

CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT.—Kensington Town Hall, Friday evening, April 30th, 8:30.

DON'T MISS Don Messer's Islanders big show and dance Seven Mile Bay Hall, Thursday, April 29 at 8:30 p.m. Sponsored by Borden Canadian Legion.

BEDOUK Y. P. U. will present their play "The Calamity Kids" Birch Grove Hall, Freetown, Tuesday, May 11th. Good specialities. Sponsored by Ladies Presby-terian Church.

Personals

—Mrs. Harold Laird, past president P. E. Women's Institutes, left April 27, on a business trip to Ottawa.

—Mrs. Fred Court returned to her home in Kelvin Grove on April 24, after spending the past week at Moncton, guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Bennett and Mr. Bennett. Mrs. Court was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Elmer Pierson of Chelton.

—Mr. Claude Younker was admitted to the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Charlottetown, early Tuesday morning, April 20, suffering from head and chest injuries received the previous day, when his truck loaded with potatoes, overturned as he swerved to avoid an incoming train at North Wiltshire Station. Later in the week he was able to leave the hospital and is convalescing at his home at North Wiltshire.

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started out with the idea of a BNA amendment. But generally their delegates came around to accepting tentatively in some cases—the plan of legislation under the present constitution.

A question still unanswered at the conference ended was how much unanimity would be required among the provincial governments before the federal government would proceed with its proposed legislation.

Delegates said Mr. Chevrier told the conference that point would have to be determined by the federal cabinet.

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Summerside Co-operative Association Reports Successful Year At Meeting

—A net profit of almost \$20,000 on sales of over half a million dollars was shown on the financial statement submitted at the third annual meeting of the Summerside Co-operative Association Ltd. held in the Presbyterian Church hall last evening with more than 200 persons in attendance.

A recommendation from the board of directors that 5 per cent be paid on both share, capital and patronage dividends, with the further recommendation that this money be applied to share capital, was approved by the meeting.

For the year ending January 30, 1954, the financial statement showed: total net sales were \$508,122.56; gross profit, \$82,039.24; and net profit, \$19,918.58.

The meeting, which took the form of a dinner banquet was presided over by the president, Mr. Brenton Clark, who, in his report to the meeting noted that sales had increased over the previous year by more than \$70,000 and he reviewed the activities of the various departments of the store. In discussing the fruit department he expressed dissatisfaction with the quality of the fruit that was being offered for sale in this Province, and suggested that the companies concerned might not be buying the best that was available.

Other speakers who spoke briefly at the meeting were Messrs. Wm. Hayward, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Summerside; Leo Corcoran, of the Co-operative Union of Prince Edward Island; Rod MacNevin, manager of the Summerside Co-operative Association; Charles Ye, Cyrus Poirier and Kenneth MacLean.

At a meeting of the directors immediately following the annual meeting Messrs. Brenton Clark, Alison Proffitt, and Vernon Mathew were re-elected to the offices of president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Two representatives of the extension department of St. Francis Xavier University were present at the meeting together with five young men from various parts of Canada and United States, whose work in the field of co-operative endeavor will soon take them to widely separated parts of the world in an endeavor to raise the standard of living in those countries.

Rev. Father MacKinnon, director of the University's extension department referred to the apparent lack of problems in the Summerside organization, and said "if the principles of co-operation are followed there will be no problems. But he pointed out that while the co-op movement can get along without educational projects for a time, "it cannot get along without it for a very long period."

In suggesting that the members keep the business efficient and on a sound basis he said, "co-operation is more than store keeping. It is a way of life that has brought together people who had previously had many differences. The co-operative movement," he concluded, "is a way of life which gives us the chance to put into practice the virtues of charity and justice."

Mr. Alex Laidlaw, assistant director of the extension department, paid tribute to the large number of women present, and suggested the organization study the possibility of joint membership for man and wife. "We will not succeed in this co-operative movement," he said, "unless we have the wholehearted co-operation and participation of the women." He expressed great satisfaction in financial position of the Summerside organization which, he believed, has the highest member equity in the business of any co-op organization in this part of Canada.

Mr. Jerome O'Brien, manager of Island Co-op Services, had very encouraging words of congratulations for the way in which the Summerside organization has prospered, and indicated that the organization at Summerside may soon expand into the potato shipping industry.

Thousands of sacks of potatoes, he said, will be going to a co-operative concern in Florida this year, and it was possible that most of them would be moving through the port of Summerside.

The guides and lieutenant received the congratulations of the district commissioner and the Captain, Mrs. Charles Linkletter as well as the other guides who sang "Bravo" in compliment. The meeting closed with the singing of "Taps" in the guide circle.

The First Company's project of a baby's layette consisting of four diapers, three nightgowns and a knitted sweater, bonnet and booties, for the provincial Beesborough shield competition was on display during the meeting. These baby garments were all made by hand and machine by the guides of the company under the supervision of Janet Horne, company leader.

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Presentation Of Guide Awards

—A presentation of awards took place on Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of the First Girl Guide Company. The first part of the meeting was taken up with the usual roll call formation and business matters, followed by work on tenderfoot, knots and semaphore in patrol corps.

The district commissioner, Mrs. T. L. Linkletter, was present to make awards to guides who were presented to her by the patrol leaders in the horse shoe formation. Shirley Grant was enrolled as a guide having passed her tenderfoot test and Cecelia Darby, Louise Raynor, Mary Ann Lidstone, Margo MacDougall and Margaret Coffin were awarded their second class badges showing accomplishment in guide work and qualifying them to work on first class and proficiency badges. Carol Brooks was given her two-year service pin.

Mrs. Linkletter presented Mrs. Arthur Robinson, a lieutenant of the company with her lieutenant's warrant pin. This award had previously been made to Mrs. Robinson in absentia in Charlottetown at the second meeting of the association.

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O'Leary Cribbage Team Wins Prince County Ch'ship

—The O'Leary cribbage team won the Prince County championship at the Canadian Legion hall in Summerside last night, edging its nearest competitor, the Miscouche sextet by one point. O'Leary finished up with 11 points, Miscouche 10, Summerside 9, Bloomfield 6, Kensington 5, and Borden 4. The personnel of the champion O'Leary team was as follows: Joseph M. Gallant, (Capt.), Bernard Shea, Bruce MacNaught, Ray Jelly, John Perry, Alvin Costain.

Miscouche, runners-up, were as follows: Pat Martin, Martin DesRoches, Benoit DesRoches, George DesRoches, Davis E. MacNeill, Gus MacKinnon.

A committee was elected to arrange for next year's Prince County games. The personnel of the committee was: Syd Smith, Bloomfield, Pat Martin, Miscouche, Joe M. Gallant, O'Leary, Coleman Rogers, Borden, William Buchanan, Kensington, Geo. Gallant, Summerside.

It is hoped that next year an Island Tournament can be arranged, and efforts will be made to declare a Maritime champion team.

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Abbott Tells Why Excise Tax On Furs Lifted

TORONTO (CP)—Ladies, your secret is out. Mr. Abbott hints you may have had something to do with his lifting the 15-per-cent excise tax on furs.

The finance minister said in an address prepared for delivery Wednesday night at the fur fashion show that since Korea the policy has been to retain the tax on goods that are not essential.

"But it has fortunately been drawn to my attention, by authoritative domestic sources to which I usually give heed, that a fur coat is not a luxury, it is a necessity."

"While I am not entirely prepared to admit that fur coats are a necessity of life for one half of adult Canadians during one half of the year, I will admit that a lot of people think so, or have been persuaded to agree that it is so."

However, he said, fur workers unions had told the government that almost three-quarters of the fur garments sold in Canada are bought by married and single women in the lower and medium income groups.

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"My interest in your industry is not confined, however, to making tax and tariff cuts. I have also acquired, as a husband and father, some interest in your major final product, fur coats. And like most Canadians I look upon the fur industry as an industry with a romantic product and a romantic history."

He said that if it had not been for the fur trade of the early days the St. Lawrence basin, the Pacific coast and the plains between might not have been explored until the rising demand for timber drove entrepreneurs to explore them.

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