

# THE SUMMERSIDE GUARDIAN

and PRINCE COUNTY CHRONICLE

## WESTERN LOCALS

—This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of any nature may be inserted at a special word strictly payable in advance.

—**FOX FEED**, frozen smelts, obtainable at Brace's. L-1937-1-4-21.

—**SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN** may be handed to their representative Miss Olga Green, Albany.

—**PINE TAR AND HONEY** Menzies for coughs at Taylor Drug Co., Kensington.

—**ONE QUART GASOLINE** will light ten rooms three hours, with Brace's lighting plant. L-1624-1-3-21.

—**CORRECTION**—Mr. Andre Patrel who has been the French Consul for Prince Edward Island for some years, has informed the Guardian that the offices of the Consular Agency for France in Prince Edward Island were not closed until December 31st, 1936 and not on December 1st as appeared in an advertisement in The Guardian of January 2nd, 1936.

### Personals

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. MacLean, motored to Lot 16 on New Year's Day and were the guests of Mr. Wm. J. MacLean.—S.

—Mr. Ormond Dalton has returned to his studies at McGill University after spending the Christmas holidays at his home in Summerside.—S.

—Miss Mabel Newsome of Sydney, N. S., has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. N. R. Wright for the holidays.—S.

—Mr. Claire Johnson, a student at Mount Allison spent the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Hammond Johnson, Summerside.—S.

—Mr. James Higgins of St. Dunstan's University (4th year), is spending the Christmas holidays at his home in Kensington. Jimmie's drop and place kicking was one of the highlights in the St. Dunstan's football battles of 1936.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gillis of Indian River spent the Christmas holidays on a visit to their son Hazleton, of Halifax, who is a fifth year student of medicine at Dalhousie University.—K.

—Mr. Don Baker, son of C. E. Baker, M.L.A., third year student at Mt. Allison, is spending the holidays at home in Margate. It will be remembered that Mr. Baker was the youthful goal tender for the Junior Abbies on their tour abroad a few years ago, when they played the champion St. Michael's College team of Toronto. Young Baker was the cynosure of the sport writers on the big Canadian dailies for the manner in which he withstood the barrage of Kelly and two others of the St. Michael's line, who were shortly afterwards signed up with the Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League.

## Funeral Of Mr. George Frizzell Yesterday

The funeral services for Mr. George Frizzell were held yesterday afternoon at the United Church, Bedouque, of which the deceased was a member. A short service at the house preceded the church service. Both services were largely attended, showing the high esteem in which Mr. Frizzell was held.

Rev. Arthur Organ, pastor, conducted the service assisted by Rev. J. W. A. Nicholson, North Bedouque, Rev. Mr. Fraser, Baptist Church, Bedouque, and Rev. Mr. Ayres, Summerside, a former pastor of Bedouque Church. The choir rendered the favorite hymns of the deceased at the organ. A quartette, "Nearer My God To Thee" was sung by Fred Moyle, Dr. Moyle, Thomas Moyle, Arthur MacFarlane. A duet "There is a Land" was sung by Mrs. Charlie Green and Fred Moyle.

After the usual service the beautiful service of the Masonic Order was conducted by P. G. M. Bro. J. M. Nicholson in the church. W. R. Brooks had charge of the service at the graveside. There were many lovely floral tributes by friends who remembered the deceased fondness for flowers during his illness.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Wallace Bradshaw, Crilly Lea, Gordon Toombs, Borden Connell, Charles McIvor and Ralph Callbeck. Interment was in Bedouque Cemetery.

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—**ROSS-MILLER** standard winter feeding meat biscuit, high in food value, only \$2.75 per 50-lb. bag, freight paid on 250 lbs. sold wholesale and retail, at Brace's. L-1413-1-2-21.

—**BEGINNING JANUARY 4th** our store will close every evening at 6 P. M. Fred Bell, Carleton Place. L-1937-1-2-21.

—**SECOND** large shipment 60x73 heavy dark grey goat sleigh or auto robes due in 10 days. Price \$30.95 cash at Brace's. L-1413-1-2-21.

—**COURT NEWS**—In the Magistrate's Court on Thursday last a man from Lot 16 was charged with operating a still contrary to the Excise Act. He was found guilty and fined \$25.00 and costs.—S.

—**FURS NOW AND JANUARY**—Mr. Justin Rotter will be buying silver fox pelts at good cash prices up to January 12, at office of B. Graham Rogers, Summerside. Bring in your pelts and take advantage of this good opportunity to sell for cash. L-1623-12-12-21.

—**HOCKEY AT KENSINGTON**—Double headed hockey match in the Kensington rink, Monday, January 4th, 1937. 1st game, Kensington Aces vs. Silver Wings. Second game, Indian River vs. Spring Valley. 1st game commencing at 7:30 sharp. Admission 25 and 15 cents. L-1947-1-2-21.

## Bye-Law Said To Be Ultra Vires

The following letter from Mr. Ernest H. Strong, K. C., Recorder for the Town of Summerside deals with a bye-law presented to the Council by the Photographers Association in regard to travelling photographers. The letter is self explanatory, and was read and passed at last week's meeting of the Council.

The Mayor and Councillors, Town of Summerside, P. E. Island, Gentlemen:—  
With reference to your favour of November 27, regarding Bye-Law presented to the Council by the Photographers Association, may say that on careful examination of your Bye-Law as drawn, it appears to me ultra vires of the powers of your Council. To wit, in the first place, the Town Council has no authority to impose fines under their Bye-Laws not exceeding ninety dollars (\$90.00) See Section 73 of the Incorporation Act.

Under Section 24, a license fee for a transient trader shall not exceed ten dollars (\$10.00) per day. Section 535 of the Criminal Code referred to does not apply to the subject matter of this Bye-Law. In general Bye-Laws should be enacted for the benefit of the public, not for the benefit of a class or an Association, in other words, a "Chinese Wall" is not permitted to be erected around a Municipality for the purpose of protecting some class therein and Bye-Law which has that tendency would be generally ultra vires.

The Town Council would have no power to issue license to any person to sell or distribute coupons in respect to the sale of any class of goods in a manner contrary to the Criminal Code. In general, the Bye-Law is defective in many respects in its present form and should not be passed by your Council.

Respectfully submitted,  
(sgd.)  
**ERNEST H. STRONG,**  
Recorder.

## Death Of Mr. David Lefurgy

The many friends of Mr. David Lefurgy will learn with regret of his very sudden passing on Saturday morning. Mr. Lefurgy was 81 years of age and was apparently in his usual good health the night before he died. He had retired at his usual hour on New Year's Day and was found to have passed away in his sleep. When he did not arise at the usual hour, his housekeeper went to his room and was shocked to find that he had passed away. Death was due to heart failure.

Mr. Lefurgy was the son of the late Alexander Lefurgy and Mary Murphy Lefurgy and was born and lived and died on the old homestead at North Bedouque. He was the last but one of a family of thirteen. His brother Maynard Lefurgy survives him. Mr. Lefurgy was unmarried but his beautiful farm home was always open to visitors and was a favorite place for picnics. The Anglican and Baptist Churches held their annual Sunday School picnics there for many years and were always given a hearty welcome by the genial host.

Mr. Lefurgy was a successful farmer and fox rancher. He was a staunch Conservative and followed the fortunes of the Conservative party with keen interest. His funeral will be held this afternoon at two o'clock from his late residence at North Bedouque, Rev. J. B. Wilson conducting the service.—S.

## Lobster Fishery Investigation

### N. B. Judge Appointed To Probe Illegal Practices.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 3.—(CP)—Mr. Justice A. T. LeBlanc, named as a royal commissioner to investigate illegal lobster fishing in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island waters, said yesterday he would open sittings at Newcastle, N. B., next Tuesday. The other New Brunswick sittings will be held at Richibucto, Bouchouche, Shediac and Port Elgin. Prince Edward Island will then be visited. The appointment authorizes Mr. Justice LeBlanc to investigate whether or not illegal lobster fishing and canning was conducted on a serious scale and if any local employees of the Department of Fisheries accepted bribes of any kind; also if such employees fairly and efficiently discharged their duties. The Commission also will ascertain if illegal smelt fishing occurred in the fall of 1936. H. F. G. Bridges, Campbellton, N. B., will act as counsel for the Commission.

## A Genetic Progressive Improvement In Foxes

G. ENNIS SMITH, Superintendent Experimental Fox Ranch, Summerside, P. E. I.

In the first part of this paper evidence was brought forward indicating that there had been a marked progressive development in the fur characters of the foxes, demonstrating a genetic progressive improvement in the foxes. If a positive progressive genetic improvement occurred in one respect, simultaneously there would be a genetic improvement in other respects. Therefore, if there has been a genetic improvement in the fur characters of the foxes, to that extent there would be a progressive improvement with respect to the genetic traits associated with reproduction.

It is a well accepted fact that there has been a marked increase in the pup production in fox ranches throughout Canada. This certainly cannot be due to improved pen accommodation. It has been a common occurrence to receive four or five litters each day for several days in succession during the whelping season from breeders stating that they were losing their pups wholesale between two and seven days of age, the letters carrying the information that the females had been kept in small pens throughout the entire breeding season and had milk fever after whelping. Throughout the summer months fox breeders have informed me of excessive losses of the same nature where the females were kept in small pens. There has been a marked tendency towards keeping the females in small pens during the breeding season, and such a practice might lead to a decrease rather than an increase in production.

It would be very questionable to claim that the increased production was due to the improved feeding methods. The Experimental Fox Ranch has recommended for a decade that the rations should be supplemented with vitamins A, B, C, D, and E, and it has become a general practice for fox breeders to supplement the rations with these vitamins. Apart from that it is very questionable if there is much improvement in feeding methods. The evidence would indicate that the increased pup production is a fixed genetic improvement in the same manner that there appears to be a fixed genetic improvement with regard to the disappearance of the "samson condition." If it were due to feeding conditions then there would be more pronounced fluctuations from extreme low to extreme high than observed at the present time. On the other hand, however fixed the genetic improvement may become there would always be a certain variation expected, on account of different feeding and ranching methods.

Twelve years ago the average production on Prince Edward Island and the other parts of the Dominion was about two pups per annum for each female retained for breeding purposes, probably it may have been slightly under that figure as a whole. At the present time the average production is near to, if not over, three pups per female, an improvement of 50% or more. As already stated if there is a 50% improvement with respect to the genetic traits associated with reproduction, then it would also be expected that there would be a similar improvement with respect to other traits, which would justify the claims of fox breeders, who stated that there has been 50% improvement in the foxes at the fox shows in comparison with those shown ten and twelve years ago. What is meant by a fixed genetic improvement is that it involves the whole inherited traits, hence with a progressive genetic improvement there would be an improvement all around. This must not be confused with fixing an additional character, which may or may not be an improvement.

When the Experimental Fox Ranch was first established numerous carcasses were being received which showed positive evidence that the death was due to heavy hookworm infestation and for three or four years a large number of such carcasses were received. In recent years, although we have been receiving carcasses galore

where the foxes have died through digestive and other nutritional disturbances after feeding commercial feeds, it remains a fact that for several years we have not received carcasses where death could be assigned to hookworm infestation. While very slight hookworm infestation has been general there have been very few carcasses where we have observed pronounced hookworm infestation in recent years, and those that have been with foxes showing marked evidence of emaciation. This cannot be due to the fact that the foxes have been more systematically pillared. There is less pilling of adult foxes now than ever in the history of the silver fox industry, in fact there are ranches that have gone for several years without giving a pill to any of their adult foxes. Ranching the foxes on board floors may have helped to some extent to control hookworm infestation, but a large number of foxes are still kept in the soil bottom pens, and foxes are liable to hookworm infestation when they are kept on board floors. The marked decrease in the fatalities from hookworm infestation is very strong evidence that with the marked genetic improvement with respect to fur and breeding qualities, there has simultaneously been a marked genetic improvement with regard to resistance to worm infestation.

## Kidneys Must Clean Out Acids

The only way your body can clean out acids and poisonous wastes from your blood is thru 9 million tiny, delicate Kidney tubes or filters, but beware of cheap, drastic, irritating drugs. If Kidney or Bladder disorders make you suffer from Getting Up Nights, Nervousness, Leg Pains, Backache, Circles Under Eyes, Dizziness, Rheumatism, Acidity, Burning, Smarting or Itching, don't take chances. Get the Doctor's prescription called Cystex (Sias-Tex). Works fast, safe and sure. In 48 hours it will d the work in one week or money back on return of empty package. Cystex costs only 3c a dose at druggists.

## Tribute Paid To Retiring Businessman

The following is the text of a resolution passed at a recent council meeting honouring James R. Kenny:

Resolved: That the Summerside Town Council extend their congratulations to our worthy and genial citizen, Mr. James R. Kenny who today retires as the Dean of the Barbers of this Province, after sixty years of service. In fact this worthy son of Erin has "trimmed" more English and Scotch than any other man of his nationality and best of all, to their own liking. Not only in his chosen profession, but for years as an energetic fireman, he served the Town faithfully and well and is one of the few remaining members of the original company. In the early days when the Barbers of this Province had their place of business in a more quarters for the Limekiln Club where important questions were discussed and on each New Year parade arranged, to remind citizens of the customs of the past. He has been a rugged pioneer, brave and tireless and the path blazed by him lead to a land where men know each other and therefore cease from mistrust. Once again there is nothing in human beings at once so sane and so sympathetic as a sense of humour and no man ever had a more abundant, joyous sense of humour. We can wish you no better fortune than that your future years may be as happy and useful as your past. You have our most hearty greetings and sincere good wishes for all the coming years.

Moved by councillor A. Stirling McKay, seconded by councillor John A. Nicholson and adopted unanimously.—S.

## Kensington And Spring Valley Play Draw Game

Kensington devotees of the great Canadian game were treated to the spectacle of a close, hard contest between the Kensington Silver Wings and Spring Valley. The attendance was large, considering weather conditions and roads. The ice was in poor condition for spectacular play.

The Wings scored in the first period on a combination by Bernard and Cooke. The second stanza was scoreless. Spring Valley scored early in the third frame, the Cooke again put the Wings ahead by a well directed effort at the psychological moment. In the last minutes of play Spring Valley so effectively that the disk was shoved in and the score evened.

Referee Jay and Howatt handled the game in a calm and collected manner, their sang froid was a potent factor in calming the spirit of rebellion which manifested itself when the second Spring Valley goal was scored.

Silver Wings	Goal	Spring Valley
Ben Champion	Defence	West Campbell
Geo. Webster	Bob Craig	
Arnold Taylor	Walt Duggan	
	Forwards	
Al Bernard	Ivan Darrach	
Roy Cozier	Harold Champion	
Gord. Cooke	C. Champion	
H. McFarlane	Roy Easter	
O. Darrach	F. Profit	
Leigh Howatt	R. Champion	
Wm. Lawson		
Dan Whitlock		
Silver Wings' manager, Geo. Simms; Spring Valley manager Roscoe Walker.		

but a lower genetic resistance can be raised to a higher genetic resistance in succeeding generations by sound breeding methods. (To be continued)

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**5-Tube Victor Globe Trotter**  
With superheterodyne circuit, full vision aeroplane dial, vernier tuning, tone adjustment, electro-dynamic speaker. An efficient station getter at low cost. No down payment until January 15th. FREE Floor Lamp included.

Price	Trade-in Allowance	You Pay Monthly
89.00	44.00	4.50

65.00 Allowed and Floor Lamp on This 8-Tube  
**Victor Globe Trotter**  
A powerful all wave set with superheterodyne circuit, vernier tuning pointer for accuracy and ease in short wave tuning, both sensitivity and tone controls, double efficiency tubes. No down payment until January 15th. Free floor Lamp included.

Price	Trade-in Allowance	You Pay Monthly
154.00	65.00	8.90

52.00 Allowed and Floor Lamp on This  
**6-Tube Westinghouse S. & L. Wave**  
An excellent machine with superheterodyne circuit, red and green dial illuminated only on wave band in use. Metal tubes, full range tone control. Beautiful walnut cabinet. No down payment until January 15th. Free Floor Lamp included.

Price	Trade-in Allowance	You Pay Monthly
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<p>Victor <b>8-Tube Cabinet Model</b></p> <p>Superheterodyne model, hi-efficiency screen grid tubes, automatic volume control, tone control, clear vision dial, vernier tuning, dynamic speaker. No down payment until January 15th. Free Floor Lamp included. You pay for 10 months only per month <b>4.00</b></p>	<p>Brunswick <b>Radio - Phonograph</b></p> <p>A splendid radio combined with an electric phonograph. A bargain that enables you to hear your favorite artists at will. No down payment until January 15th. Free Table Lamp included. You pay for 10 months only per month <b>2.90</b></p>
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