

Alpha Rebekah Lodge Installs New Officers

On January 6, 1948, at the regular meeting of Alpha Rebekah Lodge No. 10 L.O.P. the officers for the ensuing term were installed in regular form by District Deputy President Josie Howatt P.N.G., Deputy Marshal Annie Garnhum, P.N.G., and staff sisters Beatrice Laphorne, P.N.G., Inez Lafferty, P.N.G., Lily Nicholson P.N.G. and Letty Gill, P.N.G.

Indians Seek To Rescue Crippled Trapper

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Jan. 6.—(CP)—A rescue party left here today to make a second attempt to rescue 65-year-old, peg-legged Louis Sapier, marooned on Indian Island in Merigonish harbor since Christmas.

Chief Bill Bernard of the nearby Picou Landing Indian Reservation and four young Micmacs, one of them the nephew of the stranded trapper, planned to push a dory ahead of them as they walked over the thin ice.

Sapier, one of Chief Bernard's Indian last night but plunged through thin ice. He has already chartered an aircraft to drop food to Sapier, who was sighted from the air and waved his thanks for the parcel. The plane was unable to land on the rocky spit of land.

There was no word on how the party had fared, it was possible that, if successful, the men would remain on the island overnight. They carried only small parcels of food and axes.

Chief Bernard did not appear worried that he and his men might themselves be marooned. The party left here by train and railway officials made arrangements for a special stop at Pines Crossing, from where they would start overland.

THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsworthy nature may be inserted at five cents a word strictly payable in advance.

COOK'S FOR PHOTOGRAPHS

CHILDREN'S RUBBER BOOTS just arrived. Tread's Shoe Store.

FOSTER'S DRUG STORE

will be the only Drug Store open this afternoon and evening.

HIGHWAY REPORT

With all main highways in the Province open to traffic, Government plows are now engaged in widening operations. While the road on Charlottetown to Montserrat is open, it is only fully widened as far as Millville. Three machines were busy at that work yesterday.

MONEY MISSING

City Police are investigating the disappearance of \$100 in currency from a box locked in the safe of a business office in this city. The box, containing money and documents, had been locked in the safe on the night of January 2, and on the following morning on unlocking the safe, the box was found to be empty.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren C. Walker left by plane for their home in Marysville, N.B., after spending the holiday season with Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Boisner, 89 Highland Avenue.

Estimate Cost Of New Freight Rates Increase

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—(C.P.)—Canadian industry still is crying for figures on what cost increases will result from the interim 10 per cent emergency freight rate increase granted by the United States Interstate Commerce Commission, the second such increase granted recently.

Plane Crash Near London

LONDON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The pilot was killed and seven other persons were injured tonight when a British European Airways twin-engine Viking plane crashed at a road junction 2-1/2 miles from London's suburban Northolt Air-drome.

\$10,000 Fire At Elmira, Ont.

ELMIRA, Ont., Jan. 6.—(CP)—Charred embers are still spitting a steady haze high over this tiny North Waterloo County town in Western Ontario, hours after firemen from miles around had won a pre-dawn battle to quench a \$10,000 fire, the most destructive in its history.

Argentina Halts Meat To Britain

Buenos Aires, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Argentine Government has halted the issuance of permits for shipments of meat to Britain—presumably because of dissatisfaction with its failure to obtain payment in pounds convertible into United States dollars.

Boyne Lodge Elects Officers

Mr. H. Nelson Robinson was elected Worshipful Master of Boyne Loyal Orange Lodge No. 314, Charlottetown, at the annual election of officers last night. Installation ceremonies were conducted by Right Worshipful Grand Master Rev. J. R. Skinner.

Week Of Prayer Service Held In Baptist Church

The second service of the Universal Week of Prayer under the auspices of the Charlottetown Ministerial Association was held last night at the United Baptist Church with the Rev. M. D. Dunbar as preacher.

Canadian Cheese Shipments Reduced

TORONTO, Jan. 6.—(CP)—Canadian cheese shipments to the United Kingdom have been reduced because of declining production and increased domestic consumption not only of cheese but of other dairy products.

14 Killed In Plane Crash

PARIS, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Fourteen persons were killed tonight when an Air France DC-4 airliner crashed in the woods about two miles from Le Bourget Air Field.

Epidemic Of Measles At Goose Bay Airport

GOOSE BAY, Labrador, Jan. 6.—(CP)—Approximately 500 R.C.A.F. personnel and Canadian civilian workers are under quarantine today following an outbreak of measles in the Canadian section of the big airport.

Greek Communists Establish Capital

ATHENS, Jan. 6.—(AP)—A Greek war correspondent reported today that Markos Vafiades had established a temporary capital for a separate Greek Communist state in an isolated village in the heart of the Grammos Mountains 10 miles from the Albanian border.

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Presentation Of Imperial Service Medals & Awards

At an impressive ceremony held in the assembly hall in the local Canadian National Railway Station building yesterday morning, five Canadian National Railway retired employees received the high honor of having the Imperial Service Medal pinned on their breasts in recognition of their long and faithful service.

SAYS U. S. COULD

The two latter areas will not be in a position to endanger us for decades to come unless they pass under unified totalitarian control.

NO OFFICIAL

On Government official said it was quite likely Canadian import firms might be taking a speculative client in manpower and therefore he urged planning for "realistic and highly specialized operations."

CONSUMER PAYS

"Hot weight" is a packer's term designating that the animal has gained weight since he was weighed at the time of purchase.

JEWISH DEFENCE

Healed to have all they could do to keep Government running, with demands for security of communications, government departments and buildings using all available manpower.

ANCIENT INDUSTRY

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WANTED — HALF-TON TRUCK. Write "L.M.", Guardian.

Gilbert Henry New President Of Gyro Club

Mr. Gilbert Henry was elected President of the Charlottetown Gyro Club at the annual meeting held at the Charlottetown Hotel Monday night. Other officers elected were as follows:

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Thursday—Friday—Saturday Fall and Winter Fashions at drastically reduced prices

ONE RACK OF COATS AND SUITS—Formerly 18.95 to 28.95. NOW 10.00

SPECIALS at \$1.00 SLIGHTLY SOILED BLOUSES CREPE DRESSES ALPINE SKIRTS (Shorter Length) HATS, and WOOL BANDANAS

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