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—SKATING CRYSTAL RINK— Summerside Christmas Day, 3 to 5 p.m., 8 to 10 p.m.

—SLIGHT FIRE— Summerside men were called about 10 a.m. Saturday for a blaze in a building south of Water Street and known as the Old Station. It is occupied by Jenkins Bros. and is used to preparing chickens for their cannery. The blaze, believed to have originated from a heating unit, was in the wooden floor under the apparatus. There was only slight damage.

—ORPHANS REMEMBERED— The Anglican Young People's Association of St. Mary's Church, Summerside, on Saturday last forwarded to the Prince Edward Island Protestant Orphanage a large case packed to capacity with a wonderful assortment of rebuilt and repaired toys to add to the happiness of the orphans at Christmas time. The members have been at work for several weeks on this commendable project and in addition to the repaired toys, they sent a supply of balls for which the girls made dresses and the boys made and rebuilt some really wonderful specimens of larger play things such as rocking horses, sleighs, etc.

—SUPREME COURT— At a session of the Supreme Court held in Summerside on Friday the case of James Ellsworth Gullis vs. Glen Paynter both of Ellerslie, an action for assault was tried before Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell. The case occupied the entire day, quite a number of witnesses being heard. The case involved the ownership of a house on the wharf at Bideford which later was hauled on to the property of the defendant in an argument in regard to the ownership of the alleged assault took place. Judgment in the case was reserved till a later date. C. D. MacCallum and E. E. Arnett appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. T. L. Linkletter for the defendant.

Personals

—Mr. Ormond Lalton, dental student at Dalhousie University, Halifax, is spending his Christmas vacation in Summerside. —Miss Patricia Weeks, employee of Meyers Studio, Saint John, N.B., arrives this evening to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Weeks, St. Eleanors.

—The following college students of Kensington and vicinity are home for Christmas holidays: Lee Semple (Dalhousie); Arnold and Edgar Hickey, Allan and Rupert MacLellan, Emmett Braham, Charles Gorman, Patricia and Billie Pendergast, James Saunders, Mark and Gerald McQuaid (St. Dunstan's); Isabel and Margaret Jardine, Jean Davison (Prince of Wales).

SKATING AT CRYSTAL RINK Summerside ON CHRISTMAS DAY 3 TO 5 p. m. AND 8 TO 10 p. m.

INSURANCE ALL LINES RALPH MUTTART Summerside PROFESSIONAL CARD T. Earle Hickey Chartered Accountant Office at 15 Granville Street Phone 57 Summerside Phone 511 X-Ray DR. VINCENT GRANT Dental Surgeon Smallman Building SUMMERSIDE

HOLMAN STORE NEWS

AS CHRISTMAS BELLS RING OUT THE OLD FAMILIAR CAROLS, I WISH FOR ALL OF YOU A "MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS".

We have a dream of a Radio-Phonograph—The MARCONI, No. 224, Combination model. The period cabinet is beautifully figured walnut. The 5 tube AC operated Radio gives 7-tube performance covering standard and short-wave broadcasts. It has a pencil edge illuminated slide rule dial, 12" electro-dynamic speaker and will bring you true reproduction in excellent tone. The Record Player has an automatic record changer with quiet, trouble-free mechanism—crystal set with a life-time needle. This model has the new type switch, combining Phone-Radio changeover and tone control, there is ample record storage space. It is a really beautiful piece of furniture as well as being a most satisfactory and efficient Radio-Phonograph. The MARCONI, No. 224 is a machine that you will be thrilled with and proud of, for many years. At the price of this model is \$28.00, you'll see it on display in the Hardware Department.

If you're an ardent bargain seeker—and who isn't? The China Department has a super value in PYREXWARE GLASS BOWLS in sets of three—the regular value of these was 1.40. Until January 31st you may purchase this Bowl Set for ONLY 90 CENTS! Beside this you may purchase the China Department has a complete stock of all the Pyrex Glass Utensils needed to outfit your kitchen. If you have yet to cook or bake with Pyrexware—you have a treat in store for you—It's wonderful. Choose Pyrexware for your kitchen from the China Department.

Mothers! If you've been looking for STOCKINGS for the children—the Youth Centre has received a shipment of lawn, ribbed cotton hose in sizes 6 to 9, priced at 89 cents a pair. It has been difficult to get children's long stockings—so, better come right in, these are bound to go in a flash!—YOUTH CENTRE.

The very first shipment from England of HUNTLEY AND PALMER BISCUITS AND COOKIES has just arrived on the Grocery Shelves. These delicious and world famous biscuits are in the following varieties: Golden Puffs at 30 cents a package—Digestive Biscuits at 45 cents a package—Ginger Nuts at 45 cents a package and Shortcake at 45 cents a package. For special Holiday treats, serve Huntley and Palmer Biscuits—Grocery Department.

NOTICE TO POULTRYMEN and FARMERS WE ARE NOW BUYING ALL GRADES CHICKEN AND FOWL Alive or Dressed. We prefer buy direct from the farmers, and can supply shipping crates if desired. JENKINS BROS. SUMMERSIDE, P. E. I.

—KENSINGTON RINK—Special skate Christmas night, 8 to 10. Good ice. Good music.

—MAGISTRATE'S COURT— A large number of cases were disposed of by Magistrate R.S. Hinton in Summerside last week. A reckless driver was fined \$25 and costs; a man from Tignish charged with causing wilful damage was fined \$5 and costs and ordered to pay the sum of \$19, the value of the damage caused; a party from Summerside was fined \$5 and costs for failure to report an accident; a man charged with reckless driving had his case dismissed; a man charged for having in his possession an unregistered revolver was given a nominal fine and the weapon was confiscated; a youth from Borden for creating a disturbance on a bus was fined \$5 and costs; a Summerside taxi driver was fined \$25 and costs for failure to stop at the scene of an accident; a party charged with possession pleaded not guilty and his case was adjourned for a week; six persons were fined for infractions of the highway traffic act.

Heavy Traffic Is Reported By Railways

MONCTON, Dec. 23 — Indicating the heavy volume of Christmas traffic being handled on the Atlantic Region, Frank L. Dougan, general passenger agent, Canadian National Railway, stated here today that the company has been operating a number of its trains in sections since last Friday. The rush, he said, will continue until the first week in January. In addition it has been necessary to increase the number of cars on many of the trains on main line runs. While the rush does include some of the more than 7,500 students travelling home from universities and colleges to various sections of the Maritimes, he said many of them were being carried on special trains. Neither did the arrival of 1,600 persons on the Aquitania at Halifax on Saturday cause the heavy travel on regular trains, because four C.N.R. boat specials were operated to take them from dockside to Montreal and other western points.

EGG AND POULTRY

Continued from page 1 are doing a good job of meeting the Christmas needs of the people. Prices have been fair and reasonable. Chickens are plentiful, turkeys in moderate supply, with geese and ducks remaining on the scarce list. Demand for chicken of the heavier weights and of milder quality is strong and carlots are being moved to Canadian and United States points. Paying prices to producers for ungraded eggs are and have been for the past few weeks two cents higher than last year at this time. Dealers and country grading stations are now quoting for this product: A Large, 44; A Medium, 41; A Pullet, 35; B, 30; C, 19. Charlottetown dealers are offering grading stations for graded product: A Large, 46; A Medium, 47; A Pullet (regular) 38½, export 40; B, 34; C, 19. A-1 producers are receiving for graded and cartoned pack: A Large, 55; A Medium, 53; A Pullet, 45-5. Consumer demand for eggs in Charlottetown are mostly for the higher grades of eggs and cartoned and these are retelling at: A Large, 60-2; A Medium, 60; A Pullet, 51. Poultry prices are unchanged and here again paying prices to producers are higher than last year at this time. Dealers and wholesalers are offering for dressed poultry basis rail grading: Chicken: Special milkfed, 36; A milkfed, 34; B, 20-5; C, 12-14. Fowl: A, 22; B, 20; C, 10. Turkeys (18 lbs. and under): A, 40; B, 38. Over 18 lbs.: A, 35; B, 33. Geese and ducks: A, 30; B, 28. No great volume of turkeys, ducks or geese were purchased at these prices. Producers sold most of the product direct to retailers and realized 43.50 cents per lb. for grade A turkeys and as much as the market would bear for geese and ducks. Retailers are selling to consumers Christmas poultry at: Chicken, A milkfed, 40-2; B, 39-40; turkeys, A, 53-5; B, 50-5; geese, A, 45-50; B, 45-6; ducks, A, 45; B, 43.

CAPITOL-Summerside

TODAY (Wednesday) and CHRISTMAS NIGHT America's most beloved story... ANNE NICHOLS' Abies Irish Rose... MICHAEL CHEKHOV... JOANNE DRU... RICHARD NORRIS... Shows 7:15 - 9:15 EXTRA - EXTRA - Complete News Reel of the Royal Wedding CHRISTMAS MATINEE ONLY 2:30 "FOR THE LOVE OF RUSTY" with TED DONALDSON

Season's Greetings To our friends... one and all... go our sincerest and best wishes for the best Yuletide ever... May health... happiness... good cheer... and the best of everything be yours. And with the coming of 1948... may the new year bring you success and as many joys as there are Christmas lights on your tree. While the carolers sing of Peace on Earth—Good Will Toward Man let the spirit of Christmas glow with an abundance of good things and happy memories. SMALLMATH'S LIMITED

MISSING HUNTERS Continued from page 1 shot with the 22 rifles they carried, Smith said.

REGENT THEATRE SUMMERSIDE WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY JACK H. SKIRBALL presents Claudette Dan COLBERT and AMEche with RICHARD FORAN

GUEST WIFE Also Shorts Shows 7:15 and 9:15 Matinee Wednesday 2:30

"The four were lost when we found them," Smith said, adding that they were travelling north instead of south, the direction they should have been walking if they were to find their own way out. The four hunters told Smith they became lost shortly after entering the Port Mouton woods Thursday when they chased a rabbit and got "turned around in a snow storm." "After that we just couldn't find our way back to the railroad track," they said. Hope for the four waned yesterday when faint footprints found Sunday were blotted out by a six inch snowfall. Guides and woodsmen only were allowed to join the hunt as the searchers pressed deeper into the county backwoods, some of the most treacherous woodlands in the Province. An R.C.A.F. helicopter picked up the tracks of the missing hunters early today and dropped two men back to the highway to refuel with gasoline.

just before they arrived at Sable River. The helicopter dropped an R.C.M.P. constable and an airman to follow the tracks while it went back to the highway to refuel with gasoline.

Greetings TO YOU! one and ALL THE SEASON'S HEARTIEST COMPLIMENTS Summerside Hardware Co.