P.E.I. Several ponds are being used for experimental purposes, Simpson's and Stevenson's ponds at Hope River and New Glasgow have each received a quota of baby and tagged trout and the party are working around Ellerslie this week. They consider the ponds on P. E. I. ideal for trout development. K

—**RACE HORSE SHIPMENT**—Mr. Myron McArthur, Kensington, shipped the noted Lucky Spencer and the mare Lynnmite with Royal Napoleon foal at foot, and other racing colts to Mr. Magee, the well-known racing promoter, of Bangor, Maine. Mr. Magee fancies Island racing stock. He is campaigning several comparatively recent importations in the Eastern States. Mr. McArthur will campaign Lucky Spencer on the Maine and Massachusetts circuits. Island racing men and horses are going far afield, and are always a force to be reckoned with. K

—**FUNERAL OF MR. GEORGE CAMPBELL** — The funeral of Mr. George Campbell was held on Thursday, June 22nd from his late residence in Hamilton. His death, although a severe shock to his family, came as a relief to the sufferer, who had endured much throughout his sickness and who had borne all with the utmost calm and cheerfulness. Mr. Campbell was the son of the late Mr. Wm. Campbell of Hamilton, and leaves to mourn the following: A daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Hartle Bryenton, at home; Lottie, Mrs. Emmet Morrison, Charlottetown; and one son, Roy, at home, his wife having predeceased him three years ago; also one brother, Mr. Russell Campbell of Indian River, and one sister, Mrs. George Burns, of Sea View. The funeral service, which was largely attended, was conducted by his pastor, the Rev. J.A. McGowan of Kensington. The following is a list of the pallbearers: Roy Lockerby, Keir Ramsay, George Crozier, Major Sinclair, Daniel Morrison, and Wm. Brander. The hymns used for the occasion were: "The Lord's My Shepherd", "Asleep In Jesus", and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." Interment at the People's Cemetery, Malpeque.

—**GENERAL INSURANCE.** Ralph G. Muttart. Summerside.

—**ICE CREAM SOCIAL**, Hamilton Hall, Wednesday, July 5th.

—**POULTRY.**—Buying Live Fowl from July 4th to July 8th. Fred Wadman, Kensington, P. E. I.

Personals

—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nicholson of Sydney, N. S., are visiting in Summerside guests of the former's father, Mr. J. M. Nicholson.—S.

—Mr. Herbert Cole spent a pleasant holiday in South Freetown the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stetson.

—Mrs. Olive Wright and daughter Ione have just returned from Middleton, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Essie Wright.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Drummond and Irwin, of Freetown, were visitors to Kensington Sunday at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Condon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drummond, Freetown, were visiting in Stanley Bridge on Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Biggar.

—Miss Edith MacLean of the public school staff, Pictou, N. S., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Loran Spencer, Summerside. S

—Mr. George A. MacArthur of Miami, Florida has been visiting in Summerside, the guest of his cousin, Mrs. George Key and Mr. Key. —S.

—Mr. Jack MacFarlane of the staff of the Royal Bank, Summerside, has been transferred to Bridgewater, N. S. and will leave shortly to take up his new duties. —S.

—Mr Alan H. Lecky left Summerside on Monday morning to attend summer school at Acadia University. S

—Mr. and Mrs. William Hayward, Summerside, had as their guests for a few days last week, Mr. and Mrs. L. Miller of St. John's, Newfoundland. S

—Mr. James Wood, engineer with the Canadian Celanese Company, Drummondville, Quebec, is vacationing with his mother, Mrs. W.P. Callaghan, Summerside. S

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hogg, Miss Libby MacDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newcombe of Needham, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James MacDonald, Summerside. S

—Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts of Perth Amboy, N.J., and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Martin of Penacook, N. H., arrived by automobile on Monday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Palmer, Summerside. S

— —Mrs. Morton Larkins, New Glasgow, returned to her home yesterday after spending some days with her uncle, Mr. Joseph McDougall, Summerside who has been ill but is now much improved.—S.

—Mrs. Murray Tupper and two children left Saturday to join her husband who is stationed at the R.C.A.F. station, Grenewood, N.S. She has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arsenault, Hanover Street, Summerside.—S.

—Mr. Frank Arsenault, Jr., left for Ottawa yesterday to visit his sister, Mrs. Claude Lentz on his way back to San Jose, California after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arsenault, Hanover Street, Summerside. He was accompanied by his sister, Helen, who will spend some time in Ottawa.—S.

—Miss Ruby Key of London Ontario is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Key, Summerside. She had a delightful trip home by way of Buffalo, Boston and New York, visiting friends in each city.—S.

—Miss Annabelle Allen, dental hygienist recently graduated from the Forsythe Dental School, Boston, Massachusetts, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen, Summerside. —S.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Palmer and young son have returned to their home in Summerside from an enjoyable ten-day motor trip to points of interest in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Maine. They were guests of the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jack while in Valcartier. —S.

Pair Committed To Supreme Court

Ferdie Bazil Gallant and Joseph Arthur Cannon of Duvar were committed for trial in the Supreme Court on two charges of breaking, entering and theft at O'Leary at the conclusion of a preliminary hearing before Magistrate R. S. Hinton, K.C. in Summerside yesterday.

A number of other cases were also disposed of: A party charged with having liquor in a place other than his residence was fined $20 and costs and a party for being in possession of beer was fined $25 and costs. A second party for having liquor in a place other than his residence was also fined $20 and costs.

A person for operating an unregistered vehicle was fined $5 and costs and a person for permitting his licence plates to be used on a vehicle other than the one registered was fined $5 and costs.

A party for operating an unlicensed trailer was fined one dollar and costs and a person for permitting more than two passengers to drive in the front seat of a truck was fined $2 and costs.

A person charged with theft to the value of $20 had his sentence suspended for two years. A party from Cape Traverse charged under the Excise Act was fined $100 and costs.—S.

Commission Report Expected In Oct.

OTTAWA, July 4 —(CP) — The royal commission on arts and science will leave here by air Thursday for St. John's, Nfld., to conclude public hearings begun last September.

The commission, headed by Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey of Toronto, expects to complete its Newfoundland trip with hearings Friday and Saturday in St. John's.

Members will return to Ottawa either Sunday or Monday to continue work on their report and recommendations to the government. Work on the narrative section of the report, expected to be ready by next October, already is well advanced.

Search Continues For Missing Plane

QUEBEC, July 4—(CP)—R. C. M. P. late today scoured the thickly-wooded region of Daaquam, 80 miles southeast of here, to locate a patch of broken trees and "shining objects", possible clues to the fate of a missing naval Sea Fury plane.

Inspector Maurice Laberge said it might be some time before his men return and report on their trip.

The Sea Fury, bound from Toronto for Halifax, disappeared after taking off from Quebec just before noon EDT Friday with Lieut. Marvin Hare, 25-year-old test pilot at the controls.

Europeans Plagued By Extremes Of Heat, Cold

LONDON, July 4—(Reuters)—Europeans wondered today whether to turn up overcoat collars or peel down to shirt sleeves.

Across the continent the weatherman pulled every trick in his bag—from chill 50s to record smashing 120s.

Freak summer weather included a so-called "thunder ball" in Northern France.

Great heat and unexpected cold in scattered centres followed winds and thunderstorms which yesterday caused several deaths and widespread damage.

Elsewhere, temperatures hovered in the 50s and residents wondered if summer would ever come. Crops were endangered—either by droughts or by storms.

75-Year Record

For the seventh consecutive day, thermometers in Budapest recorded 120 degrees—a 75-year record which turned beer taps dry when breweries could not cope with the demand.

Continuing heat which sent the mercury soaring to 98 at noon in Rome was believed the cause of an ammunition dump explosion early today which killed one man and seriously injured several others.

In Turin, two fires thought to have been touched off by the heat, caused about 15,000,000 lire ($25,000) damage.

Five fire brigades and more than 300 policemen were fighting a blaze which roared through the woods at Saint Rome de Dolan in Southern France.

People living in a suburb of Lille in Northern France, claimed a big "thunder ball" whizzing like a shell, fell in the street last night and exploded, damaging houses. No one was hurt.

Violent Storms

For a week Switzerland has sweltered amid violent storms. Today the thermometer showed 95. The near-tropical warmth threatened a famine of water, beer and lemonade.

In Holland, heavy tropical rains, thunderstorms and chilly evenings cast a pall over the country.

Belgium awaited a forecast recurrence of storms which last night broke "like a tornado."

In Sweden showering cool weather which broke the heat wave a week ago continued with temperatures of only 57.

In Oslo, after Norway's wettest June in 80 years, residents were still waiting for summer to start.

COMMISSION INQUIRY

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approximately six fishermen had misused the Loan Act by selling the gear they had obtained. On his staff at that time, the only other permanent member was Miss Brenda Gallant, stenographer. Other members of the board included the late Mr. H. H. Acorn and Mr. I. Gallant.

An outline of the setup of the Fishermen's Loan Act was given at the opening of the hearing by Mr. Campbell, and he stated that originally two-thirds of the funds were supplied by the Dominion Government and the other third by the Province. Agreements between the Governments were changed slightly after 1936, and new ones were issued each year. Dominion assistance continued for four years, gradually increasing, and totalled $185,901.61 which did not have to be repaid to the Dominion.

The fact that these monies did not have to be repaid to the Dominion Government was stated in an Ottawa clipping which Mr. Campbell read, and he said that this no doubt led applicants to believe that the small loans they had received did not have to be repaid. In order to keep the Act functioning, however, it was necessary that this Province collect all loans in order that the money might be forthcoming to future applicants.

The report by the External Auditors, dated March 1949, stated that the total fishermen's loans made to that date were $551,725.98, out of which $278,768.35 had been repaid.

Second witness called was Mr. Marin Gallant, who had been chairman of the Board for one year, beginning in February 1947, after being a member of the Board since 1944. He stated that the maximum loans available in 1944 were for forty dollars, but that pressure for higher loans increased. The maximum was then raised until many fishermen were receiving loans of $200.00.

Election Time Applications

Mr. Gallant stated that applications for loans had been particularly heavy at the time of the election in the fall of 1947, but most of the amounts requested had been "cut in half."

Mr. Gallant also said that he had found that a number of fishermen who had received loans in 1936 and '37 considered them as relief, and that this was the usual attitude he met when endeavouring to secure repayment. He also said that he considered the investigation of applicants incomplete at that time, but that the present Board had a full-time investigator.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Kathleen Higson, clerk-stenographer for the Board was called. Mrs. Higson stated that she had been in her present present position since 1941, and spoke of the present method used in handling applications for assistance from the F. L. A.

She declared she thought it quite a common occurrence for the storekeeper who would receive the business to suggest to the fisherman that he apply for assistance. Mrs. Higson said that the maximum loan for individuals at the end of the war was $200, but that this was raised in 1946 to $300.

She said it was the attitude of most Board members that former small loans were a form of relief, and that very few had been repaid.

Mrs. Higson was asked to supply the Commission with a complete list of the members of the Boards from 1936 to the present day, and also a list of fish houses built through F. L. loans.

The next hearing of the Commission will be in the Stella Maris Hall in North Rustico on July 10th at 10 a.m. It was suggested that no witnesses be subpoenaed to appear, Commissioner DesRoches requesting any individual who could be of assistance to come forward and volunteer information.

As indicated at yesterday's session, the terms of inquiry extend to the conduct of the Act, and in particular, but not so as to restrict such generality, to ascertain:

1. The method or methods by which monies were distributed or expended under the "Re-establishment Assistance Act."

2. Whether such monies were so distributed or expended by way of relief or by way of loan and to what extent.

3. The existence of irregularities, if any, respecting such administration.

4. Generally all other matters concerning the administration of such funds.

SENSATIONAL NOVEL, 'THE GREAT GATSBY,' NOW TOP FILM DRAMA

—A novel that created a sensation at the time it was written by F. Scott Fitzgerald—"The Great Gatsby"—has been made by Paramount into a picture that promises fans plenty of excitement and high-powered entertainment. One of the most important productions of this or any other season the picture arrives today at the Capital Theatre with co-stars Alan Ladd, Betty Field, Macdonald Carey, Ruth Husey, Barry Sullivan and Howard Da Silva—a star line-up that speaks volumes for the high quality of the film.

Fitzgerald was himself a product of the turbulent 20s in which the dramatic story is set and he knew the temper of those unbridled times perhaps better than any other writer. "The Great Gatsby" represents the famous author's finest work and ranks as one of the classics of that colorful age when the sky seemed to be the limit in the stockmarket and in the behavior of the irresponsible jazz-agers.

Ladd, in his title role, has a complete change in characterization from anything he has ever done. It is a romantic and dramatic role, one that gives him a chance to be the strong man without his customary use of guns.

SALISBURY, England, July 4—(AP)—Admiral Sir Mostyn Field, 95, former hydrographic chief of the Royal Navy, died yesterday at his home near here.

Martin-Harrington Nuptials

St. Paul's Church, Summerside was the scene of a lovely wedding on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock when Rt. Rev. Msgr. G. J. MacLellan united in marriage Mary Sullivan Harrington, daughter of Mrs. Harrington and the late Mr. John T. Harrington and John Joseph Martin, son of Mr. John A. Martin and the late Mrs. Martin of Tracadie.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with baskets of summer flowers. The nuptial music was under the direction of Mrs. Irene Peters and Mrs. Charles Cahill was soloist, singing the "Ave Maria" during the Nuptial Mass. The girls' choir also sang appropriate hymns.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her cousin, Mr. Cecil Hughes of Norboro, was charming in a street-length gown of navy and white sheer with matching picture hat and accessories. Her corsage was of Better Time roses.

Miss Mildred Harrington of Halifax, N. S., as maid of honor was attired in a dress of turquoise with white picture hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink Delight roses.

Mrs. Harold Goodwin as attendant was dressed in turquoise crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mr. Harold Goodwin was groomsman and Messrs. Emmett Martin and Walter Hughes were ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception for 25 guests was held at Mulberry Lodge where the bride's table had an artistic arrangement of summer flowers and lighted tapers centered with a three-tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Rev. Joseph MacLeod proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin left by automobile on a wedding trip to Boston and New York, the bride travelling in a suit of coffee brown gabardine with matching accessories and a corsage of Queen Elizabeth yellow roses. On return they will reside at Travellers Rest where the groom is in the employ of the Bergmann Construction Company.—S.

Qualified Under Advanced Registry

The Advanced Registry Board for Swine has issued a report which shows the following P. E. Island owned sows recently qualified, together with their scores:

Limewood IC, Sterling Wood, 9-205-94.

Marshfield Duchess 8C, W. J. Gibson & Son, 8-173-92.

Lindenwood Clare 8C, Hector Jenkins, 10-186-92.

Woodstock Duchess 109C, Charles Yeo, 10-202-92.

Idlewood Lassie 35C, Albinus McDonald, 8-193-91.

Royalty Lady Doreen 116C, Keith Moase, 9-234-89.

Barbara Ann 8C, J. J. McInnis, 8-209-89.

Jean Robert 2C, Chester LeLacheur, 11-227-88.

Savage Harbour Queen 16C, Daniel Sheenan, 8-184-88.

Kimberley Rona 32C, John J. Somers & Son, 9-188-87.

Inglesyde Peggy 2B, V. A. MacDonald & Sons, 11-218-87.

Woodstock Duchess 47C, J. H. MacPhail, 10-196-87.

Loyalty Belle 1B, John D. MacPhail, 10-192-86.

The Fort Beauty 2B, Gordon Yeo, 9-179-86.

Seadale Sally 13C, Joseph J. Campbell, 13-183-85.

Vernell Patsy 20C, V. R. Ross & Son, 10-193-84.

Highvue Diarme 22C, Wilfred H. Thompson, 9-176-83.

Souris Bubbles 63B, Wm. J. MacDonald, 9-205-81.

In the above scores, the first figures indicates the number of pigs saved in the tested litter. The second figure denotes the age in days of the pigs when slaughtered. The last figure gives the average slaughter test score of the four test pigs.

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S'side Rotary Club President Installed

Dr. A. A. Lockhart formally took over the presidency of the Summerside Rotary Club from the retiring president, William Hayward, at the regular Rotary dinner meeting at the Olympia Restaurant yesterday.

Mr. Hayward gave a report of the club activities for the past year before resigning the gavel to the new president. Dr. Lockhart gave a very comprehensive report of the Rotary district convention held recently at Fredericton, N. B. which he had attended as a delegate from the Summerside club.

Rotarian Thomas Mitton of Truro and a former member of the Summerside Club was a guest.—S.

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Roman churches and other points of interest.

Visits Eire

A two weeks visit to Southern Ireland where he met Premier Costello and members of his cabinet and Eamon De Valera wound up the young priests tour. While speaking to Mr. De Valera he was introduced to a Mr. Little whose father was born on P. E. I. and later became premier of Newfoundland.

He noted a great deal of progress in the development of Ireland. Electrical services are rapidly expanding, housing projects are being undertaken and a land drainage system is being put into effect, he stated.

Straight grants of $400 are given for the building of new houses he added and through the land drainage system more than 1,000,000 acres of low land will be utilized within the next few years.

Of particular interest to Father Murray was the Irish town of Monaghan where his ancestors lived. He also viewed with interest the Lakes of Killarney and several old castles.

His first point of arrival on the trip over was Liverpool from where he proceeded to London and crossed to Antwerp, Belgium. At Liverpool he met Father Becher of the Edmonton diocese and the three priests proceeded to England and the continent together.

Tour France

They toured through France visiting such places as Liseaux, the Normandy beachhead where they saw the well kept cemetery of Canadian soldiers, Nevers, in Southern France and Lourdes where they saw the Chartres Cathedral.

In some sections they saw evidence of great destruction and other places that had escaped unscathed. Farming conditions appeared good, he stated, and the crops seemed to be growing well.

He noted that France and the lowland countries were very beautiful to drive through and that all roads were paved and in excellent condition. Most rural areas appeared to be serviced with electricity, he stated, and every available inch of ground is cultivated. They would need to have good crops, he stated, as the prices were very high and as an example he pointed out the price of gasoline which costs $1.00 per gallon in sections.

In Italy he saw the leaning tower of Pisa, toured Venice in a boat and visited the tomb of St. Anthony of Padua. He passed through Anzio, the scene of heavy fighting during the war, and in Rome met Mr. Ledwell Doyle, formerly of Charlottetown.

From Italy he passed through the Brenner Pass to Austria and on into Germany where he visited Mannheim, Munich, Frankfurt and Dusseldorf. The Rhineland roads were the best he saw in Europe, he stated, and the German forests were kept in excellent condition. The crops looked good and the farm buildings were very neat, he added.

He saw evidence of tremendous damage to German cities during the war. Many of these ruins have not been reconstructed, he stated, and gave a grim picture of devastation.

From Germany the priests passed through Holland and back to Belgium where they embarked for England and Father Murray continued on to Ireland.

Most of the people with whom he and others had been in contact with seemed to think war with Russia was inevitable, he said. Those on the continent were of the opinion that it would come within five years while those in England thought within two years, he added.

Father Murray returned home on the liner Ascania, making a nine day voyage from Liverpool. He sailed for Liverpool from Quebec on April 21 on the liner Franconia.

OTTAWA, July 4 — (CP)—Rt. Hon. Patrick Gordon-Walker, British commonwealth secretary, will confer with members of the Canadian Cabinet here Monday in a discussion that is expected to embrace the Korean situaton.

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