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Western and Central Districts

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Hog Conference At Birch Court

The second annual hog production conference will be held at Birch Court, Experimental Farm on March 14 and 15. It was learned last evening from Don Smith, manager of Agro Co-op here.

Building construction, ventilation and financing will be discussed at the opening session at eight o'clock Monday evening, March 14. Speakers will include Graeme Linkletter, agricultural engineer, P.E.I. department of agriculture; Donald Cox, swine specialist, Nova Scotia Agricultural College, Truro, N.S. and representatives from the farm credit corporation, the Farm Establishment Board and the Royal Bank of Canada.

Tuesday's sessions get underway at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and will run to mid afternoon.

David Peacock, director of livestock, P.E.I. will look at the trends in swine production for the next two years and predict what may happen.

Dr. Emerson North, Cornwallis Veterinarian, Kentville, N.S.; John Eaton, nutrition specialist with the Maritime Co-op Feed department and Dr. G.E. Harrison are among the speakers scheduled. Dr. Harrison is



MR. LINKLETTER

with the Howard Chemical people, Orangeville, Ontario. Mr. Smith will preside.

Pirate Tanker Watch Planned

LONDON (AP) — Authoritative sources disclosed Tuesday night British plans for a big air-sea watch over Indian Ocean approaches to Portuguese Mozambique, to deter pirate tankers carrying oil for Rhodesia.

A foreign office spokesman confirmed that British had asked air base facilities from the big island republic of Malagasy, formerly Madagascar, 250 miles off Mozambique.

LIBERAL

(Continued from page one) Legislature earlier in the day, they could be made public.

Robert Grindlay (P.C. 2nd) said that the clerk's office is closed to everyone except members of the Legislature and for that reason the resolutions could not be considered public knowledge. "Notices should not go to the press until we know of them here," he said.

AMUSED AND AMAZED Mr. Matheson said he was "amused and amazed at the righteous indignation of the minister of welfare."

Premier Walter R. Shaw said he "objects violently" to the whole matter.

"In regard to the letter," the premier said, "the opposition leader made no explanation here, which was the place to make it. I was amazed to read a statement in the press. It's a serious matter."

"I was more than troubled this evening when statements on five resolutions were made on television. No member here knows the intent, purpose and form of the resolutions. "If he wishes to present resolutions, this is the place to make a statement and not to the press in a back door manner. He owes an apology to this Legislature. It is unheard of and uncalled for."

ASKS FIRM STAND "Mr. Speaker, you should take a firm stand so that we will not have repetitions; so that members of the Legislature do not give statements to the press which are not in accord with the principles of legislative procedure."

Speaker Frank Myers said he regretted that this thing had happened and "I hope it will not happen again."

Prince County Liberal Frank Jardine suggested it was unfair to deal with the matter as Mr. Campbell was not in the House. Dr. MacNeill promised to raise the matter again.

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Public Accounts Tabled In House

According to the Public Accounts for the year ending March 31, 1965, tabled in the Legislature, the provincial government came very close to arriving at its predicted increase in the net debt of the consolidated revenue fund of the province.

As of March 31, 1965, the record shows the liabilities of the consolidated fund increased by \$2,753,205.82.

Provincial Treasurer Alban Farmer predicted in his 1964 budget that the increase would be \$2,566,649.

SEALING

(Continued from page 1) on the front and the hunters may kill adults, something not allowed in the gulf at this time of year.

Meanwhile, humane society officials who spent two days on the ice with the hunters, were examining their findings here.

Publicly given the hunt and the method of killing the fluffy pups—clubbing to death—has generated a storm of protest. While the humane society men were alert for cruelty anywhere near them, their chief purpose was to find the most humane means of killing.

EXAMINES SKULLS Dr. N. D. Scollard, director of the Riverdale Zoo in Toronto, was examining hundreds of skulls crushed by hunters' clubs.

His examinations were aimed at determining if any of the baby seals suffered in the killing.

Tom Hughes, general manager of the Ontario Humane Society, shot about 30 pups with special .22-calibre plastic bullets. The bullets, filled with iron filings, would be deadly to sea pups at close range but otherwise relatively harmless.

"We're not demanding that

the seal hunt be stopped," said Mr. Hughes, "but we do want to make sure it's humane."

During the hunt two aircraft went through the gulf ice and were heavily damaged. A third plane burned after nosing into the ice. No one was injured and there were no reports of injuries among the ship-based hunters.

About 27 fisheries officers, headed by Stan Dudka of New Glasgow, were posted on ships and landing places for sealing planes to make sure regulations were followed.

DON JUAN GUNNED DOWN BANGKOK (AP)—Mrs. Rachani Sea Lao, 23, told a Thailand court that she knew Sumit, 40, had had eight other wives before he married her, but she warned him to curb his roving eye. He didn't so she shot him last August. She was sentenced to 18 years in prison.

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Additional vacancies in the Public Relations and Information Branch will be advertised in the near future.



GIVING DEMONSTRATION

The Parkdale Lions Club has donated a "Talking Book Machine" to the CNIB. The machine plays books which have been taped on specially adapted twenty-track tape. Phil Bower, field secretary for the CNIB yesterday showed Mrs. Irene Brown how simple it is to operate the machine. He is holding a taped book in his hand. Lion Charlie Ings, 1st vice-chairman of the Parkdale Lions Club was also on hand yesterday when Mr. Bower was giving the demonstration. Books for the machine come free of charge from the CNIB Library in Toronto. Mrs. Brown has been registered with the CNIB for the past 18 years and has spent several years in a wheelchair.

WESTERN BRIEFS

SPENDS WEEKEND Reggie Richard of N.B. is spending some time with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Richard, Tignish.

IN HOSPITAL Mrs. Mary Gallant, Tignish, is a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital where she recently underwent surgery.

THREE FINED Residents of Summerside, Breadalbane and Kensington were each fined \$20 and costs or 10 days for being intoxicated in a public place when they appeared before Magistrate R.S. Hinton, Q.C. in town court yesterday morning.

DEATHS MacLEAN — At the P.E.I. Hospital Tuesday, March 8, 1966, Aben MacLean of 30 Upper Prince Street in his 70th year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home until noon Thursday, March 10 then to the Kirk of St. James for funeral service commencing at 2 p.m. Interment will take place in the people's cemetery. Visiting hours 2-4, 7-10.

REID — Suddenly at Charlottetown, March 6, 1966, Ernest D. Reid, 58 Brackley Point Road, Sherwood in his 51st year. Resting at Cutcliffe Funeral Home until noon today then to Zion Presbyterian Church for funeral service commencing at 1:30 p.m. Remains will be placed in the Cutcliffe receiving vault later to be interred in Sherwood cemetery.

STAVERT — At the Prince Edward Island Hospital Tuesday March 8, 1966, James Stavert of 41 York Lane in his 93rd year. Resting at the MacLean Funeral Home until noon Thursday March 10; then to Zion Presbyterian Church for funeral service commencing at 1:30 p.m. Interment in North Bedouque cemetery.

WESTERN FUNERALS

ARSENAULT FUNERAL — The funeral for Mrs. Peter B. Arsenault, Tignish, was held from the home of her son Arthur DesRoches on Saturday afternoon to St. Simon and St. Jude Church Tignish. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. M.J. Rooney. Rev. F. Tardiff was in the Sanctuary and held service at the grave. Pallbearers were: Peter DesRoches, Henry Bucke, Edmond Gallant, Edgar Gallant, Henry Arsenault, Emile Gallant. Flowerbearers were: Dennis and Barry DesRoches. Interment was in the church cemetery.

BEST FUNERAL — The funeral for Russell Best was held Tuesday from the Dawson Funeral Home, Grapaud. Service was conducted by Rev. Edward G. Britten. Organist was Mrs. Parker. Hymns sung were: Lead Kindly Light and Rock of Ages. Pallbearers were: Kenneth Best, Kenneth Robble, Stafford Leard, George McMillan, Ernest Harvey and Clifford Best. Interment took place in Westmorland cemetery.

Three Nominate For Town Seat

SUMMERSIDE — Three candidates have filed papers at the town office to run in the forthcoming by-election in the West Ward, March 15. Before noon yesterday only two candidates had filed papers.

Fred L. Arsenault, a former town councillor and Clarence "Windy" Steele, a former West Ward representative on the council indicated they would offer yesterday morning.

Later yesterday, D. Alex MacDonald, a Summerside car dealer, filed his papers. Mr. MacDonald had previously served as a councillor. During his previous term on the council Mr. MacDonald represented the East Ward.

The council seat was vacated last month when Eric Johnston resigned to run for mayor.

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HOUSE DEBATE

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Dr. MacNeill accused Dr. Bonnell of "insulting this chamber. We had a chance last week to see this report and he stalled this House by delaying the tabling of the report."

"That's not correct," said Dr. Bonnell. "He tabled it without permission."

Opposition Leader Alex Campbell suggested an amendment to the tabling motion. He said the report contains "a wealth of information on the economic and social situation of the aged and moved that the Legislature urge the government of Canada to seek implementation of the report at the earliest possible date."

MOTION IN ORDER Dr. MacNeill said "I don't know whether this motion is in order or not. How can you amend a motion to table a report? He said the tabling of the report was the only motion and suggested that the only change could be the manner in which the report was tabled.

"He would do it? Table it under the table, on the carpet, under the carpet, on the roof?"

Mr. Campbell said he would withdraw his motion with the idea that a motion regarding the report may be brought in later.

Premier Shaw said "these proceedings" don't enlarge the stature of this Legislature to any extent. "The more I listened, the more I was convinced that the authorities in this House know damn little about procedure."

LARGER (Continued from page 1) Mr. MacPhail suggested the federal government's "tight money" policy is a "hindrance to our efforts here."

He said "many new firms and existing firms are finding that tight money is hurting them. The only source of help to many is the provincial government."

"We feel we have an obligation to offset this trend by loaning money to local industry. Our policy will be to bring in industry and expand what industry is here."

On the matter of oil exploration in the province, Mr. MacPhail said "we continue to be optimistic about it." He said exploration companies had paid \$14,000 in license fees and have guaranteed to spend about \$400,000 in exploration and development work."

He said the government is continuing to press its case for jurisdiction of offshore minerals. He said the British North America Act "gives us the right to our own resources and we continue to push that view."

Dealing with development of the tourist industry, Mr. MacPhail said tourists spent an estimated \$14,000,000 in the province last year. He added that there was an increase in the past two years of 16 per cent in the number of tourists visiting the province.

"The government," said Mr. MacPhail, "is not in the tourist business but we are interested in attracting people to the province, helping make them welcome and cooperating in the development of tourist facilities."

Mr. MacPhail said his department is having prepared a color film on the province's attractions that will be shown "all over the world."

Pointing out that the activities of the Montreal World's Fair in 1967 "may change the tourist travel pattern," Mr. MacPhail said "we are making plans to draw people to this province in spite of the fair."

There are 129 telephones in Beverly Hills, Calif., for every 100 people.

DETECT TINY CHANGES A Swedish firm produces a calorimeter which can measure a change in temperature of one fifty thousandth of a degree Centigrade.

LABOR POOL He thought the suggestion made of a labor pool for farmers was a "good thing". He also suggested the establishment of a milking service employing competent people which would allow dairy farmers to get away for a week or two at a time. The necessity of a dairy farmer to be on the job seven days a week was one of the reasons more farmers did not participate in the industry according to Mr. MacDonald.

Mr. MacDonald finished his address on the Throne Speech last evening and was followed immediately by Hon. Andrew MacRae, minister of agriculture.

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