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GENERAL INSURANCE Ralph C. Maitland, Summerside.
-HOCKEY instruction and practice for school boys Bedeque rink each Tuesday, 3.30 to 4.30.

THE LADIES SOCIAL CLUB, Trinity United Church, Summerside, will hold their Valentine Tea in Epworth Hall on Tuesday, February 14th, from 4 to 6 P.M. Tickets \$1.00.

THOSE REQUIRING GRASS and field seeds from Four Branch Farmers Institute are requested to send their orders at once. The secretary must have all orders before ordering, as many farmers have their own timothy seed. Last booking date February 20th. John Myers, Albany R. R., Secretary.

PRINCE TOWN United Church, Malpeque, Sunday, February 12th, Divine worship 11.00 A. M. and 7.00 P. M. Please note change of hour for evening service. Wednesday, February 15th, service, Baltic School, 8.00 P.M. Rev. James Cross, Minister.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS-The February meeting of the W.F.M.S. of the Summerside Church of the Nazarene was held on Tuesday evening at the Parsonage with the president, Mrs. A. M. Parlee, in the chair. After the singing of "Jesus Shall Reign" the Scripture lesson was read responsively and prayers offered by Mrs. Russell Lewis and the president. During the business session, plans were discussed regarding the World Day of Prayer, which will be held on February 24 in the Church of the Nazarene. A beautiful hymn "The Master's Voice" which has been composed by one of the returned missionaries, was read and commented upon. An interesting article entitled "Japan Now" was read by Mrs. Parlee, who also conducted the study period and presented facts regarding the religious conditions in Japan. The singing of "Blest be the tie" brought the meeting to a close. -S

TRINITY EVENING AUXILIARY - The Summerside Trinity Evening Auxiliary held its February meeting in Epworth Hall on Tuesday evening with the president, Miss Mary Geldart in the chair. The devotional exercises were in charge of Mrs. William Roach, the theme being "The Church, the Household of Faith". The Study Period on "Christianizing the Social Order", taken from the book "Growing with the Years" was presented by Mrs. Roach, assisted by Mrs. George Waite, Mrs. Richard Hinton and Miss Mabel Linkletter. Mrs. S. S. Beaton gave a report on the recent Presbytery. The Visiting Committee reported ten house calls. Mrs. Roach extended an invitation to the members to meet at her home on North Market Street for the March meeting. -S

CHURCH NOTICE for the Parish of New London for Sunday, February 12th, Sexagesima Sunday, St. Thomas, New London. Holy Communion 10.30 A. M. St. Stephen's, Burlington. Evening Prayer 7.30 P. M. St. Mark's, Kensington. Junior Sunday School 3.00 P. M. Senior Sunday School 6.30 P. M. Evening Prayer 7.30 P. M. Rev. Sidney J. Davies, B. A., Rector.

PERSONALS
-Mr. George Casely, student at Mt. Allison Academy, spent the past week-end at his home at Kelvin Grove.-Bur

His many friends regret the illness of Mr. Halsey Profit at his home at Burlington, and wish him a speedy recovery.-B-R

Mr. A. P. Wells, Summerside, has received a telegram advising him of the sudden death of his brother, John Wells, at his home in Worcester, Mass.-S

Mrs. William Paynter, Burlington, is spending a few days at Baltic with her sister, Mrs. William Cousins.-Bur

Mr. C. B. Jelly has returned to his home in Summerside after attending a conference of School Supervisors held in Charlottetown, under the direction of Dr. L. W. Shaw. -S

Mrs. Daniel Hickox, Burlington, accompanied by her little grandson, Donnie Hickox, is spending the week at Amherst, where she is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Black.-Bur

Mrs. Margaret MacArthur, popular night operator at the Summerside Telephone office who has been absent on sick leave will be back on the job tomorrow night.-S

Mr. J. Henry Gaudet of Summerside, who has been a patient in the Prince County Hospital for the past several weeks left yesterday by plane for Halifax to receive further treatment.-S

His many friends regret the serious illness of Byron Chappell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chappell, Kensington, who is to undergo an operation at Halifax. He was accompanied to Halifax by his mother and by Dr. Auld of Kensington who returned home on Monday.-Bur

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Stewart, Summerside, had as their overnight guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. MacNeven, Miss Ruby Harper and Miss Mary Coyle of Charlottetown who were in Summerside to attend the opening of the dial telephone system.-S

The many friends of Mrs. Irving Campbell will be glad to know that she has recovered from her recent illness, and has returned to her home at Irishtown, after spending a few days at Sea View where she was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Campbell.-Bur

Miss Barbara MacNeill, O'Leary, entertained a number of her friends on Saturday, Feb. 4, the occasion being her tenth birthday. The centre of attraction was a gaily decorated birthday cake. Games and contests were enjoyed and the young guest of honor received gifts from her young friends and congratulations and best wishes for many more happy birthdays. Delicious refreshments were served by her mother, Mrs. Claude MacNeill.

Miss Bergman Gets Mexican Divorce
JUAREZ, Mexico, Feb. 9 (AP) - Film actress Ingrid Bergman today was granted a Mexican divorce from Dr. Peter Lindstrom, Hollywood surgeon.

The Swedish actress, now in Rome where her infant son was born a week ago, had said she would marry Roberto Rossellini, Italian film director, who was in the divorce proceedings from Lindstrom. Rossellini directed the actress in the motion picture "Stromboli" which she went to Italy to make last year. He was named by the star's physician - Dr. Pier Luigi Giordani - as father of the child.

Lindstrom, who is filing a divorce suit of his own in California, took no action in the Juarez case, in which Miss Bergman charged him with cruelty.

51-MILE ALTITUDE
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10 (AP) - The United States navy said today a Viking rocket fired yesterday at White Sands, N.M., reached an altitude of 51 miles. The rocket is designed for upper atmosphere research.

Life Saving, Red Cross Awards Made

At the regular meeting of the Summerside Y's Men's Club held in the Olympia Restaurant on Thursday night an award of the Royal Humane Society was presented as well as a number of Red Cross life saving awards. Club president Ross MacKenzie presided.

The medal of the Royal Humane Society was presented to Mr. Walter Warren Campbell by Mr. J. Watson MacNaught, M.P., for saving the life of Hollis Cameron in a garage fire on December 9, 1947. He had rescued him from a flaming grease pit.

The Red Cross awards were presented by Dr. Harvey Doney, national director of the Red Cross for swimming and water safety. Mr. Ralph Emery was presented with an award of merit and an instructor's award. It was also announced that he is a candidate for the gold medal, the highest award of the Royal Life Saving Society.

Other awards were as follows: Joanne Smith, intermediate and senior Red Cross swimming award; Dorothy Gallant, bronze medalion and senior Red Cross swimming award; Phyllis White, Mrs. Molly Hogan, Mary Kelly, Mrs. Jean Longworth, Gloria Melish and Rita Smith, all of whom received the senior Red Cross swimming awards.

Dr. Doney in his speech to the meeting outlined the program of the Red Cross dealing with disasters and explained the work of the Red Cross on the occasion of the Noronic fire.

He was introduced by Miss Iphigene Arsenault, Provincial Red Cross Commissioner who thanked the Club for the work done in cooperation with the Red Cross.

Plans were outlined for the film being sponsored by the club, entitled, "June Bride" at the Capitol Theatre next week. Preliminary plans were also given for the annual radio auction.

Mr. Edwin Estey, who had been on leave of absence was welcomed back to the club.-S

Races At S'side

The usual Saturday afternoon ice races are scheduled for Summerside harbor this afternoon, horsemen announced last night. The first class will be called at 1.30.

Borden, Albany In 6 All Tie

In a South Shore Hockey League game at Bedeque Rink last night, the Borden Abegweits and the Albany St. Pats battled it out to a 6-6 tie in a wide-open, fast, free-scoring encounter.

Both teams played even hockey in the opening session to come to a draw with the wafer when the big pads loom up in front of him. Like Jackie, he doesn't seem to be particularly fast but his stride is deceiving.

Dee Lefurgey is another lad who bids fair to resurrect a famous name in the annals of Summerside hockey. Dee had a bad cold but when the word came that he was going to get his chance to play between the pipes against the Charlottetown Juvenile Abbies, it would have taken double pneumonia with complications to keep him out of the game. We didn't see the contest but those who did say Dee put up a stout defence.

The R. C. A. F. Meteors have a chance to pull the most startling upset of the 1949-50 Island hockey season when they play hosts to the smart St. Dunstan's University sextet in Crystal Rink Saturday night. The proverbial Scotchman would bet dollars to doughnuts on the S. D. U. boys to defeat the Shooting Stars. If anybody were to say that the airmen would finish a goal ahead of the Collegians, the horse laugh that would follow would be heard from Nail Pond to Cape Bear. And that is just where opportunity knocks. Any team can win a game they're expected to win, and there is no great thrill when it's over, but when a 100 to 1 shot comes under the wire a winner, boys, what a grand and glorious feeling!

How about it, Meteors? Up and at those Sains and make them think they've tackled the whole Milky Way. Play it sort of "Kitty-bar-the-door" and wait for the breaks. Your defence is as rugged as all get-out. Hit those S. D. U. invaders as they hit the blue-line and make it a rough passage from there to the net. Put a lot of emphasis on defence, and win by a 1 to 0 score. Coach Bing is going to love this bit of back-seat driving, but a new technique might work. Just imagine, if you should happen to win. You little boys in blue could blow your horns all over Prince County. We for one would be proud to take back all the hard things we've said about you.

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Grade VII - (1) Phyllis England, (11) David Smith, Grade VI - (1) Ray Phillips, Grade V - (1) Neil Clark, (11) Garth Edwards, (11) Lillian Stavert.

Grade IV (8) - (1) Ronnie Mallet, (11) Lloyd Arsenault, Grade IV (1) - (1) Lorna MacCaull, (11) Norma MacCaull, (11) Georgina Merrill.

Grade III (5) (1) - Victor Fay, (11) Hebert MacDonald, Grade III (J) - (1) Betty Mallet, (11) Ralph Arsenault, (3) Joyce Birch.

Grade II (8) - (1) David Wagner, (11) Doreen Baker, (11) Lillian Merrill, Grade II (J) - (1) Ronald MacDonald, (11) Roger Fay, (11) Ronald Arsenault.

Highest Average - Phyllis England - 83.4. Perfect Attendance - Florence Cahill, Norma MacCaull, Hebert MacDonald, Ronald MacDonald, Roger Fay.

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Teacher - K. Picketts.

Sport Echoes From Prince County

The Summerside Juveniles have won their first hockey match on Charlottetown Forum ice, defeating the Charlottetown Vics by the close score of 6 to 5. Paul Sohrman, who has been a ball of fire since the first game, scored three of his team's goals.

Paul, resembles his Uncle Jack in the style of his play. A tricky stickman, he knows what to do with the wafer when the big pads loom up in front of him. Like Jackie, he doesn't seem to be particularly fast but his stride is deceiving.

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Record Number Of Calls Made On New Dial System

Most Summerside people yesterday were reserving their opinion as to the merits of the newly inaugurated dial telephone system. Nearly everybody encountered trouble of some sort in using their telephones and some phones were out of order entirely. Telephone officials stated that the people here were so enthusiastic about the new service that they almost swamped it with calls both Thursday evening and yesterday. At the peak period one thousand and ninety eight calls were made in one hour.

While they are used to heavy usage after a "cut-over" the volume of calls put through in Summerside was something they never experienced before. Yesterday it was found necessary to broadcast appeals for people to only make necessary calls for a couple of days.

The telephone officials confidently expect to have everything running normal by the first of the week. Much of the trouble yesterday was in the system but a great deal of it was caused by the inexperience of subscribers with the new system. Many people were dialing without waiting for the "dial tone" which is a buzzing sound that starts within a few seconds after the receiver is removed. If a number is dialed before the dial tone is heard, it is not effective.

It was found necessary to keep a man on duty all day yesterday just advising people to wait for the dial tone. Many of the calls were being made by children eager to operate the new system and very often they made mistakes.

Another difficulty that has occurred is that a few numbers are listed wrongly in the supplementary directory that has been given out and this means that wrong numbers are being called. All in all, yesterday was a day of adventure into new and untried territory and most people found it rather strange but by last evening most of them were getting much better service and getting used to using the system. -S

S'side High Splits Hoop Bill Here

Summerside High School split a doubleheader with local school teams yesterday afternoon at the "Y" gym in two exhibition hoop games.

In the opening game of the bill the Summerside team defeated the Prince Street School boys' team by a score of 32-21 while the West Kent girls' team swamped the visitors 31-4 in the second contest.

The referees were Jack and Bill MacAndrew while the timer was Ralph MacPherson.

The lineups and scores: S.H.S. - Lefurgey 2, Simpson 6, Stewart 17, Blaquiere 6, Schurman 2, Baglow, Total-33.

P.S.S. - MacDougall, Seaman 3, Taylor 5, Leitch 4, MacLeod 2, Lader, MacKinnon 1, Heustis, MacFadyen 6. Total-21.

GIRL'S GAME

In the girls' game the Summerside squad was no match for the W.K.S. girls as the Neil Young crew roared in for basket after basket for their third straight win over the Summerside team this year.

The score at the half was 11-2 with the winners adding 18 points in the final half while holding the losers' to a single basket in each half.

The lineups and scores: W.K.S. - MacMillan 5, MacArthur 3, Whitlock 5, Giddings 4, Storey 10, Guindon, Stewart, Simmons, Tweel, MacGuire, MacDonald 4. Total-31.

S.H.S. - I. Inman, Dewar, Meikle, Elderkin, B. Inman 2, Tobin, Morrison, Johnston, Clark 2, Jordan, Jenkins, Fradenick, Mollison. Total-4.

MISCOUCHE HIGH SCHOOL January

Grade XI - 1. Gerald Steele, Matilda Arsenault, 2. Eunice DesRoches, 3. Olga Snell.

Grade X - 1. Reggie McQuaid, 2. Estelle Williams, 3. Norma MacNeill.

Grade IX - 1. Valerie Perry, 1. John DesRoches, 2. Miriam Manderson, 2. Alfred Haslie, 3. Elgin Veno, 3. Marie Gaudet.

Grade VIII - 1. June Gallant, 2. Nova Veno, 3. Louise Coton, Grade VII - 1. Wanda Steele, 2. Lorraine Williams, 3. Earl Gaudet.

Grade VI - 1. Erma Gallant, 2. George Power, 3. Marguerite LeClair.

Grade V - 1. Elaine Gallant, 2. Justin McNeill, 3. Estelle DesRoches.

Grade IV A - 1. Vernon Perry, 2. Louis McNeill, 3. Leo Gaudet, Grade IV B - 1. Patricia Poirier, 2. Bernadette Gaudet, 2. Emmett Williams, 3. Carol Perry.

Grade III - 1. Lirie Gallant, 2. Gerald Veno, 3. Bella Gaudet, Grade II - 1. Pauline Gaudet, 2. Elaine DesRoches, 3. Rosemary DesRoches.

Grade I - 1. Lucille DesRoches, 2. Sylvia Perry, 3. Norma Poirier.

COFFEE PRICES UP

OTTAWA, Feb. 10 (CP) - The world is drinking more coffee and production hasn't caught up with the demand, That, trade officials say, is the reason for rising prices in Canada. In addition, accumulated stocks in big coffee-

producing countries such as Brazil have been depleted to meet the demand. Canada last year imported about \$28,000,000 worth of coffee and about one-third of that was spent on green coffee in Brazil.

CAPITOL Summerside

LAST SHOWING TODAY - 2:30-7:15-9:15 "WHIPLASH" with Alexis Smith - Dane Clark

MONDAY - TUESDAY Monday 7:15-9:15 - Tuesday 3:30-7:15-9:15 20th Century Fox's Encore Hit

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Good Racing At Millvale

The Millvale Driving Club held their second ice racing meet of the season on Wednesday afternoon.

Coming up with a total of 12 entries in all, the meet was run off in three classified events that came up with some very close racing over a well-conditioned fast track, and a large turnout of racing fans were on hand to witness the keen racing.

Lady Bondell captured the Class A event, Bunny L the Class B and Lady Worthy the Class C event. The following are the results:

Class A Lady Bondell (E. Coles) 1:13 Nellie J. (L. Gaudet) 3:21 Betty S. (B. Gaudet) 4:32 Jerry Worthy (S. Corbett) 2:44 Winning horse owned by I MacCoubrey.

Class B Bunny L (J. McInnis) 1:21 Betty Hal (S. Corbett) 3:12 Bud Abner (A. Weeks) 2:33 Winning horse owned by J. McInnis.

Class C Lady Worthy (V. Paynter) 4:11 Buddy C. Clegg (A. Parsons) 1:42 Buddy Tom (S. Steward) 2:23 Betty Dale (F. Taylor) 3:34 Lucky (P. Buchanan) 5:55 Winning horse owned by V. Paynter.

Officials - Judges, Leonard McInnis, Alfred Murphy, Gerald Smith; announcer, Alfred Murphy; starter, Kenneth Dugan.

Step Up T.B. Fight In Newfoundland

OTTAWA, Feb. 9 (CP) - Three Newfoundland hospitals will get \$70,000 worth of new equipment to be used in a stepped up campaign for detection and control of tuberculosis in the Province.

The Health Department announced today that the money part of Newfoundland's share of Federal grants, will go to the new West Coast Sanatorium, St. Anthony Hospital and the St. John's Sanatorium.

The West Coast Sanatorium is a new 270-bed institution opening this summer. Not only will it be a district centre for tuberculosis control, but it will also operate a land and sea clinic providing diagnostic facilities in isolated areas.

Hon. Mr. Howe Has Audience With Pope

ROME, Feb. 9 (Reuters) - Trade Minister G.D. Howe of Canada and Mrs. Howe were received in private audience today by Pope Pius at the Vatican. Vatican circles had speculated that during Howe's five-day "informal visit," he and the Pope might discuss the opening of a Canadian legation to the Holy See.

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