

# PWC Work Discussed By Minister Of Education

The need of a more thorough integration of a Grade XI student into a first year work at Prince of Wales College was expressed in the Legislature yesterday afternoon by Hon. Keir Clark, Minister of Education as he took part in the debate on the Draft Address.

Speaking about entrance examinations and First Year work at Prince of Wales College, the Minister said: "Once a student passes the Grade X examinations as prescribed by the Department that student has reached a level that should enable him to fit into the programme of the next grade above, namely Grade XI or First Year, as the case may be."

Mr. Clark said that this integration is as satisfactory as it should be and if a gap exists it should be relative not only to the amount of work a student has done but also to the methods of teaching as used in schools and College. I believe in this problem the Committee on Education will give particular attention."

The Minister then analyzed the results of the students' work as shown in the report of the Normal School in 1953.

This report showed that of 30 students in Fourth Year work, 24 fully passed and two conditionally passed for a fully passed percentage of 88. In Third Year work 57 per cent of the students fully passed.

In Second Year academic work out of 112 students, 15 received certificates and 19 fully passed.

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**BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS**  
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**BIRTHS**  
BYING—At the King's County Memorial Hospital on February 28th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Irving, a son, Allan Laird, weight 9 lbs., 10 1/2 ozs.

**PALMER**—At Calgary, Alta., on March 10th, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer (nee Barbara Gungler) a daughter.

**MacKAY**—At the Prince County Hospital on March 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Hollis MacKay, French River, a son, 9 lbs.

**REID**—At the Prince County Hospital on Wednesday, March 10, 1954, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid (nee Norma Humphrey, R.N.), of Middleton, a son, Donald Andrew, weight 8 lbs., 11 ozs.

**MARRIAGES**  
PAUL-DARRACH—On Saturday, February 20th, 1954 at Hampton by Rev. R. Baxter, Ina Irene Paul, Bonshaw, to John Hector Darrach, New Argyle.

**DEATHS**  
WOODSIDE—At Charlottetown, March 10, 1954, George E. Woodside in his 84th year. Remains resting at Davison's Funeral Home, Kensington, funeral notice later.

**HILTZ**—At Kensington, March 11, 1954, Alexander Hiltz in his 78th year. Funeral from Presbyterian Church, Kensington, Friday at 1:30 pm. Interment Geddies Memorial Cemetery.

**MacFADYEN**—Suddenly at the Regent Hotel on Wednesday March 10, 1954, Donald A. MacFadyen of Augustine Cove in his 71st year, remains resting at the MacLean Funeral Home. Funeral notice later.

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**HERE FOR CONSULTATION—**Mr. J. W. Lucas from the Testing Laboratory Division, Federal Department of Public Works, Ottawa, arrived in the city last evening to consult with Mr. Clive W. Currie, acting District Engineer on routine matters of mutual interest, which can best be handled by discussions on a local basis. Mr. Lucas has already met with the Departmental Engineers and Architects at Saint John, N. B. and Halifax as part of his visit to the Maritime area offices.

**DINNER TONIGHT—**The annual dinner of the R.C.A.F. Association 201 (Confederation) Wing will be held at the Clover Club this evening under the chairmanship of J. A. Carruthers, president of the Association. A musical program has also been arranged for this evening. The members of the Association are invited to attend, and agreeable to the usual custom the dinner will be followed by a dance at the Club Rooms.

**ST. PAUL'S A.Y.F.A. MEETING**—The regular weekly meeting of St. Paul's A.Y.F.A. was held last evening in the Parish Hall. Following the business meeting an interesting and informal talk was given by Dr. George C. Fisher, entitled "What Can We Do?" After a period of games, lunch was served. The meeting closed with "Auld Lang Syne" and the Benediction.

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY**—The funeral of Miss Mary E. Curran was held yesterday morning from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Guy Scott, 66 Great George St., to St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rt. Rev. Monsignor Patrick McMahon who also officiated at the grave. Pall bearers were, Hon. Eugene Cullen, Harry Corcoran, William Grimes, Frank Murray, Harry Hermans and Adrian Keenan. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

## Pearson Replies

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which China was directly involved and which could be settled without co-operation from the Chinese government in control of that country, it seemed clear we would have to deal with that government.

"That, concluded the Prime Minister, was merely common sense and did not mean in any way the acceptance of responsibility for or the giving of endorsement to the actions or views of any particular regime."

Mr. St. Laurent had been quoted in the Far East as making these statements:

**Accuracy Unquestioned**  
Manila: "We have got to be realistic. Sooner or later we would be bound to recognize the government that the people want."

Seoul: "I do feel that some day we are going to have to be realistic. We are going to have to recognize the present government of China in the government the people want."

After Mr. Pearson's formal statement on the Seoul press conference, Mr. Drew attacked the Manila quotation that "We would be bound to recognize the government that the people want."

"Those words are a travesty of the facts," Mr. Drew said. Mr. Pearson replied he is not questioning the accuracy of the Manila report.

But on the point of whether the Chinese people want the present regime, he said: "Of course we do not know whether the people of China want the government they want, because it is a Communist government, and a Communist government, or indeed any totalitarian government, does not give the people an opportunity to express their views freely on the form of government they have."

## Opposition Attack On N. B. Budget

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**FREDERICTON, (CP)**—The Liberal party's financial critic said in the legislature Wednesday New Brunswick's Progressive Conservative government will find it has "fooled itself instead of the people" in increasing the gasoline tax by two cents.

J. E. Connolly (Gloucester), opened the Opposition attack on the budget brought down Tuesday. He predicted the increase to 12 cents per gallon, effective April 1, will result in considerable loss of revenue.

Mr. Connolly said the government will hear more criticism of this increase than praise for reducing the four per cent sales tax to three per cent. The latter change became effective Wednesday.

He said the gasoline tax boost would seriously affect the tourist trade as visitors would fill their tanks just before entering the province with enough gasoline to take them out of New Brunswick before re-filling.

It was "penny wise and pound foolish" to raise the tax and at the same time increase the appropriation for tourist promotion by \$50,000.

**HISTORIC UNIVERSITY**  
Laval University at Quebec was founded by royal charter in 1852, from a seminary established in 1663.

# Delightful Program By Charlottetown Chorale

A delightful evening was enjoyed by those who heard the program presented last evening by the Charlottetown Chorale at Prince of Wales College.

This, the first full program presented by the group, was an unqualified success, reflecting great credit on its director, Mr. William Rogers, and all who took part. No dull duty this, but obviously music performed for the sheer joy of it, and the spirit shown by the singers added much to the enjoyment of the program. Mr. Rogers himself conducted the group, and since the effectiveness of choral music is always dependent upon clarity and perfect unison, his leadership was a great asset to the performance.

The program, which included two groups of choral selections by the Chorale, was rounded out by several piano selections by Mr. Rogers, and solos by three individual members.

Opening the evening was a group of familiar folk tunes—"The Ash Grove" and a hunting song from the Welsh, "Turn Ye To Me" and the whimsical "The Wee Cooper of Fyfe", Scottish, and a southern folk song, "Billy Boy". Others were "As Torrents in Summer" by Sir Edward Elgar, Noble Cain's "Flow Gently Sweet Aton" and "Come to the Fair", a gay and rollicking song by East-hope Marin.

Mr. Rogers opened a group of six piano selections with three Chopin compositions, the Etudes in A flat and F, and the Ballade in A flat. Mr. Rogers displayed not only his usual precision and brilliance, but also a warmth indicative of growing sensitivity of interpretation. Three modern pieces completed the group—Impromptu in F minor by Gabriel Faure, Debussy's familiar "Clair de Lune" and "Triana" by Isaac Albeniz. Called back for an encore, he played Jacques Hebert's descriptive "The Little White Donkey".

Miss Nancy MacNevin, whose voice is well known among Charlottetown music lovers, sang "A Thought Like Music" by Brahms, and in a lighter vein, "When I Was Seventeen", a Swedish folk song, with "The New Umbrella" by Maurice Besley as an encore.

Mr. Jack Haystead, formerly of Halifax, who is fast becoming a favourite in musical circles here, performed two songs by Sigmund Romberg, "Stout Hearted Men" and "Lover Come Back To Me". Possibly the favourite single selection of the evening was a light-hearted song, "Captain Mac" by Wilfred Sanderson, sung by Mr. Haystead.

The spirit of the evening was well expressed by a composition by Albert Mallinson performed by Miss Barbara Rogers, the joyful "Sing, Break Into Song". She also sang a charming song entitled "The Little French Clock" by Richard Kount, and Schubert's lovely "Wild Rose".

Every selection in the last group of choral numbers was received with great enthusiasm by the audience, but for popularity songs from Rodgers and Hammerstein's Oklahoma still top the list. Two were sung, "Oh, What A Beautiful Morning" and as an encore, the title song. Other selections included another operetta hit dating further back, "Because You're You", by Victor Herbert, the Barcarolle from Offenbach's "Tales of Hoffman", a beautiful Czech folk song of pastoral life, "Morning Now Beckons", two Negro spirituals, "There is a Balm in Gilead" and "Ain't That Good News", and an American folk song, "Skip To My Lou".

Although the Chorale, whose executive is headed by Mr. Derrill MacGuigan, has appeared on previous occasions, and has brought enjoyment during the Christmas season by its carol singing activities, this is the first occasion on which a full scale concert has been undertaken, and it is to be hoped there will be many more such appearances. Mrs. Edwin Johnston was the very capable and sympathetic accompanist last evening.

## Large Audience Attends Concert At Spring Park

A large and appreciative audience greeted the scholars of Spring Park School in their concert appearance last evening at Spring Park Hall with Mr. J. A. Arsenault acting as master of ceremonies.

The well balanced program was produced under the direction of the teachers and Mr. Roy Mufford and reflected great credit on all concerned.

The opening number was a chorus "Fairies in the Moonlight" by pupils of grades 1,2,3 and 4, followed by a dance "The Shoemaker" by grade 1. The playlet "Three Bears" came next by grade 2. Carol Anne Graham followed with a piano solo and the dance "A Hunting we will go" continued the program. Gale Norrie sang "Pleasant Day" and grade 5 gave a choral reading titled "Don Dirk of Dowdee". A Princess who never laughed" was dramatized by grade 3 with Ronnie Mellich as narrator.

"Changing Partners" was sung by Janet Smith followed by Tom and Heather Burke in a step-dancing number. John Burhoe rendered as a piano solo "Three Blind Mice". Janet Mellich as a piano solo played "The Yellow Bullfrog". Grade 2 appeared in a Rhythm Band number followed by Grades 5, 6, and 7 in the chorus "The Cuckoo". Elizabeth Haywood appeared in a Scottish dance number and Sylvia Phillips followed with a vocal solo "My Kittens' Tongue".

"Tommy's Dream" was presented as a playlet by the pupils of grade 4. Debbie Pletch sang "Pleasant Day" and Jane Campbell followed with a recitation "Let's Gossip". Elizabeth Haywood sang "Oh! Mein Papa".

A keenly contested square dancing competition then took place between grades 5, 6, and 7. The concert concluded with "All through the night" as a chorus number by pupils of grades 8, 9 and 10. Costumes were by Shirley Burke. The performance closed with "The Queen".

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# Three Traffic Accidents In City

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At 11:15 a.m. a car going North on Weymouth St. was in collision with a car going East on Dorchester resulting in damage to the front bumper and the right front door of the former car and to the right front fender and right rear fender of the latter.

At 11:50 a.m. a car proceeding North on Queen St. served to avoid a car backing out from the East side of Queen and was in collision with one going South on Queen. Both cars had the left front fender and the left headlight badly damaged.

A more serious situation arose at 5:25 p.m. when a truck was in collision with a car going West on Euston St. and was thrown against the spotlight standard on the corner of Elm Ave. and Euston St., snapping it off at the ground.

## Tourist Film Shown Members

A colored film depicting the tourist attractions on Prince Edward Island was shown to the members of the Legislature yesterday evening in the Provincial Building by Stan MacInnis of the National Film Board.

The film was produced here last summer by the Patterson Film Company of Ottawa in conjunction with the Prince Edward Island Tourist Bureau headed by George Fraser.

The Legislative members were highly impressed with the fifteen minute film. It showed scenes of all the main tourist centres in the Province along with most of the island's outstanding sports attractions.

The film will appear on screen and television throughout the United States.

## Observes 80th Birth Anniversary

Mrs. Elijah Saunders of Southport, P.E.I., formerly of Winslow, was the guest of honour at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Vic Runtz, on Tuesday evening, 80th birthday.

Masters Ralph Runtz and Gordon Lane presented her with a bouquet of flowers and gifts from the guests. Five of her seven children with their husbands, wives, some grandchildren and great-grandchildren and friends were present.

A late buffet supper was served with the guest of honour cutting her birthday cake. All wished her a happy birthday with many more to come and joined in singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow".

Mrs. Everett Saunders assisted the hostess in serving.

## Donaldson Line Quitting Pacific

LONDON, (AP)—The Donaldson Line, one of Scotland's biggest shipping firms, announced Wednesday it is withdrawing from the Pacific freight trade and transferring its three ships on this run to the Blue Star Line.

Deputy chairman of the line, Fred Donaldson, said these ships were getting old and not earning enough. There was not enough business in the area to make it worthwhile buying new ships. Blue Star already runs a Pacific trading service.

Donaldson said the loss of the Pacific area commitments would enable the Donaldson line to concentrate on its Atlantic services to Canada and possibly to reintroduce regular freight services to the Argentine.

# Study Groups

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United States defence policy, which is a "new appearance", something already being achieved, rather than a new, long-term approach to military planning.

NATO's "emergency war plans"—the instructions to military commanders in event of any sudden enemy move—remain unchanged.

The new, long-term strategy was outlined by senior officers at Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers in Europe during a visit by newspaper correspondents representing six NATO countries, including Canada.

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