GEMINI TO WATER

Astronaut James Lovell, right, goes into the water as Gordon Harvey, left, a member of the astronaut training program, sets to jump from the Gemini spacecraft as the the water egress training got underway Friday at the Houston NASA Manned Spacecraft Center. In the program engineers are seeking methods of leaving the Gemini space capsule in the water. The training is being carried out with a boiler plate version that is tethered in a 24-foot diameter tank. In the tests the two subjects, who are in the closed vehicle, are ordered to egress and the manner, procedure and times it takes are recorded for study.

(AP Wirephoto)

St. Louis Man's Death Due To Neck Fracture

ALBERTON BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

A coroner's jury, empanelled by Dr. C.M. Dewar, O'Leary to inquire into the death on Oct. 13, 1963, of Patrick Cecil Doucette, of St. Louis, heard evidence of five witnesses in O'Leary last night and brought in a verdict that the deceased died of a broken neck at about 6.15 at McNeill's Bridge, West Devon, resulting from a two-car collision due to a sharp curve and other causes.

The jury recommended more signs and the straightening of the road.

The first witness, Dr. L.G. Dewar, told of being called to the scene of the accident where he found two cars in the ditch and five people injured and one dead, later identified as Patrick Doucette.

The two most seriously injured, Ben Arsenault and Urban Brown, were taken by ambulance to O'Leary Community Hospital and later by air to Halifax. He said Helen Ramsay, Alberton South, who suffered lacerations, bruises and shock, and her sister Eunice who suffered a fractured leg and other injuries; James Bartlett and Raymond Bernard, Palmer Road were taken to the Community Hospital.

Wayne Horace McNeill, said he resided near the West Devon Bridge and heard the crash. After going to the scene he returned home for blankets.

James Bartlett, West Point, driver of the Ford involved in the head-on collision, said he was on his way to Summerside and had picked up a hitch-hiker later identified as Urban Brown of Glace Bay. He said he saw the Envoy coming quite fast and saw it come over to his side of the road.

Helen Ramsay, 15, Alberton South, told the jury that she and her sister left home in Benjamin Arsenault's car with Patrick Doucette driving. They were proceeding to Summerside but decided to return to Alberton after going as far as Richmond. She noticed that they were going about 80 miles per hour before the accident.

Eunice Ramsay, 17, Alberton South, said the men in the car were drinking and she became frightened and asked to be driven back home.

Raymond Bernard, a passenger in the Arsenault car told of driving around the morning of the accident with Pat Doucette looking for shine. After some calls they bought two pints from Boyd Bernard. Witness said he couldn't remember the events of the day after leaving Alberton South.

Ben Arsenault, St. Louis, said he was drinking the day of the accident and didn't remember very much. He suffered a fractured leg and jaw and other injuries.

Cnst. H.V. Cameron, Alberton detachment, RCMP described the accident and showed photographs of the accident area and vehicles.

The provincial Pathologist Dr. John Craig, in a written report, gave the immediate cause of death as a fractured neck and stated the deceased was intoxicated at the time of death.

Jurors were Boyd MacWilliams, foreman, Carleton; Stephen Murphy, Howie Getson, James Getson, Coleman; Lorne Silliker, O'Leary, Gary MacDonald, West Devon.

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tion, but that with the added Sabin vaccine approximately 96 protection could be effected.

The inoculation program, conducted by the public health department nurses, will continue until June 1 as it is hoped to have as many as possible school age and pre-school children receive their two doses.

During the visit to the schools re-vaccination against smallpox will be given if needed as well as inoculations for diphtheria and lockjaw and the Salk vaccine if required. The pre-school age children will get all of the above plus protection against whooping cough.

Dr. McNeil said the program was just a part of the overall planning of clinics for children.

STARTING EARLIER

It is starting earlier this year than formerly, he said, for two main reasons. The first, as earlier stated to permit as many children as possible to receive the two doses, and the second because it is possible to start earlier due to more pavement for easier motoring.

However, he pointed out the department must still rely to a great extent on the school trustees to insure that mothers with small children can get to the schools easily and equally as important that the nurses can get there with all their needed equipment.

DEATH NOTICES

(Received too late for Classified Death Notice column).

DELANEY — At the Prince County Hospital, Summerside, Friday, Jan. 24, 1964, Claude S. Delaney of Albany in his 72nd year. Resting at the Chisholm Funeral Home, North Tryon. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

GALLANT — As the result of a drowning accident at Souris on Tuesday Jan. 21, 1964, Elzear Joseph Gallant in his 30th year. Remains are resting at the Perry Funeral Home from where the funeral will be held this morning leaving the funeral home at 8:45 for Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Church, Souris. Interment in the church cemetery.

GALLANT — At the Sacred Heart Home, Friday, Jan. 24, 1964, Joseph J. Gallant of South Rustico (father of Rev. Denis Gallant, parish priest of Hope River) in his 81st year. Resting at the Charlottetown Funeral Home from this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Funeral Monday morning, leaving the funeral home at 9:15 for Solemn Requiem High Mass at St. Augustine's Church, South Rustico at 10 o'clock. Interment in the church cemetery.

McNEIL — At Kings County Memorial Hospital, Jan. 23, 1964, Mrs. Joseph H. McNeil of Cardigan, in her 78th year. Resting at the Montague Funeral Home. Funeral this morning to All Saints' Church, Cardigan, with Requiem High Mass at 9:30. Interment in church cemetery.

GRIFFIN — Suddenly at the Community Hospital, O'Leary, Friday, Jan. 24, 1964, David Griffin (auctioneer) of Haliburton in his 71st year. His remains are resting at Jelley's Funeral Home until Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock then to his late residence at Haliburton from where the funeral will be held Monday, Jan. 27 at 9 o'clock to St. Mark's Church. Lot 7, for Requiem High Mass at 9.30. Interment in the church cemetery.

WESTERN BRIEFS

IN HOSPITAL

Edison Wright of Central Bedeque is a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

VISITED PARENTS

Gordon Bagnall who is employed in Halifax, spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bagnall, Central Bedeque.

STEWART FUNERAL — The funeral for Colin H. Stewart was held Friday afternoon at the Compton Funeral Home where service was conducted by J.D. MacKay, assisted by Rev. Keith Robson. Hymns were "The Lord's My Shepherd" and "I Know Not What The Future Hath". Organist was Mrs. William Forbes. Pallbearers were William A. Currie, Hon. Henry Wedge, Eric C. MacKay, Reginald Pope, Bruce Johnston, Dr. Kenneth Gunn. Interment was in People's cemetery, Summerside.

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Older Boys' Parliament Opens Session In S'side

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN

The three-day 10th session of the Prince Edward Island Tuxis and Older Boys' Parliament opened here last night. The sessions, being held in Epworth Hall, will continue until Sunday afternoon.

This is the first time in the history of the sessions that parliament has been held in Summerside.

Representing the lieutenant-governor, Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell read the speech from the throne.

In his address, Chief Justice Campbell told the members "a vital part of the boys' work program of the church is carried on through the medium of boys conferences, model parliaments and camps. I am pleased to note growth and activity in all of these during the past year".

Chief Justice Campbell also gave the dates of the boys camps this coming summer. The junior boys' camp will be held from July 23 to 30th and the senior boys' camp from July 14 to July 21.

"I am also happy", he said, "to announce that planning is now underway for two Maritime camps at Orasgedale, N.S. in July. The older boys' camp", he continued, "will be held July 7 to July 8 and will be for boys 17 to 21 years of age.

The Tuxis camp will be held July 9 to July 16 for boys 15 to 16 years of age. Registration is limited to 60 boys at each camp.

"The purpose of this parliament," he said, "is to challenge older boys to Christian living, to train them to give effective leadership in their local churches and communities; and through a vivid practical experience, to give them a real understanding of the meaning of Christian democracy".

In closing he said "May God grant you wisdom in debate foresight in planning, conviction in decision, and devotion in service".

OFFICIALS

Members of parliament were as follows: premier — Donald Linkletter; deputy premier — Allen Darby; speaker — Neil Scott; clerk — Rev. David Ham; provincial secretary — Gerald Hopkirk; political affairs — Cyril Moyse; minister of intellectual affairs — Ken Anestis, Charlottetown; minister of devotional affairs — Nelson Vessey, York; minister of domestic affairs — Clare Dan by; spiritual affairs — Robert Bentley; ministers without portfolio — Paul Caseley, Kensington; Garth Rayner; sergeant-at-arms — Robert Boates; pages — Richard Woodside, Bobby Hall.

PRESIDENT

Murray MacEwen has been installed as president of the Kensington Area Board of Trade. The installation was made at the annual meeting held Wednesday evening at Kensington.

Deepening Of Harbor Said Major Project

SUMMERSIDE — Hon. J. Watson MacNaught, solicitor-general, said yesterday morning that he had received no correspondence from the town of Summerside regarding the proposed deepening of Summerside Harbor.

The matter arose early this week when correspondence was read at a town council meeting between Mayor Ernest Morrison and Mr. MacNaught in which the MP for Prince County had promised that the harbor would be dredged as soon as possible this spring.

In his letter to the mayor Mr. MacNaught said that charts of the harbour had not shown any great amount of filling in and he reiterated this statement again yesterday.

Also in this letter early in January Mr. MacNaught had requested that the town let him have definitely as to whether they wanted the harbour deepened or just dredged. At the council meeting the mayor said Mr MacNaught would be notified that the town wanted the harbour deepened.

Yesterday Mr. MacNaught said that if the town wanted the harbour deepened, this would be a major project and would involve dynamitting.

Concern over the condition of the harbour became more apparent following an incident last summer when captains of United States navy ships rejected an invitation to visit this western capital during Lobster Carnival week.

In a conversation with one of the town officials at that time a USN captain said that there was fear that sensitive and highly secretive sonar equipment carried on the sides of ships would be damaged when manoeuvring through the narrow and shallow areas of the channel.

The officer also mentioned that water for the ships' cooling systems was pumped in from an area near the keel and with the ships touching bottom at low tide silt would infiltrate the systems when water was being pumped in.

At Monday night's council meeting it was mentioned that one of the last potato ships to dock last fall was only able to take on a portion of its cargo and had to sail to Souris to load the remainder. The reason given was lack of depth. It was believed that the ship required a depth of 26 feet when it had a full cargo.

DEPTH NEEDED

The deepest point in the harbour is the berth on the east side of the railway wharf which measures 22 feet. The west side of the wharf, on the other hand, measures only 18 feet.

Water depth at the entrance of the harbour near what is commonly called the "black buoy" is a low 17 feet.

Mr. MacNaught said "more and more ships are coming in that want more water". He felt that eventually the harbour channel would have to be deepened.

He mentioned that sand in the channel area near the light house might be filling in but that dredging would help solve the problem. Also, around the wharves, he said, a silt had built up where fertilizers and other such matters had been dumped.

Questioned on the proposed street extending from Queens Wharf to the Railway Wharf between Water Street, Mr. MacNaught said the reason he had been approached concerning the project was due to some of the land belonging to the department of transport.

"Without checking the files", Mr. MacNaught said, "I believe this plan was approved. My impression when speaking to Mr. McIlraith (transport minister) was that there were no problems".

Hope River Native Dies In Penn.

SUMMERSIDE — Mrs. Josephine Murphy, Summerside, has received word of the death Jan. 19 in Reading, Penn., of her cousin, Walter R. Power.

Mr. Power was the son of the late William Power and his wife, Mary O'Brien of Hope River. He was educated in the local school at Hope River before he moved to Charlottetown where he was employed for several years before moving to Reading.

He was the last of a family of five. Mr. Powers leaves to mourn his wife, the former Mamie Flynn of Charlottetown.

Burial took place in Reading.

WEATHER

TORONTO (CP) — Observed temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	-52	-47
Vancouver	35	40
Victoria	40	42
Edmonton	-16	17
Calgary	-1	32
Regina	-8	6
Winnipeg	-8	b
Toronto	36	41
Ottawa	28	—
Montreal	26	36
Quebec	22	33
Saint John	28	38
Moncton	26	35
Halifax	21	33
Charlottetown	26	30
Sydney	24	33
Yarmouth	30	38
St. John's, Nfld.	29	31

HALIFAX (CP) — The weather office says patchy cloud was reported over the district late Friday evening but most places had cleared out.

A weak high pressure area is expected to cross the district today so that many sections should see some sunshine early in the day.

However, a disturbance south of the great lakes was moving eastward and should spread considerable cloud, with some rain and snow into many regions later today.

Indications are that wet weather will prevail for most of Sunday.

Regional forecasts:

Prince Edward Island, Eastern N.B. counties, lower St. John River Valley: Clouding over during the afternoon; mild; light winds increasing in afternoon to southeast 20. Low high at Charlottetown 20 and 33, Moncton 17 and 38, Fredericton and Saint John 18 and 38.

Outlook for Sunday: Showers.

High tide today at Charlottetown 7:37 a.m. and 6:54 p.m. At Rustico at 2:27 and 2:33 p.m. High tide Sunday at Charlottetown 8:48 a.m. and 7:59 p.m. At Rustico at 4:23 and 3:50 p.m. Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than charlottetown. Sun rises today at 7:16 and sets at 5:06. Rises Sunday at 7:15 and sets at 5:11.

JAZZMAN HELD

BERLIN (AP) — American Jazz trumpeter Chet Baker was committed Thursday for an indefinite period to a West Berlin Sanitorium after he was arrested on narcotics charges. The 34-year-old musician was arrested by West Berlin police Wednesday, 24 hours after he arrived in the city for a three-week engagement in a focal jazz bar.

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Kensington Centennial Plans Feature Two Competitions

KENSINGTON — Two Island-wide competitions to be conducted by the Town of Kensington as part of its Centennial program have been approved by the P.E.I. Centennial Committee, it was announced Thursday.

The first will be a beard growing contest open to all Island residents. The committee in charge of this contest hopes to have prizes of up to $400 to offer.

An Island champion of beards will be declared at the town's 1964 jubilee being staged on July 10, 11 and 12.

The second competition will be a barbershop quartet contest, also Island-wide. The committee in charge of this project hopes to have a barbershop quartet from a national or international barbershop quartet organization in attendance to help during the contest finals.

TOWN CLERK

All other committees are well underway with their projects. Boyd Beairsto is over-all chairman of the town centennial celebrations and Joe MacDonald is vice-chairman and in charge of special projects. One of the special projects is the obtaining of a town clock which is expected to be unveiled during the three-day jubilee.

Financial support has been offered by the town in purchasing the clock.

Other executive members are Mrs. Barbara Auld, secretary and Ted Moore, treasurer.

Sub-committee chairmen are as follows:

Beard growing—Gordon Cook; barbershop quartet—Don Woodrow; area coverage and community activities — Ron Kennedy. This committee is responsible for dances, fish fries, and similar events.

Mrs. Ruby MacInnis, children's activities, including doll carriage parade and soap box derbies; Gordon Kennedy — sports events; Lorne Moase—education activities (Mr. Moase hopes to have lectures, debates and spelling bees.

Agricultural committee chairman George Caseley plans for a day filled with various events including ones showing the agricultural changes over the past 100 years in crops and machinery. Work will also be done with 4-H Clubs and Junior farmers with a number of fun events included.

In charge of decorations for the whole year and especially during the jubilee, is Charles Beairsto. Included in the decorations will be special lighting.

Publicity chairman is Ray Smith and advisers are Mayor Everett Champion, Willard Stewart, Dr. Maurice Clark and Morris Caseley.

The town Centennial Committee plans to close the jubilee celebrations with a drumhead service, Sunday morning, July 12 with Rev. L.M. Murray and Rev. L.P. Callaghan working on this project as a joint religious service.

Mr. Murray is also training a centennial chorale group.

Kensington Legion Installs Clair Mayhew As President

KENSINGTON — Clair Mayhew was installed as president of the Kensington Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion at the postponed annual meeting held Monday night.

There was a good attendance at the meeting chaired by the retiring president, James Evans, who, in his report, expressed appreciation to all the business houses of the area who by their support helped to make the poppy campaign a success. He also thanked all the committee chairmen who spearheaded the Remembrance Day Program, blood donor clinic and other projects, and asked for the same energetic support for the incoming executive.

The financial report, showing a substantial balance, and given by the secretary-manager, William Blakeney, was accepted after discussion. The auditor, O.E. Profitt, was present to answer questions.

Nominations of Rev. L.P. Callaghan as Roman Catholic chaplain, and Rev. W.A. Paterson, who is a Royal Canadian Legion life member, as Protestant chaplain, were accepted.

Acting sergeant-at-arms, Wallace Thompson escorted the officers who were installed by Arthur MacLean. The first vice-president is Garnet Turner, and Richard Kelly is the second vice-president. New members of the executive are Mrs. Ruby McInnis, Elmer Cole, Gene Crane and Michael MacKinnon. Re-elected to the executive were Fred Campbell, Wallace Thompson, Major Sinclair, Donald MacLellan and Ellis Profitt.

A letter from Miss Ibhigenie Arsenoult, provincial Red Cross Commissioner, was read, congratulating Stewart Peppin, chairman of the blood donor clinic for Kensington which won the Manning Trophy, and expressing appreciation to all who helped in any way. A vote of appreciation from the meeting to Stewart Peppin was passed unanimously.

A motion was passed asking that the names of all deceased members be sent to the Island correspondent, to be forwarded to the Legionary for inclusion in the In Memoriam Page.

SCOUT GROUP GROWS

OTTAWA (CP) — Three new countries have been registered as full members of the Boy Scouts World Conference, it was announced here Wednesday. The Federation du Scoutisme du Dahomey, the Kenya Boy Scouts Association and the Uganda Boy Scouts Association became members Jan. 11, bringing to 83 the number of countries registered with the World Conference, representing nearly 9½ million boy scouts.

Causeway Tidal Model Project Is Approved

By FARMER TISSINGTON
Capital Bureau, The Guardian

OTTAWA — Solicitor-General J. Watson MacNaught, cabinet representative for P.E.I. yesterday announced that approval has been given for the construction of a hydraulic tidal model of the Northumberland Strait.

The model will be constructed at Coldbrook, New Brunswick, and will be maintained for several years following completion of the proposed tests, in case additional tests are required during future phases of the project. Coldbrook is on the outskirts of Saint John, N.B.

The model, built to a horizontal scale of 1:6400, will consist of the underwater topography of Northumberland Strait, bounded by a line drawn between East Point, P.E.I. and Inverness, Nova Scotia, to one drawn between North Point, P.E.I. and Point Sapin, N.B. The vertical scale will be between 1:64 and 1:100, the final value to be selected after a study of model and prototype roughness.

Mr. MacNaught said the topography of the model will be formed to reproduce accurately the levels and soundings given on admiralty charts, and will be waterproofed and protected against erosion.

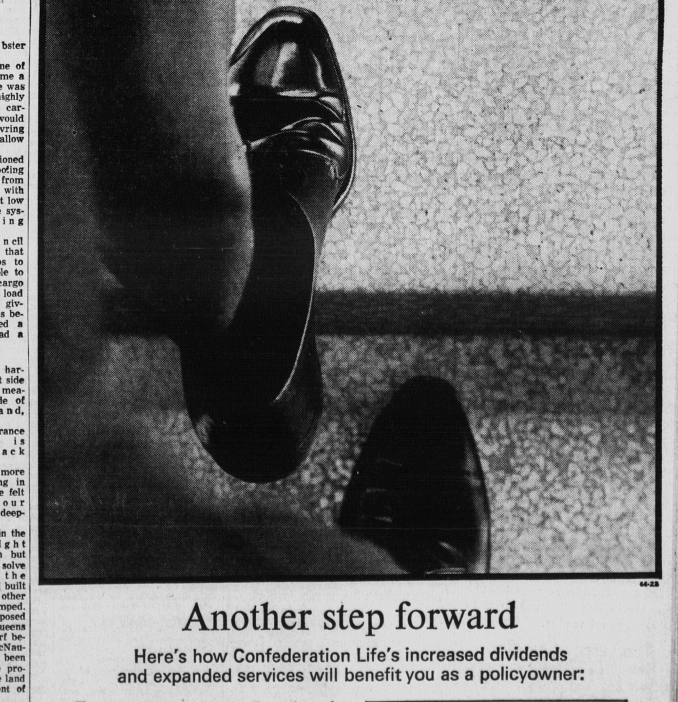
Hydraulic roughness will be reproduced by removable metal resistance strips, which can be set to the pattern that theory and calibration tests showed to be most suitable. Tide - generating machines will be constructed at both ends, representing the east and west entrances to the Strait.

Twelve tidal - level measuring stations, each fitted with a level recording transducer, so that readings from all transducers can be recorded simultaneously on a multi - channel oscillograph, will be set up in the model.

The purpose of the tidal model tests, Mr. MacNaught explains, will be to verify the mathematical calculations of changes in water levels and currents in the Strait that would result from the construction of a full or partial causeway.

The tests will provide information for an assessment of the changes in erosion and siltation in harbor and other critical areas in the Strait, together with changes in movement of ice in the vicinity of the crossing.

Mr. MacNaught, who has been keeping in close touch with the big project, says the data obtained from the tests will be used in the final design studies for the project.



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